

Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Flower cluster and leaves. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer Murray Fagg, Munmorah State Conservation Area, north of The Entrance



Flower cluster and nut. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer Murray Fagg, Australian National Botanic Gardens, Canberra, ACT



Shrub. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer Murray Fagg, Munmorah State Conservation Area, north of The Entrance

Common name

A hakea

Family

Proteaceae

Where found

Dry **forest**. Coast and ranges north from Thirlmere.

Notes

Shrub to 1 m high. Leaf tips sharp. Young stems sparsely hairy. Leaves **alternating** up the stems, mostly 5–7 cm long, 1–1.5 mm in diameter, cylindrical, more or less hairless; **mucro** 0.7–1 mm long. Flowers with 4 pink to crimson '**petals**' 10–15 mm long, remaining fused and splitting on the upper side only, hairless. **Gynoecium** about 40 mm long. Unit clusters of 6–12 flowers, often several clusters close together. Flowering: late autumn to winter. 'Nuts' approximately oval, 50–70 mm long, 30–40 mm wide, wrinkled, rough but without distinct warts, shortly beaked. Seeds with one **wing**.

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Hakea-bakeriana> (accessed 8 April 2021)

Author: Betty Wood.

This identification key and fact sheets are available as a free mobile application:



Creative Commons Attribution 3.0 Australia (CC BY)



Android edition



iOS edition