Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



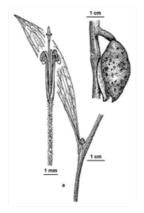
Flow ering stem with 'nut'. Photographer Don Wood, Morton National Park



Shrub. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer Murray Fagg, Budaw ang Ranges



Leaves and flow er buds. Photographer Jackie Miles



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Common name

Finger Hakea, Broad-leaved Hakea

Family

Proteaceae

Where found

Dry forest, woodland, heath, and rocky sites. Coast, ranges, and tablelands.

Notes

Shrub or tree to 4.5 m high. Young stems silky to sparsely hairy. Leaves alternating up the stems, 4–15 cm long, 5–40 mm wide, flat, usually rigid, longitudinal veins usually 3–5, tips gradually tapering to a point. Flowers white to cream, sometimes with pink bases, with 4 'petals' about 4 mm long, free from each other when the flowers are fully open, hairless. Gynoecium 4.0–4.5 mm long. Flowers in dense clusters of about 20–30 flowers, often several clusters close together. Flowering: spring to summer. 'Nuts' approximately oval, 20–35 mm long, 15–23 mm wide, prominently warty, with a short beak or no beak. Seeds with one wing.

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

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