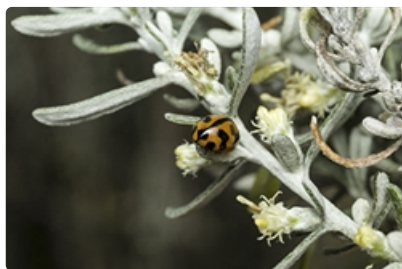


Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Flowering branches. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer Murray Fagg, Australian National Botanic Gardens, Canberra, ACT



Flowering branches. Photographer Don Wood, Barragoot Lake south of Bermagui



Shrub. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer AN Schmidt-Lebuhn, Cervantes, WA

Common name

Coast daisy-bush

Family

Asteraceae

Where found

Heath and **shrubland** on dunes and hillsides. Coastal cliffs. Coastal south from Jervis Bay.

Notes

Shrub to about 2 m high. Branches densely white-**cottony**, slightly sticky. Leaves **alternating** up the stems, 0.4–4 cm long, 1–6 mm wide, upper surface weakly grey-**woolly**, **cobwebby**, or hairless, green or grey-green, lower surface grey- to white-woolly, margins curved to rolled down, tips pointed or rounded. Flower **heads** 3–13 mm in diameter overall, conical to cylindrical below the '**petals**', with 2-6 white '**petals**', the '**petals**' often very short or not developing, and yellow centres. Flower heads at the bases of the leaves, single. Flowering: November–July.

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Olearia-axillaris> (accessed 23 January, 2021)

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