

Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Flower, leafy stem, and buds. Photographer Jackie Mies



Flowering stem. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer Murray Fagg, Norbinnie Nature Reserve near Mt Hope



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Common name

Rough Poppy

Family

Papaveraceae

Where found

Woodland, grassy areas, waste areas, and disturbed sites. Mainly Sydney area and Western Slopes. Occasionally elsewhere.

Notes

Introduced annual herb to 0.5 m high. Flower stalk to bristly. Leaves basal and **alternating** up the stem, to 15 cm long, hairy to rough-hairy, margins deeply **dissected**, toothed. Flowers with 4 **petals**, orange to crimson or purplish red, usually with a dark purplish blotch at the base, each 10–25 mm long, readily shed. Flowering Sep.–Jan.

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Papaver-hybridum> (accessed 29 January, 2021)

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