

Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Flowers and leaves. Photographer Jackie Mles



Flowering and fruiting stems. Photographer Jackie Mles



Flowering plant. Photographer Jackie Mles

Common name

Dune Fan-flower

Family

Goodeniaceae

Where found

Coastal dunes.

Notes

Prostrate shrub, flowering stems to 0.4 m high. Fruit fleshy. Stems hairy with **appressed** hairs. Leaves **alternating** along the stems, 3–8 cm long, 5–27 mm wide, thick, tips blunt, both surfaces appressed-hairy, margins **entire** or obscurely toothed, usually curved down. Flowers blue, 12–20 mm long, tubular, the tube split to the base, with 5 lobes. Flowers in leafy elongated clusters to about 8 cm long. Fruit white to purplish or white and purplish, almost round, 7–12 mm in diameter, hairless. Flowers throughout the year.

Vulnerable Vic.

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Scaevola~calendulacea> (accessed 6 February, 2021)

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