

Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Flowers and stems. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer Murray Fagg, Royal Botanic Gardens Mt Annan, Campbelltown



Pods on stem. Photographer John Tann, Royal National Park, Sydney



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Common name

Golden spray, Native broom

Family

Fabaceae

Where found

Woodland, moist **heath**, moist sites, and swamps. Coast and ranges. Eastern edge of the tablelands west of Sydney.

Notes

Shrub, usually to 5 m tall. Stems cylindrical, **wiry, striate**, hairless, upright or weeping. **Juvenile** leaves **compound**, with 1-3 leaflets, each mostly 1-6 cm long, 3-15 mm wide. Mature leaves reduced to slender leaf stalks 3-25 cm long. Flowers yellow to orange, often with red blotches, **keel** usually reddish. Flowers about 8-10 mm long, pea shaped, with 5 **petals**, 2 joined together to form the keel, in clusters more than 20 cm long. Flowers spring-summer.

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Viminaria-juncnea> (accessed 11 February, 2021)

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