

Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Flowering branches. Photographer Don Wood, Australian National Botanic Gardens, Canberra, ACT



Flowering stem. Photographer Jackie Miles, Eurobodalla Regional Botanic Gardens north of Moruya

Common name

Araluen zieria

Family

Rutaceae

Where found

Shrubland on a rocky hillside amongst granite boulders; known only from the Araluen district west of Moruya.

Notes

Shrub to 1 m high. Stems densely **glandular** warty, hairy with **simple** hairs, becoming hairless. Leaves aromatic when rubbed, opposite each other, **compound**, with 3 leaflets, the central leaflet 0.25–0.8 cm long, 2–4 mm wide, tips rounded to notched, upper surface warty, more or less hairless; lower surface more or less hairless, **midvein** more or less hairy, margins slightly rolled down, prominently glandular-toothed to more or less toothed. Flowers white or pale pink, with 4 **petals** each 2–3 mm long. Flowers with 4 **stamens**. Flower clusters shorter than the leaves, usually 1–3-flowered.

Endangered Australia. Critically Endangered NSW. Provisions of the NSW Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016 No 63 relating to the protection of protected plants generally also apply to plants that are a threatened species.

Sensitive Species list NSW.

NSW Threatened Species profile: <http://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/threatenedSpeciesApp/profile.aspx?id=10849> (accessed 8 January 2021)

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Zieria-adenophora> (accessed 8 January 2021)

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