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Acacias of Australia

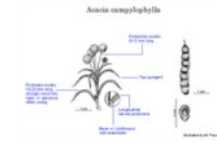
Acacia campylophylla Benth.



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Acacia campylophylla occurrence map.
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Family

Fabaceae

Distribution

Scattered from Bolgart and Wyalkatchem S to near Corrigin, W.A.

Description

Dense rigid shrub 0.1–0.6 m high. Branchlets ribbed and sometimes pruinose at extremities, glabrous. Stipules persistent, ascending to spreading, ±spinose, subulate to acicular, 0.5–1.5 mm long, rigid. Phyllodes ±continuous with branchlets but not forming cauline wings, spreading, strongly recurved, subterete to compressed, 10–20 (–25) mm long, 1–1.5 mm wide, pungent, rigid, ±glaucous at first, glabrous except nerves micro-papillose, prominently 8-nerved, 3-nerved per face when compressed. Inflorescences simple, 1 per axil; peduncles 8–12 (–14) mm long, glabrous; heads globular, 4–6 mm diam., 26–31-flowered; bracteoles spatulate, ±acuminate, dark brown, evident in buds. Flowers 5-merous; sepals free. Pods narrowly oblong, strongly raised over seeds, straight, to 3.7 cm long, 4–7.5 mm wide, ±chartaceous, glabrous. Seeds transverse, broadly elliptic, 2.5 mm long, dull, tan with ±darker mottling; aril subapical, crested.

Habitat

Grows in often gravelly sand or loam or on laterite outcrops, in woodland or heath.

Specimens

W.A.: 4 km N of Dowerin towards Cadoux, *R.Cumming 1850* (CANB, PERTH); 18 km WNW of York, *G.J.Keighery & J.Alford 172* (PERTH); c. 19 km S of Tammin, *B.R.Maslin 602* (MEL, PERTH); 10 km N of Corrigin towards York, *E.Pignatti 417* (PERTH).

Notes

The Drummond 'n. 41 of some other set' referred to as this species by G.Bentham, *Fl. Austral.* 2: 326 (1864), is *A. acclerata*, judging from a duplicate at Herb. NSW (sheet NSW216948).

Related most closely to *A. chapmanii* and *A. curvata*; similar in phyllodes to *A. wilsonii*.

FOA Reference

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