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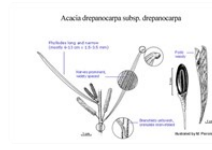
Acacia drepanocarpa F.Muell. subsp. *drepanocarpa*



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Acacia drepanocarpa subsp. *drepanocarpa*
occurrence map.
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Australia (<https://www.ala.org.au>).

Family

Fabaceae

Distribution

Occurs in tropical Australia in northern Qld, the Barkly region N.T., and between Broome and Port Hedland, W.A.

Description

Stipules 0.2–0.6 mm long. **Phyllodes** linear, (4.5–) 6–13 cm long, (1–) 1.5–3.5 mm wide, 20–50 x as long as broad, acute, with prominent midnerve and sometimes 1 or 2 parallel semiprominent nerves and 2–6 minor nerves; **gland** 0.5–2.2 mm above **pulvinus**.

Phenology

Flowers May–Aug.

Habitat

Grows on sandplains, in spinifex grassland, in red-brown sand and laterite soil.

Specimens

W.A.: La Grange, *F.Lullfitz* 6218 (CANB, NSW, PERTH); 121 km N of Sandfire Roadhouse, *B.R.Maslin* 2697 (BRI, NSW, PERTH); N of Great Sandy Desert, Great Northern Hwy, c. La Grange Mission turnoff, *I.V.Newman* 660 (NSW). N.T.: 11 miles [17.6 km] NE of Alexandria Stn, *R.A.Perry* 1478 (CANB, DNA, NSW); 55 miles [88 km] NE of Creswell Stn, *R.A.Perry* 1677 (BRI, CANB, NSW, PERTH).

Notes

A specimen collected from Burra Ra., N Qld, May 1973, *D.Hanger* (NSW) is a doubtful record requiring further investigation.

FOA Reference

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