

plant type

- native trees and shrubs

water hardiness



Eucalyptus rossii

inland scribbly gum, white gum.

A medium sized tree growing to 18m. It has a smooth greyish-white trunk that is often marked by the scribbly trails of insect larvae. Narrow grey-green leaves and small white flowers in summer.



top ten

bird attracting

origin NSW, ACT.

project type

urban and commercial
residential
farm forestry and
agriculture

cultural notes A sunny position in well drained soils is preferred. Often occurs naturally on poor shallow, stony soils.

tolerates Tolerant of drought and frost.

flowering season Summer.

flower colour Small white flowers occurring in clusters, followed by small hemispherical gumnuts.

soil type and drainage

light - sandy soils
medium - loamy soils
good drainage

foliage colour Adult foliage is dull grey-green, lance-shaped and grows to 15cm in length. Juvenile foliage is similar but generally broader.

width up to 9m

height up to 18m

plant spacing 400cm apart

recommended uses A good shade tree for cooler areas.

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