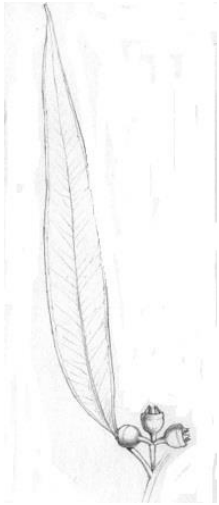


Myrtaceae
Eucalyptus seeana
 narrow-leaved red gum

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ALA Local Natives



M Fox



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ETYMOLOGY

(yoo-ca-LIP-tus) Eucalyptus from Greek eu = well + calyptos = covered; The species seeana = After Sir John See, former Premier of NSW

LIFEFORM

Tree 15m height x 4m spread

ORIGIN

Landsborough Q, Tellegraph point NSW

FOUND

Commissioner's Flat S.W. of Peachester, Landsborough, Tunbududla (The twins), Mts Tibrogargan, Tiberowuccum and Beerburrum.

HABITAT

Open forest

TOLERANCES

LEAVES

Alternate, 18 x 2.5 cm, long narrow concolorous; thin green reticulation dense fine with numerous island oil glands;

FLOWERS

White unbranched 7-11 flowered; buds 1.5 x 0.4 cm, scar present, operculum elongated tapering to tip. **Flowering Times:** July, Aug, Sept, Oct, Nov, Dec

FRUIT

Capsules, 7 mm, horn-like operculum, much longer than hypanthium; pointed at apex; 3-4 exerted valves. **Flowering Times:** Oct, Nov, Dec, Jan, Feb

BARK

Dull greyish-white marked with darker grey patches, deciduous in irregular flakes freshly

TRUNK or STEM

Crooked heavily branching at low levels and slender branches looks slightly weeping exposed pale yellow to orange;

ETHNOBOTANY

Timber heavy hard durable, good for fence posts difficult to split or saw; Medium sources of honey & pollen.

WILDLIFE

Food plant for Koala, Flying Fox (fl), Blossom Bat, Squirrel Glider (sap); Flowers attract Gliders, Flying Foxes;

BIRD

Rainbow Lorikeets (fl)

MISTLETOE

Amyema pendulum ssp longifolium

ID FEATURES

Green, narrow lanceolate to lanceolate, normally narrower than 2 cm; buds not glaucous, operculum relatively long, 0.7-1.2 cm in length; juvenile leaves narrowly lanceolate; Confused with *Eucalyptus tereticornis*

