

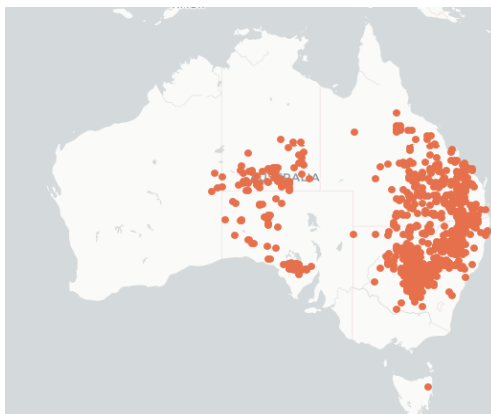
Goodeniaceae

Goodenia glabra

smooth goodenia, shiny pansy



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ETYMOLOGY

(good-EEN-ee-a) After Rev Samuel Goodenough 1743-1827 Bishop of Carlisle; The species glabra (GLAB-rah) without hairs smooth flower.

LIFEFORM

Herb 40 cm x 40 cm spread

STATUS

Found Darling Downs and Burnett district and westernmost part of the Moreton district of SE Qld; Inland eastern Australia Recorded @ 96 Locations (Moran, A. 2009)

OCCURS

Boatman Stn, Yapunyah Qld, NSW, Avoca River Vic, SA, WA, Curtin Springs NT

QLD DISTRICTS

Burnett, Darling Downs, Leichhardt, Maranoa, Mitchell, Moreton, North/South Kennedy, Port Curtus, Warrego, Wide Bay

HABITAT

Inland woodland, grassland

LEAVES

Basal, 3-9 cm x 7-11 mm, on stock narrow-oblong to oblanceolate, rosette leaves serrated, narrowing basally, margins sinuate to lobed; cauline leaves smaller, broader, not narrowing, with basal lobe on one side.

FLOWERS

Yellow, 10-18 mm, solitary with purplish markings in leafy racemes; hairless or cottony outside, hairless inside, with enations, auriculate on 20-35 mm stalks, bracteoles present.

Flowering times May, June, July, Aug, Sept

FRUIT

Capsules 7-10 mm globose to ovoid, valves 2, thick, entire; seeds oblong to elliptic, 3mm brownish, bristly.

Fruiting times Aug, Sept

ROOTS

Rooting at nodes.

STEM

Prostrate to decumbent herb with hairless or with cottony hairs; stems radiating from central rosette.

LANDSCAPE USES

Groundcover

WILDLIFE

Attracts insects for pollination (Haviland 1885) such as butterflies.

INSECTS

Aphis gossypii

BUTTERFLY

Junonia villida meadow argus

ID FEATURE

Flowers yellow with purplish markings, hairless with few simple hairs outside; Indusium tightly folded with orifice very convex; Style 5-6 mm, 1/2 as long as corolla. peduncles 2-5 cm.