

Threatened plants of the Granite Belt

Cyanothamnus inflexus subsp. *montiazurus* (Blue Mountain boronia)



Conservation status

- Least concern – Qld (NC Act 1992)
- Not listed – Federal (EPBC Act 1999)

Description

- Low shrub.
- Leaves:
 - comprise 3-5 (sometimes 7), linear leaflets
 - arranged in opposite pairs on the stem
 - smooth and hairless
 - with an acute tip
 - strongly aromatic when crushed.

Flowers and fruit

- Flowers:
 - white to pink, 2.5-3.5 long
 - 4 petals and 8 stamens
 - smaller than other *B. inflexus* subspecies
 - produced in groups of 1-3 in the leaf axils.
- Flowering occurs in September.
- Fruit a capsule containing up to 4 seeds.

Habitat and distribution

- Endemic to the Granite Belt.
- Recorded from:
 - Blue Mountain
 - Applethorpe.
- Found in woodlands on rocky south slopes.

Have you seen this plant? Please let us know ...

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