

Threatened plants of the Granite Belt

Allocasuarina rupicola (Rock she-oak, Shrubby she-oak)



Conservation status

- Near threatened – Qld (NC Act 1992)
- Not listed – Federal (EPBC Act 1999)

Description

- Shrub 1-3 metres high.
- Has male and female reproductive organs on different individuals.
- Bark smooth.
- Branchlets up to 180mm long
- Leaves reduced to scales in whorls of 7-8.

Flowers and fruit

- Male flowers arranged in orange spikes.
- Flowering occurs from March to July.
- Female cones are small, 6-20 mm long, containing winged seeds.

Habitat and distribution

- Endemic to the New England Tableland.
- Recorded from:
 - Passchendaele State Forest
 - Girraween National Park.
- Found on granite outcrops.

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



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