

# Threatened plants of the Granite Belt

## *Eucalyptus dalveenica* (Dalveen blue box)



### **Conservation status**

- Critically endangered – Qld (NC Act 1992)
- Critically endangered – Federal (EPBC Act 1999)

### **Description**

- Rare tree to 15 m, occasionally mallee.
- Bark:
  - light grey, flaky, box-type, persistent on trunk and branches >50 mm diameter
  - smooth above, shedding in short ribbons.
- Leaves:
  - alternate, broad lanceolate
  - measure 10-15 mm x 2.6-4.1 mm
  - uniform coloured, green, semiglossy
  - tip tapers to a point
  - conveys a sweet, fruity smell when crushed.

### **Flowers and fruit**

- Flowers white, in clusters of 6 or 7.
- Flowering occurs from September to December.
- Fruit a capsule containing small, black seeds.

### **Habitat and distribution**

- Endemic to the Granite Belt.
- Recorded from the Dalveen area.
- Found in woodlands with grassy understorey.

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

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