

Gynatrix pulchella Hemp Bush

Height:

2m - 4m

Width:

1.5m - 3m

Habit:

A fast-growing open woody upright shrub

Foliage:

Heart-shaped hairy leaves to 10cm long with rounded teeth along the edges.

Flowers:

Numerous small fragrant greenish-white flowers. Male and female flowers grow on different plants, female plants have shorter petals. Flowers from August to October.

Requirements:

Moist, well drained soils. Partial sun.

Cultivation & uses:

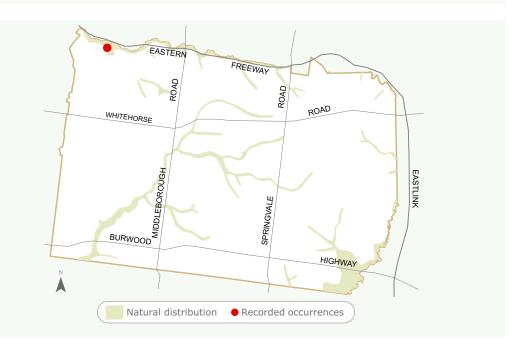
Often flowers profusely and is very showy in flower. Regular pruning will avoid plant becoming straggly. Good for revegetation along water courses.

Local Distribution:

Map is indicative to the natural distribution of the species based on the best available knowledge.

The natural occurrence of this species is rare.





Images:

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`Hemp Bush'

Natural flora of Whitehorse

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