

Dry Eucalyptus Forest and Woodland

DPE *Eucalyptus perriniana* forest and woodland

Community Description:

Eucalyptus perriniana forest is characterised by the presence of *E. perriniana*, which grows as a mallee or small tree to 6 m in height. The understorey shrub and ground layers are typically dense. The ground layer is moderately dense, and is dominated by sclerophyllous monocotyledons. This is the appropriate benchmark to use in assessing the condition of *Eucalyptus perriniana*-dominated components of the listed *Eucalyptus tenuiramis* forest and woodland on sediments community (Schedule 3A, Nature Conservation Act 2002).

Benchmarks:

Component	Cover %	Height (m)	DBH (cm)	#/ha	Length (m)/0.1 ha
Canopy	50%	-	-	-	-
Large Trees	-	6	10	1000	-
Organic Litter	40%	-	-	-	-
Logs	-	-	≥ 10	-	20
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Recruitment	Episodic				

Understorey Life Forms	LF code	# Spp	Cover %
Immature tree	IT	1	26
Tree or large shrub	T	6	25
Shrub	S	8	25
Prostrate shrub	PS	1	10
Herbs and orchids	H	1	1
Large sedge/rush/sagg/lily	LSR	5	25
Scrambler/Climber/Epiphytes	SCE	2	5
Mosses and Lichens	ML	1	50
Total	8	25	

Species lists:

Canopy Tree Species	Common Name	Notes
<i>Eucalyptus perriniana</i>	spinning gum	
<i>Eucalyptus rodwayi</i>	swamp peppermint	
<i>Eucalyptus tenuiramis</i>	silver peppermint	

Typical Understorey Species *	Common Name	LF Code
<i>Banksia marginata</i>	silver banksia	T
<i>Leptospermum glaucescens</i>	smoky teatree	T
<i>Leptospermum lanigerum</i>	woolly teatree	T
<i>Leptospermum scoparium</i>	common teatree	T
<i>Melaleuca squamea</i>	swamp honeymyrtle	T
<i>Oxylobium ellipticum</i>	golden shaggypea	T
<i>Amperea xiphoclada</i>	broom spurge	S
<i>Aotus ericoides</i>	golden pea	S
<i>Baeckea gunniana</i>	alpine heathmyrtle	S
<i>Callistemon viridiflorus</i>	prickly bottlebrush	S
<i>Epacris lanuginosa</i>	swamp heath	S
<i>Leucopogon virgatus</i>	twiggy beardheath	S
<i>Pimelea linifolia</i>	slender riceflower	S
<i>Sprengelia incarnata</i>	pink swampheath	S
<i>Hibbertia prostrata</i>	prostrate guineaflower	PS
<i>Stylidium graminifolium</i>	narrowleaf triggerplant	H
<i>Baloskion australe</i>	southern cordrush	LSR
<i>Juncus</i> spp.	rush	LSR
<i>Lepidosperma filiforme</i>	common rapiersedge	LSR
<i>Lepidosperma longitudinale</i>	spreading swordedge	LSR
<i>Lomandra longifolia</i>	sagg	LSR
<i>Bauera rubioides</i>	wiry bauera	SCE
<i>Empodisma minus</i>	spreading roperush	SCE
<i>Sphagnum</i> spp.	sphagnum	ML

*This list is provided as a guide only. The species listed are typical of this plant community type but may not necessarily be present.