

DVC *Eucalyptus viminalis* – *Eucalyptus globulus* coastal forest and woodland: (woodland)

Community Description:

Eucalyptus viminalis - *Eucalyptus globulus* coastal forest and woodland is dominated by either *E. viminalis* or *E. globulus* trees that are usually small (10 to 20 m) and of poor form but can reach up to 30 m in fire protected areas. They are dry sclerophyll communities with understoreys varying from shrubby to heathy. This benchmark is one of 2 benchmarks available to assess the condition of DVC. It is the appropriate benchmark to use in assessing the condition of the woodland component of the listed *Eucalyptus viminalis* - *Eucalyptus globulus* coastal forest and woodland community (Schedule 3A, Nature Conservation Act 2002) and may be suitable for assessing the taller (up to 30 m) *Eucalyptus viminalis*-dominated open woodland facies of the listed *Eucalyptus globulus* King Island forest community (Schedule 3A, Nature Conservation Act 2002).

Benchmarks:

Component	Height (m)	Cover (%)	DBH (cm)	Diameter (cm)	Count (#/ha)	Total Length (m/0.1 ha)
Tree Canopy	15	15	-	-	-	-
Large Trees	-	-	70	-	10	-
Logs	-	-	-	≥ 10	-	30
Large Logs	-	-	-	≥ 35	-	-
Organic Litter	-	40	-	-	-	-
Recruitment	Continuous					

Understorey Life Forms	LF code	# Spp	Cover (%)
Immature Canopy Tree	ICT	1	5
Tree (sub-canopy)/Large Shrub	T	2	5
Medium Shrub/Small Shrub	S	4	20
Prostrate and Mat Forming Shrubs (incl. cushion plants)	PS	2	5
Herbs and Orchids	H	5	5
Grasses	G	2	5
Large Sedge/Rush/Sagg/Lily	LSR	1	20
Medium to Small Sedge/Rush/Sagg/Lily	MSR	1	5
Ground Ferns and fern allies	GF	1	40
Scramblers/Climbers/Epiphytes	SCE	1	5
Mosses and Lichens	ML	1	5
Total	11	21	

Species lists:

Tree Canopy Species	Common Name	Notes
<i>Eucalyptus viminalis</i>	white gum	
<i>Eucalyptus globulus</i>	Tasmanian blue gum	
<i>Eucalyptus amygdalina</i>	black peppermint	
<i>Eucalyptus ovata</i>	black gum	

Typical Understorey Species *	Common Name	LF Code
<i>Acacia dealbata</i>	silver wattle	T
<i>Acacia melanoxylon</i>	blackwood	T
<i>Allocasuarina littoralis</i>	black sheoak	T
<i>Banksia marginata</i>	silver banksia	T
<i>Exocarpos cupressiformis</i>	common native-cherry	T
<i>Acacia longifolia</i> subsp. <i>sophorae</i>	coast wattle	S
<i>Acacia</i> spp.	wattle	S
<i>Bossiaea</i> spp.	bossia	S
<i>Epacris impressa</i>	common heath	S
<i>Leptospermum scoparium</i>	common teatree	S
<i>Leucopogon parviflorus</i>	coast beardheath	S
<i>Tetradlea labillardierei</i>	glandular pinkbells	S
<i>Tetradlea pilosa</i>	hairy pinkbells	S
<i>Acrotriche</i> spp.	ants delight	PS
<i>Astroloma humifusum</i>	native cranberry	PS
<i>Bossiaea prostrata</i>	creeping bossia	PS
<i>Kennedia prostrata</i>	running postman	PS
<i>Dichondra repens</i>	kidneyweed	H
<i>Euchiton</i> spp.	cottonleaf	H
Orchidaceae	orchids	H
<i>Viola</i> spp.	violet	H
<i>Wahlenbergia</i> spp.	bluebell	H
<i>Austrostipa</i> spp.	speargrass	G
<i>Poa labillardierei</i>	tussockgrass	G
<i>Dianella revoluta</i>	spreading flaxlily	LSR
<i>Diplarrena moraea</i>	white flag-iris	LSR
<i>Lomandra longifolia</i>	sagg	LSR
<i>Pteridium esculentum</i>	bracken	GF
<i>Cassytha</i> spp.	dodderlaurel	SCE

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