

Eucalyptus pilularis

COMMON NAMES

blackbutt

BIOSTATUS

Exotic

CONSERVATION STATUS

Not applicable

CATEGORY

Vascular

STRUCTURAL CLASS

Trees & Shrubs - Dicotyledons

FLOWER COLOURS

White

THREATS

This taxon may be prone to Myrtle Rust (*Austropuccinia psidii*) is an invasive fungus which threatens myrtle species - learn more myrtlerust.org.nz

GENUS

Eucalyptus

FAMILY

Myrtaceae

AUTHORITY

Eucalyptus pilularis Sm.

ENDEMIC FAMILY

No

YEAR NATURALISED

1957

ORIGIN

N.S.W., S.E. Queensland

ETYMOLOGY

eucalyptus: From the Greek eu 'good or well' and calypha 'covered', alluding to the calyx which covers the flower like a lid.

MANAAKI WHENUA ONLINE INTERACTIVE KEY

[Key to the Myrtaceae of New Zealand](#)

MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/eucalyptus-pilularis/>

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