

Vegetation Type 4 - Witchetty Bush and/or Mulga on rocky hills of granite, gneiss or schist

KEY

- Occurrence in vegetation type requires confirmation

N - Not characteristic in that vegetation community

F - Few plants occur

S - Some plants will occur

M - Most likely to occur in the vegetation community

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Taxon Name	Common Name	FreqCode	Form	Comments
<i>Abutilon fraseri</i>	Dwarf Lantern-bush	M	Herb	
<i>Abutilon leucopetalum</i>	Desert Lantern-bush	F	Herb	Usually only on rockier sites
<i>Abutilon macrum</i>	Slender Lantern-bush	F	Herb	
<i>Acacia aneura s.lat.</i>	Mulga, Broad-leaved Mulga	M	Tree	Presence and density highly variable
<i>Acacia estrophiolata</i>	Ironwood, Southern Ironwood	N	Tree	
<i>Acacia kempeana</i>	Witchetty Bush	M	Shrub	
<i>Acacia melleodora</i>	Waxy Wattle	N	Shrub	
<i>Acacia tetragonophylla</i>	Dead Finish, Kurara	M	Shrub	
<i>Acacia victoriae subsp. arida</i>	Acacia Bush, Bramble Wattle, Victoria Wattle	N	Shrub	
<i>Achyranthes aspera</i>	Chaff-flower	F	Herb	
<i>Actinobole uliginosum</i>	Flannel Cudweed	F	Herb	
<i>Alectryon oleifolius subsp. elongatus</i>	Broom Baeckea	F	Shrub	
<i>Amaranthus centralis</i>	Central Amaranth	S #	Herb	
<i>Amaranthus interruptus</i>	Native Amaranth	S #	Herb	
<i>Amyema hilliana</i>	Ironwood Mistletoe	N	Mistletoe	
<i>Amyema maidenii subsp. maidenii</i>	Pale-leaf Mistletoe	S	Mistletoe	
<i>Amyema preissii</i>	Wire-leaf Mistletoe	N	Mistletoe	
<i>Anemocarpa saxatilis</i>	Hill Sunray	F	Herb	
<i>Apowollastonia stirlingii</i>	Wedelia	F #	Shrub	
<i>Aristida arida</i>	Aristida, Three-awn, Wiregrass	F	Grass	
<i>Aristida contorta</i>	Bunched Kerosene Grass, Mulga Grass, Bunched Windgrass, Wind Grass	S	Grass	
<i>Aristida holathera var. holathera</i>	Erect Kerosene Grass, White Grass, Arrow Grass	N	Grass	
<i>Aristida nitidula</i>	Flat-awned Three-awn	S	Grass	
<i>Atalaya hemiglauca</i>	Whitewood	M	Tree	

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<i>Atriplex elachophylla</i>	Annual Saltbush, Saltbush	N	Herb	
<i>Boerhavia coccinea</i>	Tar Vine	S #	Herb	
<i>Boerhavia repleta</i>		F	Herb	
<i>Boerhavia schomburgkiana</i>	Yipa	S #	Herb	
<i>Brachyscome tesquorum</i>	Dolomite Daisy	F	Herb	
<i>Calandrinia eremaea</i>	Small Purslane	F	Herb	
<i>Calocephalus platycephalus</i>	Yellow Billybuttons	F	Herb	
<i>Calotis hispidula</i>	Bogan Flea, Bindi-eye, Hairy Burr-daisy	S	Herb	
<i>Calotis latiuscula</i>	Leafy Burr-daisy, Yellow-flowered Burr-daisy	N	Herb	
<i>Capparis mitchellii</i>	Wild Orange, Native Orange, Bumble, Native Pomegranate	S	Tree	
<i>Capparis spinosa</i> var. <i>nummularia</i>	Caper Bush, Wild Passionfruit, Nipan	N	Shrub	
<i>Cheilanthes lasiophylla</i>	Woolly Cloak Fern	M	Herb	
<i>Cheilanthes sieberi</i> subsp. <i>pseudovellea</i>	Mulga Fern, Rock Fern, Hairy Mulga Fern	S	Herb	
<i>Cheilanthes sieberi</i> subsp. <i>sieberi</i>	Mulga Fern, Rock Fern	S	Herb	
<i>Chenopodium cristatum</i>	Crested Goosefoot, Crested Crumbweed	N	Herb	
<i>Chenopodium desertorum</i> subsp. <i>anidiophyllum</i>	Desert Goosefoot, Frosted Goosefoot	F	Herb	
<i>Chenopodium melanocarpum</i>	Black-fruited Goosefoot, Black Crumbweed	S	Herb	
<i>Chrysocephalum apiculatum</i>	Small Yellow Button, Common Everlasting, Yellow Buttons	N	Herb	
<i>Chrysocephalum pterochaetum</i>	Perennial Sunray	S	Herb	
<i>Cleome viscosa</i>	Tickweed, Mustard Bush	S	Herb	
<i>Convolvulus clementii</i>	Australian Bindweed, Pink Bindweed, Blushing Bindweed	F	Herb	
<i>Corymbia aparrerinja</i>	Ghost Gum, White Gum, Desert White Gum, Dallachy's Gum	F	Tree	
<i>Corymbia opaca</i>	Bloodwood, Desert Bloodwood	S	Tree	
<i>Crotalaria medicaginea</i>	Clover-leaf Rattlepod, Trefoil Rattlepod	F	Shrub	
<i>Cuscuta victoriana</i>	Cuscuta	F	Herb	
<i>Cymbopogon ambiguus</i>	Lemon-scented Grass, Native Lemon Grass, Scent Grass, Scented Oil-grass	F	Grass	
<i>Cynanchum viminalis</i> subsp. <i>australe</i>	Caustic Vine, Pencil Caustic, Milk Bush, Milk Vine	F	Shrub	
<i>Cynoglossum australe</i>	Australian Hounds Tongue	F	Herb	
<i>Daucus glochidiatus</i> s.lat.	Australian Carrot	F	Herb	
<i>Digitaria brownii</i>	Cotton Panic Grass	M	Grass	
<i>Digitaria ctenantha</i>	Comb Finger Grass	F	Grass	
<i>Dipteracanthus australasicus</i> subsp. <i>australasicus</i>	Native Petunia	F	Herb	
<i>Dodonaea viscosa</i> subsp. <i>mucronata</i>	Hill Sticky Hopbush	N	Shrub	
<i>Dysphania rhadinostachya</i> subsp. <i>rhadinostachya</i>	Green Crumbweed	N	Herb	
<i>Einadia nutans</i> subsp. <i>eremaea</i>	Climbing Saltbush	F	Herb	
<i>Einadia nutans</i> subsp. <i>nutans</i>		F	Herb	

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<i>Enchylaena tomentosa</i> var. <i>tomentosa</i>	Ruby Saltbush, Sturts Saltbush, Plum Puddings, Berry Cottonbush	S	Herb	
<i>Enneapogon avenaceus</i>	Native Oat-grass, Bottlewashers	F	Grass	
<i>Enneapogon clelandii</i>	Conetop Nine-awn, Clelands Nine-awn	F	Grass	
<i>Enneapogon oblongus</i>	Rock Nine-awn, Purple-head Nine-awn	S	Grass	
<i>Enneapogon polyphyllus</i>	Woolly Oat-grass, Oat-grass, Leafy Nine-awn, Limestone Grass, Run Out Buffel, Limestone Bottlewashers	M	Grass	
<i>Enteropogon acicularis</i>	Curly Windmill Grass, Umbrella Grass, Spider grass	N	Grass	
<i>Eragrostis cumingii</i>	Fairy Grass, Cuming's Lovegrass	F	Grass	Near the Telegraph Stn only
<i>Eremophila freelingii</i>	Rock Fuchsia Bush	S	Shrub	
<i>Eremophila latrobei</i> s.lat.	Native Fuchsia, Latrobes Desert Fuchsia, Georgina Poison Bush	S	Shrub	
<i>Eremophila longifolia</i>	Emu Bush, Weeping Emu Bush, Long-leaved Desert Fuchsia, Berrigan, Long Leaf Eremophila, Dogwood	S	Shrub	
<i>Eriachne mucronata</i>	Mountain Wanderrie	M	Grass	
<i>Erodium aureum</i>		F	Herb	
<i>Euphorbia alsiniflora</i>		F	Herb	
<i>Euphorbia drummondii</i> entity A	Caustic Weed	F	Herb	
<i>Euphorbia tannensis</i> subsp. <i>eremophila</i>	Caustic Bush, Desert Spurge, Bottle Tree Caustic	S	Herb	
<i>Evolvulus alsinoides</i> var. <i>villosicalyx</i>	Blue Periwinkle, Tropical Speedwell	M	Herb	
<i>Ficus brachypoda</i>	Common Rock-fig, Rock Fig, Wild Fig, Small-leaved Rock Fig	F	Tree	
<i>Fimbristylis dichotoma</i>	Eight Day Grass, Common Fringe-rush	S	Sedge / Rush	
<i>Glossocardia bidens</i>	Native Cobblers Pegs	F	Herb	
<i>Glycine canescens</i>	Silky Glycine	S	Herb	
<i>Gomphrena lanata</i>		F	Herb	Near the Telegraph Stn only
<i>Grevillea striata</i>	Beefwood	F	Tree	
<i>Hakea divaricata</i>	Fork-leaved Corkwood	N	Tree	
<i>Hakea lorea</i> subsp. <i>lorea</i>	Long-leaf Corkwood	M	Tree	
<i>Heliotropium asperrimum</i>	Rough Heliotrope	F	Herb	
<i>Heliotropium cunninghamii</i>		M #	Herb	
<i>Heliotropium flintii</i>		N	Herb	
<i>Heliotropium tanythrix</i>		M #	Herb	
<i>Heteropogon contortus</i>	Bunch Speargrass, Black Speargrass	F	Grass	
<i>Hibiscus sturtii</i> var. <i>grandiflorus</i>	Sturt's Hibiscus	F	Shrub	
<i>Hybanthus aurantiacus</i>	Orange Spade Flower	M	Shrub	
<i>Indigofera colutea</i>	Sticky Indigo, Rusty Indigo	S	Herb	
<i>Indigofera leucotricha</i>	Silver Indigo, White Indigo	M	Shrub	
<i>Indigofera linnaei</i>	Birdsville Indigo, Nine-leaved Indigo	F	Herb	

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<i>Indigofera</i> sp. MacDonnell Ranges		F	Shrub	
<i>Iseilema dolichotrichum</i>	Rough-stemmed Flinders Grass	F	Grass	
<i>Jasminum didymum</i> subsp. <i>lineare</i>	Native Jasmine, Wild Jasmine	F	Shrub	
<i>Leiocarpa semicalva</i>	Hill Everlasting	S	Herb	
<i>Lepidium oxytrichum</i>	Green Peppercreess, Hairy Peppercreess	M	Herb	
<i>Lepidium phlebopetalum</i>	Veined Peppercreess	S	Herb	
<i>Lysiana exocarpi</i> subsp. <i>exocarpi</i>	Harlequin Mistletoe	F	Mistletoe	
<i>Lysiana subfalcata</i>	Northern Mistletoe	F	Mistletoe	
<i>Macrozamia macdonnellii</i>	MacDonnell Ranges Cycad	F	Herb	Near the Telegraph Stn only
<i>Maireana georgei</i>	Golden Bluebush, Satiny Bluebush	F	Herb	
<i>Maireana planifolia</i>	Low Bluebush	S	Herb	
<i>Maireana scleroptera</i>		N	Herb	
<i>Maireana tomentosa</i> subsp. <i>tomentosa</i>		N	Herb	
<i>Marsdenia australis</i>	Bush Banana, Lungkwa, Doubah	F	Herb	
<i>Melhania oblongifolia</i>	Velvet Hibiscus	S	Shrub	
<i>Mollugo cerviana</i>	Fairy Lights, Fairy Bells	F	Herb	
<i>Nicotiana megalosiphon</i> subsp. <i>sessilifolia</i>	Long-flowered Tobacco	F #	Herb	
<i>Nicotiana simulans</i>	Native Tobacco	F #	Herb	
<i>Omphalolappula concava</i>	Burr Stickseed	F	Herb	
<i>Ophioglossum lusitanicum</i>	Austral Adders Tongue	F	Herb	Near the Telegraph Stn only
<i>Pandorea doratoxylon</i>	Spearwood, Wonga Vine, Spearbush	F	Shrub	Only on rockier sites
<i>Panicum decompositum</i> s.lat.	Native Millet, Native Panic, Australian Millet, Stargrass	F	Grass	
<i>Panicum effusum</i>	Hairy Panic	F	Grass	
<i>Paspalidium clementii</i>	Clements Paspalidium	F	Grass	
<i>Paspalidium constrictum</i>	Knottybutt Paspalidium, Slender Panic	F	Grass	
<i>Pleurosorus rutifolius</i>	Blanket Fern	F	Herb	
<i>Pluchea dunlopii</i>		N	Herb	
<i>Portulaca filifolia</i> s.lat.	Slender Pigweed	F	Herb	
<i>Portulaca oleracea</i>	Munyeroo, Pigweed, Purslane	S	Herb	
<i>Prostanthera striatiflora</i>	Striped Mint-bush	S	Shrub	
<i>Pterocaulon sphacelatum</i>	Apple Bush, Bush Vicks	N	Herb	
<i>Ptilotus helipteroides</i> var. <i>helipteroides</i>	Hairy Mulla Mulla	F	Herb	
<i>Ptilotus macrocephalus</i>	Large Green Pussy-tails, Feather Heads	M	Herb	
<i>Ptilotus nobilis</i> subsp. <i>nobilis</i>	Yellow Tails	S	Herb	
<i>Ptilotus obovatus</i> var. <i>obovatus</i>	Smoke Bush, Silver Bush, Silver Tails	S	Herb	
<i>Ptilotus schwartzii</i> var. <i>schwartzii</i> forma <i>schwartzii</i>	Horse Mulla Mulla	F	Herb	
<i>Ptilotus sessilifolius</i>	Crimson Foxtail, Silver Tails	S	Herb	
<i>Rhagodia eremaea</i>	Tall Saltbush	M	Herb	

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<i>Rhodanthe floribunda</i>	White Paper Daisy, Large White Sunray	F	Herb	
<i>Rhodanthe stricta</i>	Slender Sunray	F	Herb	
<i>Rhyncharrhena linearis</i>	Mulga Bean, Bush Bean, Puya	F	Herb	
<i>Rhynchosia minima</i>	Native Pea	F	Herb	
<i>Rostellularia adscendens</i> var. <i>latifolia</i>		F	Herb	
<i>Salsola tragus</i> subsp. <i>tragus</i>	Salsola, Buckbush, Rolypoly, Tumbleweed, Prickly Saltwort, Soft Rolypoly, Slender Saltwort, Russian Thistle	M	Herb	
<i>Santalum lanceolatum</i>	Sandalwood, Plumbush, Wild Plum, Plumwood, Northern Sandalwood	F	Shrub	
<i>Schoenia ayersii</i>		F	Herb	
<i>Sclerolaena convexula</i>	Tall Copper Burr	M	Herb	
<i>Sclerolaena costata</i>	Ribbed Bindi-eye	N	Herb	
<i>Senna artemisioides</i> nothosubsp. <i>artemisioides</i>	Silver Cassia	S	Shrub	
<i>Senna artemisioides</i> nothosubsp. <i>sturtii</i>	Dense Cassia, Grey Cassia	S	Shrub	
<i>Senna artemisioides</i> subsp. <i>alicia</i>		S	Shrub	
<i>Senna artemisioides</i> subsp. <i>filifolia</i>	Desert Cassia, Broom Bush, Puntly Bush	N	Shrub	
<i>Senna artemisioides</i> subsp. <i>helmsii</i>	Blunt-leaf Cassia, Crinkled Cassia	M	Shrub	
<i>Senna glutinosa</i> subsp. <i>pruinosa</i>	White Cassia	F	Shrub	
<i>Sida fibulifera</i>	Silver Sida, Pin Sida	S	Herb	
<i>Sida filiformis</i>	Fire Sida, Fine Sida	F	Herb	
<i>Sida phaeotricha</i>	Hill Sida	S	Herb	
<i>Sida rohlenae</i> subsp. <i>rohlenae</i>	Shrub Sida	F	Herb	
<i>Sida</i> sp. <i>Rainbow Valley</i>		F	Herb	
<i>Solanum ellipticum</i>	Native Tomato, Potato Bush, Potato Weed	S	Herb	
<i>Solanum quadriloculatum</i>	Wild Tomato, Tomato Bush	S	Shrub	
<i>Stenopetalum decipiens</i>	Hill Thread-petal	S	Herb	
<i>Stenopetalum lineare</i>	Narrow Thread-petal, Enmerta	F #	Herb	
<i>Stenopetalum nutans</i>	Nodding Thread-petal, Spunk Weed	F	Herb	
<i>Stenopetalum velutinum</i>	Downy Thread-petal	F #	Herb	
<i>Streptoglossa decurrens</i>		N	Herb	
<i>Swainsona phacoides</i>	Dwarf Swainsona, Woodland Swainsona	N	Herb	
<i>Tephrosia brachyodon</i> s.lat.	Red Pea-bush	F	Herb	
<i>Tephrosia supina</i>		S	Herb	
<i>Themeda triandra</i>	Kangaroo Grass	S	Grass	
<i>Tragus australianus</i>	Small Burr-grass, Sock Grass, Tickgrass	F	Grass	
<i>Trianthema triquetrum</i>	Red Spinach	N	Herb	
<i>Tribulus eichlerianus</i> s.lat.	Bindi-eye, Bull-head	S	Herb	
<i>Trichodesma zeylanicum</i> var. <i>zeylanicum</i>	Cattle Bush, Camel Bush	S	Herb	

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<i>Triodia brizoides</i>	Hillside Spinifex, Weeping Spinifex	N	Grass	
<i>Tripogon loliiformis</i>	Five-minute Grass, Rye Beetle Grass	S	Grass	
<i>Triraphis mollis</i>	Purple Plumegrass, Purple Heads, Needle Grass	S	Grass	
<i>Ventilago viminalis</i>	Supplejack, Vine Tree	F	Tree	
<i>Wahlenbergia queenslandica</i>	Bluebell	F	Herb	
<i>Wahlenbergia tumidifructa</i>	Tugid-fruited Bluebell	F	Herb	
<i>Zaleya galericulata subsp. galericulata</i>	Hogweed	S	Herb	