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Trees Fo



Species	Av.ht. (m) Description	Use	Species Av.	ht.(m	
Acacia pendula Weeping myall	10	Long-lived, drought resistant wattle with an attractive pendulous habit. Suitable for fodder.		Eucalyptus gardneri Blue mallet	10	Rapid growing, sm leaves. Flowers use Winter honey proc
Brachychiton gregorii Desert kurrajong		Slow-growing, drought resistant tree with a dense crown of bright green foliage.		Eucalyptus loxophleba York gum	12	Quick-growing tree and rough bark. Fl tolerant. Useful ho
Eucalyptus dundasii Dundas blackbutt		Medium to tall tree with dense, glossy green foliage. Flowers February—April. Drought and frost resistant. Good honey producer and useful for fence posts and timber. Street tree.	O ∉ O E	Eucalyptus longicornis Red morrel	12	Rough-barked tree Flowers Novembe Good honey prod
Pittosporum phillyraeoide Weeping pittosporum		Graceful, pendulous foliage of dense, mid-green leaves; unusual orange-coloured fruits. Drought resistant.	0 ≝ (£) 0 € (£)	Eucalyptus platypus Moort	6	Tree or mallee with rounded, dense cr
Eucalyptus diptera Two-winged gimlet		Attractive tree or mallee with dense, glossy green crown. Drought frost and some salt tolerance. Street tree.		Eucalyptus redunca Black marlock	7	Spacious, shady c December – March
Eucalyptus gracilis Snap-and-rattle	12	Tree or mallee with dense, glossy green, spreading crown. Flowers April – September. Timber useful, and good honey producer. Street tree.		Eucalyptus spathulata	8	producer. Rapid-growing, at
Eucalyptus oleosa var oleosa Giant mallee	10	Shiny, narrow leaves, and creamy flowers mostly in summer. Drought and frost tolerant. Essential oil yielder. Street tree.		Swamp mallet Eucalyptus occidentalis Flat-topped yate	12	Flowers January- Rapid-growing tre Flowers March-M Good honey prod
Eucalyptus torquata Coral gum	12	Blue-grey-green foliage forming compact crown. Showy pink flowers in summer. Drought tolerant and some frost resistance. Good honey producer. Street tree.	Se	Eucalyptus wandoo Wandoo	20	Mid-green, compa times. Flowers in s good honey produ
Eucalyptus wandoo (inlar Wandoo	ld) 15	Shady, compact crown, usually bluish-green foliage and purplish blotches on smooth bark, Flowers March – April. Timber and good honey producer.		Eucalyptus salmonophloia	23	Tall tree with shad
Schinus molle Pepper tree	12	Slow growing, spreading tree with fern-like pendulous foliage.		Salmon gum		typical grey to saln August – March. H Street tree.
Acacia acuminata Raspberry jam	8	Fast-growing, small tree with rounded umbrella-shaped crown. Durable timber ideal for fence posts. Flowers in spring.		Eucalyptus salubris Gimlet	10	Compact, glossy g fluted stems. Flow resistant. Good ho
Casuarina huegeliana Rock oak	10	Natural habitat is shallow soils at the base of granite outcrops. Forms a dense crown on deeper soils.		Eucalyptus astringens Brown mallet	12	Shady tree which and is noted for br
Eucalyptus erythronema Red flowered mallee	4	Ornamental tree or mallee with smooth, white bark and shiny, green foliage. Pink or yellow flowers from October – December or later. Drought resistant.		Eucalyptus crebra Narrow-leafed ironbark	17	producer and usal Bluish-green, den January. Drought
Eucalyptus forrestiana Fuchsia mallee		Decorative mallee with thick, glossy green leaves and yellow pendulous flowers and red capsules December – March. Drought and frost resistant. Street tree.		Eucalyptus nutans Red-flowered moort	5	Round, compact- flowers in Septem

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Description

, small tree with typical mallet stems and blue-grey usually May – June. Drought and frost resistant. oducer. Street tree.

ng tree or mallee with sparse foliage, spreading crown k. Flowers September – December. Drought honey producer.

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vith dull green, thick leaves forming compact, crown. Honey producer. Street tree.

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attractive tree with dense, crown of narrow leaves. -March. Drought and frost resistant. Street tree.

g tree with flat-topped, shady crown and rough bark. —May. Suited to moister sites. Salt and frost tolerant. oducer. Street tree.

apact crown and white, smooth bark, creamy at n summer. Drought resistant. Usable timber and oducer.

ady crowns of glossy, bright green leaves and salmon-pink smooth bark on straight trunk. Flowers Honey and essential oil producer. Usable timber.

sy green foliage and attractive red-brown bark with wers November – March. Drought and frost honey producer.

ch tends to produce multi-stems. Mid-green foliage brown, smooth bark with tannin content. Honey sable timber.

ense crown carried low to ground. Flowers Mayht resistant. Timber and honey production.

*ember – November. Leaves are thick and dark green. ct-crowned tree, similar to moort but with red



Choose the right tree

Choosing the correct species to plant has been made simpler by grouping suitable trees to their soil preference and minimum rainfall requirement, so it is important that you establish your soil type and rainfall. Trees from the lower rainfall categories can be planted in higher rainfall zones, but not the reverse.

Soil Type Legend

SAND A loose open soil one metre or more in depth. The surface 300 mm can be a leached grey sand but the sub-soil must be yellow through to deeper shades. This indicates a tendency to hold moisture. Where the leached surface penetrates deeper than 300 mm initial soil improvement will be necessary.

SAND & LOAM These species will grow in both soil types.

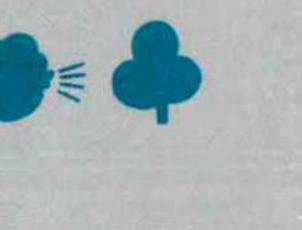
LOAM A soil of heavier texture than sand, but one which does not compact hard when dry. It should have a depth of approximately 450 mm before reaching clay.

will grow in both soil types. **HEAVY LOAM** A heavy textured soil (not clay) that compacts hard when dry. Also included in this category are loams or sands less than 450 mm in depth over a clay base.

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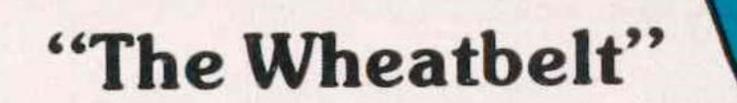
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Trees For Rural Areas

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Melaleuca lanceolata Rottnest Island ti-tree	The Disk and the	Small, dark green foliaged, bushy tree with cylindrical spikes of white flowers during summer. Occurs naturally on poor, alkaline		Eucalyptus caesia (small flowers) Gungurru	4	Decorative tree with open foliage of blue-green leaves; stringy brown lower bark, upper pendulous branchlets and fruit, silvery white. Plentiful mid-pink flowers June – September.		Callitris columellaris White cypress pine		Compact, slow-growing, upright conifer with silvery-green foliage Makes good fence posts.	
Pinus halepensis Aleppo pine	1000	Attractive tree with moderately dense crown. Short, pale needles Drought tolerant.			15	Vigorous growth in early stages, with moderately dense, mid-green foliage and smooth, white bark. Prefers moisture gaining sites. Flowers September – October. Good honey producer.	0 , , , , , , , , , , 	Eucalyptus brockwayi Dundas mahogany		Attractive tree with glossy, green, moderately dense foliage and smooth bark. Flowers March – May. Drought and frost resistant. Timber useful, good honey producer. Street tree.	
Eucalyptus todtiana Coastal blackbutt		Medium height, compact, grey-green foliaged tree; tidy habit; rough prickly bark on lower portion of tree. Drought resistant.		^ · ·	18	Moderately quick-growing, tall, smooth-barked tree with dark green foliage which can be toxic to stock (especially horses) in	•€	Eucalyptus campaspe Silver topped gimlet		Spreading, blue-grey foliaged crown and unique coppery brown bark. Flowers October – January. Drought resistant. Honey producer. Street tree.	
Pinus pinaster Maritime pine	.15	Hardy tree with dense crown; prefers yellow sands $1m + in$ depth Suitable for fence posts (when treated).		Sugar gum		spring. Good honey producer.		Eucalyptus ewartiana Ewart's mallee	6	Tree or mallee with unusual brown-green bark and cream to pay yellow flowers in November – March. Honey producer.	ale
Pinus pinea Stone pine	10	Wide, spreading tree with dense umbrella-shaped crown. Cones contain edible seeds.		Eucalyptus cladocalyx var. nana Dwarf sugar gum		Medium height tree with dark green foliage and spreading crown. Reasonable growth rate. Foliage can be toxic to stock in spring. Flowers January–February. Good honey producer.			12	Tree or mallee, depending on site. Dark green foliage and smoot bark. Flowers September – December. Drought and frost resistan	oth nt.
Casuarina cristata Black oak	10	Densely crowned, drought resistant tree. Suitable for fodder.	Ø ≈ \$ *	Eucalyptus conferruminata (formerly E. lehmannii) Bald Island marlock		Small tree with smooth bark and dense, leafy crown. Unusual clustered lemon-coloured flowers. This tree was formerly sold as <i>E. lehmannii</i> , a name which has now been given to the dwarf form.		Eucalyptus pterocarpa	5	Timber useful. Honey producer. Street tree. Small tree with moderately dense crown of glossy, mid-green	
ucalyptus ebbanoensis andplain mallee	3	Mallee or small tree with smooth bark (rough at base). Flowers September–October. Drought and frost resistant.		Eucalyptus doratoxylon Bell gum	4	Mallee or small tree with smooth white bark. Flowers August – October. Moderately drought and frost tolerant.	0,≅ 0	Eucalyptus stoatei	4	foliage. Flowers November – January. Drought and frost resistant Densely foliaged, small tree with mid-green leaves, ornamental	L.
Eucalyptus eremophila Goldfields sand mallee	4	Mallee. Flowers vary from cream to crimson, June–October. Smooth bark. Good honey producer. Street tree.	● = \$ *		a 15	Tall tree with grey-brown fibrous bark; suited to deeper soils. Flowers March – April. Good honey yield.		Scarlet pear gum		fruits and yellow flowers October—March. Drought resistant. Street tree.	
Acacia saligna Golden wattle	3	Dense, fast-growing wattle, suitable for soil stabilisation or to provide a quick-growing low windbreak. Short-lived.	€ *	Eucalyptus lehmannii Dwarf Bald Island marlock	6	Mallee with smooth bark and dense, leafy crown. Flowers identical colour to E. conferruminata but with longer peduncles.		Eucalyptus stricklandii Yellow-flowered blackbut		Medium-sized tree with thick, glossy leaves and bright yellow flowers December – January. Drought and frost tolerant. Good honey producer.	
Callistemon phoeniceus esser bottlebrush	5 2	Hardy, attractive, colourful shrub bearing numerous large, deep crimson, bottlebrush flowers September – January.		Eucalyptus macrandra	3	Smooth-barked mallee with profuse yellow-green flowers in January – March. Drought resistant. Good honey producer.		Acacia microbotrya Manna wattle	5	Small, fast-growing tree with dense blue-green foliage. Flowers in winter Short-lived.	n
Cupressus arizonica Arizona cypress	10	Hardy, slow-growing conical tree with blue-green foliage.		Long-flowered marlock		Street tree.			12	Glossy, green leaves and dark to black rough bark stocking,	
Lucalyptus kochii Vatheroo mallee	4	Tree or mallee with fibrous grey bark. Flowers September – January. Drought and frost resistant. Essential oils and good	0 <i>≡</i> 6 %	Eucalyptus platypus var. heterophylla Coastal moort	5	Vigorous growing tree with mid-green, dense foliage. Flowers during summer months. Good honey producer.		Kondinin blackbutt		smooth above. Flowers November – December. Drought and sal tolerant. Street tree.	
Tamarix aphylla Tamarix	8	honey producer. Useful windbreak tree on deep alkaline soils and wetter, saline sites Grey-blue leaves. Can be pruned as hedges. Fodder tree.	. ● = ● *	Eucalyptus preissiana Bell-fruited mallee		Rapid growing, attractive mallee with bluish-grey leaves and large yellow flowers. Buds drop in copper-deficient areas. Flowers July-October.		Mottlecah		Mallee of straggly habit, with blue-white leathery leaves and large red flowers September – December. Drought resistant.	
Casuarina obesa Gwamp oak	10	Dense, ornamental tree suitable for moisture gaining sites or saline areas.		Leptospermum laevigatum Victorian ti-tree	5	Rapid growing tree with dense, mid-green foliage. Can be pruned and makes ideal hedge plant. Drought resistant.		Eucalyptus sargentii Salt river gum	10	Spreading, dense, glossy foliage and (usually) deep brown-red bark. Flowers September – December. Noted for tolerance of saline conditions.	
Eucalyptus angulosa	3	Tree or mallee of shady habit with smooth bark. Flowers August December. Drought resistant.	- O ≋ 6	Myoporum insulare Boobialla		Fast growing hedge-type shrub with mid-green fleshy foliage.	$\mathbf{O}_{\mathbf{x}} \mathbf{A}$	Melaleuca hamulosa	2	Useful low hedge type with attractive pale mauve flowers September – November. Drought resistant on deep soils.	