

SPECIES Atractocarpus sessilis

COMMON NAME Native Gardenia, False Gardenia

ORIGIN Australia

DESIGN USE Flower gardens



HEIGHT

10m

HABIT

A small bushy treev

FORM

Small bushy tree

FLOWERS

White star-shaped, scented and up to 4 cm across

FLOWERING PERIOD

Summer

FRUIT

Brown, globular, hard fruit up to 5cm across.

HORTICULTURE

Propagate from fresh seed. It needs a shady position and abundant water. It is a food plant of the bee hawk moths.

REFERENCES

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