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SPECIES	Baeckea sp. 'Clarence River'
COMMON NAME	Weeping Baeckea
ORIGIN	New Caledonia
DESIGN USE	Shrub



HEIGHT

Shrub to 2.5 m high

SPREAD

HABIT

Grows in rocky sites on forested hillsides, often near watercourses.

FORM

Sepals broad-triangular. Corolla to 8mm diam.; petals circular, 2-2.8 mm long. Stamens 8-13. Capsule 3-3.5 mm diam.

Leaves narrow-oblong to linear, 5.5 - 10 mm long, 0.5-1mm wide, apex acute to acuminate, margins entire, oil glands visible on both surfaces; petiole 0.6-1.2mm long.



FLOWERS

Inflorescences usually 1-3-flowered, sometimes to 7-flowered; peduncle 2.5 - 7.5mm long; pedicels 1-3mm long, bracteoles narrow triangular, to 1mm long, outer lobes shorter. Flowers are borne in small axillary sprays of 3 up to 7 flowers, individual flowers are about 6 mm diameter, petals white; capsule to 4 mm diam with a flat top.

FLOWERING PERIOD

Flowers November - March

FRUIT

Seeds flattened D-shaped.



BARK / TRUNK

Branchlets 4-angled, not flanged.

CLIMATIC TOLERANCES

Grows from 200 to 1050 m altitude; north from the Kempsey district. NC ; Qld.

HORTICULTURE

A selected cultivated form has been widely cultivated; it is known as Baeckea sp. 'Clarence River'

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