

SPECIESAllocasuarinaCOMMON NAMEBlack SheoakORIGINMelbourneDESIGN USEAs screening in

Allocasuarina littoralis Black Sheoak Melbourne As screening in height-restricted areas and as a street tree



HEIGHT 8m

SPREAD 2–4m

HABIT Fast-growing for a small-statured to medium-sized tree.

## FORM

Upright growth with branchlets that are very fine, bright green, and contrast strongly with the black bark.

### **FLOWERS**

The flowers are showy, typically dark red

FLOWERING PERIOD Spring

#### BARK / TRUNK Furrowed

### HORTICULTURE

Will grow in any well-drained site, including those where summer irrigation is limited.

#### REFERENCES

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