

***Pomaderris delicata* N.G.Walsh & Coates  
- Delicate Pomaderris**

*P. delicata* is a shrub 1-2m tall found in dry sclerophyll forest. It is listed as critically endangered under the NSW *Threatened Species Conservation Act 1995*.

**Distribution and Abundance:** It is usually growing in shallow, sandstone-derived soils, and is confined to the Bungonia and Goulburn area.

**Local Distribution:** Known from roadsides and in reserves in the Mayfield/Cullulla Road area.

**Similar Species:** *P. andromedifolia* ssp. *andromedifolia*, from which it differs in lacking simple hairs and it also has short stipules which fall early.



Mayfield roadside



Young stems with sparse, loosely appressed greyish yellow or rusty simple hairs and dense greyish yellow stellate hairs



Stipules 1-2mm long, shed early



Leaves elliptic, 1-3cm long, 5-15mm wide, apex cuneate; margins slightly recurved



Upper surface glabrous; secondary veins looping and not reaching the margins



Leaf lower surface pubescent with greyish stellate hairs, mid-vein and secondary veins with pale or rusty hairs



Buds with whitish hairs



Flowers golden-yellow in terminal panicles 2-5cm in diameter



Petals spatulate



Capsule and hypanthium with long whitish hairs