

EVC 175: Grassy Woodland



Species List

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Structure:	Woodland to 20 metres
Environment:	Hills and plains, relatively well-drained topsoils with clay subsoils at depth (20 to 50 cm), on sedimentary formations (eg sandstone) and granite
Pre-1750 distribution:	Widespread and extensive in south and east of Frankston
Present distribution:	Scattered and rare
Status:	Endangered
Notes:	Grassy woodland is one of the most species-rich ecosystems in temperate Australia; particularly rich in native grasses, orchids and lilies; grassland form dominated by Kangaroo Grass is listed as a threatened community under the Flora and Fauna Guarantee Act 1988 (Vic.) as 'Central Gippsland Plains Grassland'.

Major Species:

Maximum heights indicated (trees in metres, other plants in centimetres)

Scientific name	Common name	Height	Available
Trees			
<i>Acacia mearnsii</i>	Black Wattle	15	✓
<i>Acacia melanoxylon</i>	Blackwood	15	✓
<i>Allocasuarina littoralis</i>	Black Sheoak	15	✓
<i>Allocasuarina verticillata</i>	Drooping Sheoak	15	✓
<i>Eucalyptus ovata</i>	Swamp Gum	20	✓
<i>Eucalyptus pauciflora</i> (not all areas)	Snow Gum	15	✓
<i>Eucalyptus radiata</i>	Narrow-leaf Peppermint	20	✓

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<i>Eucalyptus viminalis</i> ssp. <i>pryoriana</i>	Manna Gum	20	✓
<i>Exocarpos cupressiformis</i>	Cherry Ballart	8	
Shrubs			
<i>Acacia paradoxa</i>	Hedge Wattle	200	✓
<i>Cassinia aculeata</i>	Common Cassinia	250	✓
<i>Cassinia arcuata</i>	Drooping Cassinia	200	
<i>Correa reflexa</i>	Common Correa	200	✓
<i>Daviesia latifolia</i>	Hop Bitter-pea	500	✓
<i>Dillwynia cinerascens</i>	Grey Parrot-pea	100	✓
<i>Epacris impressa</i>	Common Heath	120	✓
<i>Goodenia ovata</i>	Hop Goodenia	200	✓
<i>Hibbertia riparia</i>	Erect Guinea-flower	100	✓
<i>Hovea heterophylla</i>	Common Hovea	100	
<i>Kunzea ericoides</i>	Burgan	500	✓
<i>Leptospermum continentale</i>	Prickly Tea-tree	200	✓
<i>Leucopogon virgatus</i>	Common Beard-heath	50	✓
<i>Olearia ramulosa</i>	Twiggy Daisy-bush	150	✓
<i>Ozothamnus ferrugineus</i>	Tree Everlasting	400	✓
<i>Platylobium obtusangulum</i>	Common Flat-pea	100	✓
<i>Pultenaea gunnii</i>	Golden Bush-pea	200	✓
<i>Rhytidosporum procumbens</i>	White Marianth	40	
<i>Solanum laciniatum</i>	Large Kangaroo Apple	300	✓
Grasses			
<i>Austrodanthonia caespitosa</i>	Common Wallaby-grass	80	✓
<i>Austrodanthonia geniculata</i>	Kneed Wallaby-grass	25	✓
<i>Austrodanthonia laevis</i>	Smooth Wallaby-grass	60	
<i>Austrodanthonia pilosa</i>	Velvet Wallaby-grass	100	✓

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<i>Austrodanthonia racemosa</i>	Striped Wallaby-grass	60	
<i>Austrodanthonia setacea</i>	Bristly Wallaby-grass	100	✓
<i>Austrostipa mollis</i>	Supple Spear-grass	120	
<i>Austrostipa pubinodis</i>	Tall Spear-grass	130	
<i>Austrostipa rudis</i>	Veined Spear-grass	130	✓
<i>Austrostipa semibarbata</i>	Fibrous Spear-grass	90	
<i>Deyeuxia quadriseta</i>	Reed Bent-grass	150	✓
<i>Dichelechne crinita</i>	Long-hair Plume-grass	100	✓
<i>Elymus scaber</i>	Common Wheat-grass	80	
<i>Eragrostis brownii</i>	Common Love-grass	50	✓
<i>Imperata cylindrica</i>	Blady Grass	50	✓
<i>Lachnagrostis aemula</i>	Leafy Blown-grass	80	✓
<i>Lachnagrostis filiformis</i>	Common Blown-grass	60	
<i>Microlaena stipoides</i>	Weeping Grass	70	✓
<i>Pentapogon quadrifidus</i>	Five-awned Spear-grass	70	
<i>Poa morrisii</i>	Soft Tussock-grass	80	✓
<i>Poa sieberiana</i>	Grey Tussock-grass	80	✓
<i>Themeda triandra</i>	Kangaroo Grass	100	✓
Ground covers			
<i>Acaena agnipila</i>	Hairy Sheep's Burr	50	
<i>Acaena echinata</i>	Sheep's Burr	40	
<i>Acaena novae-zelandiae</i>	Bidgee-widgee	20	✓
<i>Acaena ovina</i>	Australian Sheep's Burr	60	
<i>Acianthus caudatus</i>	Mayfly Orchid	25	
<i>Acianthus exsertus</i> s.l.	Gnat Orchid	30	
<i>Acianthus pusillus</i>	Small Mosquito Orchid	20	
<i>Acrotriche prostrata</i>	Trailing Ground-berry	5	✓
<i>Acrotriche serrulata</i>	Honey-pots	30	✓

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<i>Apalochlamys spectabilis</i>	Showy Cassinia	200	
<i>Aphelia pumilio</i>	Dwarf Aphelia	3	
<i>Arthropodium milleflorum</i>	Pale Vanilla-lily	100	✓
<i>Arthropodium strictum</i>	Chocolate Lily	120	✓
<i>Asperula scoparia</i>	Prickly Woodruff	15	✓
<i>Astroloma humifusum</i>	Cranberry Heath	50	✓
<i>Baumea acuta</i>	Pale Twig-sedge	50	
<i>Billardiera scandens</i>	Common Apple-berry	120	✓
<i>Bossiaea prostrata</i>	Creeping Bossiaea	10	✓
<i>Brachyscome decipiens</i>	Field Daisy	20	
<i>Brunonia australis</i>	Blue Pincushion	50	✓
<i>Bulbine bulbosa</i>	Bulbine Lily	50	✓
<i>Burchardia umbellata</i>	Milkmaids	65	✓
<i>Caesia calliantha</i>	Blue Grass-lily	70	✓
<i>Caesia parviflora</i>	Pale Grass-lily	75	
<i>Caladenia carnea</i> s.l.	Pink Fingers	25	
<i>Caladenia dilatata</i> s.l.	Green-comb Spider-orchid	40	
<i>Caladenia pusilla</i>	Tiny Caladenia	10	
<i>Calochilus robertsonii</i>	Purplish Beard-orchid	45	
<i>Carex breviculmis</i>	Common Grass-sedge	30	
<i>Carex inversa</i>	Knob Sedge	50	
<i>Centella cordifolia</i>	Centella	20	✓
<i>Centrolepis aristata</i>	Pointed Centrolepis	10	
<i>Centrolepis strigosa</i>	Hairy Centrolepis	10	
<i>Chamaescilla corymbosa</i>	Blue Stars	15	
<i>Chiloglottis valida</i>	Common Bird-orchid	6	
<i>Chrysocephalum apiculatum</i>	Common Everlasting	60	✓
<i>Chrysocephalum semipapposum</i>	Clustered Everlasting	100	
<i>Convolvulus erubescens</i>	Pink Bindweed	15	✓

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<i>Corybas incurvus</i>	Slaty Helmet-orchid	2	
<i>Cymbonotus preissianus</i>	Austral Bear's-ears	10	
<i>Cynoglossum suaveolens</i>	Sweet Hound's-tongue	30	
<i>Dianella brevicaulis</i>	Small-flower Flax-lily	50	✓
<i>Dianella longifolia</i>	Pale Flax-lily	130	✓
<i>Dianella revoluta</i> s.l.	Black-anther Flax-lily	80	✓
<i>Dichondra repens</i>	Kidney-weed	4	✓
<i>Dipodium punctatum</i> s.l.	Hyacinth Orchid	100	
<i>Diuris orientis</i>	Wallflower Orchid	45	
<i>Drosera peltata</i> ssp. <i>auriculata</i>	Tall Sundew	50	
<i>Drosera peltata</i> ssp. <i>peltata</i>	Pale Sundew	50	
<i>Drosera whittakeri</i>	Scented Sundew	5	
<i>Empodisma minus</i>	Spreading Rope-rush	200	
<i>Epilobium billardierianum</i>	Variable Willow-herb	100	
<i>Eriochilus cucullatus</i>	Parson's Bands	20	
<i>Euchiton collinus</i>	Creeping Cudweed	40	
<i>Euchiton involucratus</i> s.l.	Common Cudweed	50	
<i>Euchiton involucratus</i> s.s.	Star Cudweed	50	
<i>Gahnia radula</i>	Thatch Saw-sedge	100	✓
<i>Galium australe</i>	Tangled Bedstraw	40	
<i>Galium gaudichaudii</i>	Rough Bedstraw	30	
<i>Galium propinquum</i>	Maori Bedstraw	30	
<i>Gastrodia sesamoides</i> s.l.	Cinnamon Bells	120	
<i>Geranium solanderi</i> s.l.	Austral Cranesbill	30	✓
<i>Glossodia major</i>	Wax-lip Orchid	30	
<i>Gonocarpus tetragynus</i>	Common Raspwort	30	✓
<i>Goodenia geniculata</i>	Bent Goodenia	10	✓
<i>Haloragis heterophylla</i>	Varied Raspwort	50	
<i>Helichrysum scorpioides</i>	Button Everlasting	50	✓

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<i>Hydrocotyle callicarpa</i>	Small Pennywort	8	
<i>Hydrocotyle foveolata</i>	Yellow Pennywort	10	
<i>Hydrocotyle laxiflora</i>	Stinking Pennywort	15	✓
<i>Hypericum gramineum</i>	Small St John's Wort	40	✓
<i>Hypericum japonicum</i>	Matted St John's Wort	8	
<i>Hypoxis glabella</i>	Yellow star	30	
<i>Hypoxis hygrometrica</i>	Golden Weather-glass	20	
<i>Isolepis marginata</i>	Little Club-sedge	10	
<i>Ficinia nodosa</i>	Knobby Club-sedge	100	✓
<i>Isolepis platycarpa</i>	Broad-fruit Club-sedge	20	
<i>Juncus bufonius</i>	Toad Rush	20	
<i>Juncus pallidus</i>	Pale Rush	150	✓
<i>Juncus planifolius</i>	Broad-leaf Rush	50	
<i>Kennedia prostrata</i>	Running Postman	5	✓
<i>Lagenophora gracilis</i>	Slender Bottle-daisy	35	
<i>Lagenophora stipitata</i>	Common Bottle-daisy	20	✓
<i>Lepidosperma congestum</i>	Clustered Sword-sedge	55	
<i>Lepidosperma curtisiae</i>	Little Sword-sedge	25	
<i>Lepidosperma filiforme</i>	Common Rapier-sedge	90	
<i>Lepidosperma gunnii</i>	Slender Sword-sedge	40	
<i>Lepidosperma laterale</i>	Variable Sword-sedge	80	✓
<i>Leptoceras menziesii</i>	Hare Orchid	25	
<i>Leptorhynchos squamatus</i>	Scaly Buttons	15	
<i>Leptorhynchos tenuifolius</i>	Wiry Buttons	60	✓
<i>Linum marginale</i>	Native Flax	60	✓
<i>Lomandra filiformis</i>	Wattle Mat-rush	50	✓
<i>Lomandra longifolia</i>	Spiny-headed Mat-rush	100	✓
<i>Lomandra multiflora</i>	Many-flowered Mat-rush	80	✓
<i>Luzula meridionalis</i>	Common Woodrush	30	

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<i>Microseris</i> sp.	Yam Daisy	60	✓
<i>Microtis parviflora</i>	Slender Onion-orchid	50	
<i>Microtis unifolia</i>	Common Onion-orchid	90	
<i>Myosotis australis</i>	Austral Forget-me-not	30	
<i>Opercularia ovata</i>	Broad-leaf Stinkweed	10	✓
<i>Opercularia varia</i>	Variable Stinkweed	10	✓
<i>Oxalis exilis</i>	Shady Wood-sorrel	8	
<i>Oxalis perennans</i>	Grassland Wood-sorrel	15	
<i>Patersonia fragilis</i>	Short Purple-flag	60	
<i>Pelargonium australe</i>	Austral Stork's-bill	60	✓
<i>Picris angustifolia</i>	Native Picris	80	
<i>Pimelea humilis</i>	Common Rice-flower	30	✓
<i>Plantago varia</i>	Variable Plantain	40	
<i>Podolepis jaceoides</i>	Showy Podolepis	60	✓
<i>Poranthera microphylla</i>	Small Poranthera	15	
<i>Pseudognaphalium luteoalbum</i>	Jersey Cudweed	50	
<i>Pterostylis curta</i>	Blunt Greenhood	30	
<i>Pterostylis longifolia</i>	Tall Greenhood	80	
<i>Pterostylis nutans</i>	Nodding Greenhood	30	
<i>Pterostylis parviflora</i>	Tiny Greenhood	25	
<i>Pterostylis pedunculata</i>	Maroonhood	25	
<i>Ranunculus lappaceus</i>	Australian Buttercup	50	✓
<i>Ranunculus pumilio</i>	Ferny Small-flower Buttercup	30	
<i>Ranunculus sessiliflorus</i>	Annual Buttercup	30	
<i>Schoenus apogon</i>	Common Bog-sedge	25	
<i>Schoenus tesquorum</i>	Soft Bog-sedge	45	
<i>Senecio glomeratus</i>	Annual Fireweed	120	
<i>Senecio hispidulus</i>	Rough Fireweed	100	
<i>Senecio pinnatifolius</i>	Variable Groundsel	120	✓

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<i>Senecio quadridentatus</i>	Cotton Fireweed	120	✓
<i>Senecio squarrosus</i>	Leafy Fireweed	40	
<i>Senecio tenuiflorus</i>	Slender Fireweed	100	
<i>Solenogyne dominii</i>	Smooth Solenogyne	2	
<i>Solenogyne gunnii</i>	Hairy Solenogyne	11	
<i>Stylidium graminifolium</i>	Grass Trigger-plant	80	✓
<i>Thelymitra antennifera</i>	Rabbit Ears	25	
<i>Thelymitra flexuosa</i>	Twisted Sun-orchid	20	
<i>Thelymitra ixioides</i>	Spotted Sun-orchid	60	
<i>Thelymitra nuda</i>	Plain Sun-orchid	40	
<i>Thelymitra pauciflora</i>	Slender Sun-orchid	50	
<i>Thysanotus tuberosus</i>	Common Fringe-lily	50	✓
<i>Tricoryne elatior</i>	Yellow Rush-lily	70	
<i>Veronica calycina</i>	Hairy Speedwell	50	✓
<i>Veronica gracilis</i>	Slender Speedwell	60	✓
<i>Veronica plebeia</i>	Trailing Speedwell	20	
<i>Viola betonicifolia</i>	Showy Violet	20	
<i>Viola hederacea</i>	Ivy-leaf Violet	15	✓
<i>Wahlenbergia gracilentia</i>	Annual Bluebell	35	
<i>Wahlenbergia gracilis</i>	Sprawling Bluebell	80	
<i>Wahlenbergia multicaulis</i>	Many-stemmed Bluebell	75	✓
<i>Wahlenbergia stricta</i>	Tall Bluebell	90	✓
<i>Wurmbea dioica</i>	Common Early Nancy	30	
<i>Xanthorrhoea minor</i>	Small Grass-tree	100	✓
<i>Xanthosia dissecta</i> s.l.	Cut-leaf Xanthosia	15	✓
<i>Xanthosia pusilla</i> spp. agg.	Heath Xanthosia	10	
Ferns			
<i>Adiantum aethiopicum</i>	Common Maidenhair	35	

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<i>Lindsaea linearis</i>	Screw Fern	20	
<i>Pteridium esculentum</i>	Austral Bracken	100	
Climbers, epiphytes			
<i>Amyema pendula</i>	Drooping Mistletoe		
<i>Billardiera scandens</i>	Common Apple-berry		✓
<i>Cassytha melantha</i>	Coarse Dodder-laurel		
<i>Cassytha pubescens</i>	Downy Dodder-laurel		
<i>Clematis aristata</i>	Mountain Clematis		✓
<i>Clematis microphylla</i>	Small-leaved Clematis		✓
<i>Comesperma volubile</i>	Love Creeper		✓
<i>Glycine clandestina</i>	Twining Glycine		✓
<i>Muellerina eucalyptoides</i>	Creeping Mistletoe		
<i>Thysanotus patersonii</i>	Twining Fringe-lily		✓