Heathy Woodland



Ecological Vegetation Classes (EVC) are the standard unit for classifying vegetation types in Victoria.

EVC:48 Heathy Woodland | Kingston Status: Vulnerable

Spans a variety of geologies but is generally associated with nutrient-poor soils including deep uniform sands (aeolian or outwash) and Tertiary sand/clay which has been altered to form quartzite gravel. Eucalypt-dominated low woodland, lacking a secondary tree layer and generally supporting a diverse array of narrow or ericoid-leaved shrubs except where frequent fire has reduced this to a dense cover of bracken. Geophytes and annuals can be quite common but the ground cover is normally fairly sparse.

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COMMON NAME	SCIENTIFIC	LIFE FORM
Black Sheoak	Allocasuarina littoralis	Tree
Silver Banksia	Banksia marginata	Tree
Swamp Gum	Eucalyptus ovata var. ovata	Tree
Narrow-leaf Peppermint	Eucalyptus radiata ssp. radiata	Tree
Coast Manna-gum	Eucalyptus viminalis ssp. pryoriana	Tree
Cherry Ballart	Exocarpos cupressiformis	Tree
Heath Wattle	Acacia brownii	Shrub
Spike Wattle	Acacia oxycedrus	Shrub
Hedge Wattle	Acacia paradoxa	Shrub
Sweet Wattle	Acacia suaveolens ssp. suaveolens	Shrub
Green Sheoak	Allocasuarina paradoxa	Shrub
Showy Bossiaea	Bossiaea cinerea	Shrub
Common Cassinia	Cassinia aculeata	Shrub
Common Correa	Correa reflexa	Shrub
Smooth Parrot-pea	Dillwynia glaberrima	Shrub
Showy Parrot-pea	Dillwynia sericea	Shrub
Common Heath	Epacris impressa	Shrub
Hop Goodenia	Goodenia ovata	Shrub
Yellow Hakea	Hakea nodosa	Shrub
Furze Hakea	Hakea ulicina	Shrub
Bundled Guinea-flower	Hibbertia fasciculata var. prostrata	Shrub
Erect Guinea-flower	Hibbertia riparia	Shrub
Silky Guinea-flower	Hibbertia sericea var. sericea	Shrub
Yarra Burgan	Kunzea leptospermoides	Shrub
Prickly Tea-tree	Leptospermum continentale	Shrub
Heath Tea-tree	Leptospermum myrsinoides	Shrub

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Common Beard-heath	Leucopogon virgatus var. virgatus	Shrub
Scented Paperbark	Melaleuca squarrosa	Shrub
Prickly Broom-heath	Monotoca scoparia	Shrub
Twiggy Daisy-bush	Olearia ramulosa var. ramulosa	Shrub
Prickly Geebung	Persoonia juniperina	Shrub
Common Rice-flower	Pimelea humilis	Shrub
Wedding Bush	Ricinocarpos pinifolius	Shrub
Large Kangaroo Apple	Solanum laciniatum	Shrub
Drooping Mistletoe	Amyema pendula ssp. pendula	Climber
Common Apple-berry	Billardiera mutabilis	Climber
Slender Dodder-laurel	Cassytha glabella forma dispar	Climber
Downy Dodder-laurel	Cassytha pubescens	Climber
Small-leaved Clematis	Clematis microphylla s.l.	Climber
Love Creeper	Comesperma volubile	Climber
Broom Spurge	Amperea xiphoclada var. xiphoclada	Ground cover
Common Aotus	Aotus ericoides	Ground cover
Coarse Twine-rush	Apodasmia brownii	Ground cover
Cranberry Heath	Astroloma humifusum	Ground cover
Creeping Bossiaea	Bossiaea prostrata	Ground cover
Milkmaids	Burchardia umbellata	Ground cover
Blue Grass-lily	Caesia calliantha	Ground cover
Pale Grass-lily	Caesia parviflora var. parviflora	Ground cover
Pointed Centrolepis	Centrolepis aristata	Ground cover
Tufted Centrolepis	Centrolepis fascicularis	Ground cover
Hairy Centrolepis	Centrolepis strigosa ssp. strigosa	Ground cover
Blue Stars	Chamaescilla corymbosa	Ground cover
Button Everlasting	Coronidium scorpioides	Ground cover
Common Cotula	Cotula australis	Ground cover
Spreading Crassula	Crassula decumbens var. decumbens	Ground cover
Purple Crassula	Crassula sieberiana	Ground cover
Spreading Flax-lily	Dianella admixta	Ground cover
Kidney-weed	Dichondra repens	Ground cover
Scented Sundew	Drosera aberrans	Ground cover
Tall Sundew	Drosera auriculata	Ground cover
Climbing Sundew	Drosera macrantha ssp. macrantha	Ground cover

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Pale Sundew	Drosera peltata	Ground cover
Spoon-leaf Sundew	Drosera spatulata	Ground cover
Smooth Willow-herb	Epilobium billardierianum ssp. billardierianum	Ground cover
Grey Willow-herb	Epilobium billardierianum ssp. cinereum	Ground cover
Hairy Willow-herb	Epilobium hirtigerum	Ground cover
Thatch Saw-sedge	Gahnia radula	Ground cover
Common Wedge-pea	Gompholobium huegelii	Ground cover
Creeping Raspwort	Gonocarpus micranthus ssp. micranthus	Ground cover
Common Raspwort	Gonocarpus tetragynus	Ground cover
Bent Goodenia	Goodenia geniculata	Ground cover
Jersey Cudweed	Helichrysum luteoalbum	Ground cover
Prickly Guinea-flower	Hibbertia acicularis	Ground cover
Small St John's Wort	Hypericum gramineum	Ground cover
Tassel Rope-rush	Hypolaena fastigiata	Ground cover
Nodding Club-sedge	Isolepis cernua var. cernua	Ground cover
Little Club-sedge	Isolepis marginata	Ground cover
Toad Rush	Juncus bufonius	Ground cover
Pale Rush	Juncus pallidus	Ground cover
Running Postman	Kennedia prostrata	Ground cover
Common Bottle-daisy	Lagenophora stipitata	Ground cover
Dwarf Wire-lily	Laxmannia orientalis	Ground cover
Sandhill Sword-sedge	Lepidosperma sieberi	Ground cover
Variable Sword-sedge	Lepidosperma laterale	Ground cover
Wiry Buttons	Leptorhynchos tenuifolius	Ground cover
Wattle Mat-rush	Lomandra filiformis ssp. coriacea	Ground cover
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Spiny-headed Mat-rush	Lomandra longifolia ssp. longifolia	Ground cover
Variable Stinkweed	Opercularia varia	Ground cover
Long Purple-flag	Patersonia occidentalis var. occidentalis	Ground cover
Yellow Star	Pauridia vaginata	Ground cover
Common Flat-pea	Platylobium obtusangulum	Ground cover
Slender Platysace	Platysace heterophylla var. heterophylla	Ground cover
Annual Fireweed	Senecio glomeratus ssp. glomeratus	Ground cover
Rough Fireweed	Senecio hispidulus	Ground cover
Shrubby Fireweed	Senecio minimus	Ground cover
Lance-leaf Groundsel	Senecio pinnatifolius	Ground cover

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Cotton Fireweed	Senecio quadridentatus	Ground cover
Thrift-leaved Triggerplant	Stylidium armeria	Ground cover
Grass-leaved Triggerplant	Stylidium graminifolium	Ground cover
Twining Fringe-lily	Thysanotus patersonii	Ground cover
Parsnip Trachymene	Trachymene compositavar. composita	Ground cover
Creeping Speedwell	Veronica plebeia	Ground cover
Ivy-leaf Violet	Viola hederacea	Ground cover
Annual Bluebell	Wahlenbergia gracilenta	Ground cover
Sprawling Bluebell	Wahlenbergia gracilis	Ground cover
Small Grass-tree	Xanthorrhoea minor ssp. lutea	Ground cover
Cut-leaf Xanthosia	Xanthosia dissecta var. dissecta	Ground cover
Supple Spear-grass	Austrostipa mollis	Grass
Reed Bent-grass	Deyeuxia quadriseta	Grass
Long-hair Plume-grass	Dichelachne crinita	Grass
Common Love-grass	Eragrostis brownii	Grass
Blady Grass	Imperata cylindrica	Grass
Weeping Grass	Microlaena stipoides var. stipoides	Grass
Grey Tussock Grass	Poa sieberiana	Grass
Kneed Wallaby-grass	Rytidosperma geniculatum	Grass
Bristly Wallaby-grass	Rytidosperma setaceum var. setaceum	Grass



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