

Caladenia marginata

Name and Authority

Caladenia marginata Lindl.

Synonyms (previous names)

Caladenia ochreatea; *Caladenia paniculata*; *Caladenia purdieana*; *Caladenia latifolia* var. *glandula*

Common Name

White Fairy Orchid

Complex Name

Caladenia latifolia (Fairy Orchids)

Originally Described by

John Lindley in Sketch Veg.Swan R. 51 (1840)

Distribution and Habitat

Jurien Bay to Israelite Bay, growing in sandy and sandy-clay soils in seasonally wet flats and runoff areas on granite outcrops. Although the [species](#) flowers best in the season following summer fire it may also be seen flowering in lower numbers in other years.

Flowering Months

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Description

A common [species](#) 80–100 mm high with a hairy leaf, 40–80 mm long by 12–15 mm wide , which is usually green on the underside and up to four creamy-white (rarely pinkish) flowers 20–30 mm across.

WA Conservation Code (Threatened Status)

Not Listed



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