

Calochilus uliginosus

Name and Authority

Calochilus uliginosus D.L.Jones

Synonyms (previous names)

Calochilus aff. robertsonii; Calochilus sp. South-west swamps

Common Name

Swamp Beard Orchid

Originally Described by

David Jones in Austral.Orchid Res. 5:72 (2006)

Distribution and Habitat

Gingin to Two Peoples Bay, growing in sandy and sandy-clay soils in seasonally wet flats and drainage lines. In high rainfall areas the [species](#) can also be found growing in soil pockets on granite outcrops.

Flowering Months

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Description

A swamp loving [species](#) 150–600 mm high with a smooth leaf 150–300 mm long by 8–12 mm wide and up to seven dull, green, yellow and red-purple flowers 18–20 mm across.

Distinguishing Features

It is distinguished from the related Wandoo Beard Orchid (*Calochilus stramenicola*) by its swampy rather than woodland [habitat](#).

WA Conservation Code (Threatened Status)

Not Listed



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