

Cyanicula ixioides subsp. candida

Name and Authority

Cyanicula ixioides subsp. *candida* Hopper & A.P.Br.

Common Name

White China Orchid

Complex Name

Cyanicula gemmata (China Orchids)

Originally Described by

Stephen Hopper & Andrew Brown in *Austral.Syst.Bot.* 17:225 (2004)

Distribution and Habitat

Bindoon to York and between Boscabel and Stirling Range, growing in lateritic soils in woodlands and forests, flowering best in the season following summer fire.

Flowering Months

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Description

A rarely seen [subspecies](#) 40–120 mm high with a shortly hairy leaf, 30–40 mm long by 10–15 mm wide, which is tinged reddish-purple on the underside and up to two (rarely three) white flowers 30–45 mm across.

Distinguishing Features

It is distinguished from the typical [subspecies](#) by its white flowers.

WA Conservation Code (Threatened Status)

Priority Two



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