Diuris sp. 'Augusta'

Name and Authority

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Common Name

Augusta Bee Orchid

Complex Name

Diuris laxiflora (Bee Orchids)

Originally Described by

Undescribed

Distribution and Habitat

Augusta, growing in sandy-clay and clay soils in seasonally wet flats, flowering best in the season following summer fire.

Flowering Months

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Description

A geographically restricted <u>species</u> 250–400 mm high with four to six smooth leaves 60–150 mm long by 1.5–2 mm wide and up to five yellow, brown marked flowers 18–25 mm across.

Distinguishing Features

It is distinguished from the related Tall Bee Orchid (Diuris carinata) by its more south-westerly distribution, slightly smaller flowers and generally later flowering period.

WA Conservation Code (Threatened Status)

Not Listed

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