

# Species Datasheet

Datasheet No. G-011.002.002  
(family.genus.species)

## 1. Taxon:

**Species:** *Callitris columellaris* F. Muell.

Subspecies:

Variety:

Cultivar

Hybrid

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**2. Synonyms:** *Callitris arenosa* A. Cunn. ex R. T. Baker & H. G. Sm., *C. columellaris* subsp. *campestris* (Silba) Silba, *C. columellaris* var. *campestris* Silba, *C. columellaris* f. *flauca* F. M. Bailey, *C. columellaris* f. *glauca* F. M. Bailey, *C. columellaris* subsp. *intratropica* (R. T. Baker & H. G. Sm.) Silba, *C. columellaris* var. *intratropica* (R. T. Baker & H. G. Sm.) Silba, *C. columellaris* var. *microcarpa* (Benth.) Govaerts, *C. glauca* R. Br. ex R. T. Baker & H. G. Sm., *C. glaucophylla* J. Thomps. & L. A. S. Johnson, *C. hugelii* (Carriere) Franco, *C. intermedia* R. T. Baker & H. G. Sm., *C. intratropica* R. T. Baker & H. G. Sm., *C. robusta* var. *intratropica* (R. T. Baker & H. G. Sm.) Ewart & O. B. Davies, *C. robusta* var. *microcarpa* (Benth.) F. M. Bailey, *Frenela columellaris* (F. Muell.) Parl., *F. hugelii* Carriere, *F. moorei* Parl., *F. robusta* A. Cunn. ex Mirb., *F. robusta* var. *microcarpa* Benth., *F. verrucosa* var. *laevis* C. Moore, *Octoclinis backhousei* W. Hill, *Widdringtonia equisetiformis* Mast.

## 3. Systematic Position:

### Christenhusz et al. (2011)

- Class: Equisetopsida C. Agardh
- Subclass: Pinidae Cronquist
- Order: Cupressales Link
- Family: Cupressaceae Gray
- Genus: *Callitris* Vent.
- Species: *C. columellaris* F. Muell.

### Bentham and Hooker (1862)

Kingdom: Plantae  
Division: Phanerogamia  
Class: Gymnospermeae  
Ordo: Coniferae  
Tribus: Cupressineae  
Genus: *Callitris* Vent.  
Species: *C. columellaris* F. Muell.

## 4. Distribution:

**Global:** Eastern Australia

**India:**

**5. Indigenous/Exotic/Endemic; Cultivated/Wild:** Cultivated

## 6. Threat Status:

**IUCN:** Least concern

**BSI:**

**7.Habit and Habitat:** A shrub or slow growing tree 4-12m high. *C. columellaris* occurs in a wide range of semi-arid and mesic habitats throughout mainland Australia. It occurs in coastal and inland areas, at sea level and in mountainous areas up to 1,300 m.

**8.LifeForm:**Phanerophytes

**9.Economic Importance:**Widely used for fencing and construction. Also used for dendroclimatological studies.

**10. Probable Progenitor of:**

**11.DNA**

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**12.Basic chromosome number(s):** $x=11^{3, 5, 6, 7}$

**13. Zygotic chromosome number(s):** $2n=22^{5, 6, 7}$

**14. Gametic chromosome number(s):** $n=$

**15.Specialized chromosomes (B chromosomes/Sex chromosomes/Polytene chromosomes/Neocentric chromosomes):**

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**16.Ploidy level:**Diploid<sup>5, 6, 7</sup>

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**17.Agametoploidy:**

**18. Nature of polyploidy (auto, segmental, allo, autoallo):**

**19. Genomic formula:**

**20. Aberrant chromosome number(s) (aneuploidy, aneusomy, polysomy):**

**21. Somatic chromosomes:**<sup>5, 6</sup>

**Karyotype** Median and submedian<sup>5, 6</sup>

**Chromosome size** Large<sup>5, 6</sup>

**NOR chromosome(s)** 2<sup>5, 6</sup>

**Degree of asymmetry** Symmetrical<sup>5, 6</sup>

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**22. Banding pattern(s):**

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**23. Physical mapping of chromosomes:**

**In situ hybridization**

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**Fluorescent in situ hybridization:**

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**24. Genomic in situ hybridization:**

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**25. Linkage map:**

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**26. Chromosome associations:**

**Female meiosis**

**Male meiosis**

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**27. Chromosome distribution at anaphase I:**

**28. Genetic diversity:**

**Chromosomal level**

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**DNA level**

**29. Any other information (Apomixis; Inversion; Male sterility; Pollen grain mitosis; Pollen stainability; Translocation etc.):**