

Notes Flora Database Tutorials 20 and 31 May 2024

The online Florabase website is one of the best online flora databases with inbuilt instructions on its many aspects.

<https://florabase.dbca.wa.gov.au/>

From here, go to Help on the top RH menu, and then explore the page.

<https://florabase.dbca.wa.gov.au/help/>

I only touched on a bit of this.

Look at the pages

About the Search Icons

And

Searching Florabase

For more intricate searching, you can learn to use the interactive keys . I am not very good at this, but I try from time to time to figure out a species if I have a specimen in my hand.

We are hoping to find someone to give us a tutorial on these.

<https://florabase.dbca.wa.gov.au/keys/>

and

<https://florabase.dbca.wa.gov.au/help/keys/>

Please don't hesitate to get back to me with any queries.

Thanks,

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Tutorial Links

Search engine – e.g.

<https://www.google.com/?authuser=0>

Taxonomy

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Flowering_plant

<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Gymnosperm>

Australia

<https://florabase.dbca.wa.gov.au/>

https://avh.ala.org.au/search/#tab_simpleSearch

<https://roleybushcare.com.au/flora-database>

<https://gcln.org.au/plants/>

<https://gcln.org.au/wall/> (the local plants the nursery grows, but not necessarily with current stock)

<https://ala.org.au/>

<https://anpsa.org.au/>

<https://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/search/simple.htm>

<https://vicflora.rbg.vic.gov.au/>

NSW <https://resources.austplants.com.au/plant-database/>

Seeds

<https://www.nindethana.net.au/>

<https://www.australianseed.com/>

<https://wadaisies.com/>

<https://www.seedshed.com.au/>

World

<https://powo.science.kew.org/>

<https://www.gbif.org/>

Horticulture

<https://www.rhs.org.uk/>

<https://www.rhs.org.uk/plants/search-form>

We used to have this in Australia in book form. It came out for several years as the Aussie Plant Finder. The last edition was in 2004 with some WA contributions from me. As far as I know, there is no equivalent plant search tool in Australia.

Online encyclopaedia

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Main_Page