

Appendix A: Endemic Flora (vascular)

Species names from EWL Sciences and Tallegalla (2005), common names from Director of National Parks (2002).

Family	Species	Lifeform	Habitat	Common name
Malvaceae	<i>Abuliton listeri</i>	shrub	coast and shore terrace	lantern flower
Areaceae	<i>Arenga listeri</i>	palm	closed forests	arenga palm, Christmas Island palm
Aspleniaceae	<i>Asplenium listeri</i>	fern	exposed limestone outcrops	spleenwort
Acanthaceae	<i>Asystasia alba</i>	herb	terrace forest	
Orchidaceae	<i>Brachypeziza archytas</i>	epiphytic orchid	terrace and plateau forests	
Rhamnaceae	<i>Colubrina pendunculata</i>	shrub/ small tree	terrace shrubland	
Urticaceae	<i>Dendrocnide peltata</i> <i>var. murrayana</i>	small tree	inland cliffs	stinging tree
	<i>Dicliptera maclearii</i>	herb	terrace vegetation	
	<i>Flickingeria nativitatis</i>	epiphytic orchid	plateau forests	
Tiliaceae	<i>Grewia insularis</i>	small tree	terrace forest	
Asclepidaceae	<i>Hoya aldrichii</i>	vine	closed forests	hoya vine
Poaceae	<i>Ischaemum nativitatis</i>	grass	seacliffs	Christmas Island duck beak
Pandanaceae	<i>Pandanus christmatensis</i>	shrub	shore and inland cliffs	pandanus, screw pine
	<i>Pandanus elatus</i>	shrub/small tree	forest understorey	pandanus, screw pine
Piperaceae	<i>Perperomia rossii</i>	epiphytic herb	plateau (?)	
	<i>Phreatia listeri</i>	epiphytic orchid	plateau forests	
Cucurbitaceae	<i>Zehneria alba</i>	vine	forest margins	
	<i>Zeuxine exilis</i>	epiphytic orchid	plateau forests	