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*Maurandia erubescens*

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- A vine that climbs by twining
- It has rose pink flowers that are shaped like a tube which are about 7cm long
- The branches are long, slender and hairy, and the leaves are heart-shaped, hairy, uneven, and pale green
- Produces fruit capsules that are heavy and inside are hundreds of black seeds



Photo: Andrew Darlow

### Distribution

- This species occurs mainly on road banks (i.e Blue Hill) and rocky places around the central ridge, for instance at the start of Cabbage Tree Road
- The lowest place seen to date is Thompson's Wood



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### Habitat

Habitat includes:

- Tall semi-woody alien stands
- Alien thickets/hedges
- Inland cliffs
- Vegetated/banked roadsides
- Tracks

