



Seeds to be collected during summer

On the coast: Beach Bird's Eye - Seed is ripe when capsule splits revealing the red aril surrounding the black seed.



Lomandra longifolia: Seed is ripe when capsules start to open, revealing rice – like seeds.

Coast banksia: Seed is ripe when cones turn chocolate brown and follicles start to open and shed seed.



Tuckeroo: 3-valved capsules are orange yellow when ripe, splitting to expose 3 black seeds surrounded by a fleshy orange aril.



Coastal flax lily:
Fruit is ripe when bright purple.

Riparian and forest species:

Bleeding heart: Fruit is ripe when it turns purple.



Brush cherry: Fruit is ripe when dark pink and soft.

Callicoma: Seed is ripe when it is easily removed from the capsule.



**Green wattle and Sally wattle/
Blackwood:** Pods are mature when they are brown and split open.



Lomandra hystrix: As *L. longifolia*, but ripens later in summer (February).



Female plant with immature seeds (left)

Male plant with flowers (right)

Notice spiky flower heads.

