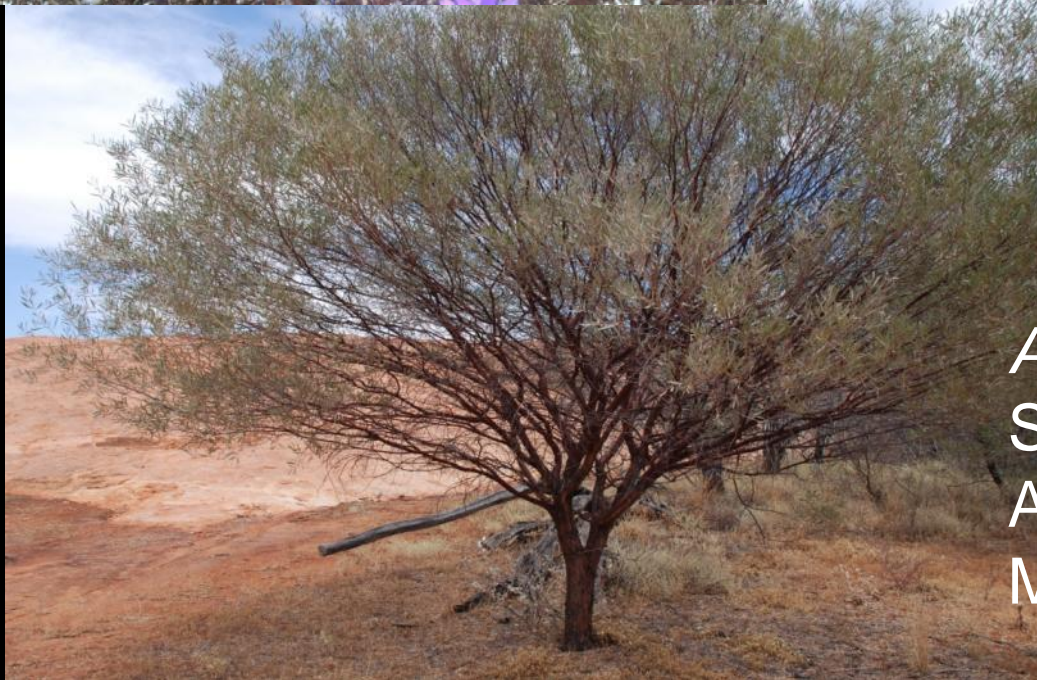


Outcomes

- 43 days and covered 10,743kms
- 101 plant collections
- 21 species of *Corymbia* and *Eucalyptus* previously uncollected by Kings Park
- 13 provenance collections of *Adansonia gregorii*
- DNA material collected from the majority of collections
- 90 collections of wood rotting fungi
- Significant media coverage in the Australian



Coming and going through the Pilbara



Acacia anaticeps Great
Sandy Desert
And *Acacia* sp.94
Murchison









The road back to the Kimberley





Eucalyptus cupularis





Eucalyptus pachcarpa



Eucalyptus miniata



Acacia dunnii



Ficus platypoda



Eucalyptus paractia Broome HP1





Gardenia pyriformis subsp *keartlandii* Great Sandy Desert Madora
stn south of Sandfire roadhouse in flower and seed (the double!)



Is it *Eucalyptus victrix*
flavescens or *candida*?

Hints continued

- If you collect seeds well formed but still somewhat green keep them in as ambient a condition as possible and dry as slowly as possible.
- The timing for seeds of many tropical tree species may occur at various times through the year before and after the wet.

ing and always have a plan B

A summary of the year 2015

- **Kimberley June (42 days) 101 plant collections**
- **Pilbara October 2015 (18days) 70 collections**
- **Kimberley December 2015 (21days) 59 collections**
- **About 3 months in the field**
- **230 collections**
- **22,942kms.**

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