

Weed Alert!

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(*Delairea odorata*)

Mature Size Vine



Description

- Perennial hairless vine up to 30 ft., with winter-blooming yellow flowers
- 5-9 lobed leaves are glossy and light green with purplish stems
- Flowers arranged in flat clusters of 20-40
- Leaves are alternate, “ivy-shaped”, 1-4 in. long
- Vines grow over trees and shrubs, forming dense mats and smothering other plants
- Reproduces mainly from rhizomes, stems, and plant fragments, or occasionally by seed in some areas
- Spread by wind, water, animals, garden waste, horticulture
- Native to South Africa



Bloom Period Nov - Mar

Habitat Coastal scrub and prairie, riparian, forest

2-Minute Removal Dig



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