Weed Alert! Poison hemlock









Poison hemlock

(Conium maculatum)

Mature Size Shoulder

Description

- 4-8 ft. perennial with flowerheads of clustered numerous small, white flowers
- Flowerheads are umbrella -shaped
- Large, carrot-like mature leaves triangular shaped in outline
- Smooth green hollow stem, usually spotted or streaked with red or purple on lower half
- Grows as a round low cluster of leaves in the first year
- Plants are poisonous and can cause contact dermatitis
- Reproduces by seed
- Spread by waterways, roads, and in mud stuck to clothing and equipment
- Native to Europe

Bloom Period Apr - Sep

Habitat Chaparral, coastal prairie, marsh and swamp, riparian, disturbed areas

2-Minute Removal Dig

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