

# Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Flower cluster closeup. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer Murray Fagg, NSW



Flower cluster and leaves. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer Murray Fagg, NSW



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## Common name

Bishop's weed, Bullwort

## Family

Apiaceae

## Where found

Weed of dry **forest**, **woodland**, grassy areas, cultivation, and disturbed sites. Mostly Sydney area and Blue Mountains. Sporadic elsewhere.

## Notes

**Introduced perennial** herb to 1.3 m tall. Stems hairless. Leaves basal and **alternating** up the stems. Basal leaves 1-15 cm long, **compound**, with 3-5 leaflets, each 1-6 cm long, 2-20 mm wide, upper stem leaves smaller and much narrower in proportion, all except the uppermost leaves with toothed margins. Leaves not fern-like. Flowers in clusters 30-70 mm in diameter. Individual flowers about 3 mm in diameter, with 5 white **petals**. 'Seeds' with no spines. Flowers most of the year, mainly Spring to Summer.

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lv=sp&name=Ammi-majus> (accessed 3 January, 2021)

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