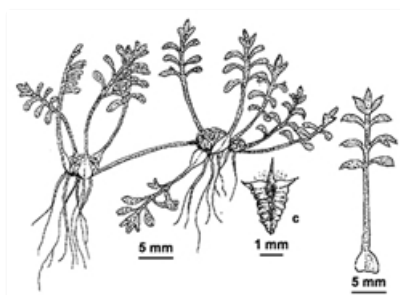


Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



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Common name

Jo-jo, Carpet Burweed

Family

Asteraceae

Where found

Dry **forest**, **woodland**, **shrubland**, moist sites, and along streams. Uncommon. Western Slopes. Sydney area. Rarely elsewhere. Mainly west and north of the area covered by this key.

Notes

Introduced annual herb, **prostrate**, rooting at the **nodes**. Burrs with many seeds, each seed with thick corrugated ribs with 2 pointed **lateral wing** projections, **woolly** at the top with a spine 1–2 mm long. Stems branched or **spreading**, sparsely hairy. Leaves basal and in clusters, carrotlike, 1–4 cm long, 3–10 mm wide, bases sheathing, surfaces sparsely hairy. Flower **heads** 4–8 mm in diameter at the seeding stage, with 0 **petals**, almost globular, single at the base of each leaf cluster. Flowering: spring–summer.

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Soliva-sessilis> (accessed 5 November 2019)

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