

Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Flower head. Photographer Jackie Miles



Flower head. Photographer Richard Hartland, Ormeo, Vic



Flowering plant. Photographer Jackie Miles

Common name

A lagenophora

Family

Asteraceae

Where found

Damp areas in **shrubland**, grassy areas, **herbfields**, along streams, swamp margins, and in swamps, at high altitude. Kosciuszko National Park, the mountains to the north, ACT, tablelands, and western edge of the ranges.

Notes

Perennial herb with slender **spreading rhizomes**. Flower stalks to 0.25 m high, almost hairless except for **appressed** hairs below the flower **head**, and sometimes elsewhere. Leaves basal, 1.5-7 cm long, to about 15 mm wide, hairy to almost hairless, more or less **entire** or with 2-4 pairs of shallow teeth, the teeth and tips often with a small abrupt point. Sometimes leaves **alternating** up the flower stalks on the lower half of the stem and grading into **bracts** to about 1 cm long. Flower **heads** with '**petals**' to 3 mm long, white, pink, mauve or purplish and yellow centres 3-5 mm in diameter. Flower heads single. Flowers mostly summer.

Was *Lagenifera montana*.

All native plants on unleased land in the ACT are protected.

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Lagenophora~montana> (accessed 22 January, 2021)

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