

Plants of South Eastern New South Wales

Common name

None

Family

Asteraceae

Where found

Grassy open **woodland**, low open heath, grasslands, and **herbfields**, at higher altitudes. Kosciuszko National Park, the mountains to the north, and the ACT.

Notes

Perennial herb to 0.4 m high, arising annually from a short **rhizome**. Stems sparsely hairy to hairless. Leaves **alternating** up the stems, mid-stem leaves 4–10 cm long, 3–15 mm wide, not **dissected**, hairless or rough; lower surface green, margins toothed. Uppermost leaves very narrow. Flower **heads** cylindrical to narrow bell-shaped, 6–8 mm long, about 2.0–2.6 mm in diameter, with 25–60 **florets**, 0 **petals**. Flower heads surrounded by mostly 12–14 **appressed** green **bracts**. Flower heads often 5–40 flowered. Flowers summer to autumn.

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

Rare Vic.

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Senecio~lageniformis> (accessed 6 February, 2021)

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