Ipomoea trichosperma Blume

Family: Convolvulaceae

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Stem
A slender, glabrous vine; pseudo-stipules absent.

Leaves
Leaves simple; petiole 4.5-12 cm long; leaf lamina broadly elliptic to circular in outline, 6-17 x 6-16 cm, deeply 3-lobed; base deeply cordate, apex acuminate.

Flowers
Flowers solitary; peduncle 2-14 cm; pedicel 1-3 cm long; sepals broadly elliptic to circular, unequal; corolla white, 11-14 cm long, glabrous, the tube slender and 8-9 cm long and flared at distal end to ca. 10 cm across.

Fruit
Capsule broadly ovoid to globular, 2.5-3 cm long, glabrous. Seeds with dense brown hairs, particularly on the edges.

Seedlings
Features not available.

Distribution and Ecology
Occurs in WA. Grows in vine thickets. Also recorded from Indonesia and East Timor.

Natural History & Notes
Description from Flora of the Kimberley Region.

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