

Pest Plant List

Not for use at Ginninderry

Botanical Name	Common Name	Reason
Ailanthus altissima	Tree of Heaven	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Alnus glutinosa	Black Alder	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Alternanthera philoxeroides	Alligator Weed	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Andropogon gayanus	Gamba Grass	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Annona glabra	Pond Apple	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Anredera cordifolia	Madeira Vine	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Asparagus aethiopicus	Ground Asparagus Fern	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Asparagus africanus	Climbing Asparagus Fern	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Asparagus asparagoides	Bridal Creeper	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Asparagus asparagoides Western Cape Form	Bridal Creeper – Western Cape Form	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Asparagus declinatus	Bridal Veil	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Asparagus plumosa	Climbing Asparagus Fern	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Asparagus scandens	Asparagus Fern	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Austrocylindropuntia (ALL species)	Coral Cacti	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Cabomba caroliniana	Cabomba	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Carduus nutans	Nodding Thistle	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Carduus pycnocephalus	Slender Thistle	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Carduus tenuiflorus	Slender Thistle	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Carthamus Ianatus	Saffron Thistle	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Celtis australis	Nettle Tree	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Centaurea maculosa	Spotted Knapweed	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Chrysanthemoides monilifera	Bitou Bush / Boneseed	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Cortaderia jubata	Pampas Grass	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Cortaderia selloana	Pampas Grass	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Cotoneaster franchettii	Cotoneaster	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Cotoneaster glaucophyllus	Cotoneaster	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Cotoneaster pannosus	Cotoneaster	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Cotoneaster salicifolius	Willow-leaf Cotoneaster	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Cotoneaster simonsii	Cotoneaster	Declared pest plant of the ACT

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Crataegus monogyna	Hawthorn	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Cryptostegia grandiflora	Rubber Vine	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Cylindropuntia (ALL species)	Pear Cacti	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Cytisus (ALL species)	Broom species	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Echium plantagineum	Paterson's Curse	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Echium vulgare	Viper's Bugloss	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Eichornia crassipes	Water Hyacinth	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Equisetum species	Horsetail	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Eragrostis curvula	African Love Grass	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Genista (ALL species)	Broom species	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Gymnocoronis spilanthoides	Senegal Tea Plant	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Hedera helix	English Ivy	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Hieracium aurantiacum	Orange Hawkweed	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Hieracium pilosella	Mouse-ear Hawkweed	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Hymenachne amplexicaulis	Hymenachne	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Hypericum perforatum	St John's Wort	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Jatropha gossypiifolia	Bellyache Bush	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Kochia scoparia	Kochia	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Lagarosiphon major	Lagarosiphon	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Lantana camara	Lantana	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Ligustrum lucidum	Broad-leaf privet	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Ligustrum sinense	Narrow-leaf privet	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Lonicera japonica	Japanese Honeysuckle	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Lycium ferocissimum	African Boxthorn	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Macfadyena unguis-cati	Cat's Claw Creeper	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Mimosa pigra	Mimosa	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Miscanthus sinensis (ALL varieties)	Chinese Fairy Grass	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Myriophyllum aquaticum	Parrot's Feather	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Nasella tenuissima	Mexican Feather Grass	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Nassella charruana	Lobed Needlegrass	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Nassella neesiana	Chilean Needle Grass	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Nassella trichotoma	Serrated Tussock	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Onopordum acanthium	Scotch Thistle	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Onopordum illyricum	Illyrian Thistle	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Opuntia (ALL species) (excludes O. ficus-indica)		
Prickly Pears	Declared pest plant of the ACT	
Parkinsonia aculeata	Parkinsonia	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Parthenium hysterophorus	Parthenium Weed	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Pennisetum setaceum	African Fountain Grass	Declared pest plant of the ACT

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Phyllostachys aurea	Yellow Bamboo	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Pinus radiata	Radiata Pine	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Pistia stratiotes	Water Lettuce	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Populus alba	White Poplar	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Populus nigra 'Italica'	Lombardy Poplar	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Prosopis spp.	Mesquite	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Pyracantha angustifolia	Firethorn	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Pyracantha coccinea	Scarlet Firethorn	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Pyracantha fortuneana	Firethorn	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Robinia pseudoacacia	False Acacia	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Rosa rubiginosa	Sweet Briar, Briar Rose	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Rubus fruticosus (aggregate) All species except for the permitted cultivars:	All Blackberry except for the permitted cultivars:	Declared pest plant of the ACT
R. armeniacus and R. ulmifolius species hybrid R. armeniacus species hybrid R. ursinus and R. armeniacus species hybrid	Black Satin, Chester Thornless, Dirksen Loch Ne and Chehale.	
Sagittaria platyphylla	Sagittaria	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Salix ALL species of willow, except for the permitted species:	All Willows except for the permitted species:	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Salix babylonica S. babylonica S. caladendron S. reichardtii	Weeping Willow Weeping Willow Pussy Willow Sterile Pussy Willow	
Salvinia molesta	Salvinia	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Senecio madagascariensis	Fireweed	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Solanum elaeagnifolium	Silverleaf Nightshade	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Sorbus sp.	Service Tree, Rowan	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Spartium junceum	Spanish Broom	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Tamarix aphylla	Athel Pine	
Toxicodendron succedaneum	Rhus Tree	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Ulex europaeus	Gorse	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Vinca major	Periwinkle	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Xanthium occidentale	Noogoora Burr	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Xanthium spinosum	Bathurst Burr	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Landscaping Plant Species		
Agapanthus species	Agapanthus	Multiple varieties where the seed is easily distributed and forms dense monocultures in conservation areas

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Nandina domestica	Sacred Bamboo	Berries toxic to birds, seed easily distributed into the conservation zone
Photinia species	Photinia	Seed easily distributed into conservation zone
Wisteria sinensis	Chinese Wisteria	Spread by seed, particularly along established waterways