

Isolepis setacea

BIOSTATUS

Exotic

CONSERVATION STATUS

Not applicable

CATEGORY

Vascular

STRUCTURAL CLASS

Sedges

GENUS

Isolepis

FAMILY

Cyperaceae

AUTHORITY

Isolepis setacea (L.) R.Br.

ENDEMIC GENUS

No

ENDEMIC FAMILY

No

YEAR NATURALISED

1919

ORIGIN

Europe, Asia, Africa

WETLAND PLANT INDICATOR STATUS RATING

FACW: Facultative Wetland

Usually is a hydrophyte but occasionally found in uplands (non-wetlands).

ETYMOLOGY

isolepis: From the Greek isos (equal) and lepis (scale)

setacea: Bristly

NVS CODE

ISOSET

REFERENCES AND FURTHER READING

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MORE INFORMATION

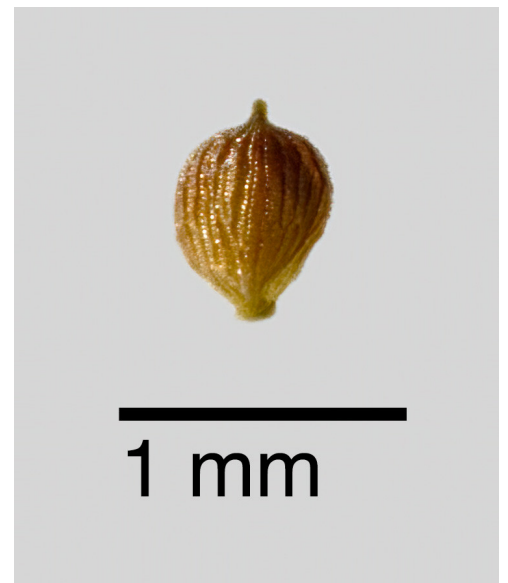
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