

Assessment of Non-native Plants in Florida's Natural Areas

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	Pseudogynoxys chenopodioides ALL ZONES	Answer	Score
1.01	Is the species highly domesticated?	n	0
1.02	Has the species become naturalised where grown?		
1.03	Does the species have weedy races?		
2.01	Species suited to Florida's USDA climate zones (0-low; 1-intermediate; 2-high) North Zone: suited to Zones 8, 9 Central Zone: suited to Zones 9, 10 South Zone: suited to Zone 10	2	
2.02	Quality of climate match data (0-low; 1-intermediate; 2-high)	2	
2.03	Broad climate suitability (environmental versatility)	У	1
2.04	Native or naturalized in habitats with periodic inundation North Zone: mean annual precipitation 50-70 inches Central Zone: mean annual precipitation 40-60 inches South Zone: mean annual precipitation 40-60 inches	У	1
2.05	Does the species have a history of repeated introductions outside its natural range?	У	
3.01	Naturalized beyond native range	У	2
3.02	Garden/amenity/disturbance weed	У	2
3.03	Weed of agriculture	n	0
3.04	Environmental weed	n	0
3.05	Congeneric weed	n	0
4.01	Produces spines, thorns or burrs	n	0
4.02	Allelopathic		
4.03	Parasitic	n	0
4.04	Unpalatable to grazing animals	unk	-1
4.05	Toxic to animals	unk	0
4.06	Host for recognised pests and pathogens	n	0
4.07	Causes allergies or is otherwise toxic to humans	У	1
4.08	Creates a fire hazard in natural ecosystems	unk	0
4.09	Is a shade tolerant plant at some stage of its life cycle	n	0
4.10	Grows on infertile soils (oligotrophic, limerock, or excessively draining soils). North & Central Zones: infertile soils; South Zone: shallow limerock or Histisols.	unk	0
4.11	Climbing or smothering growth habit	у	1
4.12	Forms dense thickets	unk	0
5.01	Aquatic	n	0
5.02	Grass	n	0
5.03	Nitrogen fixing woody plant	n	0
5.04	Geophyte	n	0
6.01	Evidence of substantial reproductive failure in native habitat	n	0
6.02	Produces viable seed	у	1

6.03	Hybridizes naturally	unk	-1
6.04	Self-compatible or apomictic	unk	-1
6.05	Requires specialist pollinators	n	0
6.06	Reproduction by vegetative propagation	У	1
6.07	Minimum generative time (years)	unk	-1
7.01	Propagules likely to be dispersed unintentionally (plants growing in heavily trafficked	unk	
	areas)		-1
7.02	Propagules dispersed intentionally by people	У	1
7.03	Propagules likely to disperse as a produce contaminant	unk	-1
7.04	Propagules adapted to wind dispersal	У	1
7.05	Propagules water dispersed	unk	-1
7.06	Propagules bird dispersed	unk	-1
7.07	Propagules dispersed by other animals (externally)	n	-1
7.08	Propagules dispersed by other animals (internally)	n	-1
8.01	Prolific seed production	unk	-1
8.02	Evidence that a persistent propagule bank is formed (>1 yr)	unk	-1
8.03	Well controlled by herbicides	unk	1
8.04	Tolerates, or benefits from, mutilation or cultivation	unk	-1
8.05		?	
	Total Score	0 no	
	Implemented Pacific Second Screening		
	Risk Assessment Results	LOW	

section		satisfy
	# questions answered	minimum?
А		11 yes
В		6 yes
С		12 yes
total		29 yes

	Reference	Source data
1.01		cultivated, but no evidence of selection for reduced weediness
1.02		
1.03		
2.01	1. PERAL NAPPFAST Global Plant Hardiness (http://www.nappfast.org/Plant_hardiness/NAPPFAST%20Global %20zones/10- year%20climate/PLANT_HARDINESS_10YR%20lgnd.tif). 2. USDA, ARS, National Genetic Resources Program. Germplasm Resources Information Network - (GRIN) [Online Database]. National Germplasm Resources Laboratory, Beltsville, Maryland. http://www.ars-grin.gov/cgi-bin/npgs/html/taxon.pl?409896 (2- 17-2016).	USDA Zone 11a: to USDA Zone (40 °F) USDA Zone 11b: to $(45 °F)$ USDA Zone 12a: to (50 °F) USDA Zone 12b: to (55 °F) 2. Native
2.02		native range well known
2.02	1. Köppen-Geiger climate map (http://www.hydrol-earth-syst sci.net/11/1633/2007/hess-11-1633-2007.pdf). 2. GBIF http://www.gbif.org/species/3150256 (2-17-2016)	
2.04	1. Climate Charts. World Climate Maps. http://www.climate- charts.com/World-Climate-Maps.html#rain (8-19-2015)	1. 39 to 195 inches of rain annually in its native region.
2.05	1. PIER http://www.hear.org/pier/species/pseudogynoxys_chenopodioides .htm (2-17-2016) 2. JSTOR Global Plants http://plants.jstor.org/compilation/Pseudogynoxys.chenopodioides (2-24-2016)	1. Introduced to Marshall Islands, Hawaii, and Ecuador 2. Introduced to North America
3.01	1. Encyclopedia of Life http://eol.org/pages/485685/details (2-17-2015) 2. Missouri Botanical Garden http://www.missouribotanicalgarden.org/PlantFinder/PlantFinderD etails.aspx?taxonid=277491&isprofile=0& (2-17-2016)	1. naturalized in more or less moist areas in Puerto Rico. Native to Central America, cultivated and naturalized in the tropics and subtemperate climates. 2. Naturalized in North America
3.02	1. Big Island Invasive Species Committee http://www.biisc.org/mexican-flame-vine/ (3-5-2016) 2. PIER http://www.hear.org/pier/species/pseudogynoxys_chenopodioides .htm (3-8-2016)	1. Inhibits germination, growth, and smothers native plants. 2. Invasive in Hawaii (Yes for this question because there is evidence it is invasive but no clear evidence whether this is agriculture, environmental, or disturbance
3.03		no evidence
3.04		no evidence
3.05		no evidence
4.01	1. Floridata http://floridata.com/Plants/Asteraceae/Pseudogynoxys%20cheno podioides/526 (3-8-2016)	No evidence of these features
4.02		no evidence
4.03		no evidence
4.04		no evidence
4.05		no evidence
4.06	1. University of Florida IFAS https://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/fp545 (3-4- 2016)	1. long-term health usually not affected by pests
4.07	1. Dave's Garden http://davesgarden.com/guides/pf/go/1329/#b (2-17-2016) 2. Allergenica http://www.allergenica.com/Details.asp?PLANTID=134 (3-8-2016)	1. Handling plant may cause skin irritation or allergic reaction 2. All parts of the plant have an allergenic component. An itching rash has been reported after handling this ornamental vine
4.08		no evidence

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4.09	1. Dave's Garden http://davesgarden.com/guides/pf/go/1329/#b (2-17-2016) 2. Encyclopedia of Life http://eol.org/pages/485685/details (2-17-2015) 2. Missouri Botanical Garden http://www.missouribotanicalgarden.org/PlantFinder/PlantFinderD	1. Sun: Full sun 2. It requires full sun 3. Easily grown in full sun or partial shade
	etails.aspx?taxonid=277491&isprofile=0& (2-17-2016)	
4.10		Insufficient evidence
4.11	1. Floridata http://floridata.com/Plants/Asteraceae/Pseudogynoxys%20cheno podioides/526 (3-8-2016) 2. Dave's Garden http://davesgarden.com/guides/pf/go/1329/#b (2-17-2016)	1. clambering up palm or pine tree trunks 2. climbing plant
4.12		no evidence
5.01		Family: Asteraceae
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6.04		no evidence
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6.07		no evidence
7.01		no evidence
7.02	1. Encyclopedia of Life http://eol.org/pages/485685/details (2-17- 2015) 2. JSTOR Global Plants http://plants.jstor.org/compilation/Pseudogynoxys.chenopodioides (2-24-2016)	1. The Mexican Flame Vine Plant is prized as an ornamental because of its showy flowers. It is widely grown in gardens in
7.03		no evidence
7.04	1. Acevedo-Rodriquez, P. (2005). Vines and climbing plants of Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands. Smithsonian Institution Contributions from the United States National Herbarium. Washington DC, National Museum of Natural History. 51: 1-483. http://botany.si.edu/pubs/CUSNH/vol51web.pdf (2-17-2016) 2. Big Island Invasive Species Committee http://www.biisc.org/mexican- flame-vine/ (3-5-2016)	1. Achenes turbinate, hispidulous, ca. 4 mm long; pappus of numerous white bristles, 5-7 mm long. 2. Resembles dandelion's puffy seed head with many seeds that are carried away by the wind.
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