Pest Plants of the Wellington Region



Madeira vine Anredera cordifolia

How do I identify Madeira vine?

Climbing vine that can grow up to 20 metres high

Leaves: Fleshy, shiny, bright green and heart shaped

Flowers: Small, white, fragrant, flowers hang in clusters

Stems: Fleshy, red or green, twining vines that usually

have round warty growths growing on them

Roots: Fleshy tubers

Where found: Gardens, forest margins, waste areas,

coastal areas

What's the problem?

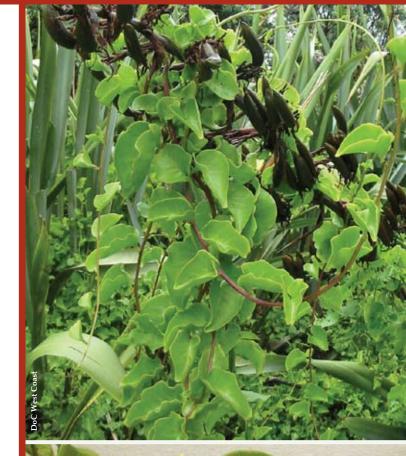
- Madeira vine is a fast-growing vine that grows into the tree canopy and forms large masses that rapidly smother and replace vegetation
- Mainly invades disturbed or low-canopy forest and forest margins

What do I do?

- If you suspect you have Madeira vine or have seen it somewhere in the Wellington region, please contact us and we'll come and have a look
- If it is Madeira vine, we will control it for free and record the sites location for future work

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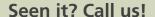
This plant has warty growths on its stems which can drop off and grow new plants







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