Ammi majus

COMMON NAME bullwort

FAMILY Apiaceae

AUTHORITY Ammi majus L.

FLORA CATEGORY Vascular – Exotic

STRUCTURAL CLASS Herbs - Dicotyledons other than Composites

CONSERVATION STATUS Not applicable

SIMILAR TAXA

Annual to 90 cm tall. It has small divided foliage, which is similar to that of carrot leaves. The most dominant feature of this plant is the flower head, which is a flat cluster of lacy white flowers that occur in summer and autumn. After flowering, the flower stems resemble a starbust on a stem (Ermert and Clapp 1998)

FLOWERING

November, December, January, February, March.

FLOWER COLOURS White

YEAR NATURALISED 1883

ORIGIN Mediterranean

Reason For Introduction Unknown Reproduction Reproduces by seed. Dispersal Wind and gravity.

MORE INFORMATION

https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/ammi-majus/

