

MOTHER OF MILLIONS

Bryophyllum delagoense

HERBACEOUS

Family Crassulaceae

Origin South Africa

Description A perennial, slender, erect, herb growing up to 1 m high ⁷. This herb likes full sun and infertile soils. It invades hind-dunes, open bushland and headlands ², as well as track sides and garden dump sites ⁸.

Stems/Leaves Opposite, simple leaves, cylindrical in shape. Leaves are notched towards the apex where plantlets are produced. Simple, cylindrical stems suckering at the base, pinkish brown or greyish in colour ⁷.

Flowers Tubular flowers salmon to scarlet in colour ⁷, flowering winter to spring ².

Fruit/Seed Four clustered follicle (dry fruit) producing many seeds ². Dispersal via leaves which produce plantlets towards tips ⁸.

Root system Shallow roots ⁸.

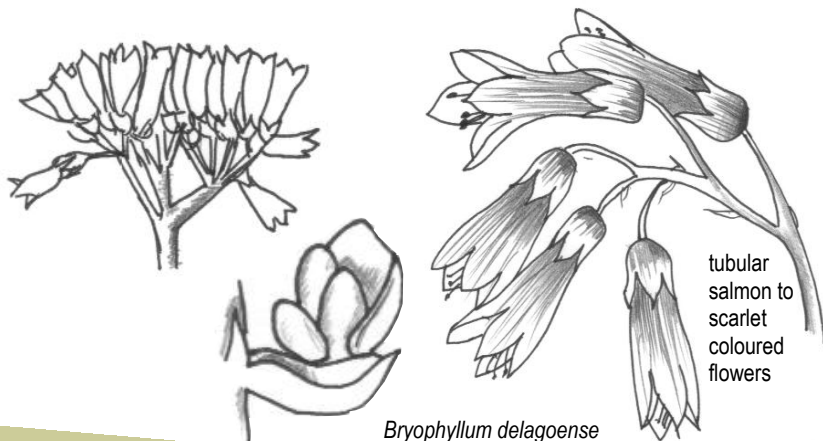
Removal techniques

Manual Remove the whole plant, taking care to remove all leaves ⁸.

Chemical Spray with diesel or glyphosate with wetting agent ⁸.

Notes

After cool fire events the plant drops leaves, where buds at the tips of leaves take root ⁸.



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