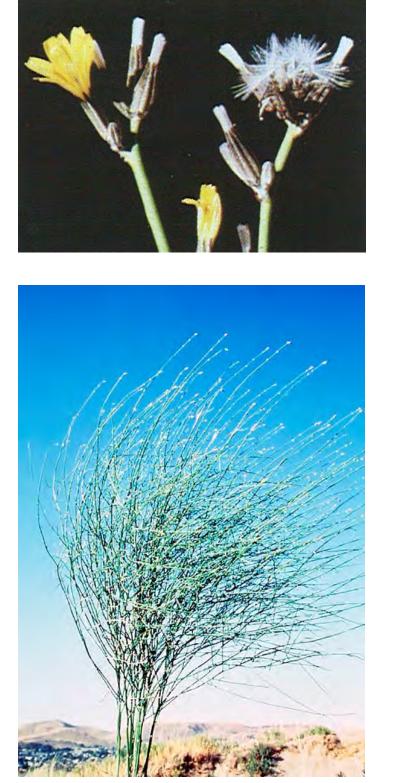
Rush Skeletonweed Chondrilla juncea Asteraceae (Sunflower Family)

Category:

Prohibited Noxious









Information: Native to Europe, Asia, Africa, other names include Gum Succory, Devils Grass and Nakedweed.
Life cycle: Perennial.

• Root: Taproot.

• Leaves: Sharp, deeply toothed rosette leaves wither as the stem grows. Occasional narrow leaves on stem.

Stems: Downward bent, reddish, coarse hairs on the lower 10-15cm of green stems.
Flower: Yellow flower heads 5mm in diameter are scattered on the stems and branch tips. Flowers single or clusters of two to five.
Seed/Fruit: Light brown to black, ribbed, and with white bristles.
Control: Cultivation is not recommended because of the root's ability to re grow from

small sections.