

**ARIZONA GAME AND FISH DEPARTMENT
HERITAGE DATA MANAGEMENT SYSTEM**

Plant Abstract

Element Code: PDAST3Z010

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CLASSIFICATION, NOMENCLATURE, DESCRIPTION, RANGE

NAME: *Galinsoga parviflora*

COMMON NAME: Quick Weed

SYNONYMS: *G.semicalva*, *G. semicalva* var. *percalva* *G. parviflora* var. *percalva*, *G. parviflora* var. *semicalva*; see
also Additional Information.

FAMILY: Asteraceae

AUTHOR, PLACE OF PUBLICATION: Blake, S.F., Jour. Wash. Acad. Sci, 30:472. 1940.

TYPE LOCALITY: Santa Rita Mnts., Pima Co., Arizona. Sept. 1902.

TAXONOMIC UNIQUENESS:

DESCRIPTION: Annual herb; leaves opposite, narrowly lanceolate, or the leaves lance-ovate, toothed, petioled; heads small, radiate, the rays white, very small, the disk yellow; achenes small, obovoid, somewhat thickened; pappus of the disk flowers of about 20 fimbriate, subequal squamellae, or paleae, in the ray flowers reduced or wanting.

AIDS TO IDENTIFICATION:

ILLUSTRATIONS:

TOTAL RANGE: Worldwide in most temperate and subtropical areas.

RANGE WITHIN ARIZONA: Mountains of southern Apache, Graham, Cochise and Pima counties.

SPECIES BIOLOGY AND POPULATION TRENDS

PHENOLOGY: Year round until frost; Sept./Oct. in Arizona.

GROWTH FORM: HA

BIOLOGY:

HABITAT: Rich soil in shade.

ELEVATION: 5,500 to 8,000 ft.

EXPOSURE:

SUBSTRATE:

PLANT COMMUNITY:

POPULATION TRENDS:

SPECIES PROTECTION AND PRESERVATION

ENDANGERED SPECIES ACT STATUS:

STATE LIST STATUS:

OTHER STATUS:

MANAGEMENT FACTORS:

CONSERVATION MEASURES TAKEN:

SUGGESTED PROJECTS:

LAND MANAGEMENT/OWNERSHIP:

SOURCES OF FURTHER INFORMATION

LITERATURE CITATIONS:

Lehr. 1978. A catalogue of the flora of Arizona. p. 161.

Canne, J.M.A. Revision of the genus *Galinsoga* (Compositae:Helenieae). Univ. Kan. Sci. Bull. Rhodora 79:319. 1977.

Smithon. Contrib. Knowl. 5(6):98. 1853. (Plant is listed in the index but does not occur in text).

Kearney & Peebles. 1960. Arizona flora. p. 912.

MAJOR KNOWLEDGEABLE INDIVIDUALS:

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

18 species and varieties are sub-listed in Canne, J. Rhodora 79:373-374. 1977.

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