

Biological control

For inaccessible infestations, release one or more biological control agents to contain infestations.

SPECIAL NOTES:

1. An integrated approach that uses a variety of control methods gives best results when dealing with Lantana.
2. Best results are obtained by working from areas of light infestation towards heavier infestation.
3. Follow-up control after initial treatment is important to control regrowth and seedling germination in the long term.
4. Biological controls alone cannot eradicate Lantana.

General information on control methods for this weed can be found in the most recent edition of the annual *Noxious and Environmental Weed Control Handbook* www.dpi.nsw.gov.au or at www.sydneyweeds.org.au
Additional biological and control information is available in the Weeds Of National Significance (WONS) Weed Management Guide for Lantana (*Lantana camara*), produced by the CRC for Weed Management.
Before commencing any chemical control program contact your local council's weeds officer for advice tailored to your situation.
All herbicide use should be undertaken with a registered herbicide as specified on the herbicide product label or relevant off-label permit published by the Australian Pesticides & Veterinary Medicines Authority.

LINKAGES TO OTHER PLANS, STRATEGIES (Local, Regional, State and National):

Sydney Metropolitan Catchment Weed Strategy (under preparation)
Hawkesbury Nepean Catchment Weed Strategy (under preparation)
Weeds of National Significance - Lantana (*Lantana camara*) Strategic Plan
Lantana Control Manual produced by the National Heritage Trust, Qld Dept Natural Resources, Mines and Energy and NSW Dept of Agriculture.

SECTION 12 OBLIGATIONS (from the Noxious Weeds Act 1993)

Private occupiers of land must control noxious weeds on land.

An occupier (other than a public authority or a local control authority) of land to which a weed control order applies must control noxious weeds on the land as required under the order.

Maximum penalty: 40 penalty units.

Note: If an occupier fails to comply with obligations under a weed control order, those obligations may be enforced against the owner of the land as well as the occupier by a weed control notice issued under section 18.

Public land

The growth and spread of the plant must be controlled according to local or regional management plans under the responsibility of local Government.

PLAN ENDORSEMENT

This plan is endorsed by each Local Control Authority in the area of operation.

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