

Take action against invasive species

Become a responsible eco-friendly gardener by learning how to identify and remove invasive species from your garden this winter.



Chandelier plant or Mother of millions (*Bryophyllum delagoense*)

This plant flowers in June and July. As a Category 1 invader, it is illegal to own, purchase or grow this winter-flowering succulent in your garden.



Fountain grass (*Pennisetum setaceum*)

This grass comes from North Africa. As a Category 1 invader, it is illegal to own, purchase or grow this plant anywhere in the country.



Japanese or Chinese privet (*Ligustrum japonicum* or *Ligustrum lucidum*)

If you are an eco-friendly gardener, remove the invasive Japanese privet or Chinese privet from your garden. Spread by berries, this Category 3 invader may not be given away as a gift or sold in garden centres.



Coral bush (*Ardisia crenata*)

The coral bush is a Category 1 invader in Limpopo, Mpumalanga and KwaZulu-Natal where it may not be owned, purchased or grown.

What can you do to prevent the spread of invasive species? Learn to identify invader species. Go to www.invasives.org.za for more information.