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African boxthorn *	<i>Lycium ferocissimum</i> *	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled
African daisy	<i>Senecio pterophorus</i>	Restricted	Regionally prohibited	Regionally prohibited
African feather grass	<i>Pennisetum macrourum</i>	Regionally prohibited	Regionally prohibited	Regionally prohibited
African love-grass	<i>Eragrostis curvula</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Regionally controlled
Alligator weed *	<i>Alternanthera philoxeroides</i> *	State prohibited	State prohibited	State prohibited
Amsinckia	<i>Amsinckia</i> spp.	Restricted	Restricted	Regionally controlled
Angled onion	<i>Allium triquetrum</i> L.	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Apple of Sodom	<i>Solanum linnaeanum</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Artichoke thistle	<i>Cynara cardunculus</i> L.	Regionally controlled	Restricted	Regionally controlled
Athel pine *	<i>Tamarix aphylla</i> *	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Bathurst burr	<i>Xanthium spinosum</i>	Restricted	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled
Bear-skin fescue	<i>Festuca gautieri</i>	State prohibited	State prohibited	State prohibited
Bindweed	<i>Convolvulus arvensis</i> L.	Restricted	Regionally controlled	Restricted
Black knapweed	<i>Centaurea nigra</i> L.	State prohibited	State prohibited	State prohibited
Blackberry *	<i>Rubus fruticosus</i> L. agg. - *	Restricted	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled
Boneseed *	<i>Chrysanthemoides monilifera</i> . *	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled	Regionally prohibited
Branched broomrape	<i>Orobanche ramosa</i> L.	State prohibited	State prohibited	State prohibited
Bridal creeper *	<i>Asparagus asparagoides</i> *	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Buffalo burr	<i>Solanum rostratum</i>	Restricted	Regionally prohibited	Restricted
Cabomba *	<i>Cabomba caroliniana</i> *	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Caltrop	<i>Tribulus terrestris</i> L.	Restricted	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled

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Camel thorn	<i>Alhagi maurorum</i>	State prohibited	State prohibited	State prohibited
Cape broom *	<i>Genista monspessulana</i> *	Restricted	Regionally controlled	Restricted
Cape tulip (one-leaf)	<i>Moraea flaccida</i>	Regionally prohibited	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled
Cape tulip (two-leaf)	<i>Moraea miniata</i>	Regionally prohibited	Regionally prohibited	Regionally controlled
Chilean cestrum	<i>Cestrum parqui</i>	Restricted	Regionally controlled	Restricted
Chilean needle grass *	<i>Nassella neesiana</i> *	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Devil's claw (purple flower)	<i>Proboscidea louisianica</i> .	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Devil's claw (yellow flower)	<i>Proboscidea lutea</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Dodder	<i>Cuscuta spp.</i>	Restricted	Regionally prohibited	Restricted
English broom	<i>Cytisus scoparius (L.)</i>	Restricted	Regionally prohibited	Restricted
Fennel	<i>Foeniculum vulgare</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Flax-leaved broom	<i>Genista linifolia L.</i>	Restricted	Regionally controlled	Restricted
Giant knotweed	<i>Fallopia sachalinensis</i> .	State prohibited	State prohibited	State prohibited
Giraffe thorn	<i>Vachellia erioloba</i>	State prohibited	State prohibited	State prohibited
Golden thistle	<i>Scolymus hispanicus L.</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Regionally controlled
Gorse *	<i>Ulex europaeus L.</i> *	Restricted	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled
Great mullein	<i>Verbascum thapsus L.</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Hardheads	<i>Rhaponticum repens</i>	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled
Hawkweed	<i>Hieracium spp.</i>	State prohibited	State prohibited	State prohibited
Hawthorn	<i>Crataegus monogyna</i>	Restricted	Regionally controlled	Restricted
Hemlock	<i>Conium maculatum L.</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted

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Hoary cress	<i>Lepidium draba L.</i>	Regionally controlled	Restricted	Restricted
Horehound	<i>Marrubium vulgare L.</i>	Restricted	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled
Horsetail	<i>Equisetum spp.</i>	State prohibited	State prohibited	State prohibited
Hymenachne *	<i>Hymenachne amplexicaulis *</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Illyrian thistle	<i>Onopordum illyricum L.</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Regionally controlled
Ivy-leaf sida	<i>Malvella leprosa</i>	State prohibited	State prohibited	State prohibited
Japanese knotweed	<i>Fallopia japonica</i>	State prohibited	State prohibited	State prohibited
Japanese knotweed hybrid	<i>Fallopia x bohemica</i>	State prohibited	State prohibited	State prohibited
Karoo thorn	<i>Vachellia karroo</i>	State prohibited	State prohibited	State prohibited
Khaki weed	<i>Alternanthera pungens</i>	Restricted	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled
Lagarosiphon	<i>Lagarosiphon major</i>	State prohibited	State prohibited	State prohibited
Lantana *	<i>Lantana camara L. *</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Lobed needle grass	<i>Nassella charruana</i>	State prohibited	State prohibited	State prohibited
Marijuana	<i>Cannabis sativa L.</i>	State prohibited	State prohibited	State prohibited
Mesquite *	<i>Prosopis spp. *</i>	State prohibited	State prohibited	State prohibited
Mexican feather grass	<i>Nassella tenuissima</i>	State prohibited	State prohibited	State prohibited
Mimosa *	<i>Mimosa pigra L. *</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Nodding thistle	<i>Carduus nutans L.</i>	State prohibited	State prohibited	State prohibited
Noogoora burr	<i>Xanthium strumarium L.</i>	Regionally controlled	Regionally prohibited	Regionally controlled
Onion weed	<i>Asphodelus fistulosus L.</i>	Restricted	Regionally controlled	Restricted
Ox-eye daisy	<i>Leucanthemum vulgare</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted

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Pampas lily-of-the-alley	Salpichroa origanifolia	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Parkinsonia *	Parkinsonia aculeata L. *	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Parthenium weed *	Parthenium hysterophorus L. *	State prohibited	State prohibited	State prohibited
Paterson's curse	Echium plantagineum L.	Restricted	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled
Perennial ragweed	Ambrosia psilostachya	State prohibited	State prohibited	State prohibited
Perennial thistle	Cirsium arvense	Restricted	Regionally controlled	Regionally prohibited
Pond apple *	Annona glabra L. *	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Poverty weed	Iva axillaris .	State prohibited	State prohibited	State prohibited
Prairie ground cherry	Physalis hederifolia	Regionally controlled	Regionally prohibited	Regionally controlled
Prickly acacia *	Acacia nilotica (L.) Delile subsp. indica *	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Prickly pear (drooping) *	Opuntia monacantha *	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled
Prickly pear (erect) *	Opuntia stricta *	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled
Ragwort	Senecio jacobaea	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Rubber vine *	Cryptostegia grandiflora *	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Saffron thistle	Carthamus lanatus	Restricted	Regionally controlled	Restricted
Salvinia *	Salvinia molesta . *	State prohibited	State prohibited	State prohibited
Sand rocket	Diplotaxis tenuifolia	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Scotch thistle	Onopordum acanthium	Restricted	Restricted	Regionally prohibited
Serrated tussock *	Nassella trichotoma . *	Regionally prohibited	Regionally prohibited	Regionally prohibited
Silverleaf nightshade *	Solanum elaeagnifolium . *	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled

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Skeleton weed	<i>Chondrilla juncea</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Slender thistle	<i>Carduus tenuiflorus</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Soldier thistle	<i>Picnomon acarna</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Regionally prohibited
Soursob	<i>Oxalis pes-caprae</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Spear thistle	<i>Cirsium vulgare</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Spiny broom	<i>Calicotome spinosa</i>	Restricted	Regionally controlled	Restricted
Spiny burr grass	<i>Cenchrus longispinus</i>	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled
Spiny emex	<i>Emex australis</i>	Regionally controlled	Regionally prohibited	Restricted
Spiny rush	<i>Juncus acutus</i>	Restricted	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled
St Barnaby's thistle	<i>Centaurea solstitialis</i>	Restricted	Regionally controlled	Restricted
St. John's wort	<i>Hypericum perforatum</i>	Restricted	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled
St. Peter's wort	<i>Hypericum tetrapterum</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Star thistle	<i>Centaurea calcitrapa</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Stemless thistle	<i>Onopordum acaulon</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Stinkwort	<i>Dittrichia graveolens</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Sweet briar	<i>Rosa rubiginosa</i>	Restricted	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled
Tangled hypericum	<i>Hypericum triquetrifolium</i>	State prohibited	State prohibited	State prohibited
Thorn apple (common)	<i>Datura stramonium</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Regionally controlled
Thorn apple (long-spine)	<i>Datura ferox</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Regionally controlled
Thorn apple (recurved)	<i>Datura innoxiosa</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Regionally controlled
Topped lavender	<i>Lavandula stoechas</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Tree of heaven	<i>Ailanthus altissima</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Tufted honeyflower	<i>Melianthus comosus</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted

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Tutsan	<i>Hypericum androsaemum</i> .	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Variegated thistle	<i>Sylibum marianum</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Viper's bugloss	<i>Echium vulgare</i> L.	Restricted	Regionally controlled	Restricted
Water hyacinth *	<i>Eichhornia crassipes</i> *	State prohibited	State prohibited	State prohibited
Wheel cactus *	<i>Opuntia robusta</i> . *	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled
Wild garlic	<i>Allium vineale</i> L.	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled	Regionally controlled
Wild mignonette	<i>Reseda luteola</i> L.	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Wild teasel	<i>Dipsacus fullonum</i> L. subsp. <i>fullonum</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Wild watsonia	<i>Watsonia meriana</i>	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Willows *	<i>Salix</i> spp. (except <i>Salix alba</i> var. <i>caerulea</i> (Sm.) Sm., <i>Salix alba</i> x <i>matsudana</i> , <i>Salix babylonica</i> L., <i>Salix</i> X <i>calodendron</i> Wimm., <i>Salix caprea</i> L. 'Pendula', <i>Salix matsudana</i> Koidz 'Aurea', <i>Salix matsudana</i> Koidz 'Tortuosa', <i>Salix myrsinifolia</i> Salisb., and <i>Salix</i> X <i>reichardtii</i> A. Kern.)	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
European Rabbit	<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	Established Pest Animal	Established Pest Animal	Established Pest Animal

### **Restricted Weeds –**

- This category includes plants that pose an unacceptable risk of spreading in this State and are a serious threat to another State or Territory of Australia. Trade in these weeds and their propagules; either as plants, seeds or contaminants in other materials is prohibited.

### **Regionally Controlled Weeds –**

- These invasive plants are usually widespread in a region. To prevent their spread, ongoing control measures are required. Land owners have the responsibility to take all reasonable steps to prevent the growth and spread of Regionally controlled weeds on their land.

### **Regionally Prohibited Weeds –**

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### **State Prohibited Weeds –**

- These invasive plants either do not occur in Victoria but pose a significant threat if they invade, or are present, pose a serious threat or can reasonably be expected to be eradicated. If present, infestations of a State prohibited weed are relatively small.

They are to be eradicated from Victoria if possible or excluded from the State. The Victorian Government is responsible for their eradication, but under Section 70(1) of the CaLP Act, it may direct land owners to prevent their growth and spread.

### **\*Weeds of National Significance (WoNS)**

- These weeds are considered to be the worst invasive plants in Australia. These weeds cause negative impacts to Australia's natural and productive landscapes.