



## Mothplant

**Description:** Moth plant is a climbing vine with opposite leaves that are dark green above and lighter green beneath and sometimes have wavy margins. Mature leaves are shiny and leathery but young leaves are lighter green and softer. The stems and leaves contain a milky sap which can irritate the skin. The flowers are small, tubular and creamy coloured and followed by large choko-like green fruit containing numerous black seeds.

**Habitats:** Coastal, lowland cliffs, bluffs, waste places and other modified habitats.

**Flowering time:** December to May

