

Daucus glochidiatus
Commonly: Australian Carrot
Vascular Plant Family: Apiaceae

Flowers late winter and spring

Daucus glochidiatus is an annual herb up to 50cm tall with short hairs on the stem and leaves.



The leaves are up to 10cm long, twice divided ending in linear lobes. The coarse hairs on the leaf are obvious in this photograph.



The flowers are white with petals up to 5mm long.



The fruit have white, barbed bristles on their surface when young. The bristles spread at right angles to the surface.



As the fruit mature they change to brown. When fully mature are about 4mm long. The bristle assist in their dispersal.

Refer also to Peppy Plants article [Daucus glochidiatus](#)