

# Oxeye Daisy

## Category 4: Low Priority

Relatively widespread. Treat at high priority sites.

*Leucanthemum vulgare*

**Family:** Asteraceae (Sunflower).

**Other Scientific Names:** *Chrysanthemum leucanthemum*.

**Other Common Names:** White daisy.

**Origin:** Eurasia.

**Growth Form/Reproduction:** Short-lived perennial. Seeds and from short rhizomes.

Identification:

**Legal Status Central Kootenay:** FRPA.

**Habitat:** Occurs at low- to high-elevations in grasslands, open forests, dense forest openings. Disturbed sites, roadsides, pastures, utility and railway corridors, logging landing, skid trails, forest openings.

**Status and Distribution:** Not listed in the Nelson Noxious Weed Plan in 1995. Widespread throughout the Central Kootenay. See reverse for map of recorded locations.

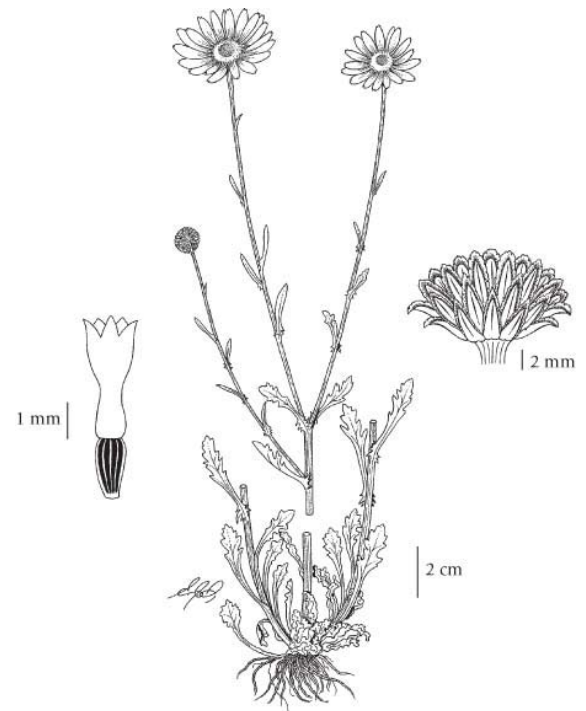
**Known Biogeoclimatic Zones:** IDFun, ICHdw1, ICHmk1, ICHmw2, ICHmw3, ICHvk1, ICHwk1, ICHxw

### Management Objectives for Central Kootenay:

- Prevention by seeding and minimizing soil disturbance.
- Contain existing large populations and control smaller populations that may extend the distribution of the species geographically.

### For More Information:

- [www.weedsbc.ca/pdf/oxeye\\_daisy.pdf](http://www.weedsbc.ca/pdf/oxeye_daisy.pdf)
- [www.invasiveplantcouncilbc.ca/publications/TIPS/Oxeye\\_Daisy\\_TIPS.pdf](http://www.invasiveplantcouncilbc.ca/publications/TIPS/Oxeye_Daisy_TIPS.pdf)



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## *Infestations of Oxeye Daisy in the Central Kootenay*

**NOTE:** Locations on map primarily depict areas that have been surveyed, rather than actual distribution of oxeye daisy (which is widespread).

