



Calling all citizen scientists, educators and volunteers concerned about invasive species!

Report invasive species locations to the *i*MapInvasives online mapping program

- ✓ Monitor the invasive species in your area (on your property or in a public park)
- Help natural resource professionals by improving distribution maps
- ✓ Be a "first detector" by identifying and reporting invasive species new to your area
- ✓ Search the database to understand the distribution of invasive plants in Maine

Create records on your desktop or smartphone!

To get involved, go to www.imapinvasives.org and:

- 1. Use the Login button to create an account and check your email to confirm account
- 2. View the User Manual to learn how iMap works or view iMapInvasives training videos at iMapInvasives NY Youtube Channel!
- 3. Use the easy, step-by-step data entry to report invasive species on your computer OR download the iMapInvasives Mobile App for your smartphone

Good Photos are Essential

✓ **Take clear and close-up photos to ensure your observations can be confirmed.** Placing your hand behind the plant can help create better focus. Be sure to capture identifying feature of the species, such as the photo to the right.



Questions? Contact: invasives.mnap@maine.gov Multiflora rose and its unique frilled stipules.



iMapInvasives Desktop Map

Report invasive species locations using your computer or laptop

1. Create a free iMapInvasives account at <u>www.imapinvasives.org</u>.

2. To create a record, click the "Create Record" button at the top and select the record type. Then, select a location or enter the coordinates, and complete the Presence Record Details.

3. To explore records in Maine, click "Filter Records" at the top and select Maine as the Jurisdiction. Select other filters as needed and click "Apply Filter".

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iMapInvasives Mobile App (Connectivity Not Required)

Report invasive species locations using your tablet or smartphone

1. Create a free iMapInvasives account at <u>www.imapinvasives.org</u>. You can't use the App without an account.

2. Download the app from Google Play or Apple App Store (search for "imapinvasives").

3. Enable location on your device (from device Settings, turn on Location)



4. Home Page and Menu

From the home page users can add a new observation record and access the Menu on the top toolbar.

5. Fill in your Preferences (required)

Fill in your iMapInvasives account information and set other preferences.

- a) Select Jurisdiction
- b) Enter iMap email and Password (must match online account!)
- c) Select to view scientific or common species names and create a custom list (optional).
- d) Choose photo settings
- e) Save your changes!

6. Add an Observation Record

Tap the green +Add Observation button to start adding an observation.

- a) Take a clear and up-close photo for easy identification.
- b) Select the observed species, and if it was detected or not detected.
- c) If "0,0" is displaying in the Location box, ensure your location is turned on in your phone settings.
- d) Save new observation or edits.

7. Upload or edit pending records

Created records appear in the home screen. To edit a record, tap the pencil icon. To upload, tap the records selection box or Select All from the Menu, then choose Upload Selected.



Records to Upload: 0

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Select All

Help

Select None

Upload Selected

DELETE Selected

+Add Observation

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