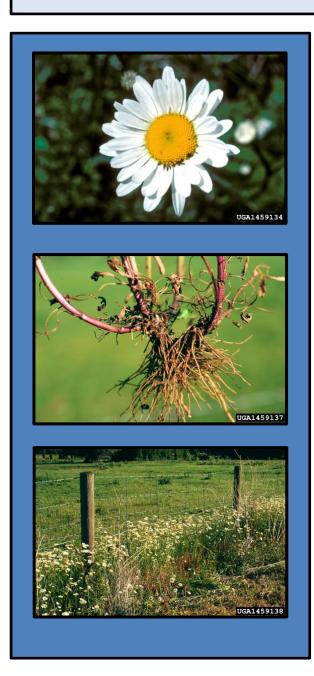
Chrysanthemum leucanthemum Synonym: Leucanthemum vulgare **Oxeye Daisy**

Asteraceae, the sunflower family Category: CONTAINMENT





Diagnostic Characteristics

- Perennial; grows 10-24 inches tall
- Basal leaves are toothed and spatulalike
- Flower heads are solitary at the end of branches and composed of white ray and yellow disk flowers
- Flower heads 1-1½ inches wide
- Seeds are dark brown to black with ribs

Background

- Native to Eurasia; introduced as an ornamental
- Inhabits meadows, grasslands, rightsof-way, and non-crop areas
- Reproduces by seed and creeping roots

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