

PLANT: Milkweed
Asclepias speciosa

**NOT A STATE LISTED
NOXIOUS WEED**



Growth: 2-5 Feet

I.D. Leaves are opposite, oval-shaped, around 6 inches long
The plant is a gray green in color
The flower is a pink to a white
Flat reddish-brown seeds contained in a very large seed pod

Other: This plant is a native to North America and is found along roadsides, pastures, and on disturbed sites.

WARNING:

Milkweed may be toxic when taken internally.

The Native Americans have used Milkweed for its fiber and in medicine.