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Trumpetcreeper

Campsis radicans

Life cycle: Deciduous, perennial vine.

Leaves: Alternate, compound, with 7 to 11 leaflets. Leaflets have teeth on margins. Leaves can be 6 to 12 inches long and leaflets 2 to 4 inches.

Stems: This vine can climb on fences or other plants or spread on the ground. Stems can produce aerial roots that aid in attachment to supports.

Flowers and fruit: Very showy, orange, trumpet shaped flowers are produced in clusters in late summer. Fruits are pods containing numerous seeds.

Reproduction: Plants are introduced to new areas by seed, but once established, vines spread by producing suckers from roots or rooting from stems that come in contact with the soil.

Similar weeds

Trumpetcreeper can be easily identified from the flowers and vine habit.



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