

## SPECIES MANAGEMENT PROFILE

*Juncus amabilis* gentle rush

**Group:** Magnoliophyta (flowering plants), Liliopsida (monocots), Juncales, Juncaceae

**Status:** *Threatened Species Protection Act 1995:* rare, delisting under consideration  
*Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999:* Not listed

**Endemic:** Found in Tasmania and elsewhere

**Status:**



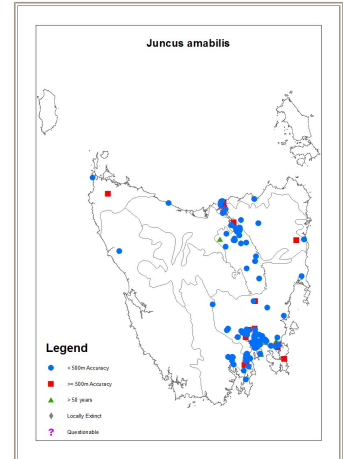
### Key Points

- **Important:** Is this species in your area? Do you need a permit? Ensure you've covered all the issues by checking the Planning Ahead page.
- **Important:** Different threatened species may have different requirements. For any activity you are considering, read the Activity Advice pages for background information and important advice about managing around the needs of multiple threatened species.

### Surveying

Key	Survey reliability more info
<b>M</b>	Best time to survey
M	Potential time to survey
<i>M</i>	Poor time to survey
M	Non-survey period

To ensure you follow the law - check whether your survey requires a permit. Always report any new records to the Natural Values Atlas, or send the information direct to the Threatened Species Section. Refer to the Activity Advice: Surveying page for background information.



<i>Juncus amabilis</i>	Spring					Summer					Autumn					Winter								
gentle rush	S	S	O	O	N	N	D	D	J	J	F	F	M	M	A	A	M	M	J	J	J	J	A	A

- Inflorescences are required to identify this rhizomatous perennial that grows in dense clumps. Flowering is predominantly from November to December (Flora of Victoria). Most herbarium specimens have been collected from January to March and observations of the species recorded throughout the year.
- In Tasmania, *Juncus amabilis* occurs in moist situations, generally areas of seepage confined to roadsides.

### Further information

Check also for listing statement or notesheet pdf above (below the species image).

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**Permit:** A permit is required under the Tasmanian *Threatened Species Protection Act 1995* to 'take' (which includes kill, injure, catch, damage, destroy and collect), keep, trade in or process any specimen or products of a listed species. Additional permits may also be required under other Acts or regulations to take, disturb or interfere with any form of wildlife or its products, (e.g. dens, nests, bones). This may also depend on the tenure of the land and other agreements relating to its management.