

# Native Broom

*Carmichaelia petriei*



full sun



shade



wet



dry

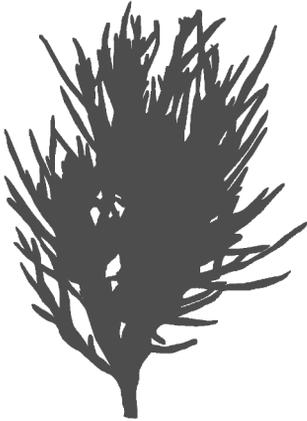


frost



wind

**Max height: 2 m**



## Form

Yellowish shrub with untidy erect leafless branches

## Where to plant



forest



shrubland



wetland



riparian

## Leaves

- Untidy, erect, mostly leafless branches
- Long yellow tips
- Seldom has leaves as flattened green stems take their place
- Leaves with 1-3 leaflets



## Flowers

- Small: 6 x 5 mm
- Pea-like
- In small clusters
- Pinkish – ranging to purple and white
- November to January



## Fruit/seeds

- Pods 8-10 mm long
- Yellow-green when early
- Dark brown when mature
- 1-2 seeds per pod
- Up to 3 mm long
- Gravity dispersed
- January to May



Foundation species – *plant first*

Southland species – *plant local*

