

Poverty Sumpweed Herbaceous Vegetation (Map Code 63)

Location: One patch of *Iva axillaris* Herbaceous Vegetation was observed near SH 88 and the northwestern Refuge boundary. This was a nearly pure stand; elsewhere *Iva axillaris* is an associate of nearly every riparian and wetland plant association.

No ground photo was taken.

Signature: This type was difficult to distinguish from other low-growing wetland species such as bulrush and rush. It seemed to have a dark red to brown (almost black) color with no texture. Due to its very limited distribution and size, this type was mapped extensively with ground verification.

