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*Pulvinaria urbicola*

## Urbicola Soft Scale

### Field Recognition

Body of adult female brown to green, body 1.5 - 3.0 mm long, ovisac produced and without noticeable grooves, approximately 1.5 - 3x body length. Occurs on foliage but also near root line.

### Known Southeastern Distribution

Alabama, Florida, Louisiana, and Texas.

### Common Hosts

Common on seagrape, guava, and *Alternanthera* species.

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Grooved Ovisac

Brown Body

