

Aciphylla scott-thomsonii

COMMON NAME

giant speargrass, taramea

SYNONYMS

Aciphylla colensoi var. *maxima* Kirk

FAMILY

Apiaceae

AUTHORITY

Aciphylla scott-thomsonii Cockayne et Allan

FLORA CATEGORY

Vascular – Native

ENDEMIC TAXON

Yes

ENDEMIC GENUS

No

ENDEMIC FAMILY

No

STRUCTURAL CLASS

Herbs - Dicotyledons other than Composites

NVS CODE

ACISCO

CURRENT CONSERVATION STATUS

2017 | Not Threatened

PREVIOUS CONSERVATION STATUSES

2012 | Not Threatened

2009 | Not Threatened

2004 | Not Threatened

FLOWER COLOURS

Yellow

ETYMOLOGY

aciphylla: From the Latin *acicula* 'needle' and the Greek *phyllum* 'leaf', meaning needle-leaf.

MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/aciphylla-scott-thomsonii/>



Flowering, Lyndon Creek (January).

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