

# Lepidium campestre

## COMMON NAME

field cress

## FAMILY

Brassicaceae

## AUTHORITY

*Lepidium campestre* (L.) R.Br.

## FLORA CATEGORY

Vascular – Exotic

## STRUCTURAL CLASS

Herbs - Dicotyledons other than Composites

## CONSERVATION STATUS

Not applicable

## SIMILAR TAXA

yellow anthers

## FLOWER COLOURS

White

## YEAR NATURALISED

1875

## ORIGIN

Europe

## ETYMOLOGY

**lepidium:** Scale-shaped (pods)

**campestre:** From the Latin campus 'field, pasture', meaning growing in pasture

## MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/lepidium-campestre/>

