Zannichellia palustris

COMMON NAME

Horned pondweed

SYNONYMS

None

FAMILY

Potamogetonaceae

AUTHORITY

Zannichellia palustris L.

FLORA CATEGORY

Vascular - Native

ENDEMIC TAXON

Nο

ENDEMIC GENUS

No

ENDEMIC FAMILY

Nο

STRUCTURAL CLASS

Herbs - Monocots

NVS CODE

ZANPAL

CHROMOSOME NUMBER

2n = 24

CURRENT CONSERVATION STATUS

2017 | At Risk - Naturally Uncommon | Qualifiers: DP, SO

PREVIOUS CONSERVATION STATUSES

2012 | At Risk - Naturally Uncommon | Qualifiers: RR, SO

2009 | Not Threatened

2004 | Not Threatened

WETLAND PLANT INDICATOR STATUS RATING

OBL: Obligate Wetland

Almost always is a hydrophyte, rarely in uplands (non-wetlands).

ETYMOLOGY

palustris: From the Latin palus 'swamp', meaning growing in swamps

WHERE TO BUY

Not commercially available.

MORE INFORMATION

https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/zannichellia-palustris/





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