

Brassica rapa var. rapa

COMMON NAME

turnip

FAMILY

Brassicaceae

AUTHORITY

Brassica rapa L. var. *rapa*

FLORA CATEGORY

Vascular – Exotic

STRUCTURAL CLASS

Herbs - Dicotyledons other than Composites

YEAR NATURALISED

1864

ORIGIN

Europe

ETYMOLOGY

brassica: From the Latin *brassica* used by Pliny the Elder, derived from the Celtic *bresic*, the name for cabbage.

MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/brassica-rapa-var-rapa/>

