Cakile maritima subsp. maritima

COMMON NAMES
sea rocket

BIOSTATUS
Exotic

CONSERVATION STATUS
Not applicable

CATEGORY
Vascular

STRUCTURAL CLASS
Herbs - Dicotyledons other than Composites

FLOWER COLOURS
Violet/Purple, White

GENUS
Cakile

FAMILY
Brassicaceae

AUTHORITY
Cakile maritima Scop. subsp. maritima

ENDEMIC FAMILY
No

FLOWERING
October, November, December, January, (February)

FRUITING
October, November, December, January, (June)

YEAR NATURALISED
1940

ORIGIN
W. Europe and Mediterranean

ETYMOLOGY
maritima: From the Latin mare ‘sea’, meaning growing on the sea shore

MORE INFORMATION
https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/cakile-maritima-subsp-maritima/

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