

Cannabis sativa

COMMON NAMES

cannabis, marijuana, kif, gunja

BIOSTATUS

Exotic

CONSERVATION STATUS

Not applicable

CATEGORY

Vascular

STRUCTURAL CLASS

Herbs - Dicotyledons other than Composites

FLOWER COLOURS

Red/Pink, White

GENUS

Cannabis

FAMILY

Cannabaceae

AUTHORITY

Cannabis sativa L.

YEAR NATURALISED

1940

ORIGIN

Probably C. Asia

REASON FOR INTRODUCTION

Hallucinogenic Properties and for Bird Seed

NVS CODE

CANSAT

MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/cannabis-sativa/>

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