## **Carex hirta**

**FAMILY** Cyperaceae

**AUTHORITY** Carex hirta L.

**FLORA CATEGORY** Vascular – Exotic

STRUCTURAL CLASS Sedges

CONSERVATION STATUS Not applicable

## WETLAND PLANT INDICATOR STATUS RATING

FAC: Facultative Commonly occurs as either a hydrophyte or non-hydrophyte (non-wetlands).

FLOWER COLOURS Cream

**YEAR NATURALISED** 1942

**ORIGIN** Europe, N. Africa and temperate Asia

**ETYMOLOGY carex**: Latin name for a species of sedge, now applied to the whole group.

**MORE INFORMATION** https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/carex-hirta/

