

# Carex iynx

## COMMON NAMES

Australian sedge

## BIOSTATUS

Exotic

## CONSERVATION STATUS

Not applicable

## CATEGORY

Vascular

## STRUCTURAL CLASS

Sedges

## GENUS

Carex

## FAMILY

Cyperaceae

## AUTHORITY

Carex iynx Nelmès

## ENDEMIC GENUS

No

## ENDEMIC FAMILY

No

## YEAR NATURALISED

1961

## ORIGIN

Australia; Tasmania, Victoria

## ETYMOLOGY

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

## MANAAKI WHENUA ONLINE INTERACTIVE KEY

[Key to indigenous and naturalised Carex in New Zealand](#)

## MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/carex-iynx/>

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