

Carex muricata

COMMON NAMES

prickly sedge

BIOSTATUS

Exotic

CONSERVATION STATUS

Not applicable

CATEGORY

Vascular

STRUCTURAL CLASS

Sedges

GENUS

Carex

FAMILY

Cyperaceae

AUTHORITY

Carex muricata L.

ENDEMIC GENUS

No

ENDEMIC FAMILY

No

YEAR NATURALISED

1945

ORIGIN

Europe

ETYMOLOGY

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

muricata: Furnished with numerous short hard excrescences

MANAAKI WHENUA ONLINE INTERACTIVE KEY

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

NVS CODE

CARMRC

MORE INFORMATION

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

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