

# Castanea sativa

## COMMON NAMES

sweet chestnut

## BIOSTATUS

Exotic

## CONSERVATION STATUS

Not applicable

## CATEGORY

Vascular

## STRUCTURAL CLASS

Trees & Shrubs - Dicotyledons

## FLOWER COLOURS

White, Yellow

## GENUS

Castanea

## FAMILY

Fagaceae

## AUTHORITY

Castanea sativa Mill.

## ETYMOLOGY

**castanea:** Probably derived from the old name for the Sweet Chestnut, either in Latin or Ancient Greek.

## MORE INFORMATION

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

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