

# Chaerophyllum temulum

## COMMON NAMES

Rough chervil

## BIOSTATUS

Exotic

## CONSERVATION STATUS

Not applicable

## CATEGORY

Vascular

## STRUCTURAL CLASS

Herbs - Dicotyledons other than Composites

## SIMPLIFIED DESCRIPTION

Biennial herb with hispid stems; leaves 2-3 pinnate and hispid on both surfaces; corolla white of unequal-sized petals; fruit narrow oblong, dark brown.

## FLOWER COLOURS

White

## GENUS

Chaerophyllum

## FAMILY

Apiaceae

## AUTHORITY

Chaerophyllum temulum L.

## ENDEMIC GENUS

No

## ENDEMIC FAMILY

No

## YEAR NATURALISED

1916

## ORIGIN

Europe, N. Africa

## PROPAGATION TECHNIQUE

Seed

## ETYMOLOGY

**chaerophyllum:** From the Greek chairō 'to please' and phyllon 'leaf'

## MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/chaerophyllum-temulum/>

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