

Festuca rubra subsp. commutata

COMMON NAMES

Chewing's fescue

BIOSTATUS

Exotic

CONSERVATION STATUS

Not applicable

CATEGORY

Vascular

STRUCTURAL CLASS

Grasses

GENUS

Festuca

FAMILY

Poaceae

AUTHORITY

Festuca rubra subsp. *commutata* Gaudin

ENDEMIC GENUS

No

ENDEMIC FAMILY

No

ETYMOLOGY

festuca: From the Latin *festuca* 'stem' or 'blade of grass'

rubra: Red

NVS CODE

FESRSC

MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/festuca-rubra-subsp-commutata/>

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