

Luzula multiflora

COMMON NAMES

many-flowered woodrush

BIOSTATUS

Exotic

CONSERVATION STATUS

Not applicable

CATEGORY

Vascular

STRUCTURAL CLASS

Rushes & Allied Plants

FLOWER COLOURS

Brown

GENUS

Luzula

FAMILY

Juncaceae

AUTHORITY

Luzula multiflora (Retz.) Lej.

ENDEMIC GENUS

No

ENDEMIC FAMILY

No

YEAR NATURALISED

1930

ORIGIN

Europe

WETLAND PLANT INDICATOR STATUS RATING

FACU: Facultative Upland

Occasionally is a hydrophyte but usually occurs in uplands (non-wetlands).

ETYMOLOGY

luzula: Latinized form of the Italian vernacular name (lucciola) for this plant

multiflora: From late Latin, feminine of multiflorus meaning 'bearing many flowers'

NVS CODE

LUZMUL

MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/luzula-multiflora/>

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