

Pisum sativum

COMMON NAMES

snow pea

BIOSTATUS

Exotic

CONSERVATION STATUS

Not applicable

CATEGORY

Vascular

STRUCTURAL CLASS

Lianes & Related Trailing Plants - Dicotyledons

FLOWER COLOURS

Violet/Purple, White

GENUS

Pisum

FAMILY

Fabaceae

AUTHORITY

Pisum sativum L.

ENDEMIC FAMILY

No

YEAR NATURALISED

1958

ORIGIN

S. Europe to temperate Asia, N. Africa

NVS CODE

PISSAT

MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/pisum-sativum/>

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Self-established seedling under phoenix palm in Pukenuamu-Queen's Park, Whanganui. Photographer: Colin C. Ogle, Date taken: 20/05/2026, Licence: CC BY-NC.