

Poa cockayneana

COMMON NAME

avalanche grass

FAMILY

Poaceae

AUTHORITY

Poa cockayneana Petrie

FLORA CATEGORY

Vascular – Native

ENDEMIC TAXON

Yes

ENDEMIC GENUS

No

ENDEMIC FAMILY

No

STRUCTURAL CLASS

Grasses

NVS CODE

POACOC

CHROMOSOME NUMBER

$2n = 112$

CURRENT CONSERVATION STATUS

2017 | Not Threatened

PREVIOUS CONSERVATION STATUSES

2012 | Not Threatened

2009 | Not Threatened

2004 | Not Threatened

MANAAKI WHENUA ONLINE INTERACTIVE KEY

[Key to the grasses of New Zealand](#)

ETYMOLOGY

poa: Meadow grass

cockayneana: Named after Leonard Cockayne FRS (7 April 1855 - 8 July 1934) who is regarded as New Zealand's greatest botanist and a founder of modern science in New Zealand

MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/poa-cockayneana/>

