Silene conica

FAMILY Caryophyllaceae

AUTHORITY Silene conica L.

FLORA CATEGORY Vascular – Exotic

STRUCTURAL CLASS Herbs - Dicotyledons other than Composites

NVS CODE SILCON

CONSERVATION STATUS Not applicable

FLOWER COLOURS Red/Pink

YEAR NATURALISED 1899

ORIGIN Mediterranean, C. and S. Europe from Britain to Ukraine, N.W. Africa, Asia Minor

ETYMOLOGY conica: From the Latin conicus 'cone', meaning having the figure of a true cone

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