

Vittadinia cuneata

COMMON NAMES

purple fuzzweed

BIOSTATUS

Exotic

CONSERVATION STATUS

Not applicable

CATEGORY

Vascular

STRUCTURAL CLASS

Herbs - Dicotyledonous composites

HABITAT

Dry hillslopes, coastal sites, rocky and gravelly areas.

GENUS

Vittadinia

FAMILY

Asteraceae

AUTHORITY

Vittadinia cuneata DC.

ENDEMIC GENUS

No

ENDEMIC FAMILY

No

YEAR NATURALISED

1880

ORIGIN

Australia

ETYMOLOGY

vittadinia: Named after Dr. Carlo Vittadini (1800 - 20 November 1865), an Italian medical doctor and mycologist.

cuneata: From the Latin cuneum 'wedge', meaning wedge-shaped

NVS CODE

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MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/vittadinia-cuneata/>

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