

# Viola filicaulis

## COMMON NAMES

forest violet

## FAMILY

Violaceae

## AUTHORITY

*Viola filicaulis* Hook.f.

## FLORA CATEGORY

Vascular – Native

## ENDEMIC TAXON

Yes

## ENDEMIC GENUS

No

## ENDEMIC FAMILY

No

## STRUCTURAL CLASS

Herbs - Dicotyledons other than Composites

## NVS CODE

VIOFIL

## CHROMOSOME NUMBER

2n = 72

## CURRENT CONSERVATION STATUS

2017 | Not Threatened

## PREVIOUS CONSERVATION STATUSES

2012 | Not Threatened

2009 | Not Threatened

2004 | Not Threatened

## DISTRIBUTION

Endemic. North, South and Stewart Islands

## WETLAND PLANT INDICATOR STATUS RATING

FAC: Facultative

Commonly occurs as either a hydrophyte or non-hydrophyte (non-wetlands).

## FLOWER COLOURS

Cream, White

## ETYMOLOGY

**viola:** The Latin name for violet

**filicaulis:** Hair stalk

## CULTIVATION

Occasionally available from specialist native plant nurseries.

## MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/viola-filicaulis/>



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