

Glossostigma elatinoides

FAMILY

Phrymaceae

AUTHORITY

Glossostigma elatinoides Benth. ex Hook.f.

FLORA CATEGORY

Vascular – Native

ENDEMIC TAXON

No

ENDEMIC GENUS

No

ENDEMIC FAMILY

No

STRUCTURAL CLASS

Herbs - Dicotyledons other than Composites

NVS CODE

GLOELA

CHROMOSOME NUMBER

2n = 10

CURRENT CONSERVATION STATUS

2017 | Not Threatened | Qualifiers: SO

PREVIOUS CONSERVATION STATUSES

2012 | Not Threatened

2009 | Not Threatened

2004 | Not Threatened

WETLAND PLANT INDICATOR STATUS RATING

OBL: Obligate Wetland

Almost always is a hydrophyte, rarely in uplands (non-wetlands).

LIFE CYCLE

.Seeds dispersed by ballistic projection, wind and water (Thorsen et al., 2009)

ETYMOLOGY

glossostigma: Tongue-shaped stigma

elatinoides: Resembling *Elatine* - a superficially similar plant of wetlands and fresh water bodies

REFERENCES AND FURTHER READING

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MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/glossostigma-elatinoides/>

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