

Persicaria decipiens

SYNONYMS

Polygonum decipiens R.Br., *Polygonum salicifolium* Willd.

FAMILY

Polygonaceae

AUTHORITY

Persicaria decipiens (R.Br.) K.L.Wilson

FLORA CATEGORY

Vascular – Native

ENDEMIC TAXON

No

ENDEMIC GENUS

No

ENDEMIC FAMILY

No

STRUCTURAL CLASS

Herbs - Dicotyledons other than Composites

NVS CODE

PERDEC

CHROMOSOME NUMBER

2n = 40

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).

FLOWER COLOURS

Red/Pink, White

ETYMOLOGY

persicaria: Medieval name referring to the likeness of the leaves to a peach tree

decipiens: Deceptive

MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/persicaria-decipiens/>

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