Elytrigia repens

COMMON NAME

couch

FAMILY

Poaceae

AUTHORITY

Elytrigia repens (I.) Nevski

FLORA CATEGORY

Vascular - Exotic

STRUCTURAL CLASS

Grasses

NVS CODE

ELYREP

CONSERVATION STATUS

Not applicable

WETLAND PLANT INDICATOR STATUS RATING

FACU: Facultative Upland

Occasionally is a hydrophyte but usually occurs in uplands (non-wetlands).

YEAR NATURALISED

1832

ORIGIN

Eurasia

ETYMOLOGY

repens: From Latin repere meaning to creep, means creeping

MORE INFORMATION

https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/elytrigia-repens/





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