# Lathyrus sylvestris

# **COMMON NAME**

narrow-leaved everlasting pea

#### **FAMILY**

Fabaceae

## **AUTHORITY**

Lathyrus sylvestris L.

# **FLORA CATEGORY**

Vascular - Exotic

#### STRUCTURAL CLASS

Herbs - Dicotyledons other than Composites

## **CONSERVATION STATUS**

Not applicable

# **SIMILAR TAXA**

L. sylvestris is very similar to the much more commonly naturalised L. latifolius, but is distinguished by the smaller flowers, and narrower leaves and stipules.

## **FLOWER COLOURS**

Red/Pink

#### YEAR NATURALISED

1958

## **ORIGIN**

Europe, N.W. Africa, Asia Minor, Caucasia

# **MORE INFORMATION**

https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/lathyrus-sylvestris/

