

Chionochloa rigida subsp. amara

COMMON NAME

narrow-leaved snow tussock

FAMILY

Poaceae

AUTHORITY

Chionochloa rigida subsp. amara Connor

FLORA CATEGORY

Vascular – Native

ENDEMIC TAXON

Yes

ENDEMIC GENUS

No

ENDEMIC FAMILY

No

STRUCTURAL CLASS

Grasses

NVS CODE

CHIRSA

CHROMOSOME NUMBER

2n = 42

CURRENT CONSERVATION STATUS

2017 | Not Threatened

PREVIOUS CONSERVATION STATUSES

2012 | Not Threatened

2009 | Not Threatened

2004 | Not Threatened

MANAAKI WHENUA ONLINE INTERACTIVE KEY

[Key to the grasses of New Zealand](#)

ETYMOLOGY

chionochloa: Snow grass

rigida: Rigid

amara: From the Latin amarus 'bitter'

Where To Buy

MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/chionochloa-rigida-subsp-amara/>



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