

# Dianthus plumarius

## COMMON NAME

pink

## FAMILY

Caryophyllaceae

## AUTHORITY

*Dianthus plumarius* L.

## FLORA CATEGORY

Vascular – Exotic

## STRUCTURAL CLASS

Herbs - Dicotyledons other than Composites

## CONSERVATION STATUS

Not applicable

## FLOWER COLOURS

Red/Pink, Violet/Purple

## YEAR NATURALISED

1958

## ORIGIN

Mountains of eastern C. Europe

## ETYMOLOGY

**dianthus:** From the Greek dios 'god' or 'divine' and anthos 'flower, the divine flower

## MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/dianthus-plumarius/>



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