

# Eragrostis amabilis

## COMMON NAME

Japanese love grass

## FAMILY

Poaceae

## AUTHORITY

*Eragrostis amabilis* (L.) Wright & Arn. ex Nees

## FLORA CATEGORY

Vascular – Exotic

## STRUCTURAL CLASS

Grasses

## CONSERVATION STATUS

Not applicable

## YEAR NATURALISED

?2005

## ETYMOLOGY

**eragrostis:** From the Greek eros 'love' and agrostis 'grass'

**amabilis:** From the Latin amare, 'to love', amabilis can be translated as 'worthy of love' or 'pleasing', botany was also called scienta amabilis 'the pleasing science'

## MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/eragrostis-amabilis/>

