

Gamochaeta subfalcata

COMMON NAME

silky cudweed

FAMILY

Asteraceae

AUTHORITY

Gamochaeta subfalcata (Cabrera) Cabrera

FLORA CATEGORY

Vascular – Exotic

STRUCTURAL CLASS

Herbs - Dicotyledonous composites

CONSERVATION STATUS

Not applicable

YEAR NATURALISED

1970

ORIGIN

N.E. Argentina. Also known as *Gnaphalium subfalcatum*

ETYMOLOGY

gamochaeta: From the Greek gamo- 'united' and chaeta 'bristle, long hair'.

subfalcata: From the Latin falx 'scythe' or 'sickle' and sub- 'somewhat', meaning somewhat sickle-shaped

MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/gamochaeta-subfalcata/>



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