

Gibasis pellucida

COMMON NAME

bridal flower

SYNONYMS

Gibasis schiedeana

FAMILY

Commelinaceae

AUTHORITY

Gibasis pellucida (M.Martens et Galeotti) D.R.Hunt

FLORA CATEGORY

Vascular – Exotic

STRUCTURAL CLASS

Herbs - Monocots

CONSERVATION STATUS

Not applicable

FLOWER COLOURS

White

LIFE CYCLE

Perennial herb. Reproduction is exclusively vegetative - does not set seed in New Zealand. Dispersed through careless disposal of garden waste (and - ironically - floral wreaths).

YEAR NATURALISED

1996

REASON FOR INTRODUCTION

Ornamental

TOLERANCES

Cold intolerant

ETYMOLOGY

pellucida: Clear, colourless

MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/gibasis-pellucida/>



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