

Glaucium corniculatum

COMMON NAME

red horned poppy

FAMILY

Papaveraceae

AUTHORITY

Glaucium corniculatum (L.) Rudolph

FLORA CATEGORY

Vascular – Exotic

STRUCTURAL CLASS

Herbs - Dicotyledons other than Composites

CONSERVATION STATUS

Not applicable

FLOWER COLOURS

Red/Pink

YEAR NATURALISED

1969

ORIGIN

Asia Minor, Mediterranean, 1968

ETYMOLOGY

glaucium: From the Greek glaukos 'grey-green' or 'sea green', possibly after the mythical fisherman who was changed into a sea-god in Ovid's *Metamorphoses*.

MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/glaucium-corniculatum/>

