

# Lepidium bonariense

## COMMON NAME

Argentine cress

## FAMILY

Brassicaceae

## AUTHORITY

*Lepidium bonariense* L.

## FLORA CATEGORY

Vascular – Exotic

## STRUCTURAL CLASS

Herbs - Dicotyledons other than Composites

## CONSERVATION STATUS

Not applicable

## YEAR NATURALISED

1935

## ORIGIN

S.E. South America

## ETYMOLOGY

**lepidium**: Scale-shaped (pods)

## MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/lepidium-bonariense/>



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