

Montia calycina

SYNONYMS

Claytonia calycina Colenso, Neopaxia calycina (Colenso) Heenan;
Previously all the New Zealand Neopaxia had been known as Neopaxia
australasica (Hook.f.) O.Nilsson which is now regarded as an Australian
endemic

FAMILY

Montiaceae

AUTHORITY

Montia calycina (Colenso) Pax et K. Hoffm.

FLORA CATEGORY

Vascular – Native

ENDEMIC TAXON

Yes

ENDEMIC GENUS

No

ENDEMIC FAMILY

No

STRUCTURAL CLASS

Herbs - Dicotyledons other than Composites

NVS CODE

MONCAL

CHROMOSOME NUMBER

2n = 96

CURRENT CONSERVATION STATUS

2017 | Not Threatened

PREVIOUS CONSERVATION STATUSES

2012 | Not Threatened

2009 | Not Threatened

2004 | Not Threatened

FLOWER COLOURS

Orange, White

ETYMOLOGY

montia: Named after the Italian botanist, Giuseppe Monti (1682-1760);

calycina: From the Greek kalux (in Latin calyx) 'case of a bud' or 'husk', meaning having a persistent or well developed calyx

Where To Buy

MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/montia-calycina/>



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