

# Oxalis versicolor

## COMMON NAME

Peppermint rock oxalis

## FAMILY

Oxalidaceae

## AUTHORITY

Oxalis versicolor L.

## FLORA CATEGORY

Vascular – Exotic

## STRUCTURAL CLASS

Herbs - Dicotyledons other than Composites

## CONSERVATION STATUS

Not applicable

## FLOWER COLOURS

Red/Pink, White

## YEAR NATURALISED

1976

## ORIGIN

S.W. Cape, South Africa

## ETYMOLOGY

**oxalis:** From the Greek word oxus meaning acid or sharp

## Reason For Introduction

Ornamental

## MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/oxalis-versicolor/>

