

Rytidosperma clavatum

COMMON NAME

bristle grass

SYNONYMS

Notodanthonia clavata Zotov, Austrodanthonia clavata (Zotov) H.P.Linder

FAMILY

Poaceae

AUTHORITY

Rytidosperma clavatum (Zotov) Connor et Edgar

FLORA CATEGORY

Vascular – Native

ENDEMIC TAXON

No

ENDEMIC GENUS

No

ENDEMIC FAMILY

No

STRUCTURAL CLASS

Grasses

NVS CODE

RYTCLA

CHROMOSOME NUMBER

2n = 48, 72

CURRENT CONSERVATION STATUS

2017 | Not Threatened

PREVIOUS CONSERVATION STATUSES

2012 | Not Threatened

2009 | Not Threatened

2004 | Not Threatened

DISTRIBUTION

Indigenous. North Island, Auckland and Coromandel Peninsula south. South Island, main easterly and at Westland. Chatham Island. Also discovered in 2002 near Melbourne, Victoria, in Australia.

MANAAKI WHENUA ONLINE INTERACTIVE KEY

[Key to the grasses of New Zealand](#)

ETYMOLOGY

rytidosperma: Wrinkled seed

clavatum: From the Latin clavatus 'club-shaped'

WHERE TO BUY

Not commercially available

MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/rytidosperma-clavatum/>



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