

# VASCULAR PLANTS ON THE WESTERN TARANAKI COAST

## BETWEEN WAITARA AND HAWERA

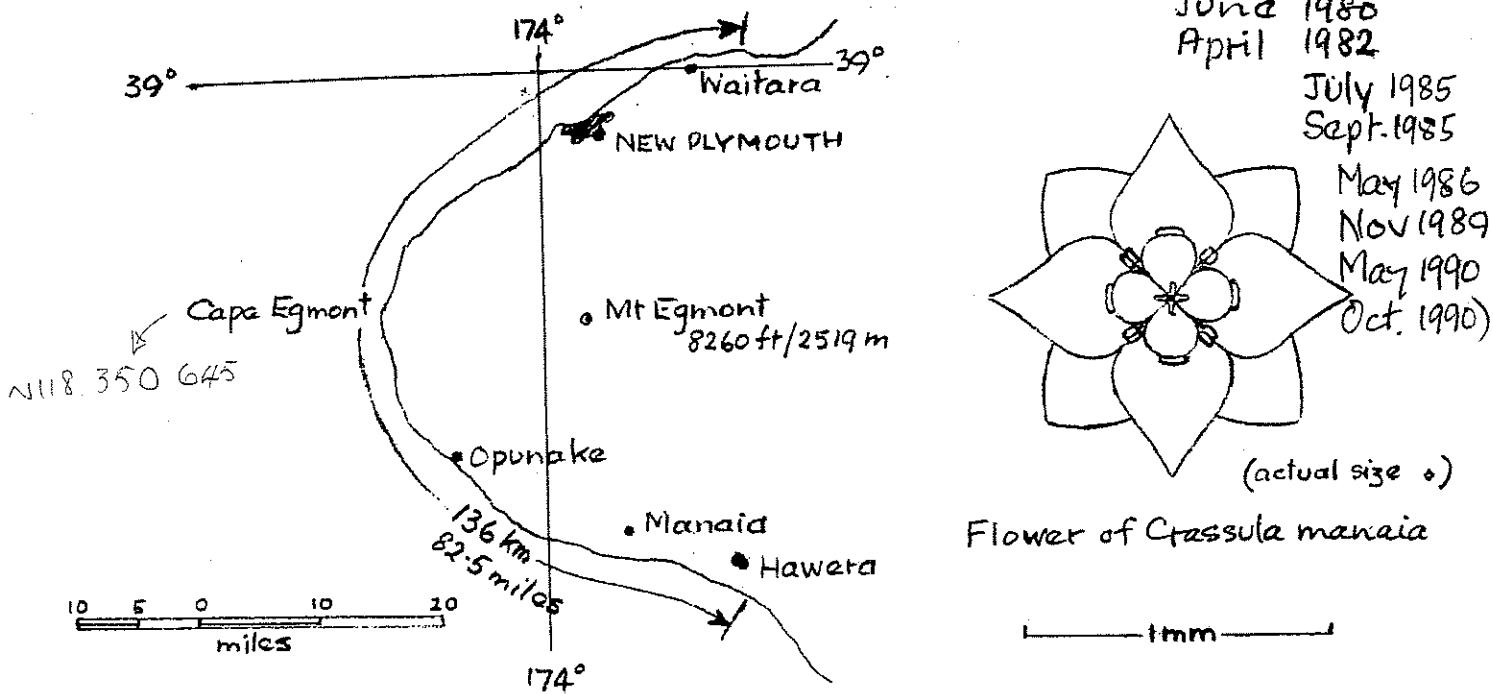
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### Notes on distribution of plants:

- *Limosella* sp. is known only from the western Taranaki coast
- The western Taranaki coast is the only North Island locality for *Anaphalis trinervis*, *Ranunculus racens* var., *Hebe elliptica* var. *elliptica* and *Osteomyrtus* sp.
- The following reach their southern limit on the western Taranaki coast:  
*Vitex lucens*, *Cotoneaster* var., *Juncus usitatus*, *Pittosporum crassifolium* var. *crassifolium*, *Scandia* sp.

## INDIGENOUS PLANTS

(u) - uncommon or local

### GYMNOSPERM TREES

*Dacrycarpus dacrydioides* (u)  
*Podocarpus totara* ss (u)

### MONOCOT TREES

*Cordyline australis* (u)

*Rhopalostylis sapida* (u)

### DICOT TREES

*Alectryon excelsus* var. *excelsus* (u)

*Beilschmiedia tawa* (u)

*Corynocarpus laevigatus*

*Dodonaea viscosa* var. (u)

*Dysoxylum spectabile* (u)

*Entelea arborescens* (u)

*Fuchsia excorticata* (u)

*Hedycarya arborea* (u)

*Hoheria populnea* var. *lanceolata* (u)

*Knightia excelsa* (u)

*Laurilia novae-zelandiae* (u)

*Mactropiper excelsum* var. *excelsum*

*Melicope ternata* (u)

*Melicytus ramiflorus* ssp. *ramiflorus*

*Metrosideros excelsa* (u)\*

*Myoporum laetum* var. *laetum* (u)

*Myrsine australis* (u)

*Nestegis cunninghamii* (u)

*Pennantia corymbosa* (u)

*Pittosporum crassifolium* var. *crassifolium* (u)\*

*P. tenuifolium* ssp. *tenuifolium* (u)

*Pseudopanax arboreus* var. *arboreus* (u)

*P. crassifolius* (u)

*P. lessonii* s.s. (u)†

\* Recorded by Buchanan in 1867 but most plants appear to have spread from recent introductions.

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*Sophora microphylla* (u)  
*Streblus heterophyllus* (u)

*Vitex lucens* (u)

*Weinmannia racemosa* var. *racemosa* (u)

### DICOT SHRUBS

*Brachyglottis repanda* s.s.

*Carmichaelia arborea* var. (incl. *C. aligera* and *C. silvatica*) (u)

*Cassinia leptophylla* var. *leptophylla*

*Coprosma acerosa* ssp.

(green to brown, prostrate shrub)<sup>1</sup>

*C. areolata* (u)

*C. grandifolia* (u)

*C. lucida* s.s. (u)

*C. repens*

*C. thamnoides* ssp. *thamnoides* (incl. *C. polymorpha*) (u)

*C. robusta*

*C. tenuicaulis* (u)

*C. acerosa* X *C. repens* (u)

*Coriaria arborea*

*Corokia cotoneaster* var. (large-lvd coastal var;  
 lvs up to 3 cm long; fls up to 1.5 cm diam.) (u)<sup>2</sup>

*Geniostoma rupestre* var. *ligustrifolium*

*Griselinia lucida* (u)

*Hebe elliptica* var. *elliptica* (u)

*H. stricta* var. *macroura*

*H. s.* var. *stricta* (u)

*H. elliptica* X *H. stricta* (u)

*H. stricta* var. *macroura*  $\rightleftharpoons$  *H. s.* var. *stricta* (u)

*Leptospermum scoparium* var. (u)

*Leucopogon fasciculatus* (u)<sup>3</sup>

*L. fraseri* s.s. (u)

*Olearia solandri* (u)

*O. townsonii* (incl. *O. furfuracea* var.  
 rubicunda and *O. thomsonii*) (u)

<sup>1,2,3</sup> See Additional Notes.

*Pimelea arenaria* (u)  
*P. ptychileana* (incl. *P. prostrata*  
 var. *quadrifaria*)  
*Pittosporum cornifolium* (u)  
*Plagianthus divaricatus* (u)  
*Rhabdotiamnus solandri* (u)  
*Solanum aviculare* var. *aviculare* (u)  
*S. laciniatum* (u)

### MONOCOT LIANES

*Fragrantia baueriana* ssp. *banksii* (u)

*Ripogonum scandens* (u)

### DICOT LIANES AND RELATED TRAILING PLANTS

*Calystegia sepium* ssp. (lvs much longer than broad;  
 bracteoles scarcely inflated; corolla pink  
 with white bands)

*C. tuguriotum* (u)

*Clematis forsteri* (u)

*Metrosideros fulgens* (u)

*M. perforata* (u)

*Muehlenbeckia australis* (u)

*M. axillaris* (u)

*M. complexa*

*M. australis* × *M. complexa* (u)

*M. axillaris* × *M. complexa* (?) (u)

*Patersonia heterophylla* (u) 4

*Passiflora tetrandra* (u)

*Rubus cissoides* var. *cissoides* (u)

*Tetragenia trigyna*

### FERNS

*Adiantum aethiopicum* (u)

*A. cunninghamii*

*Arthriopteris tenella* (u)

*Asplenium bulbiferum*

*A. flaccidum*

*A. hookerianum* (u)

*A. lyallii* (u)

*A. oblongifolium*

*A. polyodon* (u)

*A. terrestris* ssp. *maritimum*

*A. lyallii* X *A. terrestris* (u)

*A. oblongifolium* X *A. terrestris* (u)

*Azolla filiculoides* (u)

*Blechnum banksii* (incl. *B. durum*)

*B. chambersii* (u)

*B. filiforme* (u)

*B. membranaceum* (u)

*B. minus* (u)

*B. pennamariana* (u)

*B. sp. (i)* (unnamed) (common lowland sp.:

lower pinnae reduced in length)

*B. sp. (ii)* (unnamed) (cliff sp.;

lower pinnae not reduced) ("The  
Green Bay Species" of Crookes  
(1963))

*B. chambersii* X *B. membranaceum* (u)

*B. sp. (i)* X *B. sp. (ii)* (u)

*Cyathea dealbata* (u)

*C. medullaris* (u)

*Dicksonia squarrosa* (u)

*Diplazium australe* (u)

*Doodia media* ssp. *australis* (u)

*Histiopteris incisa* (u)

*Hymenophyllum flexuosum* (u)

*Hypolepis ambigua* (u)

*Lastreopsis glabella* (u)

*L. hispida* (u)

*Ophioglossum ceteracum* agg. (u)<sup>4a</sup>

*Paesia scaberula* (u)

*Phymatosorus diversifolius* (u)

*P. scandens* (u)

*Pneumatopteris pannigera* (u)  
*Polystichum richardii*  
*Pteridium esculentum*  
*Pteris macilenta* (u)  
*P. pandula* (u)  
*P. tremula* (u)  
*Pyrosia cleagnifolia* (u)  
*Rumohra adiantiformis* (u)

*Trichomanes venosum* (u)

### **[ORCHIDS]**

*Corybas rivularis* s.s. (u)  
*Drymoanthus adversus* (u)  
*Earina mucronata* agg. (u)  
*Microlis unifolia* (u)  
*Pterostylis banksii*  
*Thelymitra longifolia*

### **[GRASSES]**

*Agrostis muscosa*  
*Amphibromus fluitans* (u)  
*Austrofestuca littoralis* (u)

*Cortaderia fulvida*  
*C. toetoe*  
*Deyeuxia billardierei*  
*Dichelachne sturuta* (u)

*Elymus multiflorus* (u)  
 E.sp. (aff. *E. tectorius*) ("Group Wellington I" of Connor 1954)  
*Isachne globosa* (u)

*Lachnagrostis filiformis* s.s. (v)

L sp. (unnamed; included in *L. filiformis*, as var. *littoralis*, by Zotor 1965)

*Microlaena avenacea* (v)

*M. stipoides* (v)

*Poa anceps* ssp. *anceps*

*P. pusilla*

*Rytidosperma clavatum* (v)

*R. gracile* (v)

*R. unarede* (v)

*Spinifex sericeus*

*Trisetum antarcticum* s.s. (incl. *T. saxatilium*) (v)

*Zoysia minima*

### SEDGES

*Baumea tubiginosa* (v)

*B. tenax* (v)

*Bolboschoenus medianus* (v)

*Carex breviculmis* (v)

*C. dipsacea* var. *dipsacea* (v)

*C. dissita* s.s. (v)

*C. flagellifera* (coastal form; see Edgar 1970, p. 265)

*C. forsterti* (v)

*C. lessoniana* (v)

*C. maorica* (v)

*C. pumila* (v)

*C. taoulii*

*C. secta* s.s.

*C. solandri* (v)

*C. spinistrostris* (v)

*C. virgata*

*C. sp.* (unnamed; aff. *C. geminata*) (much

larger than *C. geminata*; lvs up to

2.5 cm wide)

*Cyperus ustulatus*  
*Desmoschoenus spiralis*(u)  
*Eleocharis acuta*  
*E. gracilis*(u)  
*E. pusilla*(u)  
*E. spacelata*(u)  
*Machaerina sinclairii*(u)  
*Schoenus maschalinus*(u)  
*Schoenoplectus validus*(u)

*Isolepis cernua*  
*I. distigmatosa*(u)  
*I. inundata*(u)  
*I. nodosa*  
*I. reticularis*(u)

*Uncinia uncinata* (u)

### RUSHES

*Juncus australis*  
*J. caespiticius*  
*J. gregiflorus*(u)  
*J. maritimus* var. *australiensis*(u)  
*J. pallidus*  
*J. pauciflorus*(u)  
*J. planifolius*  
*J. prismatocarpus*(u)  
*J. sarophorus*(u)  
*J. usitatus*(u)  
*Leptocarpus similis*

*Luzula banksiana* s.s.

*L. picta* s.s. (u)

*L. banksiana* s.s. X *L. picta* s.s. (u)

### MONOCOT HERBS (OTHER THAN ORCHIDS)

#### GRASSES, SEDGES, RUSHES)

*Arthropodium cirratum* (u)

*Astelia fragrans* (u)

*A. solandri* (v)

*Collospermum hastatum* (u)

*Dianella nigra* (u)

*Lemna* sp. (*L. minor* varct.)

*Libertia ixioides* (u)

*Phormium tenax*

*Potamogeton cheesemanii* (u)

*Ruppia polycarpa* (u)

*Sparaganium subglobosum* (u)

*Triglochin striata*

*Typha orientalis*

*Wolffia australiana* (u)

### COMPOSITE HERBS

*Anaphalis kerriensis* s.s. (u)

*A. trinervis*

*Centipeda* sp. (*C. minima*?) (u)

*Cotula australis* (u)

*C. coronopifolia*

*Craspedia minor* var. (coastal var. with sub-fleshy lvs; glomerules sessile or nearly so at flowering stage; fls minute, up to 1.4 mm diam.)<sup>5</sup>

*Gnaphalium audax*

*G. involucratum*(u)

*G. limosum* s.s. (u)

*G. polycephala* (u)

{ *Pseudognaphalium* sp.(i) (*P. luteoalbum* agg.)  
 (lvs mostly linear-spathulate to linear, acute) (u)

*P.* sp. (ii) (*P. luteoalbum* agg.) (lvs mostly  
 oblong-spathulate to narrowly oblong,  
 rounded)

*Lagenifera pumila*

*Leptinella dispersa* ssp. *rupestris* (u)

*L. squalida* s.s.

*Senecio glomeratus* (u)

*S. lautus* ssp. *lautus*

*S. minimus* (u)

*Sonchus kirkii*

#### DICOT HERBS (OTHER THAN COMPOSITES)

*Acaena anserinifolia* (u)

*Apium prostratum* ssp.

*Callitrichia petriei* ssp. *petriei* (u)

*Calystegia soldanella*

*C. sepium* X *C. soldanella* (u)

*Cardamine* sp. (*C debilis* agg.) ("Glossy  
 Leaf" of Pritchard 1957) (u)

*Centella uniflora*

*Colobanthus muelleri*

*E. triandra* (u)

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*Crassula manaia*

*C. mataikona* (u)

*C. pedunculatis* (u)

*C. sidetiana* (u)

*Dichondra repens* var.

*D. sp. (i) (cf. D. brevifolia)* (u)

*D. sp. (ii) (unnamed)* (u)

*D. brevifolia* X *D. repens* (?) (u)

*Disphyma australe* ssp. *australe*

*Elatine gratioloides* (u)

*Epilobium alsinoides* s.s. (u)

*E. billardiereanum* s.s. (u)

*E. insulare* (u)

*E. komarovianum*

*E. nerteroides* (u)

*E. nummulariifolium* (u)

*E. pallidiflorum* (u)

*E. rotundifolium* (u)

*Euphorbia glauca*

*Glossostigma elatinoides* (u)

*Gratiola sexdentata* (u)

*Gunnera dentata* var. (*G. arenaria*)<sup>6</sup>

*G. monica* (u)<sup>7</sup>

*Haloragis erecta* ssp. *erecta*

*Hydrocotyle hydraphila* (u)

*H. microphylla* (u)

*H. moschata* (u)

*H. novae-zelandiae* ss. (u)

*H. pterocarpa* (u)

*Lepidium olgae* var. (u)

*Lilaeopsis novae-zelandiae*

*L. ruthiana* (u)

*Limosella lineata* (lvs linear or linear-spathulate; fls subsessile to distinctly pedunculate; calyx = or > corolla tube; capsule ovoid-globose, > 2 mm long) (u)

*L.* sp. (unnamed) (lvs narrowly oblong-spathulate, shorter than those of *L. lineata*; fls sessile or subsessile; peduncles elongating slightly in fr; calyx = or < corolla tube; capsule globose, < 2 mm long) (u)

*Linum monogynum*

*Lobelia anceps*

*Mentha cunninghamii*

*Montia fontana* s.s.

*Myosotis pygmaea* s.s. (u)

*M.* sp. (unnamed; included in *M. pygmaea*, as var. *minutiflora*, by Simpson and Thomson, 1943) (u)

*Myriophyllum propinquum* (u)

*M. triphyllum* (u)

*M. votschii* (u)

*Nertera ciliata* (u)

*N. setulosa* (u)

*Oreomyrtis* sp. (unnamed) (umbels sessile  
at flowering stage; fls minute, c. 1 mm  
diam.) (discussed by Mathais and Con-  
stance, 1955, p. 376) (u)

*Oxalis oxilis*

*O. rubens*

*Parahebe diffusa* ssp. (*P. cataractae* ssp. *lanceolata*)

*Peperomia utriculariana* (u)

*Plantago masoniae* ?

*P. taoulii* var. (lvs broadly elliptic)

*Polygonum salicifolium* agg. (u)

*Potentilla anserinoides* (u)

*Pratia angulata* agg. (u)

*P. perpusilla* (u)

*Ranunculus acaulis*

*R. amphitrichus* (u)

*R. limosella* (u)

*R. reflexus* (u)

*R. recens* var. (coastal var. with green lvs  
and petalous fls) (u)

*R. sp.* (unnamed; aff. *R. macropus*) (u)

*Rorippa palustris* (u)

*Samolus repens* var. *repens*

*Sarcocornia quinqueflora*

*Scandia* sp. (*S. rosifolia* agg.) (leaflets ovate) (u)

*Scleranthus biflorus* (u)

*Selliera radicans* agg.

*Spergularia media*

*Stellaria decipiens* (incl. *S. parviflora*)

*Tetragonia tetragonoides* (u)

*Wahlenbergia gracilis* ss.

## ADDITIONAL NOTES ON PARTICULAR PLANTS

1. Coprosma acerosa. A plant from the western Taranaki coast grown at Taita remained prostrate, with almost straight branches, in contrast to one from the Manawatu dunes which formed a shrub with interlacing branches ascending to 0.5 m.
  2. Corokia cotoneaster var. One abnormal plant on Paritutu had leaves almost twice the size of nearby plants.
  3. Leucopogon fasciculatus. Coastal plants are suberect with lvs narrowly elliptic-oblong and mostly >2.5mm wide. A plant from Paritutu retained the suberect habit and wider leaves when grown at Taita.
  4. Patersonia heterophylla. In contrast to those seen inland the few plants seen near the western Taranaki coast have had almost orbicular leaf blades.
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5. Craspedia minor var. The leaves remained subfleshy on plants in cultivation at Taita. The scapes, however, increased in length; they began to elongate before the plants were in flower and by the fruiting stage had elongated to about half the length of those in C.m. var. minor (of local origin) grown nearby.
- 4a. Ophioglossum ceteraceum. Plants of coastal herbfield are usually not more than 1cm tall.

var(G. arnaria).

6. Gunnera dentata. A number of plants were grown from both mountain and coastal sites. There was much variation in leaf shape, size and toothing, but the only consistent difference between coastal plants and inland plants was in leaf thickness. Such a difference in leaf thickness between a coastal and an inland variety is also seen in Craspedia minor.

7. Gunnera monoica. The leaves of a plant of this species from the western Taranaki coast remained subfleshy in cultivation over a period of many years. All plants seen in fruit have had red drupes.

8. Plantago masoniae, Plants

consistently remained distinct from P. triandra s.s.  
when grown side by side  
at Taita. The leaves of P. masoniae were thicker and wider than those of P. triandra and were less conspicuously toothed.

DOUBTFUL AND ERRONEOUS RECORDS NOT INCLUDED IN MAIN LIST

Record	Probable identity of plant on which record based
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<i>Asplenium sclerophyllum</i> (Crookes 1963, as <i>A. aucklandicum</i> )	<i>Asplenium oblongifolium</i> × <i>A. terrestris</i> ssp. <i>maritimum</i>
<i>Astelia banksii</i> (Buchanan 1869)	<i>Astelia solandri</i>
<i>Cassinia leptophylla</i> var. ( <i>C. Vauvilliersii</i> ) (Buchanan 1869, as <i>C. Vauvilliersii</i> )	
<i>Coprosma propinqua</i> × <i>C. repens</i> (?) (Cockayne 1928 as <i>C. p.</i> × <i>C. retusa</i> ?)	<i>Coprosma acerosa</i> × <i>C. repens</i> ?
<i>Discaria toumatou</i> (Buchanan 1869)	
<i>Hebe elliptica</i> var. <i>crassifolia</i> (Moore 1961)	<i>Hebe elliptica</i> var. <i>elliptica</i>
<i>Myosotis petiolata</i> (Buchanan 1869, as <i>Exarrhena petiolata</i> )	
<i>Olearia paniculata</i> (Buchanan 1869, as <i>O. forsteri</i> )	

## ADVENTIVE PLANTS

(u) - uncommon or local

### DICOT TREES AND SHRUBS

- Albizia lophantha* (u)
- Chrysanthemodes monilifera* (u)
- Hydrangea macrophylla* (u)
- Lupinus arboreus*
- Lycium ferocissimum*
- Phytolacca octandra*
- Rubus fruticosus* agg.
- Salix fragilis* (u)
- Sambucus nigra* (u)
- Ulex europaeus*

### DICOT LIANES

- Calystegia silvatica* (u)
- Hedera helix* ssp. *helix* (u)
- Lonicera japonica* (u)
- Rumex sagittatus* (u)
- Salpichroa organifolia* (u)
- Senecio angulatus* (u)
- S. mikanioides* (u)

### LYCOPODS

- Selaginella kraussiana* (u)

### GRASSES

- Agrostis stolonifera*
- Aira caryophyllea*
- Ammophila arenaria*
- Anthoxanthum odoratum*
- Bromus minor* (u)
- Bromus diandrus*
- B. hordeaceus*
- B. willdenowii*
- Cynosurus cristatus* (u)
- Dactylis glomerata*

*Digitaria sanguinalis*  
*Echinochloa crus-galli (u)*  
*Eleusine indica (u)*  
*Elytrigia repens* — *Ehrhartia erecta*  
*Festuca arundinacea s.l.*  
*F. nigrescens (u)*  
*Glyceria declinata*  
*G. maxima (u)*  
*Holcus lanatus*  
*Hordeum murinum*  
*Lagurus ovatus*  
*Lolium perenne*  
*Paspalum dilatatum*  
*P. distichum*  
*Pennisetum clandestinum*  
*Poa annua*  
*P. pratensis*  
*Pseudosasa japonica (u)*  
*Sporebolus africanus*  
*Stenotaphrum secundatum (u)*  
*Vulpia bromoides (u)*

### SEDGES

*Carex demissa (u)*  
*Isolepis marginata (u)*  
*I. sepulcralis (u)*

### RUSHES

*Juncus articulatus*  
*J. bufonius*  
*J. effusus*  
  
*J. tenuis (u)*

## MONOCOT HERBS (OTHER THAN)

### GRASSES, SEDGES, RUSHES

- Allium triquetrum* (u)
- Arum italicum* (u)
- Crocosmia* X *crocosmiflora* (u)
- Freesia refracta* (u)
- Ottelia ovalifolia* (u)
  
- Potamogeton crispus* (u)
- Scilla non-scripta* (u)
- Tradescantia fluminensis* (u)
- Zantedeschia aethiopica* (u)
- Spirodela punctata* (u)

### COMPOSITE HERBS

- Anthemis cotula* (u)
- Arctotheca calendula* (u)
- Bellis perennis* (u)
- Bidens frondosa* (u)
- Carduus tenuiflorus* (u)

*Cirsium arvense*

*C. vulgare*

*Conyza* sp.

*Crepis capillaris*

- Gazania X splendens*
- Gnaphalium coarctatum*
- Hypochoeris radicata*
- Leontodon taraxacoides*
- Leucanthemum vulgare* (u)
- Matricaria matricarioides* (u)

*Picris echioides* (u)

*Senecio bipinnatisectus* (u)

*S. jacobaea*

*Silybum marianum* (u)

*Soliva sessilis* (u)

*Sonchus asper*

*S.oleraceus*

*Taraxacum officinale s.l.*

**DICOT HERBS(OTHER THAN COMPOSITES)**

*Acaena novae-zelandiae*

*Acanthus mollis (u)*

*Amaranthus powellii*

*Anagallis arvensis*

*Aphanes microcarpa (u)*

*Atriplex prostrata*

*Brassica sp. (u)*

*Callitrichia stagnalis*

*Capsella bursa-pastoris (u)*

*Cardamine flexuosa (u)*

*Carpobrotus edulis (u)*

*C. e. x Disphyma australe (u)*

*Carastium fontanum ssp. vulgare*

*C. glomeratum*

*Chenopodium album (u)*

*C. murale (u)*

*C. pumilio (u)*

*Cnicium maculatum (u)*

*Cotonopus didymus*

*Crassula decumbens (u)*

*Daucus carota (u)*

*Digitalis purpurea (u)*

*Dototheanthus bellidiformis (u)*

*Epilobium ciliatum (u)*

*Erodium moschatum*

*Euphorbia peplus*

*Fragaria vesca (u)*

*Fumaria muralis*

*Galium aparine (u)*

*G. palustre ssp. palustre (u)*

*Geranium molle*

*G. robertianum (u)*

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*Gunnera tinctoria*  
*Lavatera arborea*  
*Linum bienne* (u)  
*Lobularia maritima* (u)  
*Lotus pedunculatus*  
*L. suaveolens*  
*Ludwigia palustris* (u)  
*Lythrum hyssopifolia* (u)  
*Malva neglecta* (u)  
*M. nicaeensis* (u)  
*M. parviflora* (u)  
*Matthiola incana* (u)  
*Medicago arabica* (u)  
*M. polymorpha* (u)  
*Mentha pulegium* (u)  
*M. rotundifolia* (u)  
*M. spicata* (u)  
*M. s. x M. sp.* (u)  
*Mimulus guttatus* (u)  
*M. moschatus* (u)  
*Modiola caroliniana* (u)  
*Myosotis laxa* ssp. *caespitosa*  
*Myriophyllum aquaticum* (Orchard 1979)  
*Oenothera stricta* (u)  
*Orobanche minor*  
*Oxalis articulata* (u)  
*O. sp.* (u)  
*Parentucellia viscosa* (u)  
*Physalis peruviana* (u)  
*Plantago australis* (u)  
*P. coronopus*  
*P. lanceolata*  
*P. major*

*Polycarpon tetraphyllum**Polygonum arenastrum (u)**P. hydropiper (u)**P. persicaria (u)**Portulaca oleracea (u)**Ranunculus flammula (u)**R. repens**R. scalaratus (u)**R. trichophyllum (u)**Raphanus raphanistrum (u)**Rorippa microphylla**Rumex acetosella**R. conglomeratus (u)**R. crispus**R. obtusifolius**R. pulcher**Sagina apetala (u)**S. procumbens**Silene gallica**Sisymbrium officinale (u)**Solanum nigrum**Stachys arvensis (u)**S. sylvatica (u)**Stellaria alsine (u)**S. media (u)**Symphytum sp. (u)**Trifolium arvense (u)**T. dubium**T. pratense**T. repens**T. subterraneum (u)**Tropaeolum majus (u)*

*Veronica arvensis*(u)

*V. persica*

*V. serpyllifolia*

*Vicia* sp.(u)

*Vinca major* (u)

*Wahlenbergia marginata*

PLANTS COMMONLY REGARDED AS INDIGENOUS, AND PRESENT ON THE WESTERN TARANAKI COAST, THAT MAY BE ADVENTIVE

*Centipeda* sp.

*Juncus pauciflorus*

*Senecio glomeratus*

*Wolffia australiana*

No. of indigenous spp : 303.

No. of adventive spp. : 190.

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