

Mangaehuehu Stream Wetland Plant Species List

This Species list was complied by Nicholas Singers on 4 January 2003 and 22 January 2008 and also includes vegetation along the Paramanawera track. Central Grid Reference – S20 228952

Vegetation Description

Manuka – *Carex secta* – harakeke

This wetland has a high water table with many large deep pools of red (iron rich) water flowing.

Some burnt spares are present and it is likely that the water level was historically increased due to the formation of the Paramanawera track.

Gymnosperm trees

Monocot trees

Cordyline australis

cabbage tree, ti-kouka

Dicot trees and shrubs

**Berberis darwinii*

Darwin's barberry

Coprosma propinqua subsp. *propinqua*

mingimingi

Coprosma rugosa

divaricating coprosma

Cyathodes juniperina

mingimingi

Androstoma empetrifolia

monoao

Dracophyllum subulatum

pokaka

Elaeocarpus hookerianus

Spanish heath

Erica lusitanica

hells bells

Helichrysum lanceolatum

manuka

Leptospermum scoparium

twiggy-tree daisy

Olearia virgata

crack willow

Salix fragilis

Ferns and fern allies

Azolla filiculoides var. *rubra*

pacific azolla

Blechnum minimus

small kiokio

Blechnum penna-marina

alpine water fern

Gleichenia dicarpa

tangle fern

Orchids

Caladenia spp.

bird orchid

Chiloglottis cornuta

spider orchid

Corybas macranthus

spider orchid

Corybas oblongus

spider orchid

Corybas “rest area”

spider orchid

Prasophyllum colensoi

leek orchid

Pterostylis aff. *montana*

greenhood

Pterostylis micromega

greenhood

Pterostylis paludosa

greenhood

Pterostylis patens

greenhood

Thelymitra cyanea

sun orchid

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Grasses

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| * <i>Agrostis stolonifera</i> | creeping bent |
| <i>Carpha alpina</i> | |
| <i>Cortaderia fulvida</i> | toetoe |
| * <i>Glyceria striata</i> | |
| <i>Holcus lanatus</i> | Yorkshire fog |
| <i>Hierochloe redolens</i> | Holy grass |
| <i>Rytidosperma</i> sp. | danthonia |

Sedges and rushes

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| <i>Baumea rubiginosa</i> | |
| <i>Baumea tenax</i> | |
| <i>Carex demissa</i> | European yellow sedge |
| <i>Carex dipsacea</i> | |
| <i>Carex dissita</i> | |
| <i>Carex echinata</i> | |
| <i>Carex maorica</i> | sedge |
| <i>Carex secta</i> | niggerhead, pukio |
| <i>Empodisma minus</i> | wire rush |
| <i>Eleocharis acuta</i> | spike sedge |
| <i>Eleocharis gracilis</i> | spike sedge |
| <i>Gahnia xanthocarpa</i> | |
| <i>Isolepis prolifer</i> | |
| * <i>Juncus articulatus</i> | jointed rush |
| * <i>Juncus acuminatus</i> | |
| * <i>Juncus effusus</i> | |
| <i>Juncus gregiflorus</i> | |
| <i>Lepidosperma australe</i> | square sedge |
| <i>Schoenus pauciflorus</i> | bog rush, sedge tussock |
| <i>Triglochin striata</i> | arrow sedge |

Monocot herbs (other than orchids, grasses, sedges and rushes)

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| <i>Astelia grandis</i> | astelia | l |
| <i>Phormium tenax</i> | flax, harakeke | a |
| <i>Potamogeton suboblongus</i> | | |

Dicot herbs including composites

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| <i>Celmisia gracilenta</i> | | u |
| <i>Celmisia graminifolia</i> | | |
| <i>Celmisia setacea</i> | mountain daisy | |
| <i>Cirsium palustre</i> | marsh thistle | |
| <i>Craspedia uniflora</i> agg. | woolly head | o |
| <i>Drosera binata</i> | scented sundew | o |
| <i>Epilobium rotundifolium</i> | willowherb | u |
| <i>Epilobium pallidiflorum</i> | willowherb | u |
| <i>Geranium microphyllum</i> | geranium | u |
| <i>Gonocarpus aggregatus</i> | | o |
| <i>Hypochoeris radicata</i> | catsear | lc |
| <i>Hydrocotyle novae-zelandiae</i> | hydrocotyle | |

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| <i>Hydrocotyle pterocarpa</i> | hydrocotyle | |
| <i>Lotus pedunculatus</i> | lotus | la |
| * <i>Mimulus guttatus</i> | monkey musk | l |
| * <i>Mimulus moschatus</i> | monkey musk | u |
| * <i>Myosotis laxa</i> var. <i>caespitosa</i> | water forget-me-not | o |
| * <i>Potentilla reptans</i> | | |
| * <i>Prunella vulgaris</i> | selfheal | o |
| <i>Ranunculus amphitrichus</i> | water buttercup | |
| <i>Ranunculus glabrifolius</i> | water buttercup | c |
| <i>Scleranthus uniflorus</i> | | u |
| <i>Viola cunninghamii</i> | violet | o |

Mosses

Sphagnum moss