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Taxonomy

Scientific Name	Conophytum pellucidum Schwantes subsp. cupreatum (Tischer) S.A.Hammer
Higher Classification	Dicotyledons
Family	AIZOACEAE

National Status

Status and Criteria	Least Concern
Assessment Date	2016/09/06
Assessor(s)	A.J. Young & L. von Staden
Justification	A widespread and common taxon that is not in danger of extinction.

Distribution

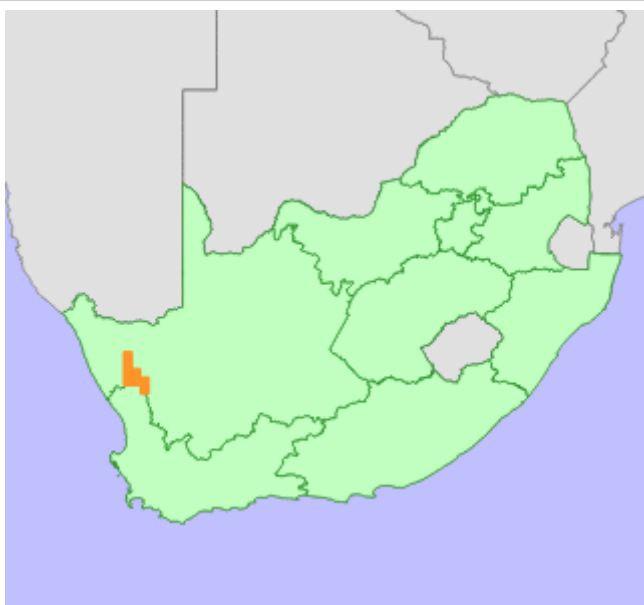
Endemism	South African endemic
Provincial distribution	Northern Cape, Western Cape
Range	South-eastern Bushmanland, near Kliprand.

Habitat and Ecology

Major system	Terrestrial
Major habitats	Succulent Karoo
Description	Shallow grit pans on gneiss, shale or granite outcrops.

Population

This taxon is locally abundant, and known from many subpopulations.



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The population is at least 5000 mature individuals and is not declining.

Population trend Stable

Assessment History

Taxon assessed	Status and Criteria	Citation/Red List version
Conophytum pellucidum Schwantes subsp. cupreatum (Tischer) S.A.Hammer var. cupreatum	Least Concern	Raimondo et al. (2009)
Conophytum pellucidum Schwantes subsp. cupreatum (Tischer) S.A.Hammer var. terrestre (Tischer) S.A.Hammer	Least Concern	Raimondo et al. (2009)

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