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Taxonomy

Scientific Name **Othonna petiolaris DC.**
Higher Classification Dicotyledons
Family ASTERACEAE

National Status

Status and Criteria **Near Threatened B1ab(iii)+2ab(iii)**
Assessment Date 2018/10/03
Assessor(s) D. Raimondo & L. von Staden
Justification EOO 3195 km², AOO <1000 km², 16-20 locations continue to decline due to ongoing habitat loss.

Distribution

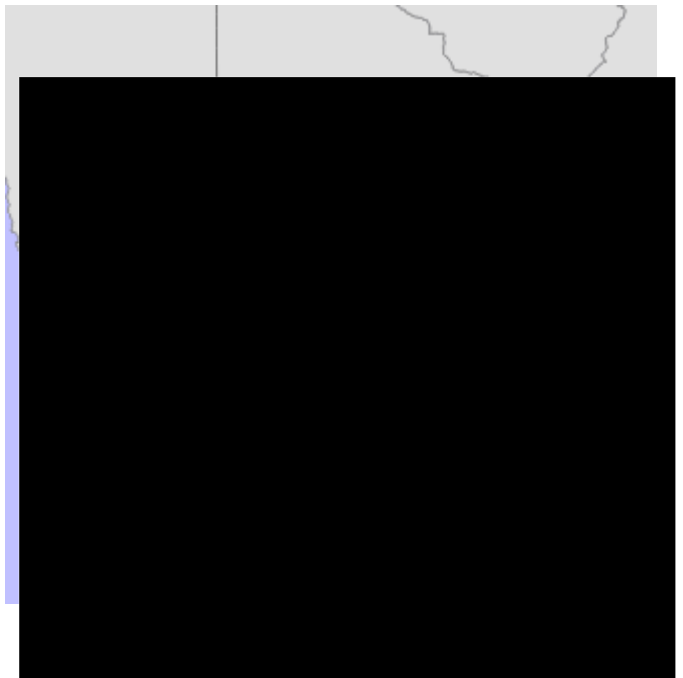
Endemism South African endemic
Provincial distribution Northern Cape, Western Cape
Range Gifberg and northern Cederberg.

Habitat and Ecology

Major system Terrestrial
Major habitats Graafwater Sandstone Fynbos, Leipoldtville Sand Fynbos, Cederberg Sandstone Fynbos, Nardouw Sandstone Fynbos, Olifants Sandstone Fynbos, Bokkeveld Sandstone Fynbos
Description Sandy flats and gentle slopes, sometimes near boulders.

Threats

This species has lost 36% of its habitat to crop cultivation, and rapid loss continues.



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Population

Population trend Decreasing

Assessment History

| Taxon | Status and assessedCriteria | Citation/Red List version |
|------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Othonna petiolaris DC. | EN | Raimondo et al. (2009) |
| Othonna petiolaris DC. | Lower Risk - Least Concern | Victor (2002) |
| Othonna petiolaris DC. | Insufficiently Known | Hilton-Taylor (1996) |

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