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### Taxonomy

<b>Scientific Name</b>	<b>Conophytum longibracteatum</b> <b>L.Bolus</b>
<b>Higher Classification</b>	Dicotyledons
<b>Family</b>	AIZOACEAE

### National Status

<b>Status and Criteria</b>	<b>Rare</b>
<b>Assessment Date</b>	2015/06/10
<b>Assessor(s)</b>	A.J. Young & D. Raimondo
<b>Justification</b>	A rare and range-restricted species (EOO 26 km <sup>2</sup> ), but not threatened.

### Distribution

<b>Endemism</b>	South African endemic
<b>Provincial distribution</b>	Northern Cape
<b>Range</b>	Namaqualand near Komaggas.

### Habitat and Ecology

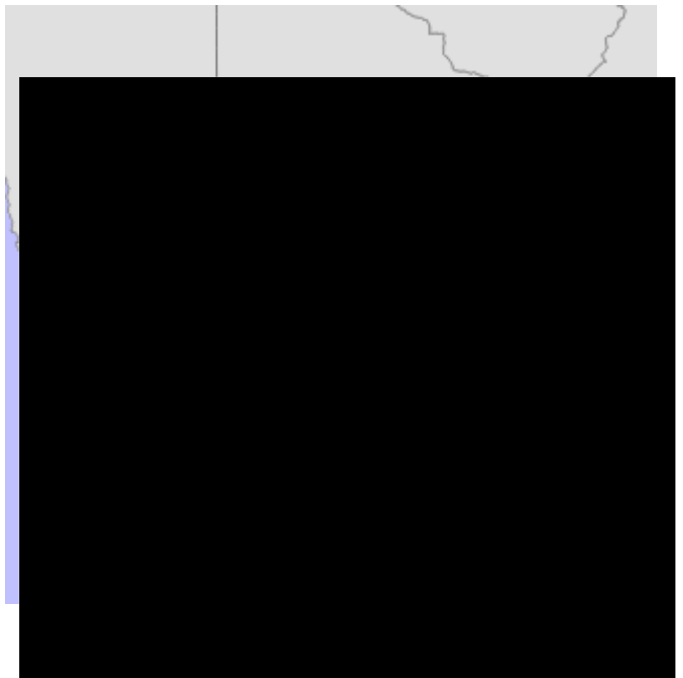
<b>Major system</b>	Terrestrial
<b>Major habitats</b>	Succulent Karoo
<b>Description</b>	Quartz pans and ridges, 300-780 m.

### Threats

There are no known threats to this species. It occurs on communal rangelands, but overgrazing does not appear to negatively impact the population.

### Population

This species was first collected in 1929, but then not recorded again for



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65 years, when it was rediscovered near Komaggas. It is currently known from five small subpopulations. The population consists of at least 2000 mature individuals and is not declining.

**Population trend** Stable

### Assessment History

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Taxon assessed	Status and Criteria	Citation/Red List version
Conophytum longibracteatum L.Bolus	Rare	Raimondo et al. (2009)

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