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Taxonomy

Scientific Name	Conophytum maughanii N.E.Br. subsp. armeniacum S.A.Hammer
Higher Classification	Dicotyledons
Family	ALIOACEAE

National Status

Status and Criteria	Least Concern
Assessment Date	2015/06/10
Assessor(s)	A.J. Young & D. Raimondo

Justification A widespread and common taxon that is not threatened.

Distribution

Endemism	South African endemic
Provincial distribution	Northern Cape
Range	Southern Richtersveld between Port Nolloth, Komaggas and Steinkopf.



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Habitat and Ecology

Major system	Terrestrial
Major habitats	Succulent Karoo
Description	Quartz flats and slopes.

Threats

There are no severe threats to this taxon.

Population

This taxon occurs as widely scattered individuals, but is sometimes locally common. There are many subpopulations, but the population size is difficult to estimate.

Population Stable trend

Assessment History

Taxon assessed	Status and Criteria	Citation/Red List version
<i>Conophytum maughanii</i>	Least Concern N.E.Br. subsp. <i>armeniacum</i> S.A.Hammer	Raimondo et al. (2009)

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