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Taxonomy

Scientific Name	Bulbine pendens G.Will. & Baijnath
Higher Classification	Monocotyledons
Family	ASPHODELACEAE

National Status

Status and Criteria	Rare
Assessment Date	2014/09/17
Assessor(s)	D. Raimondo & L. von Staden
Justification	A range-restricted (EOO 149 km ²) habitat specialist endemic to the Gariep Centre of Endemism, but not threatened.

Distribution

Endemism	Not endemic to South Africa
Provincial distribution	Northern Cape
Range	Richtersveld to Rosh Pinah in southern Namibia.



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Habitat and Ecology

Major system	Terrestrial
Major habitats	Succulent Karoo
Description	Vertical quartz cliffs.

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Threats

This species' habitat is inaccessible and it is unlikely to be threatened.

Population

Colonies are fairly small, but there are possibly many more than currently known. This species' habitat is remote, inaccessible, and much of it remains poorly explored.

Population Stable trend

Conservation

Richtersveld National Park.

Assessment History

Taxon	Status	Citation/Red List version
assessed	and Criteria	
Bulbine pendens G.Will. & Baijnath	Rare	2015.1
Bulbine pendens G.Will. & Baijnath	Critically Rare	Raimondo et al. (2009)
Bulbine pendens G.Will. & Baijnath	Rare	Hilton-Taylor (1996)

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