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Slangaalwyn

Taxonomy

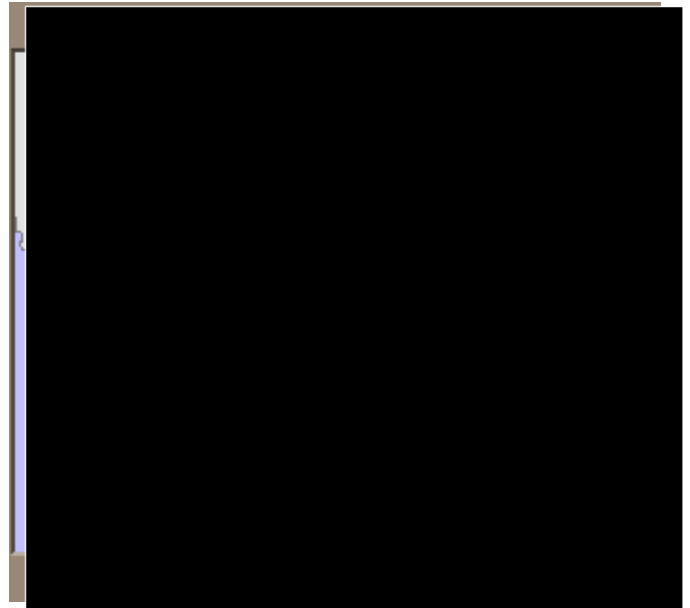
Scientific Name	Aloe broomii Schönland var. broomii
Higher Classification	Monocotyledons
Family	ASPHODELACEAE
Common Names	Bergaalwee (a), Bergaalwyn (a), Mountain Aloe (e), Slangaalwyn (a)

National Status

Status and Criteria	Least Concern
Assessment Date	2018/10/04
Assessor(s)	L. von Staden
Justification	This taxon is widespread, common and not in danger of extinction.

Distribution

Endemism	Not endemic to South Africa
Provincial distribution	Eastern Cape, Free State, Northern Cape, Western Cape
Range	Widespread in the central interior of South Africa, from the eastern Karoo in the south-eastern parts of the Northern Cape and adjacent areas in the Western Cape eastwards through the southern Free State and the Eastern Cape interior. Also occurs



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in south-western
Lesotho.

Habitat and Ecology

Major system Terrestrial
Major habitats Grassland, Nama Karoo
Description Nama Karoo and thornveld, occurs on ironstone ridges.

Threats

This taxon is exceptionally common and not threatened (Van Wyk and Smith 1996). The population is not suspected to be declining.

Population

Population trend Stable

Assessment History

Taxon assessed	Status and Criteria	Citation/Red List version
Aloe broomii Schönland var. broomii	Least Concern	Raimondo et al. (2009)

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