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### Taxonomy

<b>Scientific Name</b>	<b>Albuca crudenii</b> <b>Archibald</b>
<b>Higher Classification</b>	Monocotyledons
<b>Family</b>	HYACINTHACEAE
<b>Synonyms</b>	Ornithogalum crudenii (Archibald) J.C.Manning & Goldblatt

### National Status

<b>Status and Criteria</b>	<b>Vulnerable D2</b>
<b>Assessment Date</b>	2005/07/26
<b>Assessor(s)</b>	J.E. Victor, A.P. Dold & R.R. Klopper

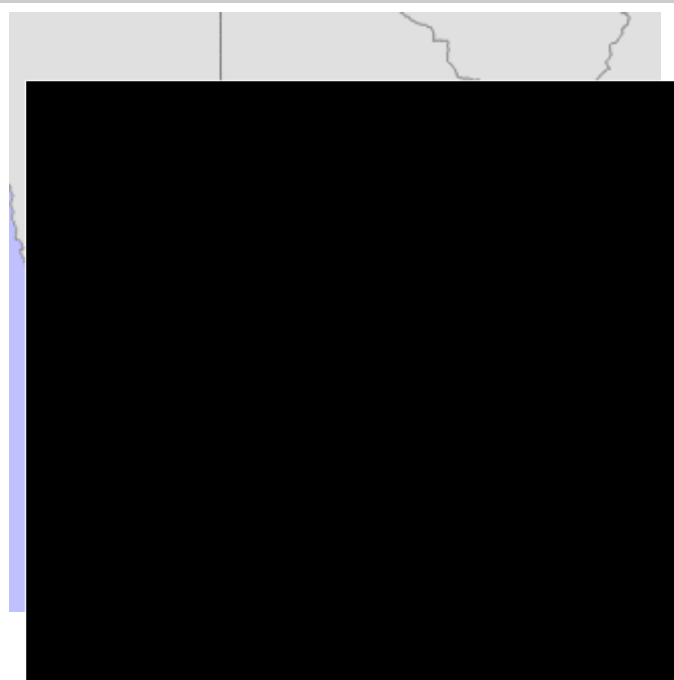
**Justification** Known from two locations. Invasive alien plants have infested much of the Dassi klip area (one of the locations) in the past, but recent clearing is reversing this trend. Invasive aliens remain a potential threat.

### Distribution

<b>Endemism</b>	South African endemic
<b>Provincial distribution</b>	Eastern Cape
<b>Range</b>	Grahamstown to Alicedale.

### Habitat and Ecology

<b>Major system</b>	Terrestrial
<b>Major habitats</b>	Saltaire Karroid Thicket, Nanaga



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**Description** Savanna Thicket  
Thornveld.

## Threats

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Alien vegetation has infested much of the Dassieklip area in the past, but recent clearing is reversing this trend. Ongoing clearing and management is however needed to prevent reinvasion, and competition from alien invasive plants remains a potential threat.

## Population

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**Population trend** Stable

## Assessment History

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Taxon assessed	Status and Criteria	Citation/Red List version
Albuca crudenii Archibald	VU D2	Raimondo et al. (2009)

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