Azorella exigua

BIOSTATUS
Native – Endemic taxon

CURRENT CONSERVATION STATUS
2023 | At Risk – Naturally Uncommon | Qualifiers: RR
Jump to previous conservation statuses

CATEGORY
Vascular

STRUCTURAL CLASS
Herbs - Dicotyledons other than Composites

DISTRIBUTION
Endemic. South Island, Otago and Southland

GENUS
Azorella

FAMILY
Apiaceae

AUTHORITY
Azorella exigua (Hook.f.) Drude

SYNONYMS
Pozoa exigua Hook.f., Azorella exigua (Hook.f.) Kirk, Schizeilema exiguum (Hook.f.) Domin

ENDEMIC TAXON
Yes

ENDEMIC GENUS
No

ENDEMIC FAMILY
No

FLOWERING
November - February

FRUITING
November - February

WHERE TO BUY
Not commercially available.

NVS CODE
AZOEXI

CHROMOSOME NUMBER
2n = 32

PREVIOUS CONSERVATION STATUSES
2017 | At Risk – Naturally Uncommon | Qualifiers: RR
2012 | At Risk – Naturally Uncommon | Qualifiers: RR, Sp
2009 | Not Threatened
2004 | Not Threatened
Jump to current conservation status



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REGIONAL CONSERVATION STATUSES

Otago: 2025 | Regionally At Risk – Regionally Naturally Uncommon | Qualifiers: DPS, DPT, NR, NS, NStr, RR, Sp, St, TL Help

The regional threat classification system leverages off the national assessments in the NZTCS, providing information relevant for the regional context. Otago conservation status information is sourced from the "Conservation Status of Indigenous Vascular Plants in Otago, 2025" Jarvie S et al. (2025) report.

MORE INFORMATION

https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/azorella-exigua/

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