

Cladonia rigida

BIOSTATUS

Native

CURRENT CONSERVATION STATUS

2018 | Not Threatened | Qualifiers: SO

CATEGORY

Lichen

STRUCTURAL CLASS

Lichens - Fruticose

LICHEN SUBSTRATES

Corticolous (bark, wood), Terricolous (soil), Lignicolous (decorticated wood)

SUBSTRATE DETAILS

Terricolous, corticolous, lignicolous

GENUS

Cladonia

FAMILY

Cladoniaceae

AUTHORITY

Cladonia rigida (Hook.f. & Taylor) Hampe

SYNONYMS

Cladonia squamosula Müll.Arg.

ENDEMIC TAXON

No

ENDEMIC GENUS

No

ENDEMIC FAMILY

No

ETYMOLOGY

rigida: Rigid

NVS CODE

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REFERENCES AND FURTHER READING

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MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/cladonia-rigida/>

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