## Craspedia uniflora var. uniflora

COMMON NAME woollyhead

**FAMILY** Asteraceae

AUTHORITY Craspedia uniflora G.Forst. var. uniflora

FLORA CATEGORY Vascular – Native

ENDEMIC TAXON Yes

ENDEMIC GENUS No

ENDEMIC FAMILY No

STRUCTURAL CLASS Herbs - Dicotyledonous composites

NVS CODE CRAUVU

CURRENT CONSERVATION STATUS 2017 | Not Threatened

**PREVIOUS CONSERVATION STATUSES** 

2012 | Data Deficient 2009 | Not Threatened 2004 | Not Threatened

**LIFE CYCLE** Pappate cypselae are dispersed by wind (Thorsen et al., 2009).

## ETYMOLOGY

**craspedia**: Craspedia is named for the Greek 'Kraspedon', meaning an edge, hem or border, because of the woolly fringes of the leaves of the type species. **uniflora**: Single-flowered

## **REFERENCES AND FURTHER READING**

Thorsen, M. J.; Dickinson, K. J. M.; Seddon, P. J. 2009. Seed dispersal systems in the New Zealand flora. Perspectives in Plant Ecology, Evolution and Systematics 11: 285-309

MORE INFORMATION https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/craspedia-uniflora-var-uniflora/

