

Pertusaria spilota

BIOSTATUS

Native – Endemic taxon

CURRENT CONSERVATION STATUS

2018 | Data Deficient

CATEGORY

Lichen

STRUCTURAL CLASS

Lichens - Crustose

LICHEN SUBSTRATE

Corticolous (bark, wood)

SUBSTRATE DETAILS

Corticolous

GENUS

Pertusaria

FAMILY

Pertusariaceae

AUTHORITY

Pertusaria spilota A.W.Archer & Malcolm

ENDEMIC TAXON

Yes

ENDEMIC GENUS

No

ENDEMIC FAMILY

No

REFERENCES AND FURTHER READING

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MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/pertusaria-spilota/>

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