

# Ramalina glaucescens

## BIOSTATUS

Native

## CURRENT CONSERVATION STATUS

2018 | Not Threatened | Qualifiers: SO

## CATEGORY

Lichen

## STRUCTURAL CLASS

Lichens - Fruticose

## LICHEN SUBSTRATES

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

## SUBSTRATE DETAILS

Corticolous, lignicolous

## GENUS

Ramalina

## FAMILY

Ramalinaceae

## AUTHORITY

Ramalina glaucescens Kremp.

## SYNONYMS

Ramalina leiodea var. condensata Zahlbr.

## ENDEMIC TAXON

No

## ENDEMIC GENUS

No

## ENDEMIC FAMILY

No

## ETYMOLOGY

**ramalina**: Meaning small branches, twiggy.

**glaucescens**: Becoming glaucous

## NVS CODE

RAMGLA

## REFERENCES AND FURTHER READING

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## MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/ramalina-glaucescens/>

## PDF DATE

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Corticolous on kowhai, Christchurch.  
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