

# Raoulia albosericea

## BIOSTATUS

Native – Endemic taxon

## CURRENT CONSERVATION STATUS

2023 | Not Threatened

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## CATEGORY

Vascular

## STRUCTURAL CLASS

Herbs - Dicotyledonous composites

## GENUS

Raoulia

## FAMILY

Asteraceae

## AUTHORITY

*Raoulia albosericea* Colenso

## SYNONYMS

*Raoulia australis* var. *albosericea* (Colenso) Kirk, *Raoulia hookeri* var. *albosericea* (Colenso) Allan

## ENDEMIC TAXON

Yes

## ENDEMIC GENUS

Yes

## ENDEMIC FAMILY

No

## ETYMOLOGY

**raoulia**: Named after Étienne Fiacre Louis Raoul (23 July 1815–30 March 1852) who was a French naval surgeon and naturalist. He published a book *Choix de plantes de la Nouvelle-Zélande* ("Selected plants of New Zealand") in 1846. The genus was named after him by Joseph Hooker.

## NVS CODE

RAOALB

## CHROMOSOME NUMBER

2n = 56

## PREVIOUS CONSERVATION STATUSES

2017 | Not Threatened

2012 | Not Threatened

2009 | Not Threatened

2004 | Not Threatened

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## MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/raoulia-albosericea/>

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