

# Anisotome pilifera

## BIOSTATUS

Native – Endemic taxon

## CATEGORY

Vascular

## STRUCTURAL CLASS

Herbs - Dicotyledons other than Composites

## FLOWER COLOURS

White

## CURRENT CONSERVATION STATUS

2023 | At Risk – Declining | Qualifiers: DPT, PD

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## DETAILED TAXONOMY

### FAMILY

Apiaceae

### AUTHORITY

*Anisotome pilifera* (Hook.f.) Cockayne & Laing

### ENDEMIC TAXON

Yes

### ENDEMIC GENUS

No

### ENDEMIC FAMILY

No

### ECOLOGY

### LIFE CYCLE AND DISPERSAL

Winged mericarps are dispersed by wind (Thorsen et al., 2009).

### OTHER INFORMATION

### ETYMOLOGY

**anisotome:** Unequal sided

**pilifera:** Hair-bearing; having soft short hairs

### NVS CODE

ANIPIIL

### CHROMOSOME NUMBER

2n = 22

### PREVIOUS CONSERVATION STATUSES

2017 | At Risk – Declining | Qualifiers: DP, PD

2012 | Not Threatened

2009 | Not Threatened

2004 | Not Threatened

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### REGIONAL CONSERVATION STATUSES

Otago: 2024 | Threatened – Regionally Vulnerable | Qualifiers: DPS, DPT, Sp



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## REFERENCING AND CITATIONS

### REFERENCES AND FURTHER READING

Thorsen MJ, Dickinson KJM, Seddon PJ. 2009. Seed dispersal systems in the New Zealand flora. *Perspectives in Plant Ecology, Evolution and Systematics* 11: 285–309. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ppees.2009.06.001>.

### MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/anisotome-pilifera/>

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