



Seppeltia succuba

Common Name(s):

Liverwort

Current Threat Status (2009):

Nationally Critical

Distribution:

Indigenous. Australia and New Zealand. In New Zealand known from the Eyre Mountains.

Features:

Dioicous. Plants green, 30.0-40.0 x 3.5-5.0 mm, unbranched or spraingly branched. Stem fleshy, fragile, 0.9-1.2 mm wide. Leaf-like lobes alternate, succubously and broadly inserted, up to 3 x 5 mm but often smaller. leaf-like lobe cells thin walled, irregularly hexagonal, 28-44 x 40-60 micrometre, cuticle smooth. Gynoecia dorsal on the axis, near but not at the shoot apex, one per shoot with an involucre scale.

Fruiting:

Not seen

Threats:

The actual threats to this species are unclear it being listed because it is known from only a few gatherings from a single site.

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