# **Ourisia simpsonii**

## **COMMON NAME**

Simpson's foxglove

#### **SYNONYMS**

Ourisia sessilifolia var. simpsonii L.B.Moore

#### **FAMILY**

Plantaginaceae

#### **AUTHORITY**

Ourisia simpsonii (L.B.Moore) Arroyo

#### **FLORA CATEGORY**

Vascular - Native

#### **ENDEMIC TAXON**

Yes

## **ENDEMIC GENUS**

No

## **ENDEMIC FAMILY**

No

#### STRUCTURAL CLASS

Herbs - Dicotyledons other than Composites

#### **NVS CODE**

**OURSIM** 

#### **CHROMOSOME NUMBER**

2n = 48

# **CURRENT CONSERVATION STATUS**

2017 | Not Threatened

# **PREVIOUS CONSERVATION STATUSES**

2012 | Not Threatened

2009 | Not Threatened

2004 | Not Threatened

## **FLOWER COLOURS**

White, Yellow

## **PROPAGATION TECHNIQUE**

Difficult - should not be removed from the wild

# **ETYMOLOGY**

ourisia: After Ouris, governor of the Falkland Islands

## WHERE TO BUY

Not commercially available

#### **MORE INFORMATION**

https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/ourisia-simpsonii/





Ourisia. Photographer: Heidi Meudt, Licence: All rights reserved.



An image of Ourisia flower. Photographer: Heidi Meudt, Licence: All rights reserved.