

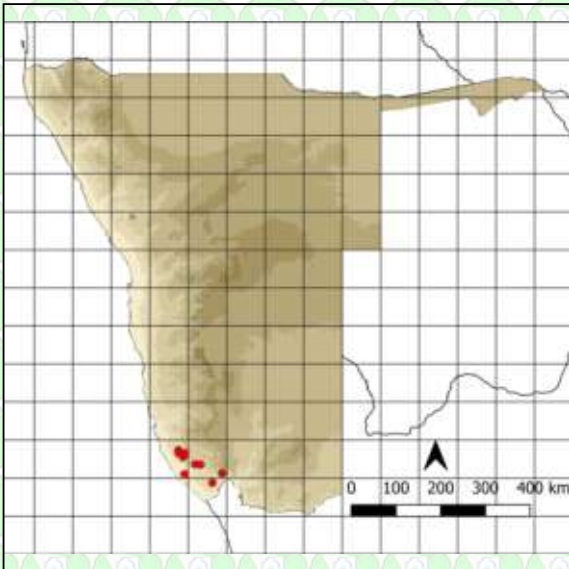
**CRASSULACEAE**

***Adromischus marianiae* (Marloth) A.Berger var. *hallii* (P.C.Hutchison) Toelken ,
Bothalia 12: 391 (1978)**

TYPE: from South Africa

Legal Status: NC

Ecology: Slopes of quartz hill, red Kalahari sand, west facing slope, common on rocky sand or sandstone. ; in crevices or full sun



Description: perennial succulent; 0.01 - 0.05 m high; stem succulent, very short, knobby, tuberous at the base, 3-4 cm long, grey, mostly covered with leaves, unbranched; leaves simple, succulent, flat, lens-shaped to trigonous or kidney shaped, reddish brown, a distinct red ridge, with or without darker speckles, variable, obovate to cuneate, concave, apex rounded to notched, margins horny and red in upper half, epidermis flaking; flowers pale pink with dark pink margins, a very long spike, covered with a powdery bloom

Distribution: Endemic to Namibia and South Africa (Cape)

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