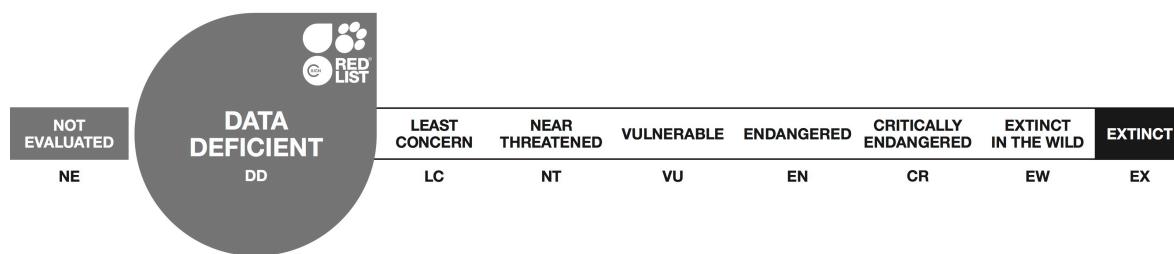




## *Juncus fernandez-carvajaliae*

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## Taxonomy

Kingdom	Phylum	Class	Order	Family
Plantae	Tracheophyta	Liliopsida	Poales	Juncaceae

**Taxon Name:** *Juncus fernandez-carvajaliae* Romero Zarco & V. Arán

### Taxonomic Source(s):

Romero-Zarco, C. and Arán, V.J. 2013. *Juncus fernandez-carvajaliae* sp. nov. (Juncaceae) from Castilla-La Mancha, central Spain. *Nordic Journal of Botany* 31: 190-193.

### Taxonomic Notes:

A newly described annual species (Romero-Zarco and Arán 2013), it is akin to *Juncus tenageia* Ehrh. ex L. fil.

## Assessment Information

**Red List Category & Criteria:** Data Deficient [ver 3.1](#)

**Year Published:** 2018

**Date Assessed:** August 2, 2015

### Justification:

This species is endemic to central Spain, where it is currently only known from two sites in the Guadiana River basin located in the western half of Ciudad Real Province. Suitable habitat is frequent around both known sites, and the potential distribution area of this new species could be much larger. However, very little data are available at present regarding its population size, trends or threats and therefore it is assessed as Data Deficient; further research is required.

## Geographic Range

### Range Description:

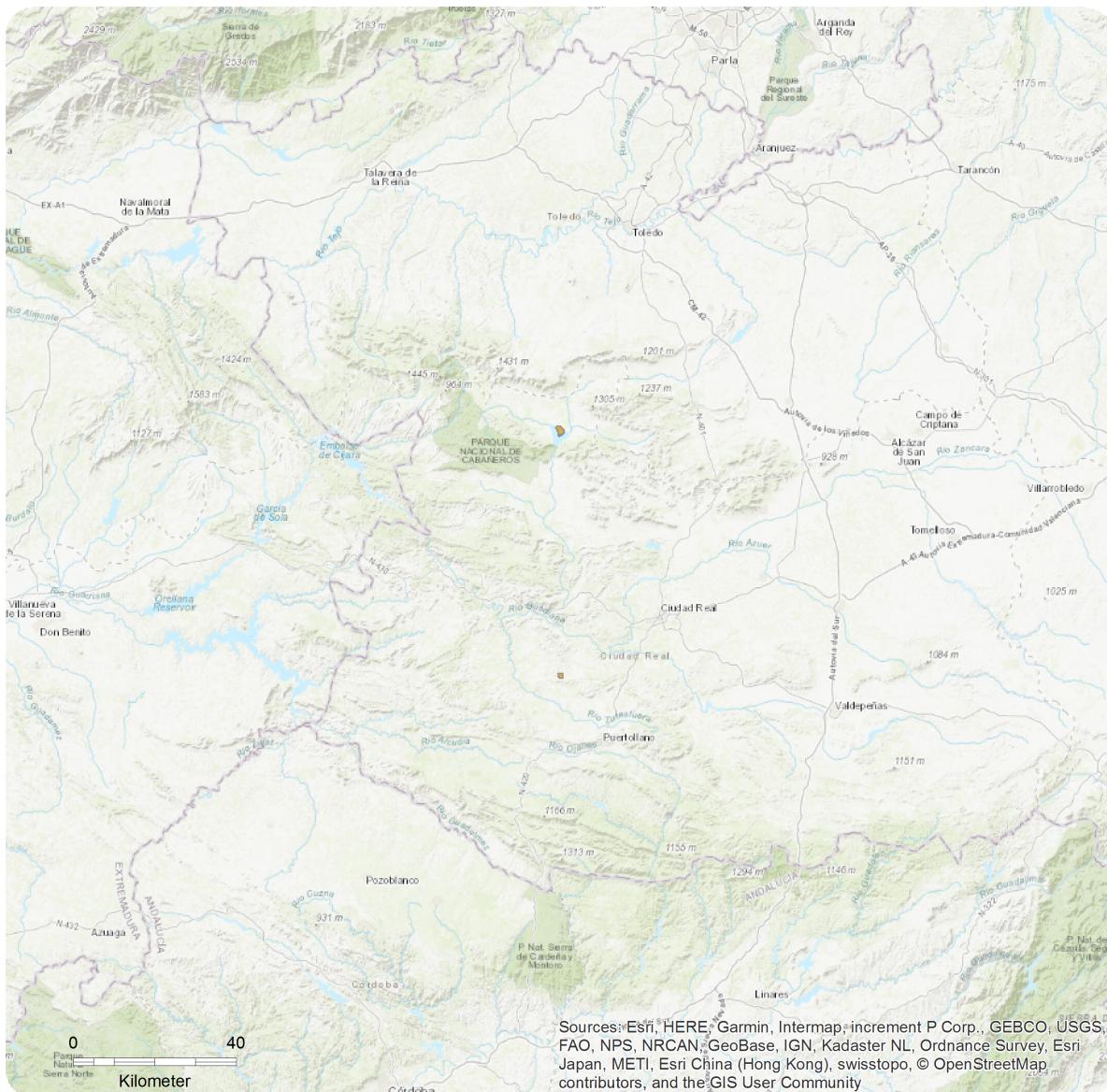
This species is endemic to central Spain, where the known distribution is restricted to two sites in the Guadiana River basin, in the western half of Ciudad Real Province. The holotype locality is situated in the Bullaque River basin, a right tributary of the Guadiana River in the NW of the province, in the Montes de Toledo region, where it has been found in pastures near a reservoir. A second site is located 63 km south of the former, in the basin of the Tirteafuera River, a left tributary of the same river, in the Campo de Calatrava area. Small endorheic places locally called navazos are frequent in both areas, and the potential distribution area of the new species could be much larger (Romero-Zarco and Arán 2013).

### Country Occurrence:

**Native:** Spain (Spain (mainland))

# Distribution Map

*Juncus fernandez-carvajaliae*



## Range

Extant (resident)

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The boundaries and names shown and the designations used on this map do not imply any official endorsement, acceptance or opinion by IUCN.



## **Population**

Annual weather conditions determine the consideration of this species as locally abundant (V. Arán pers. comm 2015). It is locally frequent (Romero-Zarco and Arán 2013).

**Current Population Trend:** Unknown

## **Habitat and Ecology (see Appendix for additional information)**

This rush inhabits pastures on seasonally wet soils with siliceous substrate. It has been found together with others plants species such as *Juncus tenageia*, *J. minutulus*, *J. tingitanus*, *J. capitatus*, *J. pygmaeus*, *Centaurium maritimum*, *Ornithogalum concinnum*, *Scilla ramburei*, *Ranunculus pseudomillefoliatus* and *Cicendia filiformis* (Romero-Zarco and Arán 2013).

**Systems:** Terrestrial

## **Use and Trade**

No information is available.

## **Threats**

No information is available on threats to this species.

## **Conservation Actions (see Appendix for additional information)**

The species is not present in protected areas (IUCN and UNEP-WCMC 2017). Additional research into threats, population and habitat trends, utilization and distribution is required for this species.

## **Credits**

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## Appendix

### Habitats

(<http://www.iucnredlist.org/technical-documents/classification-schemes>)

Habitat	Season	Suitability	Major Importance?
14. Artificial/Terrestrial -> 14.2. Artificial/Terrestrial - Pastureland	Resident	Suitable	Yes

### Conservation Actions in Place

(<http://www.iucnredlist.org/technical-documents/classification-schemes>)

Conservation Actions in Place
In-Place Land/Water Protection and Management
Occur in at least one PA: Unknown

### Research Needed

(<http://www.iucnredlist.org/technical-documents/classification-schemes>)

Research Needed
1. Research -> 1.2. Population size, distribution & trends
1. Research -> 1.5. Threats
3. Monitoring -> 3.1. Population trends
3. Monitoring -> 3.4. Habitat trends

### Additional Data Fields

Distribution
Lower elevation limit (m): 675
Upper elevation limit (m): 693
Habitats and Ecology
Continuing decline in area, extent and/or quality of habitat: Unknown

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