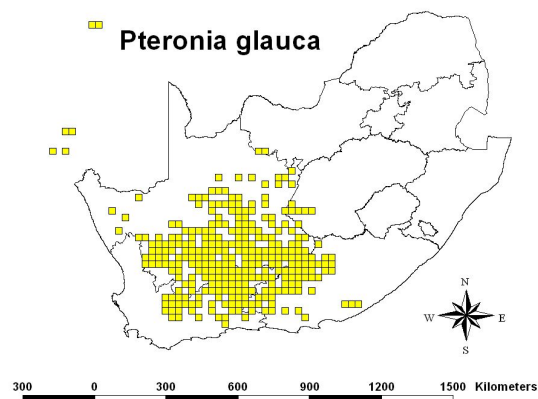


# *Pteronia glauca*

Common name: Boegoekaroo; geelboegoekaroo; perdekaroo; Boegoekarooa; geelbuchukaroo

Family: Asteraceae

Habitat: Succulent and Nama Karoo, mainly along small drainage lines or in gravelly soils.



Map based on PRECIS data from <http://sibis.sanbi.org/>.

Plant description: Grey, non-succulent shrub. Leaves small (<5mm), triangular. Branches curved towards ground and sometimes rooting where they touch the soil. Flowers golden yellow, spring.

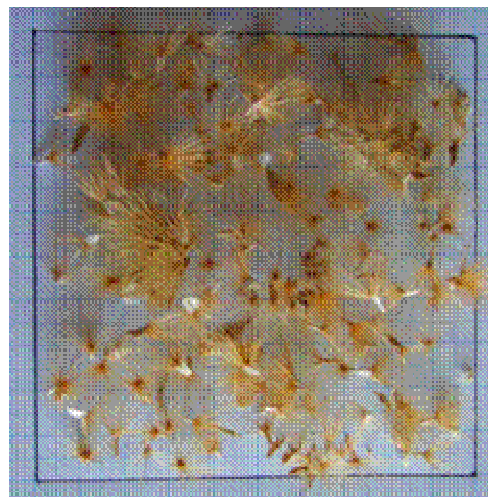
Palatability: ★★ low

Seed description: The seed is shaped like a sunflower seed with a pappus of golden-brown bristles.

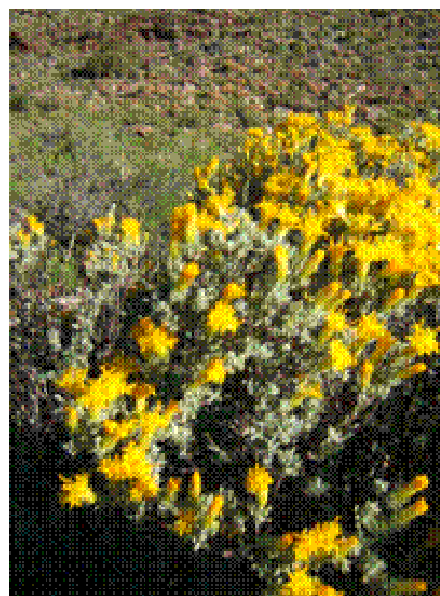
Viable seeds per kg: 26,600

When to plant: March-September

Habitat: Sandy and silty soils in small drainage lines. frost and drought tolerant.



Scale: 1cm



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