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## Species of the Day: *Podocarpus nakaii*

*Podocarpus nakaii* is listed as 'Endangered' on the IUCN Red List of Threatened Species™. This conifer is endemic to Taiwan, where it is restricted to a small area in the centre of the island, in Nantou County, occurring in broad-leaved evergreen forests at elevations of up to 1,000 metres. It is a medium-sized tree with a relatively straight, slender trunk, blade-like leaves that are concentrated near the tips of the branches, and modified, berry-like seed cones.

Little is known about the threats to this conifer, but it is likely to be impacted by increasing human settlement, agriculture, and forest management activities. The species' small and isolated populations may also put it at increased risk of extinction.

There are no specific conservation measures in place for *Podocarpus nakaii*. Further research may be needed into the species and the threats it faces before any appropriate actions can be taken to protect it.

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