

2021 Report

IUCN SSC Cup Fungi, Truffles and Allies Specialist Group

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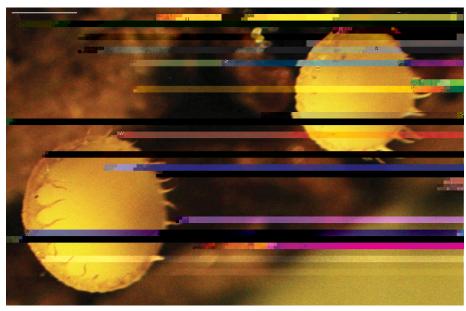
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Mission statement

To promote conservation of ascomycete fungi by raising awareness that they have vital roles as nutrient recyclers, mutualistic symbionts of animals and plants, and as checks and balances in freshwater, marine and terrestrial ecosystems, and that like other fungi, animals and plants, they are endangered by climate change, habitat



Cyathicula coronata (scale bar = 1 mm) Photo: D.W. Minter

Summary of achievements

Total number of targets 2021–2025: 6 Geographic regions: 6 Global

Actions during 2021:

Assess: 1 (KSR 7) Network: 1 (KSR 3) Communicate: 1 (KSR 13) Overall achievement 2021–2025:

