**Conservation Status Assessment**

**Scientific Name:** *Otidea leporina*  
**Classification:** Fungus  
**Assessment area:** Oregon

**Heritage Rank:** S3S4  
**Rank Date:** 12/12/2016

Assigned Rank Comments: None. 
Rank Adjustment Notes: With the same range and threat impact score, to increase the rank to an S4 there would need to be an additional 39 sites in protected areas or only an additional 16 occurrences overall. It is possible that there are an additional 16 undocumented occurrences so I gave the species an S3S4 ranking.

**Range Extent:**  
F = 20,000-200,000 sq km (~8,000-80,000 sq mi)

Comments: The Oregon range is 67,054 sq. km. It includes sites in the Cascades, Coast, and Siskiyou Mountains.

**Population Size:** Not assessed  
Comments: None

**Number of Occurrences:** C = 21 - 80  
Comments: There are 65 known occurrences in Oregon.

**Area of Occupancy:** E = 26-125 4-km² grid cells  
Comments: This species occupies 94 grid squares in Oregon.

**Good Viability:** B = Very few (1-3) occurrences with excellent or good viability or ecological integrity  
Comments: One occurrence is in a wilderness area.

**Environmental Sensitivity:** C = Moderate. Generalist or community with some key requirements scarce  
Comments: A saprotroph of forested areas.

**Short Term Trends:** Not Evaluated  
Comments: None

**Long Term Trends:** Not Evaluated  
Comments: None

**Threat Impact:** C = Medium
Comments:
Only one occurrence is in a permanently protected areas. If the other sites are logged on a 40 year rotation around 25% of sites would be impacted over 10 years and around 99% would be impacted over 100 years.

**Intrinsic Vulnerability:**
Not Evaluated

Comments: None

**Calculated Rank:**
S3

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**References:**
No additional references listed.

**Definitions and Resources:**

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Global rank, applied to taxon's full geographic range
State rank, applied to taxon's range within the designated state
Critically imperiled
Imperiled
Vulnerable
Apparently secure, uncommon but not rare
Secure, common, abundant, and widespread

Suggested citation:

More assessments available at [http://inr.oregonstate.edu/orbic/rare-species/ranking-documentation](http://inr.oregonstate.edu/orbic/rare-species/ranking-documentation)

Element rank calculator resources at [http://www.natureserve.org/conservation-tools/conservation-rank-calculator](http://www.natureserve.org/conservation-tools/conservation-rank-calculator)