# Conservation Status Assessment

**Scientific Name:** *Sedecula pulvinata*  
**Classification:** Fungus  
**Assessment area:** Washington

**Heritage Rank:** S2  
**Rank Date:** 3/9/2017

Assigned Rank Comments: None.  
Rank Adjustment Notes: Known from eastern WA. Trappe assigned S2.

**Range Extent:** B = 100-250 sq km (~40-100 sq mi)

Comments: Lehmkuhl et al. (2004) found Sedecula to be a relatively important component of the fall diet of northern flying squirrels at their study sites in Eastern Washington. Their study area was in the Swauk Creek drainage of the Cle Elum Ranger District, Wenatchee National Forest, in the east-central Washington Cascade Range.

**Population Size:** Not assessed

Comments: None

**Number of Occurrences:** AC = 1 - 80

Comments: Unknown; likely several sites present in the Lehmkuhl study area and beyond.

**Area of Occupancy:** DE = 6-125 4-km² grid cells

Comments: Exact sites are unknown, this range chosen based on the size of the Lehmkuhl et al. study area, though it is likely additional sites exist outside the Swauk Creek drainage.

**Good Viability:** U = Unknown

Comments: None

**Environmental Sensitivity:** Not Evaluated

Comments: None

**Short Term Trends:** U = Unknown

Comments: None

**Long Term Trends:** U = Unknown

Comments: None

**Threat Impact:** U = Unknown

Comments:
Intrinsic Vulnerability:  Not Evaluated

Comments: None

Calculated Rank: S1S2

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References:

Definitions and Resources:

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Suggested citation:

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

Element rank calculator resources at http://www.natureserve.org/conservation-tools/conservation-rank-calculator

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