

# Corysanthes sp. 'Hamersley Inlet'

## Name and Authority

**Corysanthes sp. 'Hamersley Inlet'**

## Synonyms (previous names)

Corybas sp. 'Hamersley Inlet'

## Common Name

Hamersley Helmet Orchid

## Originally Described by

Undescribed

## Distribution and Habitat

Bremer Bay to Hamersley Inlet, growing in sandy soils in coastal shrublands.

## Flowering Months

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## Description

A rare [species](#) 10–15 mm high (when flowering) with a smooth, rounded, ground-hugging leaf 10–20 mm long by 10–20 mm wide and a single purplish-red and green flower 9–11 mm across.

## Distinguishing Features

It is distinguished from the related Crystal Helmet Orchid (*Corysanthes limpida*) by its smaller flowers and later flowering period. Intermediate forms have, however, been found and it may be a natural variant of that [species](#).

## WA Conservation Code (Threatened Status)

Not Listed



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