

Report for *Cylindropuntia munzii*

TAXON DETAILS

Classification

Scientific Name	<i>Cylindropuntia munzii</i> (C.B. Wolf) Backeb.
Common Name	Munz's cholla
Family	Cactaceae
Element Code	PDCAC0D0V0
USDA Plants Symbol	<u>CYMU12</u>
Synonyms/Other Names	<u><i>Opuntia munzii</i></u>

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank	1B.3
Global Rank	G3
State Rank	S1
CESA	None
FESA	None
Other Status	BLM_S; IUCN_LC; SB_CalBG/RSABG
CRPR Changes	
Date Added	1980-01-01
Last Update	2021-07-14

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform	perennial stem
Blooming Period	May
Elevation m (ft)	150-600 (490-1970)
General Habitats	Sonoran desert scrub (gravelly, sandy)
Microhabitat Details	
Microhabitat	

Threat List Data from the CNDDDB

Threat List Total:		1
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	1	17%
Threat List:		
Military operations	1	16%

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDDB

Total Element Occurrences:	6
Element Occurrence Ranks:	
Excellent (A)	1
Good (B)	0
Fair (C)	2
Poor (D)	0
None (X)	0
Unknown (U)	3
Occurrence Status	
Historical, > 20 years	1
Recent, < 20 years	5
Presence	
Presumed Extant	6
Possibly Extirpated	0
Presumed Extirpated	0

Location

California Endemic	No
Counties	
Imperial (IMP), Riverside (RIV)	
States	
Baja California (BA), California (CA)	
Quads	
Acolita (3311512), Augustine Pass (3311543), Blue Mountain (3311521), Chuckwalla Spring (3311542), East of Acolita (3311511), Iris (3311524), Iris Pass (3311544), Iris Wash (3311534), Lion Head Mtn. (3311533), Little Chuckwalla Mts. (3311541), Little Mule Mts. (3311531), Mammoth Wash (3311522), Mt. Barrow (3311428), Pegleg Well (3311532), Tortuga (3311523)	

Notes

Definitions of codes preceding a county and/or quad:

* Presumed extirpated

(*) Possibly extirpated

Species may be present in other areas where conditions are favorable. These data should NOT be substituted for pre-project review or for on-site surveys.

Notes

Known only from the Chocolate and Chuckawalla Mtns. Of hybrid origin, but stabilized; only reproducing vegetatively. Some occurrences threatened by military activities.

Threats

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Selected References

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