

Rare Plant Inventory

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Report for Ranunculus macounii

TAXON DETAILS Classification

Scientific Name Ranunculus macounii Britton

Common NameMacoun's buttercupFamilyRanunculaceaeElement CodePDRANOL1M0

USDA Plants Symbol RAMA2

Synonyms/Other Names

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank2B.2Global RankG5State RankS2S3CESANoneFESANoneOther StatusIUCN_LC

CRPR Changes changed from 2.2 to 2B.2 on 2013-06-12

 Date Added
 2001-01-01

 Last Update
 2022-08-02

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform perennial herb

Blooming Period Jun-Jul

Elevation m (ft) 1400-1800 (4595-5905)

General Habitats Great Basin scrub, Meadows and seeps,

Pinyon and juniper woodland

Microhabitat Details

Microhabitat Mesic

Threat List Data from the CNDDB

Threat List Total:		1
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	1	8%
Threat List:		
Development	1	8%

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB

Total Element Occurrences:	12	
Element Occurrence Ranks:		
Excellent (A)	0	
Good (B)	1	
Fair (C)	0	
Poor (D)	0	
None (X)	0	
Unknown (U)	11	
Occurrence Status		
Historical, > 20 years	9	
Recent, < 20 years	3	
Presence		
Presumed Extant	12	
Possibly Extirpated	0	
Presumed Extirpated	0	

Location

California Endemic	No

Counties

Lassen (LAS), Modoc (MOD), Plumas (PLU)

States

Alaska (AK), Arizona (AZ), California (CA), Colorado (CO), Idaho (ID), Iowa (IA), Michigan (MI), Minnesota (MN), Montana (MT), Nebraska (NE), Nevada (NV), New Mexico (NM), North Dakota (ND), Oregon (OR), South Dakota (SD), Utah (UT), Washington (WA), West Virginia (WV), Wyoming (WY)

Quads

Big Swamp (4112121), Gallatin Peak (4012056), Gold Lake (3912066), Hager Basin (4112077), Johnsville (3912076), Letterbox Hill (4112018), Reconnaissance Peak (3912073), Shields Creek (4112043), South Mtn. (4112076)

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

Threats

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Selected References

Original Description: Transactions of the New York Academy of Sciences 12:3 (1892)

Species Account: Ranunculus macounii profile for potential Species of Conservation Concern evaluation (2018)

Other: USFS Potential Species of Conservation Concern Profile

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