

Report for *Agave utahensis* var. *eborispina*

TAXON DETAILS



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Classification

Scientific Name	<i>Agave utahensis</i> (Englem.) Gentry var. <i>eborispina</i> (Hester) Breitung
Common Name	ivory-spined agave
Family	Agavaceae
Element Code	PMAGA010S1
USDA Plants Symbol	<u>AGUTE</u>
Synonyms/Other Names	

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank	1B.3
Global Rank	G4T3
State Rank	S2
CESA	None
FESA	None
Other Status	BLM_S; SB_CalBG/RSABG
CRPR Changes	
Date Added	1980-01-01
Last Update	2023-06-06

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform	perennial leaf
Blooming Period	May-Jun
Elevation m (ft)	945-1370 (3100-4495)
General Habitats	Mojavean desert scrub (carbonate, rocky slopes)
Microhabitat Details	
Microhabitat	

Threat List Data from the CNDDDB

Threat List Total:		0
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	0	%
Threat List:		

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDDB

Total Element Occurrences:	5
Element Occurrence Ranks:	
Excellent (A)	1
Good (B)	0
Fair (C)	0
Poor (D)	0
None (X)	0
Unknown (U)	4
Occurrence Status	
Historical, > 20 years	4
Recent, < 20 years	1
Presence	
Presumed Extant	5
Possibly Extirpated	0
Presumed Extirpated	0

Location

California Endemic	No
Counties	
Inyo (INY)	
States	
California (CA), Nevada (NV)	
Quads	
North of Tecopa Pass (3511681), Twelvemile Spring (3611612)?	

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 in CA only from the Nopah Range. See *A. utahensis* in *The Jepson Manual* (1993). On watch list in NV. See

Cactus and Succulent Journal 14:131 (1943) for original description and 32:20 (1960) for revised nomenclature.

Threats

Threatened by horticultural collecting.

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Selected References

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