

## **Rare Plant Inventory**

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# Report for Elodium blandowii

#### **TAXON DETAILS**







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## Classification

Scientific Name Elodium blandowii (F. Weber & D. Mohr)

Eckel

Common Name Blandow's bog moss

Family Helodiaceae
Element Code NBMUS3C011

USDA Plants Symbol HEBL2

Synonyms/Other Names Helodium blandowii (Web. & Mohr) Warnst.

## **Conservation Status**

California Rare Plant Rank2B.2Global RankG4State RankS2CESANoneFESANoneOther StatusUSFS S

CRPR Changes changed from 2B.3 to 2B.2 on 2021-05-26

 Date Added
 2001-01-01

 Last Update
 2023-03-07

## **Ecology and Life History**

**Lifeform** moss

**Blooming Period** 

**Elevation m (ft)** 1862-2700 (6110-8860)

General Habitats Meadows and seeps, Subalpine coniferous

forest

Microhabitat Details Damp soil

Microhabitat

### Threat List Data from the CNDDB

| Threat List Total:                    |           | 2           |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|-------------|
|                                       | Total EOs | Percent EOs |
| EOs with Threats Listed               | 5         | 31%         |
| Threat List:                          |           |             |
| Grazing                               | 3         | 18%         |
| Altered flood/tidal/hydrologic regime | 2         | 12%         |

## **Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB**

| Total Element Occurrences: | 16 |
|----------------------------|----|
| Element Occurrence Ranks:  |    |
| Excellent (A)              | 2  |
| Good (B)                   | 3  |
| Fair (C)                   | 0  |
| Poor (D)                   | 0  |
| None (X)                   | 0  |
| Unknown (U)                | 11 |
| Occurrence Status          |    |
| Historical, > 20 years     | 5  |
| Recent, < 20 years         | 11 |
| Presence                   |    |
| Presumed Extant            | 16 |
| Possibly Extirpated        | 0  |
| Presumed Extirpated        | 0  |

## Location

| California Endemic | No |
|--------------------|----|

#### **Counties**

El Dorado (ELD), Fresno (FRE), Mono (MNO), Siskiyou (SIS), Tulare (TUL), Tuolumne (TUO)

## **States**

California (CA), Idaho (ID), Indiana (IN), Michigan (MI), Montana (MT), New York (NY), Oregon (OR), Vermont (VT), Washington (WA), Wisconsin (WI), Wyoming (WY)

## Quads

Convict Lake (3711857), Freel Peak (3811978), Glass Mountain (3711876), Mt. Morgan (3711846), Mt. Patterson (3811943), North Palisade (3711815), Panther Rock (4112272), Sirretta Peak (3511883), Sonora Pass (3811936), Tennant (4112158)

#### **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**

Threatened by grazing and trampling. Possibly threatened by hydrological alterations. Very distinctive due to abundant paraphyllia (minute leaf-like structures borne on the stems or branches among the leaves). See *Bot. Taschenb.* p. 332 (1807) for original description, and *Krypt. Fl. Brandenburg* 2:692 (1905) for revised nomenclature.

## **Threats**

## **Taxononmy**

## **Selected References**

CNPS Name Change: Non-Substantive Name Change: Helodium blandowii to Elodium blandowii

Other: USFS Potential Species of Conservation Concern Profile

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