

# **Rare Plant Inventory**

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# Report for Silene serpentinicola

#### **TAXON DETAILS**



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#### Classification

Scientific Name
Common Name
Family
Element Code
USDA Plants Symbol
Synonyms/Other Names

Silene serpentinicola T. W. & J. P. Nelson serpentine catchfly Caryophyllaceae PDCAR0U2B0

#### **Conservation Status**

California Rare Plant Rank1B.2Global RankG3State RankS3CESANoneFESANone

Other Status SB\_UCSC; USFS\_S

**CRPR Changes** 

 Date Added
 2005-01-01

 Last Update
 2022-12-06

# **Ecology and Life History**

**Lifeform** perennial rhizomatous herb

Blooming Period May-Jul

**Elevation m (ft)** 145-1650 (475-5415)

General Habitats Chaparral, Lower montane coniferous forest

Microhabitat Details

Microhabitat Gravelly (sometimes), Openings, Rocky

(sometimes), Serpentine

### **Threat List Data from the CNDDB**

Threat List Total:		7
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	7	13%
Threat List:		
Foot traffic/trampling	4	7%
Improper burning regime	2	3%
ORV activity	2	3%
Other	2	3%
Road/trail construction/maint.	1	1%
Logging	1	1%
Non-native plant impacts	1	1%

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

Total Element Occurrences:	55
Element Occurrence Ranks:	
Excellent (A)	1
Good (B)	4
Fair (C)	0
Poor (D)	0
None (X)	0
Unknown (U)	50
Occurrence Status	
Historical, > 20 years	21
Recent, < 20 years	34
Presence	
Presumed Extant	55
Possibly Extirpated	0
Presumed Extirpated	0

### Location

California Endemic	No
Counties	
Del Norte (DNT)	
States	
California (CA), Oregon (OR)	

#### Quads

Cant Hook Mtn. (4112368), Childs Hill (4112461), Gasquet (4112378), High Divide (4112481), High Plateau Mtn. (4112388), Hiouchi (4112471), Klamath Glen (4112358)?

#### **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**

"Red Hill" location (722C?) recorded by Jepson (#2904, JEPS) needs confirmation. Locally common in the Smith River Basin of Northwestern California. Threatened by foot traffic. Possibly threatened by fire suppression. Although distinct, formerly confused with *S. californica* and *S. hookeri* ssp. *pulverulenta*. Not in *TJM* (1993). See *Madroño* 51:384 (2004) for original description, and *Acta Mus. Richnov., Sect. natur.* 12(1):1-6 (2005) for treatment of junior homonym; *S. boyd-klineana*.

#### **Threats**

#### **Taxononmy**

#### **Selected References**

Other: USFS Potential Species of Conservation Concern Profile

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