

Rare Plant Inventory

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Report for Plagiobothrys torreyi var. perplexans

TAXON DETAILS Classification

Scientific Name Plagiobothrys torreyi (A. Gray) A Gray var.

perplexans I.M. Johnst.

Common Name chaparral popcornflower

Family Boraginaceae
Element Code PDBOR0V153

USDA Plants Symbol Synonyms/Other Names

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank 4.3
Global Rank G4T3?
State Rank S3?
CESA None
FESA None

Other Status

CRPR Changes added to 4.3 on 2012-08-21

 Date Added
 2012-08-21

 Last Update
 2022-06-08

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform annual herb
Blooming Period Apr-Sep

Elevation m (ft) 1070-2745 (3510-9005)

General Habitats Chaparral, Lower montane coniferous forest,

Meadows and seeps, Upper montane

coniferous forest

Microhabitat Detailsigneous soilsMicrohabitatBurned areas

Threat List Data from the CNDDB

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

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB

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

Location

California Endemic	Yes
Counties	
Kern (KRN)	
States	
California (CA)	
Quads	
Liebre Twins (3411885), Loraine (3511834)	

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

Previously identified as P. myosotoides, which does not occur in CA. Possibly threatened by fire suppression. Similar to

P. tenellus and P. torreyi var. torreyi; co-occurs with var. torreyi in the lower Sierra Nevada Foothills. See Contributions from the Gray Herbarium of Harvard University 68:72 (1923) for original description.

Threats

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Selected References

CNPS Status Review: CRPR List Addition on 2012-08-21

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