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# Report for Chorizanthe blakleyi

# TAXON DETAILS

# Classification

| Scientific Name      | Chorizanthe blakleyi Hardham |  |
|----------------------|------------------------------|--|
| Common Name          | Blakley's spineflower        |  |
| Family               | Polygonaceae                 |  |
| Element Code         | PDPGN04030                   |  |
| USDA Plants Symbol   | CHBL                         |  |
| Synonyms/Other Names |                              |  |

# **Conservation Status**

| California Rare Plant Rank | 1B.3          |
|----------------------------|---------------|
| Global Rank                | G2            |
| State Rank                 | S2            |
| CESA                       | None          |
| FESA                       | None          |
| Other Status               | BLM_S; USFS_S |
| CRPR Changes               |               |
| Date Added                 | 1974-01-01    |
| Last Update                | 2021-05-26    |

# **Ecology and Life History**

| Lifeform             | annual herb                            |
|----------------------|--|
| Blooming Period      | Apr-Jun                                |
| Elevation m (ft)     | 600-1600 (1970-5250)                   |
| General Habitats     | Chaparral, Pinyon and juniper woodland |
| Microhabitat Details |  |
| Microhabitat         |  |

# Threat List Data from the CNDDB

| Threat List Total:             |           | 5           |
|--------------------------------|-----------|-------------|
|                                | Total EOs | Percent EOs |
| EOs with Threats Listed        | 3         | 25%         |
| Threat List:                   |           |             |
| Foot traffic/trampling         | 2         | 16%         |
| Non-native plant impacts       | 1         | 8%          |
| ORV activity                   | 1         | 8%          |
| Recreational use (non-ORV)     | 1         | 8%          |
| Road/trail construction/maint. | 1         | 8%          |

# **Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB**

| Total Element Occurrences: | 12 |
|----------------------------|----|
| Element Occurrence Ranks:  |    |
| Excellent (A)              | 0  |
| Good (B)                   | 3  |
| Fair (C)                   | 1  |
| Poor (D)                   | 0  |
| None (X)                   | 0  |
| Unknown (U)                | 8  |
| Occurrence Status          |    |
| Historical, > 20 years     | 11 |
| Recent, < 20 years         | 1  |
| Presence                   |    |
| Presumed Extant            | 12 |
| Possibly Extirpated        | 0  |
| Presumed Extirpated        | 0  |

## Location

| California Endemic | Yes |
|--------------------|-----|
|--------------------|-----|

#### Counties

Santa Barbara (SBA), Ventura (VEN)

#### States

California (CA)

#### Quads

Bates Canyon (3411988), Caliente Mtn. (3511917), Hurricane Deck (3411977), New Cuyama (3411986), Peak Mountain (3411987), Reyes Peak (3411963), Salisbury Potrero (3411976), Taylor Canyon (3511918)

### 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

Possibly threatened by vehicles, recreation, road maintenance, grazing, trampling, and non-native plants. Closely related to *C. palmeri*. See *Leaflets of Western Botany* 10:95 (1964) for original description, and *Phytologia* 66(2):141-142 (1989) for taxonomic treatment.

## Threats

# Taxononmy

## Selected References

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