

**Report for *Dendromecon harfordii* var. *ramnoides*****TAXON DETAILS****Classification**

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|-----------------------------|---|
| <b>Scientific Name</b>      | <i>Dendromecon harfordii</i> Kell. var. <i>ramnoides</i><br>(Greene) Munz         |
| <b>Common Name</b>          | south island bush-poppy   |
| <b>Family</b>               | Papaveraceae  |
| <b>Element Code</b>         | PDPAP08012  |
| <b>USDA Plants Symbol</b>   |   |
| <b>Synonyms/Other Names</b> | <u><i>Dendromecon rigida</i> Benth. ssp. <i>ramnoides</i><br/>(Greene) Thorne</u> |

**Conservation Status**

|                                   |  |
|-----------------------------------|--|
| <b>California Rare Plant Rank</b> | 3.1                                    |
| <b>Global Rank</b>                | G4T1Q                                  |
| <b>State Rank</b>                 | S1                                     |
| <b>CESA</b>                       | None                                   |
| <b>FESA</b>                       | None                                   |
| <b>Other Status</b>               |  |
| <b>CRPR Changes</b>               | changed from 1B.1 to 3.1 on 2013-02-01 |
| <b>Date Added</b>                 | 1974-01-01                             |
| <b>Last Update</b>                | 2021-05-26                             |

**Ecology and Life History**

|                             |   |
|-----------------------------|---|
| <b>Lifeform</b>             | perennial evergreen shrub                     |
| <b>Blooming Period</b>      | Apr-Jun                                       |
| <b>Elevation m (ft)</b>     | 150-520 (490-1705)                            |
| <b>General Habitats</b>     | Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Coastal scrub |
| <b>Microhabitat Details</b> |   |
| <b>Microhabitat</b>         |   |

## Threat List Data from the CNDDDB

|                                |                  |                    |
|--------------------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| <b>Threat List Total:</b>      |                  | 3                  |
|                                | <b>Total EOs</b> | <b>Percent EOs</b> |
| <b>EOs with Threats Listed</b> | <b>2</b>         | <b>29%</b>         |
| <b>Threat List:</b>            |                  |                    |
| Non-native animal impacts      | 2                | 28%                |
| Foot traffic/trampling         | 1                | 14%                |
| Grazing                        | 1                | 14%                |

## Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDDB

|                                   |   |
|-----------------------------------|---|
| <b>Total Element Occurrences:</b> | 7 |
| <b>Element Occurrence Ranks:</b>  |   |
| Excellent (A)                     | 0 |
| Good (B)                          | 0 |
| Fair (C)                          | 0 |
| Poor (D)                          | 0 |
| None (X)                          | 2 |
| Unknown (U)                       | 5 |
| <b>Occurrence Status</b>          |   |
| Historical, > 20 years            | 6 |
| Recent, < 20 years                | 1 |
| <b>Presence</b>                   |   |
| Presumed Extant                   | 5 |
| Possibly Extirpated               | 0 |
| Presumed Extirpated               | 2 |

## Location

|  |     |
|--|-----|
| <b>California Endemic</b>  | Yes |
| <b>Counties</b>  |     |
| Los Angeles (LAX)  |     |
| <b>States</b>  |     |
| California (CA)  |     |
| <b>Quads</b>   |     |
| San Clemente Island North (3211885)*, San Clemente Island South (3211873)*, Santa Catalina East (3311833), Santa Catalina North (3311844), Santa Catalina West (3311845) |     |

### **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 on List 1B.1. Taxonomic distinctiveness from *D. harfordii* is uncertain; needs further study. Last seen on SCM Isl. in 1966. Threatened by feral herbivores. Most of the year a few plants are in flower. A synonym of *D. harfordii* in *TJM* (1993) and *TJM* 2. USFWS uses the name *D. rigida* ssp. *ramnoides*.

## **Threats**

## **Taxononmy**

## **Selected References**

**CNPS Status Review:** CRPR List Deletion on 2013-02-01

## **Suggested Citation**

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