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Rare Plant Inventory

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Report for Abronia alpina

TAXON DETAILS



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Classification

Scientific Name Abronia alpina Bdg.

Common Name Ramshaw Meadows abronia

Family Nyctaginaceae
Element Code PDNYC01020

USDA Plants Symbol ABAL Synonyms/Other Names

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank1B.1Global RankG2State RankS2CESANoneFESANoneOther StatusUSFS_S

CRPR Changes

 Date Added
 1974-01-01

 Last Update
 2022-06-08

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform perennial herb

Blooming Period Jul-Aug

Elevation m (ft) 2400-2700 (7875-8860)

General Habitats Meadows and seeps (granitic, gravelly

margins)

Microhabitat Details Granitic, gravelly and sandy margins with

<i>Hulsea vestita</i> and <i>Lupinus

breweri</i>

Microhabitat Granitic, Gravelly, Sandy

Threat List Data from the CNDDB

Threat List Total:		1
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	1	100%
Threat List:		
Recreational use (non-ORV)	1	100%

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB

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

Location

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

Known from only Ramshaw Meadows and Templeton Meadows. Possibly threatened by trampling and potentially
threatened by meadow succession. Previously a candidate for federal listing. See Botanical Gazette 27:444-457 (1899)
for original description, and <i>Aliso</i> 7(2):201-205 (1970) for discussion of rediscovery.

Threats

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Selected References

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