

Report for *Lessingia germanorum*

TAXON DETAILS



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Classification

Scientific Name	<i>Lessingia germanorum</i> Cham.
Common Name	San Francisco lessingia
Family	Asteraceae
Element Code	PDAST5S010
USDA Plants Symbol	<u>LEGE</u>
Synonyms/Other Names	

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank	1B.1
Global Rank	G1
State Rank	S1
CESA	CE (01/01/90)
FESA	06/19/97 (06/19/97)
Other Status	
CRPR Changes	
Date Added	1980-01-01
Last Update	2022-02-01

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform	annual herb
Blooming Period	(Jun)Jul-Nov
Elevation m (ft)	25-110 (80-360)
General Habitats	Coastal scrub (remnant dunes)
Microhabitat Details	
Microhabitat	

Threat List Data from the CNDDDB

Threat List Total:		3
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	3	60%
Threat List:		
Development	2	40%
Non-native plant impacts	2	40%
Other	2	40%

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDDB

Total Element Occurrences:	5
Element Occurrence Ranks:	
Excellent (A)	0
Good (B)	1
Fair (C)	1
Poor (D)	0
None (X)	2
Unknown (U)	1
Occurrence Status	
Historical, > 20 years	4
Recent, < 20 years	1
Presence	
Presumed Extant	3
Possibly Extirpated	1
Presumed Extirpated	1

Location

California Endemic	Yes
Counties	
San Francisco (SFO), San Mateo (SMT)	
States	
California (CA)	
Quads	
San Francisco North (3712274), San Francisco South (3712264)	

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 four occurrences at the Presidio (SFO Co.), and one on San Bruno Mtn. (SMT Co.). Populations increasing 1994-1998 due to restoration efforts. Much reduced by urbanization; also threatened by trampling, sand quarrying, and non-native plants.

Threats

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Selected References

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