

Report for *Eriogonum kennedyi* var. *austromontanum***TAXON DETAILS****Classification**

Scientific Name	<i>Eriogonum kennedyi</i> Wats. var. <i>austromontanum</i> M. & J.
Common Name	southern mountain buckwheat
Family	Polygonaceae
Element Code	PDPGN083B2
USDA Plants Symbol	<u>ERKEA2</u>
Synonyms/Other Names	

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank	1B.2
Global Rank	G4T2
State Rank	S2
CESA	None
FESA	09/14/98 (09/14/98)
Other Status	SB_CalBG/RSABG
CRPR Changes	
Date Added	1974-01-01
Last Update	2021-05-26

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform	perennial herb
Blooming Period	Jun-Sep
Elevation m (ft)	1770-2890 (5805-9480)
General Habitats	Lower montane coniferous forest (gravelly), Pebble (Pavement) plain
Microhabitat Details	
Microhabitat	

Threat List Data from the CNDDDB

Threat List Total:		13
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	24	60%
Threat List:		
ORV activity	16	40%
Development	12	30%
Non-native plant impacts	9	22%
Recreational use (non-ORV)	8	20%
Road/trail construction/maint.	7	17%
Vandalism/dumping/litter	6	15%
Mining	6	15%
Non-native animal impacts	5	12%
Foot traffic/trampling	5	12%
Wood cutting or brush clearing	4	10%
Grazing	2	5%
Other	2	5%
Altered flood/tidal/hydrologic regime	1	2%

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDDB

Total Element Occurrences:	40
Element Occurrence Ranks:	
Excellent (A)	3
Good (B)	10
Fair (C)	3
Poor (D)	4
None (X)	0
Unknown (U)	20
Occurrence Status	
Historical, > 20 years	16
Recent, < 20 years	24
Presence	
Presumed Extant	40
Possibly Extirpated	0
Presumed Extirpated	0

Location

California Endemic	Yes
Counties	
San Bernardino (SBD)	
States	
California (CA)	
Quads	

Big Bear City (3411637), Big Bear Lake (3411628), Fawnskin (3411638), Moonridge (3411627), Onyx Peak (3411626), Rattlesnake Canyon (3411636)

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

Threatened by vehicles, development, grazing, non-native plants, recreational activities, and road maintenance. See *Bulletin of the Torrey Botanical Club* 51:295 (1924) for original description, and *Phytologia* 66(4):326-327 (1989) for taxonomic treatment.

Threats

Taxononmy

Selected References

Suggested Citation

California Native Plant Society, Rare Plant Program. 2024. Rare Plant Inventory (online edition, v9.5). Website <https://www.rareplants.cnps.org> [accessed 8 May 2024].