

Report for *Stebbinsoseris decipiens*

TAXON DETAILS

Classification

Scientific Name	<i>Stebbinsoseris decipiens</i> (Chambers) Chambers
Common Name	Santa Cruz microseris
Family	Asteraceae
Element Code	PDAST6E050
USDA Plants Symbol	
Synonyms/Other Names	<u><i>Microseris decipiens</i> Chambers</u>

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank	1B.2
Global Rank	G2
State Rank	S2
CESA	None
FESA	None
Other Status	SB_CalBG/RSABG; SB_UCSC
CRPR Changes	
Date Added	1974-01-01
Last Update	2022-06-08

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform	annual herb
Blooming Period	Apr-May
Elevation m (ft)	10-500 (35-1640)
General Habitats	Broadleafed upland forest, Chaparral, Closed-cone coniferous forest, Coastal prairie, Coastal scrub, Valley and foothill grassland
Microhabitat Details	
Microhabitat	Openings, Serpentine (sometimes)

Threat List Data from the CNDDDB

Threat List Total:		7
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	5	26%
Threat List:		
Grazing	3	15%
Road/trail construction/maint.	2	10%
Feral pigs	1	5%
Improper burning regime	1	5%
Military operations	1	5%
Non-native plant impacts	1	5%
Other	1	5%

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDDB

Total Element Occurrences:	19
Element Occurrence Ranks:	
Excellent (A)	0
Good (B)	1
Fair (C)	1
Poor (D)	0
None (X)	1
Unknown (U)	16
Occurrence Status	
Historical, > 20 years	16
Recent, < 20 years	3
Presence	
Presumed Extant	18
Possibly Extirpated	1
Presumed Extirpated	0

Location

California Endemic	Yes
Counties	
Marin (MRN), Monterey (MNT), San Francisco (SFO), San Mateo (SMT), Santa Cruz (SCR)	
States	
California (CA)	
Quads	
Ano Nuevo (3712213), Big Basin (3712222), Davenport (3712212), Felton (3712211), Franklin Point (3712223), San Francisco North (3712274), San Miguel (3512076), San Rafael (3712285)*, Seaside (3612157), Spreckels (3612156), Tomales (3812228)	

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 grazing. USFWS uses the name *Microseris decipiens*. See *Contributions from the Dudley Herbarium* 4:290-291 (1955) for original description, and *American Journal of Botany* 78(8):1015-1027 (1991) for revised nomenclature.

Threats

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Selected References

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