

Report for *Opuntia xcurvispina*

TAXON DETAILS

Classification

Scientific Name	<i>Opuntia xcurvispina</i> Griffiths
Common Name	curved-spine beavertail
Family	Cactaceae
Element Code	PDCAC0D270
USDA Plants Symbol	
Synonyms/Other Names	<u><i>Opuntia curvospina</i></u>

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank	2B.2
Global Rank	G2G3
State Rank	S1
CESA	None
FESA	None
Other Status	
CRPR Changes	changed from 2.2 to 2B.2 on 2013-06-12
Date Added	1994-01-01
Last Update	2021-05-26

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform	perennial stem
Blooming Period	Apr-Jun
Elevation m (ft)	1000-1400 (3280-4595)
General Habitats	Chaparral, Mojavean desert scrub, Pinyon and juniper woodland
Microhabitat Details	
Microhabitat	

Threat List Data from the CNDDDB

Threat List Total:		0
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	0	%
Threat List:		

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDDB

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

Location

California Endemic	No
Counties	
San Bernardino (SBD)	
States	
Arizona (AZ), California (CA), Nevada (NV)	
Quads	
Castle Peaks (3511532), Cima (3511525), Crescent Peak (3511542), Ivanpah (3511533), Mid Hills (3511524)	

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

Stabilized hybrid between *O. phaeacantha* and *O. chlorotica*; see the latter in *TJM* (1993). See *O. chlorotica* in *TJM* 2. See *Bulletin of the Torrey Botanical Club* 43:88 (1916) for original description, *Systematic Botany* 5(4):408-418 (1980) for discussion of hybrid origin, and *Haseltonia* 4:103-104 (1996) for nomenclatural information.

Threats

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Selected References

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