

Rare Plant Inventory

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Report for Festuca minutiflora

TAXON DETAILS Classification

Scientific NameFestuca minutiflora Rydb.Common Namesmall-flowered fescue

Family Poaceae

Element Code PMPOA2V1M0

USDA Plants Symbol FEMI3

Synonyms/Other Names

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank2B.3Global RankG5State RankS2CESANoneFESANone

Other Status

CRPR Changes changed from 2.3 to 2B.3 on 2013-06-12

 Date Added
 2001-01-01

 Last Update
 2021-05-26

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform perennial herb

Blooming Period Jul

Elevation m (ft) 3200-4050 (10500-13290)
General Habitats Alpine boulder and rock field

Microhabitat Details

Microhabitat

Threat List Data from the CNDDB

| Threat List Total: | | 3 |
|----------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| | Total EOs | Percent EOs |
| EOs with Threats Listed | 1 | 17% |
| Threat List: | | |
| Mining | 1 | 16% |
| ORV activity | 1 | 16% |
| Recreational use (non-ORV) | 1 | 16% |

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB

| Total Element Occurrences: | 6 | |
|----------------------------|---|--|
| Element Occurrence Ranks: | | |
| Excellent (A) | 0 | |
| Good (B) | 2 | |
| Fair (C) | 0 | |
| Poor (D) | 0 | |
| None (X) | 0 | |
| Unknown (U) | 4 | |
| Occurrence Status | | |
| Historical, > 20 years | 4 | |
| Recent, < 20 years | 2 | |
| Presence | | |
| Presumed Extant | 6 | |
| Possibly Extirpated | 0 | |
| Presumed Extirpated | 0 | |

Location

| California Endemic | No |
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Counties

Mono (MNO), Tuolumne (TUO)

States

Alaska (AK), Arizona (AZ), California (CA), Colorado (CO), Idaho (ID), Montana (MT), Nevada (NV), New Mexico (NM), Oregon (OR), Utah (UT), Wyoming (WY)

Quads

Chalfant Valley (3711853), Juniper Mtn. (3711862), Koip Peak (3711972), Mount Dana (3711982), Mt. Barcroft (3711852), Mt. Patterson (3811943), Tioga Pass (3711983), White Mtn. Peak (3711863)

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

Can be confused with *F. brachyphylla*. See *Bulletin of the Torrey Botanical Club* 32(11):608 (1905) for original description.

Threats

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Selected References

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