

Report for *Malacothrix similis*

TAXON DETAILS

Classification

Scientific Name	<i>Malacothrix similis</i> W.S. Davis & Raven
Common Name	Mexican malacothrix
Family	Asteraceae
Element Code	PDAST660D0
USDA Plants Symbol	<u>MASI5</u>
Synonyms/Other Names	

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank	2A
Global Rank	G2G3
State Rank	SH
CESA	None
FESA	None
Other Status	
CRPR Changes	changed from 1A to 2A on 2013-06-12 added to 1A on 2007-04-05
Date Added	2007-04-05
Last Update	2021-06-03

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform	annual herb
Blooming Period	Apr-May
Elevation m (ft)	0-40 (0-130)
General Habitats	Coastal dunes
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:	3
Element Occurrence Ranks:	
Excellent (A)	0
Good (B)	0
Fair (C)	0
Poor (D)	0
None (X)	3
Unknown (U)	0
Occurrence Status	
Historical, > 20 years	3
Recent, < 20 years	0
Presence	
Presumed Extant	0
Possibly Extirpated	3
Presumed Extirpated	0

Location

California Endemic	No
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Counties

Santa Barbara (SBA)?*, Ventura (VEN)*

States

Baja California (BA), California (CA)

Quads

Oxnard (3411922)*, San Miguel Island East (3312083)?*, San Miguel Island West (3312084)?*, Santa Cruz Island A (3311987)?*, Santa Cruz Island B (3311986)?*, Santa Cruz Island C (3311985)?*, Santa Cruz Island D (3311984)?*

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

Last seen in 1925 at Hueneme Beach in Ventura County. A synonym of *Malacothrix stebbinsii* in *The Jepson Manual* (1993). See *Madrono* 16: 262 (1962) for original description.

Threats

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Selected References

CNPS Status Review: CRPR List Addition on 2007-04-05

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