

#### **Rare Plant Inventory**

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## Report for Astragalus monoensis

# TAXON DETAILS Classification

Scientific Name Astragalus monoensis Barneby

Common Name Mono milk-vetch

**Family** Fabaceae

Element Code PDFAB0F5N0

USDA Plants Symbol ASMO9

**Synonyms/Other Names** Astragalus monoensis Barneby var.

monoensis

#### **Conservation Status**

California Rare Plant Rank1B.2Global RankG2State RankS2

**CESA** CR (07/01/82)

**FESA** None

Other Status BLM\_S; SB\_CalBG/RSABG; USFS\_S

**CRPR Changes** 

 Date Added
 1974-01-01

 Last Update
 2022-12-06

#### **Ecology and Life History**

**Lifeform** perennial herb

Blooming Period Jun-Aug

**Elevation m (ft)** 2110-3355 (6925-11010)

General Habitats Great Basin scrub, Upper montane

coniferous forest

Microhabitat Details Pumice

Microhabitat Gravelly (sometimes), Sandy (sometimes)

#### **Threat List Data from the CNDDB**

Threat List Total:		8
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	19	66%
Threat List:		
Road/trail construction/maint.	12	41%
ORV activity	9	31%
Grazing	6	20%
Foot traffic/trampling	3	10%
Other	3	10%
Recreational use (non-ORV)	1	3%
Development	1	3%
Logging	1	3%

#### **Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB**

Total Element Occurrences:	29
Element Occurrence Ranks:	
Excellent (A)	1
Good (B)	11
Fair (C)	3
Poor (D)	3
None (X)	0
Unknown (U)	11
Occurrence Status	
Historical, > 20 years	12
Recent, < 20 years	17
Presence	
Presumed Extant	29
Possibly Extirpated	0
Presumed Extirpated	0

#### Location

California Endemic	Yes
Counties	
Inyo (INY), Mono (MNO)	
States	
California (CA)	

#### Quads

Crestview (3711878), Dexter Canyon (3711877), Glass Mountain (3711876), June Lake (3711971), Lundy (3811912), Mono Mills (3711888), Mt. Morgan (3711846), Old Mammoth (3711868), Toms Place (3711856), Whitmore Hot Springs (3711867)

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 road maintenance, vehicles, and sheep grazing. See *Leaflets of Western Botany* 4:55 (1944) for original description, and *Systematic Botany* 8(4):423 (1983) for revised nomenclature.

#### **Threats**

#### **Taxononmy**

#### **Selected References**

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