

Rare Plant Inventory

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Report for Cleomella palmeri

TAXON DETAILS Classification

Scientific Name Cleomella palmeri (A. Gray) J.C. Hall &

Roalson

Common Name Palmer's jackass-clover

Family Cleomaceae **Element Code** PDCPP09015

USDA Plants Symbol WIREP

Wislizenia refracta Engelm. ssp. palmeri (A. Gray) S. Keller Synonyms/Other Names

Conservation Status

2B.1 California Rare Plant Rank **Global Rank G5T3T5** State Rank S1 **CESA** None **FESA** None

Other Status

changed from 2B.2 to 2B.1 on 2024-02-27 changed from 2.2 to 2B.2 on 2013-06-12 **CRPR Changes**

added to 2.2 on 2010-06-10

Date Added 2010-06-10 **Last Update** 2024-03-06

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform perennial deciduous shrub

Blooming Period Jan-Dec Elevation m (ft) 0-300 (0-985)

General Habitats Chenopod scrub, Desert dunes, Sonoran

desert scrub, Sonoran thorn woodland

Microhabitat Details

Microhabitat

Threat List Data from the CNDDB

Threat List Total:		4
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	2	50%
Threat List:		
Development	2	50%
ORV activity	2	50%
Agriculture	1	25%
Groundwater pumping	1	25%

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB

Total Element Occurrences:	4	
Element Occurrence Ranks:		
Excellent (A)	1	
Good (B)	0	
Fair (C)	0	
Poor (D)	0	
None (X)	0	
Unknown (U)	3	
Occurrence Status		
Historical, > 20 years	2	
Recent, < 20 years	2	
Presence		
Presumed Extant	4	
Possibly Extirpated	0	
Presumed Extirpated	0	

Location

California Endemic	No

Counties

Riverside (RIV), San Diego (SDG)

States

Arizona (AZ), California (CA), New Mexico (NM)

Quads

Borrego Palm Canyon (3311634), Borrego Sink (3311623), Clark Lake (3311633), Corn Spring (3311563), East of Victory Pass (3311573), Sidewinder Well (3311562), Tubb Canyon (3311624)

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

Threats

Threatened by solar energy development and agriculture.

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Selected References

CNPS Status Review: CRPR List Addition on 2010-06-10

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