

Report for *Benitoa occidentalis*

TAXON DETAILS

Classification

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| Scientific Name | <i>Benitoa occidentalis</i> (H.M.Hall) D.D. Keck |
| Common Name | western lessingia |
| Family | Asteraceae |
| Element Code | PDAST15010 |
| USDA Plants Symbol | <u>BEOC</u> |
| Synonyms/Other Names | <u><i>Lessingia occidentalis</i></u> |

Conservation Status

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| California Rare Plant Rank | 4.3 |
| Global Rank | G3G4 |
| State Rank | S3S4 |
| CESA | None |
| FESA | None |
| Other Status | |
| CRPR Changes | |
| Date Added | 1974-01-01 |
| Last Update | 2021-09-27 |

Ecology and Life History

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| Lifeform | annual herb |
| Blooming Period | May-Nov |
| Elevation m (ft) | 450-1070 (1475-3510) |
| General Habitats | Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Coastal scrub, Valley and foothill grassland |
| Microhabitat Details | |
| Microhabitat | Clay (sometimes), Serpentine (sometimes) |

Threat List Data from the CNDDDB

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

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDDB

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

Location

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| California Endemic | Yes |
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Counties

Fresno (FRE), Monterey (MNT), San Benito (SBT)

States

California (CA)

Quads

Curry Mountain (3612014), Hepsedam Peak (3612037), Hernandez Reservoir (3612047), Idria (3612046), Joaquin Rocks (3612034), Llanada (3612058), Lonoak (3612038), Monarch Peak (3612027), Panoche (3612057), Parkfield (3512084), Priest Valley (3612026), Rock Spring Peak (3612048), San Benito Mtn. (3612036), Slack Canyon (3612016), Smith Mountain (3612015), The Dark Hole (3512083)

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

See *Novon* 2(3):213-214 (1992) for revised nomenclature.

Threats

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Selected References

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