

## Report for *Triteleia piutensis*

### TAXON DETAILS

#### Classification

Scientific Name	<i>Triteleia piutensis</i> E. Kentner & K. Steiner
Common Name	Piute Mountains triteleia
Family	Themidaceae
Element Code	PMLIL210H0
USDA Plants Symbol	
Synonyms/Other Names	

#### Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank	1B.1
Global Rank	G1
State Rank	S1
CESA	None
FESA	None
Other Status	BLM_S; SB_CalBG/RSABG
CRPR Changes	added to 1B.1 on 2014-07-24
Date Added	2014-07-24
Last Update	2022-06-08

#### Ecology and Life History

Lifeform	perennial bulbiferous herb
Blooming Period	May-Jun
Elevation m (ft)	1585-1655 (5200-5430)
General Habitats	Pinyon and juniper woodland
Microhabitat Details	fine volcanic soil throughout scattered boulders or heavy clay soil with volcanic hardpan
Microhabitat	Clay, Openings, Volcanic

## Threat List Data from the CNDDDB

<b>Threat List Total:</b>		1
	<b>Total EOs</b>	<b>Percent EOs</b>
<b>EOs with Threats Listed</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>100%</b>
<b>Threat List:</b>		
Development	2	100%

## Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDDB

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

## Location

<b>California Endemic</b>	Yes
<b>Counties</b>	
Kern (KRN)	
<b>States</b>	
California (CA)	
<b>Quads</b>	
Emerald Mtn. (3511833), Tehachapi NE (3511823)	

### **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

Known only from the Piute Mtns. In the southern Sierra Nevada. Threatened by wind energy development. Similar to *T. crocea*. See *Madroño* 61(2):227-230 (2014) for original description.

### **Threats**

### **Taxononmy**

### **Selected References**

**CNPS Status Review:** CRPR List Addition on 2014-07-24

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