

Report for *Euphorbia platysperma*

TAXON DETAILS

Classification

Scientific Name	<i>Euphorbia platysperma</i> Engelm.
Common Name	flat-seeded spurge
Family	Euphorbiaceae
Element Code	PDEUP0D1X0
USDA Plants Symbol	
Synonyms/Other Names	<u><i>Chamaesyce platysperma</i> (Engelm.) Shinners</u>

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank	1B.2
Global Rank	G3
State Rank	S1
CESA	None
FESA	None
Other Status	SB_CalBG/RSABG
CRPR Changes	
Date Added	1980-01-01
Last Update	2021-05-26

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform	annual herb
Blooming Period	Feb-Sep
Elevation m (ft)	65-100 (215-330)
General Habitats	Desert dunes, Sonoran desert scrub (sandy)
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)	0
Unknown (U)	3
Occurrence Status	
Historical, > 20 years	3
Recent, < 20 years	0
Presence	
Presumed Extant	3
Possibly Extirpated	0
Presumed Extirpated	0

Location

California Endemic	No
Counties	
Imperial (IMP), Riverside (RIV), San Bernardino (SBD)?	
States	
Arizona (AZ), California (CA), Sonora, Mexico (SO)	
Quads	
Cathedral City (3311674), Myoma (3311673), Old Woman Springs (3411646)?, Superstition Mtn. (3211587)	

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 *Geological Survey of California, Botany* 2:482-483 (1880) for original description, *Desert Plants* 2(2):104-105 (1980) for species account, and *Taxon* 55:397-420 (2006) for taxonomic treatment.

Threats

Taxonomy

Selected References

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