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# Report for Stipa lemmonii var. pubescens

# TAXON DETAILS

## Classification

Scientific Name	<i>Stipa lemmonii</i> (Vasey) Scribn. var. <i>pubescens</i> Crampton	
Common Name	pubescent needle grass	
Family	Poaceae	
Element Code	PMPOA5X0F2	
USDA Plants Symbol		
Synonyms/Other Names	Achnatherum lemmonii var. pubescens	

## **Conservation Status**

California Rare Plant Rank	3.2
Global Rank	G5T1?Q
State Rank	S1?
CESA	None
FESA	None
Other Status	
CRPR Changes	
Date Added	1994-01-01
Last Update	2022-06-08

## **Ecology and Life History**

Lifeform	perennial herb
Blooming Period	May-Jul
Elevation m (ft)	1030-1315 (3380-4315)
General Habitats	Chaparral, Lower montane coniferous forest
Microhabitat Details	
Microhabitat	Serpentine

## Threat List Data from the CNDDB

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

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

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

California Endemic	Ves
California Endemic	Yes

#### Counties

Lake (LAK),	Tehama (	TEH	)
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#### States

California (CA)

#### Quads

Potato Hill (3912237), Riley Ridge (3912286)

#### 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

Move to List 1B? Taxonomic questions remain, since plant co-occurs with nominate variety. A synonym of A. lemmonii

in *The Jepson Manual*, but author now believes it is distinct. Threatened by grazing. See *Leaflets of Western Botany* 7(9):220 (1955) for original description, *Madroño* 31(1):48-56 (1984) for alternate taxonomic treatment, and *Phytologia* 74(1):1-25 (1993) for revised nomenclature.

## Threats

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#### **Selected References**

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