

Rare Plant Inventory

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Report for Chorizanthe cuspidata var. villosa

TAXON DETAILS Classification

Scientific Name Chorizanthe cuspidata Wats. var. villosa

(Eastw.) Munz

Common Name woolly-headed spineflower

FamilyPolygonaceaeElement CodePDPGN04082

USDA Plants Symbol CHCUV

Synonyms/Other Names

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank1B.2Global RankG2T2State RankS2CESANoneFESANone

Other Status

CRPR Changes

 Date Added
 1994-01-01

 Last Update
 2021-10-04

Ecology and Life History

Lifeformannual herbBlooming PeriodMay-Jul(Aug)Elevation m (ft)3-60 (10-195)

General Habitats Coastal dunes, Coastal prairie, Coastal scrub

Microhabitat Details

Microhabitat Sandy

Threat List Data from the CNDDB

Threat List Total:		8
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	9	53%
Threat List:		
Non-native plant impacts	7	41%
Agriculture	2	11%
Development	1	5%
Disking	1	5%
Foot traffic/trampling	1	5%
Grazing	1	5%
Mining	1	5%
Wood cutting or brush clearing	1	5%

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB

Total Element Occurrences:	17	
Element Occurrence Ranks:		
Excellent (A)	0	
Good (B)	7	
Fair (C)	1	
Poor (D)	0	
None (X)	0	
Unknown (U)	9	
Occurrence Status		
Historical, > 20 years	10	
Recent, < 20 years	7	
Presence		
Presumed Extant	17	
Possibly Extirpated	0	
Presumed Extirpated	0	

Location

California Endemic	Yes
Counties	
Marin (MRN), Sonoma (SON)	
States	
California (CA)	
Quads	

Bodega Head (3812331), Drakes Bay (3812218), Plantation (3812353), Tomales (3812228), Valley Ford (3812238)

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

Threatened by agriculture, development and non-native plants. See *C. cuspidata* in *The Jepson Manual*. See *Bulletin of the Torrey Botanical Club* 30:485 (1903) for original description, and *Phytologia* 66(2):127-130 (1989) for taxonomic treatment.

Threats

Taxononmy

Selected References

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