

Rare Plant Inventory

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Report for Muhlenbergia fragilis

TAXON DETAILS Classification

Scientific Name Muhlenbergia fragilis Swall.

Common Name delicate muhly

Family Poaceae

Element Code PMPOA480Q0

USDA Plants Symbol MUFR

Synonyms/Other Names

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank2B.3Global RankG5?State RankS2CESANoneFESANone

Other Status

CRPR Changes changed from 2.3 to 2B.3 on 2013-06-12

 Date Added
 1994-01-01

 Last Update
 2022-08-02

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform annual herb

Blooming Period Oct

Elevation m (ft) 1600-1600 (5250-5250)

General Habitats Pinyon and juniper woodland (carbonate,

gravelly)

Microhabitat Details

Microhabitat

Threat List Data from the CNDDB

Threat List Total:		2
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	1	33%
Threat List:		
Non-native animal impacts	1	33%
Non-native plant impacts	1	33%

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB

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	
San Bernardino (SBD)	

States

Arizona (AZ), Baja California (BA), California (CA), Nevada (NV), New Mexico (NM), Sonora, Mexico (SO), Texas (TX), Utah (UT)

Quads

Castle Peaks (3511532), Clark Mtn. (3511555), Pinto Valley (3511523)

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 in CA only from the Clark and New York mountains. See *Contributions from the U.S. National Herbarium* 29:206 (1947) for original description, and *Madroño* 35(4):353 (1988) for first CA record.

Threats

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Selected References

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