

Report for *Mertensia oblongifolia* var. *amoena***TAXON DETAILS****Classification**

Scientific Name	<i>Mertensia oblongifolia</i> (Nutt.) G. Don var. <i>amoena</i> (A. Nels.) L. Williams
Common Name	beautiful sagebrush bluebells
Family	Boraginaceae
Element Code	PDBOR0N0G1
USDA Plants Symbol	
Synonyms/Other Names	

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank	2B.2
Global Rank	G5T5
State Rank	S2
CESA	None
FESA	None
Other Status	
CRPR Changes	changed from 2.2 to 2B.2 on 2013-06-12
Date Added	2001-01-01
Last Update	2022-04-05

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform	perennial herb
Blooming Period	Apr-Jul
Elevation m (ft)	1630-2315 (5350-7595)
General Habitats	Great Basin scrub, Meadows and seeps
Microhabitat Details	
Microhabitat	

Threat List Data from the CNDDDB

Threat List Total:		2
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	1	8%
Threat List:		
Foot traffic/trampling	1	7%
Recreational use (non-ORV)	1	7%

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDDB

Total Element Occurrences:	13
Element Occurrence Ranks:	
Excellent (A)	0
Good (B)	0
Fair (C)	1
Poor (D)	0
None (X)	0
Unknown (U)	12
Occurrence Status	
Historical, > 20 years	12
Recent, < 20 years	1
Presence	
Presumed Extant	13
Possibly Extirpated	0
Presumed Extirpated	0

Location

California Endemic	No
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Counties

Lassen (LAS), Modoc (MOD)

States

California (CA), Idaho (ID), Nevada (NV), Oregon (OR), Utah (UT), Washington (WA), Wyoming (WY)

Quads

Davis Creek (4112063), Eagle Peak (4112032), Jess Valley (4112023), Lake Annie (4112081), Lake City (4112062), Mt. Bidwell (4112082), Payne Peak (4112053), Shields Creek (4112043), Soup Creek (4112033), Sugar Hill (4112073), Warren Peak (4112042), Willow Ranch (4112083)
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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

Threats

Taxonomy

Selected References

Original Description: *Botanical Gazette* 30:195 (1900)

Revised Nomenclature: *Annals of the Missouri Botanical Garden* 24:130 (1937)

Species Account: *Mertensia oblongifolia* var. *amoena* profile for potential Species of Conservation Concern evaluation (2018)

Other: USFS Potential Species of Conservation Concern Profile

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