

## **Rare Plant Inventory**

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# Report for Polyctenium williamsiae

## **TAXON DETAILS** Classification

**Scientific Name** Polyctenium williamsiae Rollins

**Common Name** Williams' combleaf **Family** Brassicaceae **Element Code** PDBRA23030

**USDA Plants Symbol POWI** 

Synonyms/Other Names

#### **Conservation Status**

California Rare Plant Rank 1B.2 G2Q **Global Rank State Rank** S1 **CESA** None **FESA** None

**Other Status** BLM S; USFS S

**CRPR Changes** changed from 1B.2 to 1B.2 on 2012-02-08

**Date Added** 2001-01-01 **Last Update** 2023-10-03

## **Ecology and Life History**

Lifeform perennial herb

**Blooming Period** Mar-Jul

Elevation m (ft) 1347-2700 (4420-8860)

**General Habitats** Great Basin scrub, Marshes and swamps, Pinyon and juniper woodland, Playas, Vernal

pools

Microhabitat Details

**Microhabitat** Lake Margins, Sandy, Volcanic

#### **Threat List Data from the CNDDB**

Threat List Total:		6
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	5	83%
Threat List:		
Grazing	4	66%
Foot traffic/trampling	2	33%
Agriculture	1	16%
Mining	1	16%
Road/trail construction/maint.	1	16%
Surface water diversion	1	16%

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

Total Element Occurrences:	6
Element Occurrence Ranks:	
Excellent (A)	0
Good (B)	3
Fair (C)	0
Poor (D)	0
None (X)	0
Unknown (U)	3
Occurrence Status	
Historical, > 20 years	6
Recent, < 20 years	0
Presence	
Presumed Extant	6
Possibly Extirpated	0
Presumed Extirpated	0

### Location

	California Endemic	No
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#### **Counties**

Lassen (LAS), Mono (MNO)

### **States**

California (CA), Nevada (NV), Oregon (OR)

#### Quads

Anderson Mtn. (4012085), Aurora (3811838), Cedar Hill (3811827), Dome Hill (3811931), Shaffer Mtn. (4012043), West of Huntoon Spring (3811816)

#### **Notes**

Definitions of codes preceding a county and/or quad:

<sup>\*</sup> 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 grazing and trampling. Possibly threatened by recreational activities. State-listed as Critically Endangered in NV. A synonym of *P. fremontii* in *TJM 2*. See *Journal of the Arnold Arboretum* 64:508 (1983) for original description, and *Intermountain Flora* 2B:416-419 (2005) for taxonomic treatment.

## **Threats**

## **Taxononmy**

#### **Selected References**

CNPS Status Review: CRPR List Deletion on 2012-02-08

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