

Report for *Ceanothus rigidus*

TAXON DETAILS

Classification

Scientific Name	<i>Ceanothus rigidus</i> Nutt.
Common Name	Monterey ceanothus
Family	Rhamnaceae
Element Code	PDRHA04067
USDA Plants Symbol	
Synonyms/Other Names	<u><i>Ceanothus cuneatus</i> var. <i>rigidus</i></u>

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank	4.2
Global Rank	G4
State Rank	S4
CESA	None
FESA	None
Other Status	SB_SBBG
CRPR Changes	
Date Added	1974-01-01
Last Update	2021-09-27

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform	perennial evergreen shrub
Blooming Period	Feb-Apr(Jun)
Elevation m (ft)	3-550 (10-1805)
General Habitats	Chaparral, Closed-cone coniferous forest, Coastal scrub
Microhabitat Details	
Microhabitat	Sandy

Threat List Data from the CNDDDB

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

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDDB

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	Yes
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Counties

Monterey (MNT)

States

California (CA)

Quads

Big Sur (3612137), Marina (3612167), Monterey (3612158), Mt. Carmel (3612147), Prunedale (3612176), Salinas (3612166), Seaside (3612157), Soberanes Point (3612148), Spreckels (3612156), Watsonville East (3612186)

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 development. Plants identified as *C. rigidus* in SLO and SBA cos. are part of the *C. cuneatus* complex, and may belong to an undescribed taxon.

Threats

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Selected References

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