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Report for Plagiobothrys torreyivar. perplexans

TAXON DETAILS

Classification

Scientific Name	Plagiobothrys torreyi (A. Gray) A Gray var. perplexans I.M. Johnst.
Common Name	chaparral popcornflower
Family	Boraginaceae
Element Code	PDBOR0V153
USDA Plants Symbol	
Synonyms/Other Names	

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank	4.3
Global Rank	G4T3?
State Rank	S3?
CESA	None
FESA	None
Other Status	
CRPR Changes	added to 4.3 on 2012-08-21
Date Added	2012-08-21
Last Update	2022-06-08

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform	annual herb
Blooming Period	Apr-Sep
Elevation m (ft)	1070-2745 (3510-9005)
General Habitats	Chaparral, Lower montane coniferous forest, Meadows and seeps, Upper montane coniferous forest
Microhabitat Details	igneous soils
Microhabitat	Burned areas

Threat List Data from the CNDDB

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

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB

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

Counties	
Kern (KRN)	

States

California (CA)

Quads

Liebre Twins (3411885), Loraine (3511834)

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

Previously identified as P. myosotoides, which does not occur in CA. Possibly threatened by fire suppression. Similar to

P. tenellus and *P. torreyi* var. *torreyi*; co-occurs with var. *torreyi* in the lower Sierra Nevada Foothills. See *Contributions* from the Gray Herbarium of Harvard University 68:72 (1923) for original description.

Threats

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Selected References

CNPS Status Review: CRPR List Addition on 2012-08-21

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