

### **Rare Plant Inventory**

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# Report for Calochortus obispoensis

## **TAXON DETAILS**

### Classification

Scientific Name Calochortus obispoensis Lemmon

Common Name San Luis mariposa-lily

Family Liliaceae Element Code PMLIL0D110

USDA Plants Symbol CAOB

Synonyms/Other Names

### **Conservation Status**

California Rare Plant Rank1B.2Global RankG2State RankS2CESANoneFESANone

Other Status SB\_CalBG/RSABG; SB\_SBBG; USFS\_S

**CRPR Changes** 

 Date Added
 1974-01-01

 Last Update
 2021-08-25

### **Ecology and Life History**

**Lifeform** perennial bulbiferous herb

Blooming Period May-Jul

**Elevation m (ft)** 50-730 (165-2395)

General Habitats Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Coastal

scrub, Valley and foothill grassland

**Microhabitat Details** 

Microhabitat Serpentine (often)

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

Threat List Total:		14
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	30	65%
Threat List:		
Grazing	13	28%
Foot traffic/trampling	12	26%
Non-native plant impacts	9	19%
Development	8	17%
Feral pigs	5	10%
Military operations	5	10%
Other	5	10%
Road/trail construction/maint.	5	10%
Improper burning regime	4	8%
Erosion/runoff	3	6%
Recreational use (non-ORV)	3	6%
Mining	2	4%
ORV activity	1	2%
Wood cutting or brush clearing	1	2%

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

Total Element Occurrences:	46	
Element Occurrence Ranks:		
Excellent (A)	4	
Good (B)	20	
Fair (C)	5	
Poor (D)	0	
None (X)	0	
Unknown (U)	17	
Occurrence Status		
Historical, > 20 years	23	
Recent, < 20 years	23	
Presence		
Presumed Extant	46	
Possibly Extirpated	0	
Presumed Extirpated	0	

## Location

California Endemic	Yes
Counties	
San Luis Obispo (SLO)	
States	
California (CA)	

#### Quads

Arroyo Grande NE (3512025), Atascadero (3512046), Lopez Mtn. (3512035), Morro Bay South (3512037), Pebblestone Shut-in (3512161), Pismo Beach (3512026), Port San Luis (3512027), San Luis Obispo (3512036)

#### **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 grazing, development, pipeline construction, road construction, and recreational activities. Potentially threatened by vegetation/fuel management and mining. See *Journal of Ecology* 75:977-995 (1987) for population biology.

#### **Threats**

## **Taxononmy**

## **Selected References**

### **Suggested Citation**

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