

Report for *Malacothamnus astrotentaculatus*

TAXON DETAILS



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Classification

Scientific Name	<i>Malacothamnus astrotentaculatus</i> K. Morse
Common Name	starry-tentacled bushmallow
Family	Malvaceae
Element Code	
USDA Plants Symbol	
Synonyms/Other Names	

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank	1B.3
Global Rank	
State Rank	
CESA	None
FESA	None
Other Status	
CRPR Changes	added to 1B.3 on 2024-04-29
Date Added	2024-04-29
Last Update	2024-05-03

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform	perennial deciduous shrub
Blooming Period	Jun-Jul(Aug-Sep)
Elevation m (ft)	285-1455 (935-4775)
General Habitats	Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Riparian woodland
Microhabitat Details	
Microhabitat	Burned areas

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

States

California (CA)

Quads

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

Potentially threatened by herbicides, alteration of fire regimes, and fire suppression.

Taxonomy

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Selected References

CNPS Status Review: Proposed addition to CRPR 1B.3, G2 / S2 (2024)

Original Description: *Malacothamnus* 2: 65–69 (2023)

Taxonomic Treatment: *Malacothamnus* 3 (2023)

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