

Rare Plant Inventory

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Report for Dieteria asteroides var. lagunensis

TAXON DETAILS Classification

Scientific Name Dieteria asteroides Torrey var. lagunensis

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Common Name Mt. Laguna aster

Family Asteraceae
Element Code PDAST64131

USDA Plants Symbol

Synonyms/Other Names Machaeranthera lagunensis Keck

Machaeranthera asteroides (Torr.) Greene

var. lagunensis (Keck) Turner

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank2B.1Global RankG5?T2State RankS1

CESA CR (09/01/79)

FESA None

Other Status BLM_S; SB_CRES; USFS_S

CRPR Changes changed from 2.1 to 2B.1 on 2013-06-12

 Date Added
 1988-01-01

 Last Update
 2023-06-06

Ecology and Life History

Lifeformperennial herbBlooming Period(May)Jul-Aug

Elevation m (ft) 790-2400 (2590-7875)

General Habitats Cismontane woodland, Lower montane

coniferous forest

Microhabitat Details

Microhabitat

Threat List Data from the CNDDB

| Threat List Total: | | 8 |
|--------------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| | Total EOs | Percent EOs |
| EOs with Threats Listed | 2 | 29% |
| Threat List: | | |
| Grazing | 2 | 28% |
| Road/trail construction/maint. | 2 | 28% |
| Wood cutting or brush clearing | 1 | 14% |
| Foot traffic/trampling | 1 | 14% |
| Logging | 1 | 14% |
| ORV activity | 1 | 14% |
| Other | 1 | 14% |
| Recreational use (non-ORV) | 1 | 14% |

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB

| Total Element Occurrences: | 7 |
|----------------------------|---|
| Element Occurrence Ranks: | |
| Excellent (A) | 0 |
| Good (B) | 2 |
| Fair (C) | 1 |
| Poor (D) | 0 |
| None (X) | 0 |
| Unknown (U) | 4 |
| Occurrence Status | |
| Historical, > 20 years | 4 |
| Recent, < 20 years | 3 |
| Presence | |
| Presumed Extant | 7 |
| Possibly Extirpated | 0 |
| Presumed Extirpated | 0 |

Location

| California Endemic | No |
|---|--------------------|
| Counties | |
| San Diego (SDG) | |
| States | |
| Baja California (BA), California (CA) | |
| Quads | |
| Campo (3211654), Earthquake Valley (3311614), Jacumba (3211 (3211674) | 662), Mount Laguna |

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

Known in CA from fewer than 5 occurrences. Threatened by development, grazing and recreational activities. Potentially threatened by road maintenance. See *Brittonia* 9:238 (1957) for original description and *SIDA* 20(4): 1393 (2003) for revised nomenclature.

Threats

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Selected References

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