

## **Rare Plant Inventory**

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# Report for Juncus leiospermus var. leiospermus

#### **TAXON DETAILS**







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### Classification

Scientific Name Juncus leiospermus F.J. Herm. var.

leiospermus

Common Name Red Bluff dwarf rush

Family Juncaceae
Element Code PMJUN011L2

USDA Plants Symbol JULEL

Synonyms/Other Names

### **Conservation Status**

California Rare Plant Rank1B.1Global RankG2T2State RankS2CESANoneFESANone

Other Status BLM\_S; USFS\_S

**CRPR Changes** 

 Date Added
 1974-01-01

 Last Update
 2022-03-01

### **Ecology and Life History**

Lifeformannual herbBlooming PeriodMar-Jun

**Elevation m (ft)** 35-1250 (115-4100)

General Habitats Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Meadows

and seeps, Valley and foothill grassland,

Vernal pools

**Microhabitat Details** 

Microhabitat Vernally Mesic

# **Threat List Data from the CNDDB**

Threat List Total:		12
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	38	61%
Threat List:		
Development	22	35%
ORV activity	10	16%
Grazing	10	16%
Agriculture	5	8%
Logging	3	4%
Dam/Inundation	2	3%
Other	2	3%
Road/trail construction/maint.	2	3%
Vandalism/dumping/litter	1	1%
Altered flood/tidal/hydrologic regime	1	1%
Foot traffic/trampling	1	1%
Mining	1	1%

# **Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB**

Total Element Occurrences:	62	
Element Occurrence Ranks:		
Excellent (A)	7	
Good (B)	18	
Fair (C)	8	
Poor (D)	3	
None (X)	4	
Unknown (U)	22	
Occurrence Status		
Historical, > 20 years	42	
Recent, < 20 years	20	
Presence		
Presumed Extant	58	
Possibly Extirpated	3	
Presumed Extirpated	1	

# Location

California Endemic	Yes
Counties	
Butte (BUT), Placer (PLA), Shasta (SHA), Tehama (TEH)	
States	
California (CA)	
Quade	

Balls Ferry (4012242), Bend (4012232), Black Butte Dam (3912273), Blossom (4012224), Burney (4012186), Burney Falls (4112116), Burney Mtn. West (4012176), Campbell Mound (3912187), Cherokee (3912165), Cottonwood (4012243), Enterprise (4012253), Henleyville (3912283), Olinda (4012244), Oroville (3912155), Palo Cedro (4012252), Project City (4012263), Red Bluff East (4012222), Red Bluff West (4012223), Richardson Springs (3912177), Roseville (3812173), Shippee (3912156), Tuscan Buttes Ne (4012241), West of Gerber (4012213)

#### **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**

### **Taxononmy**

### **Selected References**

Original Description: Leaflets of Western Botany 5:113 (1948)

Taxonomic Treatment: Memoirs of the New York Botanical Garden 39:46-51 (1986)

Species Account: Juncus leiospermus var. leiospermus profile for potential Species of Conservation Concern

evaluation (2018)

Other: USFS Potential Species of Conservation Concern Profile

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