

**CNPS Inventory of Rare and Endangered Plants of
California**

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PLANT DETAIL

Classification

Scientific Name	<i>Berberis pinnata</i> Lag. ssp. <i>insularis</i> Munz
Common Name	island barberry
Family	Berberidaceae
Element Code Name	PDBER060B2
USDA Plants Symbol	
Synonyms/Other Names	<i>Mahonia pinnata</i> (Lag.) Fedde ssp. <i>insularis</i> (Munz) Roof

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank	1B.2
Global Rank	G5T1
State Rank	S1
CESA	CE (11/01/79)
FESA	FE (07/31/97)
Other Status	SB_SBBG
CRPR Changes	
Date Added	1/1/1980
Last Change	8/25/2021

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform	perennial evergreen shrub
Blooming Period	Feb-May
Elevation: m (ft)	75-400 (245-1310)
General Habitat	Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Closed-cone coniferous forest, Coastal scrub
General MicroHabitat	
Micro Habitat	Rocky

Element Occurrence Data from California Natural Diversity Database

Total Element Occurrences	8
Element Occurrence Ranks	
Excellent (A)	0
Good (B)	3
Fair (C)	1
Poor (D)	0

None (X)	2
Unknown (U)	2
Occurrence Status	
Historical, > 20 years	4
Recent, < 20 years	4
Presence	
Presumed Extant	6
Possibly Extirpated	1
Presumed Extirpated	1

Location

CA Endemic Yes

Counties

Santa Barbara (SBA), Ventura (VEN)

States

California (CA)

Quads

Anacapa Island (3311983)*, Santa Cruz Island A (3311987), Santa Cruz Island B (3311986), Santa Rosa Island North (3312081)

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.

General Notes

Known from fewer than 10 occurrences. Believed to be extirpated from ANA Isl. after surveys in 1994. Last seen on SRO Isl. in 1930, despite recent surveys. Threatened by feral herbivores. See *Changing Seasons* 1(3):14 (1981) for revised nomenclature.

Distribution

Threats

Taxonomy

Other

References