

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

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PLANT DETAIL

Classification

Scientific Name	<i>Trifolium hydrophilum</i> Greene
Common Name	saline clover
Family	Fabaceae
Element Code Name	PDFAB400R5
USDA Plants Symbol	
Synonyms/Other Names	<i>Trifolium depauperatum</i> Devs. var. <i>hydrophilum</i> (Greene) Isely

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank	1B.2
Global Rank	G2
State Rank	S2
CESA	None
FESA	None
Other Status	
CRPR Changes	
Date Added	1/1/2001
Last Change	5/26/2021

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform	annual herb
Blooming Period	Apr-Jun
Elevation: m (ft)	0-300 (0-985)
General Habitat	Marshes and swamps, Valley and foothill grassland (mesic, alkaline), Vernal pools
General MicroHabitat	
Micro Habitat	

Element Occurrence Data from California Natural Diversity Database

Total Element Occurrences	56
Element Occurrence Ranks	
Excellent (A)	1
Good (B)	10
Fair (C)	4
Poor (D)	1
None (X)	10

Unknown (U)	30
Occurrence Status	
Historical, > 20 years	27
Recent, < 20 years	29
Presence	
Presumed Extant	46
Possibly Extirpated	3
Presumed Extirpated	7

Location

CA Endemic Yes

Counties

Alameda (ALA), Contra Costa (CCA), Lake (LAK), Mendocino (MEN), Monterey (MNT), Napa (NAP), Sacramento (SAC), San Benito (SBT), San Joaquin (SJQ), San Luis Obispo (SLO), San Mateo (SMT), Santa Clara (SCL), Santa Cruz (SCR), Solano (SOL), Sonoma (SON), Yolo (YOL)

States

California (CA)

Quads

Altamont (3712166), Benicia (3812212), Bruceville (3812134), Calistoga (3812255), Camp Meeker (3812248), Chittenden (3612185), Clarksburg (3812145), Cordelia (3812222), Cotati (3812236), Cuttings Wharf (3812223), Dozier (3812137), Elmira (3812138), Fairfield North (3812231), Fairfield South (3812221), Florin (3812144), Grays Bend (3812166), Hollister (3612174), Liberty Island (3812136), Livermore (3712167), Middletown (3812275), Milpitas (3712148), Monterey (3612158), Moss Landing (3612177), Napa (3812233)*, Newark (3712251), Oakland East (3712272), Oakland West (3712273), Redwood Point (3712252), Richmond (3712283), San Felipe (3612184), San Jose West (3712138), San Leandro (3712262), San Luis Obispo (3512036), San Mateo (3712253), San Quentin (3712284), Santa Rosa (3812246), Saxon (3812146), Sears Point (3812224), Sebastopol (3812247)*, Stockton West (3712183), Vine Hill (3812211), Willits (3912343)

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

Many sites likely extirpated; need current information on rarity and endangerment. Need quads for COL Co. Threatened by development, trampling, road construction, and vehicles. See *Manual of the Botany of the Region of San Francisco Bay*, p.100 (1894) for original description, and *Brittonia* 32(1):55 (1980) for revised nomenclature.

Distribution

Threats

Taxonomy

Other

References