

# **Rare Plant Inventory**

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# Report for Monardella beneolens

#### **TAXON DETAILS**



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## Classification

Scientific Name Monardella beneolens Shevock, B. Ertter &

Jokerst

Common Name sweet-smelling monardella

Family Lamiaceae Element Code PDLAM180U0

USDA Plants Symbol MOBE5

Synonyms/Other Names

#### **Conservation Status**

California Rare Plant Rank1B.3Global RankG2State RankS2CESANoneFESANone

Other Status BLM\_S; SB\_CalBG/RSABG; USFS\_S

**CRPR Changes** 

 Date Added
 1994-01-01

 Last Update
 2022-12-06

# **Ecology and Life History**

**Lifeform** perennial rhizomatous herb

Blooming Period Jun-Sep

**Elevation m (ft)** 2475-3500 (8120-11485)

General Habitats Alpine boulder and rock field, Subalpine

coniferous forest, Upper montane coniferous

forest

**Microhabitat Details** 

Microhabitat Granitic

# **Threat List Data from the CNDDB**

Threat List Total:		2
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	3	50%
Threat List:		
Other	2	33%
Road/trail construction/maint.	1	16%

### **Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB**

Total Element Occurrences:	6
Element Occurrence Ranks:	
Excellent (A)	2
Good (B)	0
Fair (C)	0
Poor (D)	0
None (X)	0
Unknown (U)	4
Occurrence Status	,
Historical, > 20 years	3
Recent, < 20 years	3
Presence	,
Presumed Extant	6
Possibly Extirpated	0
Presumed Extirpated	0

### Location

Counties	
Inyo (INY), Kern (KRN), Tulare (TUL)	
States	

#### Quads

Bartlett (3611841), Cirque Peak (3611842), Haiwee Pass (3611821), Mount Whitney (3611853), Olancha (3611831), Owens Peak (3511768)

#### **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 only from the eastern Sierran crest. Remoteness of occurrences limits disturbance. Hybridizes with *M. linoides* ssp. *linoides* and *M. odoratissima* ssp. *pallida*. See *Madroño* 36(4):271-279 (1989) for original description.

# **Threats**

# **Taxononmy**

## **Selected References**

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