

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

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PLANT DETAIL

Classification

Scientific Name	<i>Linanthus bellus</i> (Gray) Greene
Common Name	desert beauty
Family	Polemoniaceae
Element Code Name	PDPLM09070
USDA Plants Symbol	LIBE
Synonyms/Other Names	

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank	2B.1
Global Rank	G2G3
State Rank	S2
CESA	None
FESA	None
Other Status	SB_CRES
CRPR Changes	changed from 2B.3 to 2B.1 on 2013-08-08 changed from 2.3 to 2B.3 on 2013-06-12
Date Added	1/1/1974
Last Change	5/26/2021

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform	annual herb
Blooming Period	Apr-May
Elevation: m (ft)	1000-1400 (3280-4595)
General Habitat	Chaparral (sandy)
General MicroHabitat	
Micro Habitat	

Element Occurrence Data from California Natural Diversity Database

Total Element Occurrences	59
Element Occurrence Ranks	
Excellent (A)	4
Good (B)	1
Fair (C)	1
Poor (D)	0
None (X)	0

Unknown (U)	53
Occurrence Status	
Historical, > 20 years	18
Recent, < 20 years	41
Presence	
Presumed Extant	59
Possibly Extirpated	0
Presumed Extirpated	0

Location

CA Endemic No

Counties

San Diego (SDG)

States

Baja California (BA), California (CA)

Quads

Aguanga (3311647), Beauty Mountain (3311646), Bucksnot Mtn. (3311645), Cameron Corners (3211664), Descanso (3211675), Hot Springs Mtn. (3311635), Jacumba (3211662), Live Oak Springs (3211663), Sombrero Peak (3211673), Tierra Del Sol (3211653), Warner Springs (3311636)

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

Threatened by wind energy development and vehicles. Possibly threatened by grazing and non-native plants.

Distribution

Threats

Taxonomy

Other

References