

Report for *Astragalus cimae* var. *cimae*

TAXON DETAILS

Classification

Scientific Name	<i>Astragalus cimae</i> Jones var. <i>cimae</i>
Common Name	Cima milk-vetch
Family	Fabaceae
Element Code	PDFAB0F231
USDA Plants Symbol	<u>ASCIC3</u>
Synonyms/Other Names	

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank	1B.2
Global Rank	G3T2T3
State Rank	S2?
CESA	None
FESA	None
Other Status	SB_CalBG/RSABG
CRPR Changes	
Date Added	1974-01-01
Last Update	2024-01-02

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform	perennial herb
Blooming Period	Apr-May
Elevation m (ft)	890-1850 (2920-6070)
General Habitats	Great Basin scrub, Joshua tree "woodland", Pinyon and juniper woodland
Microhabitat Details	
Microhabitat	Clay

Threat List Data from the CNDDDB

Threat List Total:		5
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	7	26%
Threat List:		
Grazing	3	11%
Mining	1	3%
Other	1	3%
Recreational use (non-ORV)	1	3%
Foot traffic/trampling	1	3%

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDDB

Total Element Occurrences:	27
Element Occurrence Ranks:	
Excellent (A)	0
Good (B)	0
Fair (C)	1
Poor (D)	0
None (X)	0
Unknown (U)	26
Occurrence Status	
Historical, > 20 years	15
Recent, < 20 years	12
Presence	
Presumed Extant	27
Possibly Extirpated	0
Presumed Extirpated	0

Location

California Endemic	No
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Counties
San Bernardino (SBD)

States
California (CA), Nevada (NV)

Quads
Castle Peaks (3511532), Cima (3511525), Cima Dome (3511535), Columbia Mtn. (3511514), Hayden (3511515), Ivanpah (3511533), Marl Mountains (3511526), Mescal Range (3511545), Mid Hills (3511524), Pinto Valley (3511523)

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

Threatened by grazing. On watch list in NV. See *Memoirs of the New York Botanical Garden* 13:505-508 (1964) for taxonomic treatment.

Threats

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Selected References

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