PLANT DETAIL

Classification

Scientific Name: Packera hesperia (Greene) W.A. Weber & A. Love
Common Name: western ragwort
Family: Asteraceae
Element Code Name: PDAST8H1L0
USDA Plants Symbol: PAHE11
Synonyms/Other Names

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank: 2B.2
Global Rank: G3
State Rank: S1
CESA: None
FESA: None
Other Status: USFS_S
CRPR Changes: changed from 2.2 to 2B.2 on 2013-06-12
added to 2.2 on 2007-04-12
Date Added: 4/12/2007
Last Change: 8/2/2022

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform: perennial herb
Blooming Period: Apr-Jun
Elevation: m (ft) 500-2500 (1640-8205)
General Habitat: Meadows and seeps, Upper montane coniferous forest

General MicroHabitat
Element Occurrence Data from California Natural Diversity Database

Total Element Occurrences 4

Element Occurrence Ranks
- Excellent (A) 4
- Good (B) 0
- Fair (C) 0
- Poor (D) 0
- None (X) 0
- Unknown (U) 0

Occurrence Status
- Historical, > 20 years 0
- Recent, < 20 years 4

Presence
- Presumed Extant 4
- Possibly Extirpated 0
- Presumed Extirpated 0

Location
- CA Endemic No
- Counties
  - Del Norte (DNT)
- States
  - California (CA), Oregon (OR)
- Quads
  - Gasquet (4112378)

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 only from the Siskiyou Mountains.

Distribution

Threats
Possibly threatened by alteration of fire regimes, logging, and vehicles.
Taxonomy

Other
Possibly threatened by alteration of fire regimes, logging, and vehicles.

References