

Report for *Arctostaphylos pallida*

TAXON DETAILS

Classification

Scientific Name	<i>Arctostaphylos pallida</i> Eastw.
Common Name	pallid manzanita
Family	Ericaceae
Element Code	PDERI04110
USDA Plants Symbol	<u>ARPA21</u>
Synonyms/Other Names	

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank	1B.1
Global Rank	G1
State Rank	S1
CESA	CE (11/01/79)
FESA	04/22/98 (04/22/98)
Other Status	SB_CalBG/RSABG
CRPR Changes	
Date Added	1974-01-01
Last Update	2022-12-06

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform	perennial evergreen shrub
Blooming Period	Dec-Mar
Elevation m (ft)	185-465 (605-1525)
General Habitats	Broadleafed upland forest, Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Closed-cone coniferous forest, Coastal scrub
Microhabitat Details	siliceous shale
Microhabitat	Gravelly (sometimes), Sandy (sometimes)

Threat List Data from the CNDDDB

Threat List Total:		14
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	9	100%
Threat List:		
Other	8	88%
Road/trail construction/maint.	4	44%
Improper burning regime	3	33%
Non-native plant impacts	3	33%
Development	3	33%
Disease	3	33%
Foot traffic/trampling	3	33%
Wood cutting or brush clearing	2	22%
Biocides	1	11%
Vandalism/dumping/litter	1	11%
Grazing	1	11%
Erosion/runoff	1	11%
ORV activity	1	11%
Recreational use (non-ORV)	1	11%

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDDB

Total Element Occurrences:	9
Element Occurrence Ranks:	
Excellent (A)	0
Good (B)	1
Fair (C)	4
Poor (D)	3
None (X)	1
Unknown (U)	0
Occurrence Status	
Historical, > 20 years	1
Recent, < 20 years	8
Presence	
Presumed Extant	8
Possibly Extirpated	1
Presumed Extirpated	0

Location

California Endemic	Yes
Counties	
Alameda (ALA), Contra Costa (CCA)	
States	
California (CA)	

Quads

Briones Valley (3712282), Oakland East (3712272), Richmond (3712283)

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 from fewer than 10 occurrences in the Contra Costa Hills of the Diablo Range. Threatened by alteration of fire regimes, non-native plants, and road construction, and possibly by development, fungal infection, and hybridization. Plants from 465B are introduced. See *Leaflets of Western Botany* 1:76 (1933) for original description, and *Four Seasons* 7(4):28-46 (1987) for ecological assessment.

Threats

Taxonomy

Selected References

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