

## Report for *Calyptridium pygmaeum*

### TAXON DETAILS

#### Classification

Scientific Name	<i>Calyptridium pygmaeum</i> Rydb.
Common Name	pygmy pussypaws
Family	Montiaceae
Element Code	PDPOR09070
USDA Plants Symbol	
Synonyms/Other Names	

#### Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank	1B.2
Global Rank	G1G2
State Rank	S1S2
CESA	None
FESA	None
Other Status	SB_CalBG/RSABG; USFS_S
CRPR Changes	added to 1B.2 on 2008-10-10
Date Added	2008-10-10
Last Update	2023-06-06

#### Ecology and Life History

Lifeform	annual herb
Blooming Period	Jun-Aug
Elevation m (ft)	1980-3110 (6495-10205)
General Habitats	Subalpine coniferous forest, Upper montane coniferous forest
Microhabitat Details	
Microhabitat	Gravelly (sometimes), Sandy (sometimes)

**Threat List Data from the CNDDB**

<b>Threat List Total:</b>		1
	<b>Total EOs</b>	<b>Percent EOs</b>
<b>EOs with Threats Listed</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>9%</b>
<b>Threat List:</b>		
Recreational use (non-ORV)	1	9%

**Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB**

<b>Total Element Occurrences:</b>	11
<b>Element Occurrence Ranks:</b>	
Excellent (A)	0
Good (B)	0
Fair (C)	0
Poor (D)	0
None (X)	0
Unknown (U)	11
<b>Occurrence Status</b>	
Historical, > 20 years	10
Recent, < 20 years	1
<b>Presence</b>	
Presumed Extant	11
Possibly Extirpated	0
Presumed Extirpated	0

**Location**

**California Endemic** Yes

**Counties**

Fresno (FRE), Inyo (INY), San Bernardino (SBD), Tulare (TUL)

**States**

California (CA)

**Quads**

Big Bear City (3411637), Big Bear Lake (3411628), Bonita Meadows (3611813), Casa Vieja Meadows (3611823), Cirque Peak (3611842), Crag Peak (3611812), Florence Lake (3711838), Mt. Abbot (3711847), Mt. Kaweah (3611854), Mt. Langley (3611852), Muir Grove (3611867), Triple Divide Peak (3611855), Ward Mountain (3711828)

**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. Possibly threatened by development, vehicles and recreational activities.

## **Threats**

## **Taxonomy**

## **Selected References**

**CNPS Status Review:** Proposed Addition to CRPR 1B.2, G2 / S2 (2008)

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