Report for *Carex stevenii*

**TAXON DETAILS**

**Classification**

- **Scientific Name**: *Carex stevenii* (T. Holm) Kalela
- **Common Name**: Steven's sedge
- **Family**: Cyperaceae
- **Element Code**: PMCYP039D4
- **USDA Plants Symbol**: None
- **Synonyms/Other Names**: None

**Conservation Status**

- **California Rare Plant Rank**: 2B.2
- **Global Rank**: G5T4?
- **State Rank**: S1
- **CESA**: None
- **FESA**: None
- **Other Status**: None
- **CRPR Changes**: changed from 2.2 to 2B.2 on 2013-06-12
- **Date Added**: 2011-11-21
- **Last Update**: 2023-08-01

**Ecology and Life History**

- **Lifeform**: perennial rhizomatous herb
- **Blooming Period**: Aug
- **Elevation m (ft)**: 2850-3385 (9350-11105)
- **General Habitats**: Alpine boulder and rock field
- **Microhabitat Details**: sometimes along creeks, sometimes dry meadows
- **Microhabitat**: Dry (sometimes), Streambanks (sometimes)
Threat List Data from the CNDDDB

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Occurrence Status
| Historical, > 20 years | 2 |
| Recent, < 20 years | 0 |

Presence
| Presumed Extant | 2 |
| Possibly Extirpated | 0 |
| Presumed Extirpated | 0 |

Location

California Endemic
No

Counties
Mono (MNO)

States
California (CA), Colorado (CO), Idaho (ID), Montana (MT), New Mexico (NM), Utah (UT), Wyoming (WY)

Quads
Boundary Peak (3711873), White Mtn. Peak (3711863)

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 in CA only from the White Mtns. All occurrences historical; need field surveys. Previously identified as *C. norvegica*; see this plant in *The Jepson Manual* (1993). See *American Journal of Science* (ser. 4) 16:21-27 (1903) for original description.

**Threats**

**Taxonomy**

**Selected References**

**CNPS Status Review**: Proposed New Add to CRPR 2.2, G4? / S1 (2011)

**Suggested Citation**