PLANT DETAIL

**Classification**
- **Scientific Name**: Ceanothus decornutus V.T. Parker
- **Common Name**: Nicasio ceanothus
- **Family**: Rhamnaceae
- **Element Code Name**: PDRHA04440
- **USDA Plants Symbol**: 

**Synonyms/Other Names**

**Conservation Status**
- **California Rare Plant Rank**: 1B.2
- **Global Rank**: G1
- **State Rank**: S1
- **CESA**: None
- **FESA**: None
- **Other Status**: SB_CalBG/RSABG
- **CRPR Changes**: added to 1B.2 on 2016-06-16
- **Date Added**: 6/16/2016
- **Last Change**: 12/6/2022

**Ecology and Life History**
- **Lifeform**: perennial shrub
- **Blooming Period**: Mar-May
- **Elevation: m (ft)**: 235-290 (770-950)
- **General Habitat**: Chaparral (maritime)
- **General MicroHabitat**: 
- **Micro Habitat**: Clay (sometimes), Rocky, Serpentine

**Element Occurrence Data from California Natural Diversity Database**
- **Total Element Occurrences**: 2
- **Element Occurrence Ranks**
  - Excellent (A): 0
  - Good (B): 0
  - Fair (C): 0
  - Poor (D): 0
  - None (X): 0
  - Unknown (U): 2

**Occurrence Status**
Discovered in the 1980’s by Wilma Follette. Potentially threatened by non-native plants. Possibly threatened by insect herbivory. Similar to *C. jepsonii*; primarily differs from it in having 5-merous flowers that are white, light blue, or pink. See *Madroño* 61(4):399-406 (2014) for original description.

**General Notes**

**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.

**Location**

**CA Endemic**

**Yes**

**Counties**

Marin (MRN)

**States**

California (CA)

**Quads**

San Geronimo (3812216)

**Presence**

**Presumed Extant**

**2**

**Possibly Extirpated**

**0**

**Presumed Extirpated**

**0**

**Historical, > 20 years**

**0**

**Recent, < 20 years**

**2**

**References**