

**CNPS Inventory of Rare and Endangered Plants of
California**

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PLANT DETAIL

Classification

Scientific Name	<i>Euphorbia arizonica</i> Engelm.
Common Name	Arizona spurge
Family	Euphorbiaceae
Element Code Name	PDEUP0D060
USDA Plants Symbol	
Synonyms/Other Names	<i>Chamaesyce arizonica</i> (Engelm.) Arthur

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank	2B.3
Global Rank	G5
State Rank	S3
CESA	None
FESA	None
Other Status	
CRPR Changes	changed from 2.3 to 2B.3 on 2013-06-12
Date Added	1/1/1980
Last Change	5/26/2021

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform	perennial herb
Blooming Period	Mar-Apr
Elevation: m (ft)	50-300 (165-985)
General Habitat	Sonoran desert scrub (sandy)
General MicroHabitat	
Micro Habitat	

Element Occurrence Data from California Natural Diversity Database

Total Element Occurrences	11
Element Occurrence Ranks	
Excellent (A)	1
Good (B)	2
Fair (C)	0
Poor (D)	0
None (X)	0

Unknown (U)	8
Occurrence Status	
Historical, > 20 years	7
Recent, < 20 years	4
Presence	
Presumed Extant	11
Possibly Extirpated	0
Presumed Extirpated	0

Location

CA Endemic No

Counties

Imperial (IMP), Riverside (RIV), San Diego (SDG)

States

Arizona (AZ), Baja California (BA), California (CA), New Mexico (NM), Texas (TX)

Quads

Borrego Palm Canyon (3311634), Carrizo Mtn. (3211671), Cathedral City (3311674), Clark Lake NE (3311643), Collins Valley (3311644), East Deception Canyon (3311683), In-ko-pah Gorge (3211661), Myoma (3311673), Palm Springs (3311675), Palm View Peak (3311665), Seven Palms Valley (3311684), Sweeney Pass (3211672), Tubb Canyon (3311624)

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

Undocumented in IMP Co.; need quads. See *Report of the United States and Mexican Boundary, Botany* 2(1):186 (1859) for original description, *Madroño* 32(3):187-189 (1985) for alternative nomenclature, and *Taxon* 55:397-420 (2006) for taxonomic treatment.

Distribution

Threats

Taxonomy

Other

References