

# CNPS Inventory of Rare and Endangered Plants of California

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## PLANT DETAIL



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### Classification

<b>Scientific Name</b>	<i>Chorizanthe rectispina</i> Goodm.
<b>Common Name</b>	straight-awned spineflower
<b>Family</b>	Polygonaceae
<b>Element Code Name</b>	PDPGN040N0
<b>USDA Plants Symbol</b>	CHRE
<b>Synonyms/Other Names</b>	

### Conservation Status

<b>California Rare Plant Rank</b>	1B.2
<b>Global Rank</b>	G2
<b>State Rank</b>	S2
<b>CESA</b>	None
<b>FESA</b>	None
<b>Other Status</b>	BLM_S; USFS_S
<b>CRPR Changes</b>	changed from 1B.3 to 1B.2 on 2022-01-06
<b>Date Added</b>	1/1/1974
<b>Last Change</b>	2/1/2022

### Ecology and Life History

<b>Lifeform</b>	annual herb
<b>Blooming Period</b>	Apr-Jul
<b>Elevation: m (ft)</b>	85-1035 (280-3395)
<b>General Habitat</b>	Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Coastal scrub
<b>General MicroHabitat</b>	
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### Element Occurrence Data from California Natural Diversity Database

<b>Total Element Occurrences</b>	42
<b>Element Occurrence Ranks</b>	
Excellent (A)	3
Good (B)	13
Fair (C)	4
Poor (D)	0
None (X)	1
Unknown (U)	21
<b>Occurrence Status</b>	
Historical, > 20 years	17
Recent, < 20 years	25
<b>Presence</b>	
Presumed Extant	41
Possibly Extirpated	1
Presumed Extirpated	0

## Location

**CA Endemic** Yes

### Counties

Monterey (MNT), San Luis Obispo (SLO)

### States

California (CA)

### Quads

Atascadero (3512046), Bradley (3512077), Branch Mtn. (3512021)?, Camatta Ranch (3512043), Hames Valley (3512088), Lopez Mtn. (3512035), San Miguel (3512076), Santa Margarita (3512045), Tierra Redonda Mountain (3512078), Williams Hill (3512181), York Mountain (3512057)

### 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

Possibly threatened by development and non-native plants. See *Annals of the Missouri Botanical Garden* 21:72 (1934) for original description, and *Phytologia* 66(2):143 (1989) for taxonomic treatment.

## Distribution

## Threats

**Taxonomy**

**Other**

**References**