PLANT DETAIL

Classification

Scientific Name
Ceanothus foliosus Parry var. viejasensis D. O. Burge & Rebman

Common Name
Viejas Mountain ceanothus

Family
Rhamnaceae

Element Code Name
PDRHA040D7

USDA Plants Symbol

Synonyms/Other Names

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank
1B.2

Global Rank
G3T1

State Rank
S1

CESA
None

FESA
None

Other Status

CRPR Changes
added to 1B.2 on 2019-01-30

Date Added
1/30/2019

Last Change
10/4/2021

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform
perennial shrub

Blooming Period
Mar-Jun

Elevation: m (ft)
785-1370 (2575-4495)

General Habitat
Chaparral (gabbroic)

General MicroHabitat

Micro Habitat
Gabbroic

Element Occurrence Data from California Natural Diversity Database

Total Element Occurrences
7

Element Occurrence Ranks

Excellent (A) 0
Good (B) 0
Fair (C) 0
Poor (D) 0
None (X) 0
Unknown (U) 7
Occurrence Status
- Historical, > 20 years: 2
- Recent, < 20 years: 5

Presence
- Presumed Extant: 7
- Possibly Extirpated: 0
- Presumed Extirpated: 0

Location
- CA Endemic: Yes

Counties
- San Diego (SDG)

States
- California (CA)

Quads
- Viejas Mountain (3211676)

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
Distinct from other *C. foliosus* vars. in leaf vestiture, with abundant hairs on abaxial leaf surfaces and young stems that often form a dense mat, obscuring tertiary venation (vs. glabrous or usually sparse abaxial hairs when present in other vars.). Similar to *C. tomentosus*; differentiated by undulate leaves with lamina that are often folded lengthwise (vs. plane margins with lamina that are flat in *C. tomentosus*). See *Systemic Botany* 42(3):529-542 (2017) for original description.

Distribution

Threats

Taxonomy

Other

References