Considered But Rejected: Arceuthobium siskiyouense

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Background

Proposed for review for addition on 6/22/2012, postponed on 11/6/2012 for similar reasons as *A. abietinum* ssp. *wiensii*. It's considered unlikely for *Arceuthobium* taxa in general to be threatened. Difficult, if not impossible, at this time or in foreseeable future to determine true distribution of this taxon. Even if limited in distribution, threats of full eradication are non-existent. Hosts are very common, which indicates this species is likely common as well.

Inventory Record

Arceuthobium siskiyouense

CBR: Possibly too common; needs further study. Principal hosts are *Pinus attenuata* and *P. jeffreyi* in far northern CA, and *P. contorta* ssp. *contorta* is an occasional host.