

Rare Plant Inventory

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Report for Arctostaphylos osoensis

TAXON DETAILS Classification

Scientific Name Arctostaphylos osoensis Wells

Common NameOso manzanitaFamilyEricaceaeElement CodePDERI042S0

USDA Plants Symbol AROS

Synonyms/Other Names

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank1B.2Global RankG1State RankS1CESANoneFESANoneOther StatusSB_UCSC

CRPR Changes

 Date Added
 1994-01-01

 Last Update
 2022-12-06

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform perennial evergreen shrub

Blooming Period Feb-Mar

Elevation m (ft) 95-500 (310-1640)

General Habitats Chaparral, Cismontane woodland

Microhabitat Details dacite porphyry buttes

Microhabitat

Threat List Data from the CNDDB

Threat List Total:		0
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	0	%
Threat List:		

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB

Total Element Occurrences:	11	
Element Occurrence Ranks:	_	
Excellent (A)	1	
Good (B)	0	
Fair (C)	0	
Poor (D)	0	
None (X)	0	
Unknown (U)	10	
Occurrence Status		
Historical, > 20 years	3	
Recent, < 20 years	8	
Presence		
Presumed Extant	11	
Possibly Extirpated	0	
Presumed Extirpated	0	

Location

California Endemic	Yes
Counties	
San Luis Obispo (SLO)	
States	
California (CA)	
Quads	
Morro Bay South (3512037), San Luis Obispo (3512036)	

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.

Notes

Known only from two occurrences in the mountains north of Los Osos Valley. Threatened by urbanization. See Four

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Selected References
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Threats