

Rare Plant Inventory

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Report for Chorizanthe robusta var. hartwegii

TAXON DETAILS Classification

Scientific Name Chorizanthe robusta Parry var. hartwegii

(Benth.) Rev. & Morgan

Common Name Scotts Valley spineflower

Family Polygonaceae **Element Code** PDPGN040Q1

USDA Plants Symbol CHROH

Synonyms/Other Names

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank 1B.1 **Global Rank** G2T1 State Rank S1 **CESA** None

FESA 02/04/94 (02/04/94)

Other Status SB_UCSC

CRPR Changes

Date Added 1994-01-01 **Last Update** 2022-12-06

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform annual herb **Blooming Period** Apr-Jul

Elevation m (ft) 230-245 (755-805)

General Habitats Meadows and seeps (sandy), Valley and

foothill grassland (mudstone, Purisima

outcrops)

Microhabitat Details

Microhabitat

Threat List Data from the CNDDB

Threat List Total:		4
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	3	75%
Threat List:		
Development	3	75%
Non-native plant impacts	3	75%
Other	3	75%
Road/trail construction/maint.	1	25%

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB

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

Location

California Endemic	Yes
Counties	
Santa Cruz (SCR)	
States	
California (CA)	
Quads	
Felton (3712211), Laurel (3712118)	

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 Scotts Valley. Threatened by development, vehicles, and non-native plants. See *C. robusta* in *TJM* (1993). See *Phytologia* 67(5):357-360 (1989) for revised nomenclature, and *Fremontia* 24(4):8-11 (1996) for taxonomic discussion.

Threats

Taxononmy

Selected References

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