

## **Rare Plant Inventory**

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# Report for Limosella australis

#### **TAXON DETAILS**







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### Classification

Scientific Name Limosella australis R. Br.

Common NameDelta mudwortFamilyScrophulariaceaeElement CodePDSCR10030

USDA Plants Symbol LIAU6

Synonyms/Other Names Limosella subulata

### **Conservation Status**

California Rare Plant Rank2B.1Global RankG4G5State RankS2CESANoneFESANone

**Other Status** 

CRPR Changes changed from 2.1 to 2B.1 on 2013-06-12

 Date Added
 1994-01-01

 Last Update
 2022-03-01

## **Ecology and Life History**

**Lifeform** perennial stoloniferous herb

Blooming Period May-Aug Elevation m (ft) 0-3 (0-10)

General Habitats Marshes and swamps (brackish, freshwater),

Riparian scrub

Microhabitat DetailsUsually mud banksMicrohabitatStreambanks (usually)

### Threat List Data from the CNDDB

Threat List Total:		10
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	36	61%
Threat List:		
Recreational use (non-ORV)	25	42%
Erosion/runoff	14	23%
Foot traffic/trampling	6	10%
Altered flood/tidal/hydrologic regime	3	5%
Vandalism/dumping/litter	3	5%
Waterway bank protection/maintenance	3	5%
Other	3	5%
Non-native plant impacts	2	3%
Degraded water quality	2	3%
Grazing	1	1%

## **Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB**

Total Element Occurrences:	59
Element Occurrence Ranks:	
Excellent (A)	5
Good (B)	30
Fair (C)	11
Poor (D)	2
None (X)	0
Unknown (U)	11
Occurrence Status	
Historical, > 20 years	34
Recent, < 20 years	25
Presence	
Presumed Extant	59
Possibly Extirpated	0
Presumed Extirpated	0

### Location

California Endemic	No

### Counties

Contra Costa (CCA), Sacramento (SAC), San Joaquin (SJQ), Solano (SOL)

#### States

California (CA), Connecticut (CT), Delaware (DE), Maine (ME), Maryland (MD), Massachusetts (MA), New Hampshire (NH), New Jersey (NJ), New York (NY), North Carolina (NC), Pennsylvania (PA), Rhode Island (RI), Virginia (VA), Washington (WA), West Virginia (WV)

#### Quads

Antioch North (3812117), Bouldin Island (3812115), Bruceville (3812134), Clifton Court Forebay (3712175), Courtland (3812135), Dozier (3812137), Holt (3712184), Honker Bay (3812118), Isleton (3812125), Jersey Island (3812116), Rio Vista (3812126), Terminous (3812114), Thornton (3812124), Vine Hill (3812211), Woodward Island (3712185)

#### **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

Threatened by stream bank alteration, levee maintenance, erosion, recreational activities, and foot traffic. Also occurs on the Atlantic Coast, where threatened by habitat destruction. Native status in CA is inconclusive; definitive study needed. Treated as naturalized in *TJM* (1993) and *TJM 2*. See *Prodromus Florae Novae Hollandiae* 1:443 (1810) for original description.

### **Threats**

### **Taxononmy**

#### **Selected References**

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