

Report for *Carex atherodes*

TAXON DETAILS



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Classification

Scientific Name
Common Name
Family
Element Code
USDA Plants Symbol
Synonyms/Other Names

Carex atherodes Spreng.
wheat sedge
Cyperaceae
PMCYP03160
CAAT2

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank
Global Rank
State Rank
CESA
FESA
Other Status
CRPR Changes
Date Added
Last Update

2B.2
G5
S3
None
None
IUCN_LC
changed from 2.2 to 2B.2 on 2013-06-12
2001-01-01
2023-06-06

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform
Blooming Period
Elevation m (ft)
General Habitats

Microhabitat Details
Microhabitat

perennial rhizomatous herb
Jun-Aug
1300-1540 (4265-5055)
Marshes and swamps, Meadows and seeps,
Pinyon and juniper woodland

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Threat List Data from the CNDDDB

Threat List Total:		4
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	3	33%
Threat List:		
Road/trail construction/maint.	2	22%
Waterway bank protection/maintenance	1	11%
Grazing	1	11%
Other	1	11%

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDDB

Total Element Occurrences:	9
Element Occurrence Ranks:	
Excellent (A)	1
Good (B)	2
Fair (C)	1
Poor (D)	1
None (X)	0
Unknown (U)	4
Occurrence Status	
Historical, > 20 years	4
Recent, < 20 years	5
Presence	
Presumed Extant	9
Possibly Extirpated	0
Presumed Extirpated	0

Location

California Endemic	No
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Counties

Fresno (FRE), Lassen (LAS), Modoc (MOD), Siskiyou (SIS)

States

Alaska (AK), Arizona (AZ), California (CA), Colorado (CO), Idaho (ID), Illinois (IL), Indiana (IN), Iowa (IA), Kansas (KS), Maine (ME), Michigan (MI), Minnesota (MN), Missouri (MO), Montana (MT), Nebraska (NE), Nevada (NV), New Hampshire (NH), New Mexico (NM), New York (NY), North Dakota (ND), Ohio (OH), Oregon (OR), Pennsylvania (PA), South Dakota (SD), Utah (UT), Vermont (VT), Virginia (VA), Washington (WA), West Virginia (WV), Wisconsin (WI), Wyoming (WY)

Quads

Adin (4112028), Alturas (4112045), Ambrose Valley (4112027), Ash Valley (4112016), Big Swamp (4112121), Grass Lake (4112262), Holbrook Canyon (4112015), Infernal Caverns (4112035), Knox Mountain (4112026), Lane Reservoir (4112017), Mt. Givens (3711931), The Panhandle (4112174), Willow Ranch (4112083)

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

On review list in OR.

Threats

Possibly threatened by grazing.

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Selected References

Species Account: *Carex atherodes* profile for potential Species of Conservation Concern evaluation (2017)

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