

## Report for *Valeriana occidentalis*

### TAXON DETAILS

#### Classification

Scientific Name	<i>Valeriana occidentalis</i> Heller
Common Name	western valerian
Family	Valerianaceae
Element Code	PDVAL03080
USDA Plants Symbol	<u>VAOC2</u>
Synonyms/Other Names	

#### Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank	2B.3
Global Rank	G5
State Rank	S1
CESA	None
FESA	None
Other Status	
CRPR Changes	changed from 2.3 to 2B.3 on 2013-06-12
Date Added	2001-01-01
Last Update	2021-05-26

#### Ecology and Life History

Lifeform	perennial rhizomatous herb
Blooming Period	Jun-Aug
Elevation m (ft)	1500-1800 (4920-5905)
General Habitats	Lower montane coniferous forest (mesic)
Microhabitat Details	
Microhabitat	

## Threat List Data from the CNDDDB

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

## Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDDB

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

## Location

California Endemic	No
Counties	
Modoc (MOD)	
States	
Arizona (AZ), California (CA), Colorado (CO), Idaho (ID), Montana (MT), Nevada (NV), Oregon (OR), South Dakota (SD), Utah (UT), Washington (WA), Wyoming (WY)	
Quads	
Fort Bidwell (4112072), Sugar Hill (4112073)	

### 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 in CA only from the Warner Mtns. See *Bulletin of the Torrey Botanical Club* 25:269 (1898) for original description, and *Annals of the Missouri Botanical Garden* 38:415-417 (1951) for taxonomic treatment.

### **Threats**

### **Taxonomy**

### **Selected References**

**Other:** USFS Potential Species of Conservation Concern Profile

### **Suggested Citation**

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