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# Report for Dendromecon harfordii var. rhamnoides

# TAXON DETAILS Classification

Scientific Name	Dendromecon harfordii Kell. var. rhamnoides (Greene) Munz
Common Name	south island bush-poppy
Family	Papaveraceae
Element Code	PDPAP08012
USDA Plants Symbol	
Synonyms/Other Names	Dendromecon rigida Benth. ssp. rhamnoides (Greene) Thorne

# **Conservation Status**

California Rare Plant Rank	3.1
Global Rank	G4T1Q
State Rank	S1
CESA	None
FESA	None
Other Status	
CRPR Changes	changed from 1B.1 to 3.1 on 2013-02-01
Date Added	1974-01-01
Last Update	2021-05-26

# **Ecology and Life History**

Lifeform Blooming Period	perennial evergreen shrub Apr-Jun	
Elevation m (ft)	150-520 (490-1705)	
General Habitats	Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Coastal scrub	
Microhabitat Details		
Microhabitat		

# Threat List Data from the CNDDB

Threat List Total:		3
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	2	29%
Threat List:		
Non-native animal impacts	2	28%
Foot traffic/trampling	1	14%
Grazing	1	14%

# **Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB**

Total Element Occurrences:	7
Element Occurrence Ranks:	
Excellent (A)	0
Good (B)	0
Fair (C)	0
Poor (D)	0
None (X)	2
Unknown (U)	5
Occurrence Status	
Historical, > 20 years	6
Recent, < 20 years	1
Presence	
Presumed Extant	5
Possibly Extirpated	0
Presumed Extirpated	2

### Location

California Endemic Yes
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#### Counties

Los Angeles (LAX)

#### States

California (CA)

#### Quads

San Clemente Island North (3211885)\*, San Clemente Island South (3211873)\*, Santa Catalina East (3311833), Santa Catalina North (3311844), Santa Catalina West (3311845)

#### 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

Previously on List 1B.1. Taxonomic distinctiveness from *D. harfordii* is uncertain; needs further study. Last seen on SCM Isl. in 1966. Threatened by feral herbivores. Most of the year a few plants are in flower. A synonym of *D. harfordii* in *TJM* (1993) and *TJM* 2. USFWS uses the name *D. rigida* ssp. *rhamnoides*.

# Threats

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### **Selected References**

CNPS Status Review: CRPR List Deletion on 2013-02-01

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