

Rare Plant Inventory

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Report for Eremalche parryi ssp. kernensis

TAXON DETAILS Classification

Eremalche parryi (Greene) Greene ssp. **Scientific Name**

kernensis (C.B. Wolf) D.M. Bates

Common Name Kern mallow **Family** Malvaceae PDMAL0C031 **Element Code**

USDA Plants Symbol ERPAK

Synonyms/Other Names Malvastrum kernense Eremalche kernensis

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank 1B.2 **Global Rank** G3G4T3 State Rank S3 **CESA** None

FESA 07/19/90 (07/19/90)

Other Status SB_CalBG/RSABG; SB_SBBG

CRPR Changes changed from 1B.1 to 1B.2 on 2016-08-26

Date Added 1974-01-01 **Last Update** 2021-12-09

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform annual herb **Blooming Period** Jan(Feb)Mar-May Elevation m (ft) 70-1290 (230-4230)

Chenopod scrub, Pinyon and juniper woodland, Valley and foothill grassland **General Habitats**

Microhabitat Details often at edge of balds

Microhabitat Clay (sometimes), Dry, Openings, Sandy

(sometimes)

Threat List Data from the CNDDB

Threat List Total:		14
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	80	40%
Threat List:		
Grazing	29	14%
Road/trail construction/maint.	25	12%
ORV activity	11	5%
Mining	10	4%
Non-native plant impacts	10	4%
Development	10	4%
Other	9	4%
Agriculture	5	2%
Erosion/runoff	4	1%
Foot traffic/trampling	4	1%
Improper burning regime	1	0%
Biocides	1	0%
Disking	1	0%
Recreational use (non-ORV)	1	0%

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB

Total Element Occurrences:	202
Element Occurrence Ranks:	
Excellent (A)	17
Good (B)	33
Fair (C)	40
Poor (D)	12
None (X)	3
Unknown (U)	97
Occurrence Status	_
Historical, > 20 years	53
Recent, < 20 years	149
Presence	
Presumed Extant	199
Possibly Extirpated	1
Presumed Extirpated	2

Location

California Endemic	Yes
Counties	
Kern (KRN), Kings (KNG), San Luis Obispo (SLO), Santa B Ventura (VEN)	Barbara (SBA), Tulare (TUL),

States

California (CA)

Quads

Apache Canyon (3411973), Arvin (3511827), Ballinger Canyon (3411984), Belridge (3511946), Bena (3511836), Buttonwillow (3511944), Caliente Mtn. (3511917), California Valley (3512031), Camatta Ranch (3512043), Chimineas Ranch (3511928), Coal Oil Canyon (3511911), Conner (3511921), Cuyama (3411985), Cuyama Peak (3411974), Delano West (3511973), Eagle Rest Peak (3411982), East Elk Hills (3511934), Elkhorn Hills (3511915), Fellows (3511925), Grapevine (3411888), La Cima (3612011), La Panza Ranch (3512042), Lokern (3511945), Lost Hills NE (3511965), Lost Hills NW (3511966)*, Maricopa (3511914), McKittrick Summit (3511937), Mettler (3511818), Mouth of Kern (3511923), Oil Center (3511848), Packwood Creek (3512051), Painted Rock (3511927), Panorama Hills (3511926), Peak Mountain (3411987), Pentland (3511913), Pixley (3511983), Pleito Hills (3411981), Pond (3511963), Reward (3511936), Reyes Peak (3411963), Rio Bravo (3511943), Rio Bravo (3511938), Stevens (3511932), Taft (3511924), Taylor Canyon (3511918), Tejon Hills (3511953), Wasco (3511953), Wasco NW (3511964), Wells Ranch (3511916), West Elk Hills (3511935)

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 agriculture, grazing, road construction and maintenance, vehicles, and oil development. Possibly threatened by non-native plants. See *Occasional Papers Rancho Santa Ana Botanic Garden* 1(2):66-67 (1938) for original description and *Phytologia* 72(1):48-54 (1992) for taxonomic treatment and revised nomenclature.

Threats

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Selected References

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