

Rare Plant Inventory

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Report for Noccaea fendleri ssp. californica

TAXON DETAILS Classification

Scientific Name

Noccaea fendleri (A. Gray) Holub ssp.

californica (S. Watson) Al-Shehbaz & M.

Koch

Common Name Kneeland Prairie pennycress

Family Brassicaceae Element Code PDBRA2P041

USDA Plants Symbol NOFEC

Synonyms/Other Names Thlaspi montanum L. var. californicum

(Wats.) P. Holmgren Thlaspi californicum Wats.

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank1B.1Global RankG5?T1State RankS1CESANone

FESA 02/09/00 (02/09/00)

Other Status SB_UCSC

CRPR Changes

 Date Added
 1980-01-01

 Last Update
 2022-12-06

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform perennial herb

Blooming Period May-Jun

Elevation m (ft) 760-815 (2495-2675)

General Habitats Coastal prairie (serpentinite)

Microhabitat Details

Microhabitat

Threat List Data from the CNDDB

Threat List Total:		3
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	1	100%
Threat List:		
Development	1	100%
Grazing	1	100%
Road/trail construction/maint.	1	100%

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB

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

Location

California Endemic	Yes
Counties	
Humboldt (HUM)	
States	
California (CA)	
Quads	
laqua Buttes (4012368)	

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 from one occurrence at Kneeland Prairie; other reported occurrences are mis-identified *T. montanum*. Potentially threatened by road maintenance and airport expansion; voluntarily protected by landowner. See *Proceedings of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences* 17:365 (1882) for original description, and *Memoirs of the New York Botanical Garden* 21(2):80-81 (1971) for revised nomenclature.

Threats

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Selected References

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