

## **Rare Plant Inventory**

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# Report for Phacelia stellaris

# TAXON DETAILS Classification

Scientific Name

Common Name

Brand's star phacelia

Family

Hydrophyllaceae

Element Code

PDHYD0C510

USDA Plants Symbol PHST7

Synonyms/Other Names

#### **Conservation Status**

California Rare Plant Rank1B.1Global RankG1State RankS1CESANoneFESANone

Other Status SB\_CalBG/RSABG

**CRPR Changes** 

 Date Added
 1994-01-01

 Last Update
 2021-05-26

## **Ecology and Life History**

Lifeformannual herbBlooming PeriodMar-JunElevation m (ft)1-400 (5-1310)

General Habitats Coastal dunes, Coastal scrub

**Microhabitat Details** 

Microhabitat

#### Threat List Data from the CNDDB

Threat List Total:		8
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	6	40%
Threat List:		
Development	3	20%
Foot traffic/trampling	2	13%
Non-native plant impacts	2	13%
ORV activity	2	13%
Other	1	6%
Recreational use (non-ORV)	1	6%
Military operations	1	6%
Erosion/runoff	1	6%

#### **Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB**

Total Element Occurrences:	15
Element Occurrence Ranks:	
Excellent (A)	0
Good (B)	3
Fair (C)	0
Poor (D)	0
None (X)	6
Unknown (U)	6
Occurrence Status	
Historical, > 20 years	11
Recent, < 20 years	4
Presence	
Presumed Extant	9
Possibly Extirpated	6
Presumed Extirpated	0

#### Location

California Endemic No
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#### Counties

Los Angeles (LAX)(?), Orange (ORA), Riverside (RIV), San Bernardino (SBD), San Diego (SDG)

#### **States**

Baja California (BA), California (CA)

#### Quads

Baldwin Park (3411718), Del Mar (3211782), El Monte (3411811)(?), Guasti (3411715), Imperial Beach (3211751), La Jolla (3211772)\*, Los Alamitos (3311871), Oceanside (3311724), Point Loma (3211762), Redondo Beach (3311874)\*, Riverside West (3311784), South Gate (3311882)\*, Torrance (3311873), Venice (3311884)\*

#### **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 approximately ten occurrences. Historical occurrences extirpated by development. Threatened by non-native plants. Some plants intermediate to *P. douglasii* var. *douglasii* occur in SE Western Transverse Range foothills. See *Pflanzenreich* 4(251):123 (1913) for original description.

#### **Threats**

# **Taxononmy**

#### **Selected References**

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