

Report for Galium californicum ssp. sierrae

TAXON DETAILS







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Classification

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Galium californicum H. & A. ssp. sierrae

Dempster & Steb.

Rubiaceae

GACAS

PDRUB0N0E7

El Dorado bedstraw

Scientific Name

Common Name Family Element Code USDA Plants Symbol Synonyms/Other Names

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank 1B.2 **Global Rank** G5T1 State Rank S1 CESA CR (11/01/79) **FESA** 10/18/96 (10/18/96) **Other Status** SB_CalBG/RSABG; SB_UCBG **CRPR Changes Date Added** 1974-01-01 Last Update 2022-01-05

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform	perennial herb	
Blooming Period	May-Jun	
Elevation m (ft)	100-585 (330-1920)	
General Habitats	Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Lower montane coniferous forest	
Microhabitat Details		
Microhabitat	Gabbroic	

Threat List Data from the CNDDB

Threat List Total:		9
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	14	82%
Threat List:		
Development	10	58%
Wood cutting or brush clearing	4	23%
Road/trail construction/maint.	2	11%
Non-native plant impacts	2	11%
Recreational use (non-ORV)	1	5%
Disease	1	5%
Disking	1	5%
Erosion/runoff	1	5%
Foot traffic/trampling	1	5%

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB

Total Element Occurrences:	17
Element Occurrence Ranks:	
Excellent (A)	4
Good (B)	8
Fair (C)	0
Poor (D)	1
None (X)	0
Unknown (U)	4
Occurrence Status	
Historical, > 20 years	5
Recent, < 20 years	12
Presence	
Presumed Extant	17
Possibly Extirpated	0
Presumed Extirpated	0

Location

Counties

El Dorado (ELD)

States

California (CA)

Quads

Clarksville (3812161), Pilot Hill (3812171), Shingle Springs (3812068)

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 development, vehicles, and recreational activities. See *University of California Publications in Botany* 46:30 (1968) for original description, and *Flora of California* 4(2):39-40 (1979) by L. Dempster for taxonomic treatment.

Threats

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Selected References

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