

Report for *Layia discoidea*

TAXON DETAILS



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Classification

Scientific Name	<i>Layia discoidea</i> Keck
Common Name	rayless layia
Family	Asteraceae
Element Code	PDAST5N030
USDA Plants Symbol	<u>LADI4</u>
Synonyms/Other Names	

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank	1B.1
Global Rank	G2
State Rank	S2
CESA	None
FESA	None
Other Status	BLM_S; SB_CalBG/RSABG
CRPR Changes	
Date Added	1974-01-01
Last Update	2022-01-05

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform	annual herb
Blooming Period	May
Elevation m (ft)	795-1585 (2610-5200)
General Habitats	Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Lower montane coniferous forest
Microhabitat Details	
Microhabitat	Alluvial Terraces, Serpentine, Talus

Threat List Data from the CNDDDB

Threat List Total:		2
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	3	7%
Threat List:		
ORV activity	3	6%
Recreational use (non-ORV)	2	4%

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDDB

Total Element Occurrences:	43
Element Occurrence Ranks:	
Excellent (A)	8
Good (B)	21
Fair (C)	0
Poor (D)	0
None (X)	0
Unknown (U)	14
Occurrence Status	
Historical, > 20 years	13
Recent, < 20 years	30
Presence	
Presumed Extant	43
Possibly Extirpated	0
Presumed Extirpated	0

Location

California Endemic	Yes
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Counties

Fresno (FRE), San Benito (SBT)

States

California (CA)

Quads

Ciervo Mtn. (3612045), Hepsedam Peak (3612037), Hernandez Reservoir (3612047), Idria (3612046), San Benito Mtn. (3612036), Santa Rita Peak (3612035)
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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 vehicles, and possibly by alteration of fire regimes. Similar to *L. glandulosa*. See *Aliso* 4:101-104 (1958) for original description.

Threats

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Selected References

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