

# Preliminary Checklist<sup>1</sup> of Vascular Flora of Cerro Romualdeo, Camp San Luis Obispo, California

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	Scientific Name	Common Name	Family	Rare
n	✿ Achillea millefolium	yarrow	ASTERACEAE	o
n	✿ Acmispon glaber var. glaber	common deerweed	FABACEAE	o
n	Acmispon parviflorus	miniature deervetch	FABACEAE	v
n	✿ Acmispon strigosus	strigose deer-vetch	FABACEAE	v
n	✿ Adenostoma fasciculatum var. fasciculatum	chamise	ROSACEAE	o
n	Adiantum jordanii	California maidenhair fern	PTERIDACEAE	v

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✿ — See **Wildflowers of San Luis Obispo, California**, second edition (2018) for photograph. Most are illustrated in the first edition as well; old names for some species in square brackets.

n — California native

n<sup>1</sup> — California native, but not indigenous to Cerro Romualdo, escaped from cultivation

i — exotic species, introduced to California, naturalized or waif.

v — documented by one or more specimens (Consortium of California Herbaria record; specimen in OBI; or collection that has not yet been accessioned)

o — observed during field surveys; no voucher specimen known

? — tentative determination, pending collection of determinable specimen

R—California Rare Plant Rank

	<b>Scientific Name</b>	<b>Common Name</b>	<b>Family</b>	<b>Rare</b>	
n	⌘ <i>Agoseris grandiflora</i> var. <i>grandiflora</i>	large-flowered mountain-dandelion	ASTERACEAE		o
n	<i>Agrostis pallens</i>	San Diego bentgrass	POACEAE		o
i	<i>Aira caryophyllea</i>	silver hairgrass	POACEAE		v
i	<i>Amaryllis belladonna</i>	naked ladies	AMARYLLIDACEAE		o
i	⌘ <i>Anthemis cotula</i>	mayweed, dog-fennel	ASTERACEAE		o
n	⌘ <i>Antirrhinum kelloggii</i>	climbing snapdragon	PLANTAGINACEAE		v
n	⌘ <i>Arctostaphylos obispoensis</i>	bishop manzanita	ERICACEAE	4.3	v
n	⌘ <i>Artemisia californica</i>	California sagebrush	ASTERACEAE		o
n	⌘ <i>Artemisia douglasiana</i>	mugwort	ASTERACEAE		o
n	⌘ <i>Baccharis pilularis</i>	coyote bush	ASTERACEAE		v
i	⌘ <i>Bellardia trixago</i>	Mediterranean lineseed	OROBANCHACEAE		o
n	⌘ <i>Bloomeria crocea</i> var. <i>aurea</i>	common goldenstar	THEMIDACEAE		o
i	<i>Brachypodium hybridum</i>	false brome	POACEAE		o
n	<i>Bromus carinatus</i> var. <i>carinatus</i>	California brome	POACEAE		o
i	<i>Bromus diandrus</i>	ripgut brome	POACEAE		o
i	<i>Bromus hordeaceus</i>	soft chess brome	POACEAE		v
i	<i>Bromus rubens</i>	red brome	POACEAE		o
n	⌘ <i>Calochortus albus</i>	fairy lantern	LILIACEAE		v
n	⌘ <i>Calochortus clavatus</i> var. <i>clavatus</i>	club-haired mariposa lily	LILIACEAE	4.3	o
n	⌘ <i>Calystegia macrostegia</i> subsp. <i>cyclostegia</i>	coast morning glory	CONVOLVULACEAE		o
n	⌘ <i>Calystegia subacaulis</i> subsp. <i>episcopal</i>	San Luis Obispo morning glory, Cambria morning glory	CONVOLVULACEAE	4.2	v
n	⌘ <i>Cardamine californica</i>	milk maids, rain bells, California toothwort	BRASSICACEAE		o

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n	<i>Cardamine oligosperma</i>	little bittercress	BRASSICACEAE		v
i	✿ <i>Carduus pycnocephalus</i>	Italian thistle	ASTERACEAE		o
i	✿ <i>Carthamus lanatus</i>	woolly distaff thistle	ASTERACEAE		o
n	✿ <i>Castilleja affinis</i> subsp. <i>affinis</i>	coast Indian paintbrush	OROBANCHACEAE		v
n	✿ <i>Ceanothus cuneatus</i> var. <i>ramulosus</i>	coast buckbrush	RHAMNACEAE		v
n	✿ <i>Ceanothus spinosus</i>	greenbark ceanothus	RHAMNACEAE		v
i	<i>Cenchrus longisetus</i>	feathertop fountaingrass	POACEAE		o
i	<i>Cenchrus setaceus</i>	purple fountaingrass	POACEAE		o
i	✿ <i>Centaurea calcitrapa</i>	purple star-thistle	ASTERACEAE		o
i	✿ <i>Centaurea melitensis</i>	tocalote, Maltese star thistle	ASTERACEAE		o
i	<i>Cerastium glomeratum</i>	annual mouse-ear chickweed	CARYOPHYLLACEAE		o
n	✿ <i>Chlorogalum pomeridianum</i> var. <i>pomeridianum</i>	common soap plant	AGAVACEAE		o
i	✿ <i>Cirsium vulgare</i>	bull thistle	ASTERACEAE		o
n	<i>Clarkia affinis</i>	chaparral clarkia	ONAGRACEAE		v
n	<i>Clarkia epilobioides</i>	little white clarkia	ONAGRACEAE		v
n	<i>Claytonia exigua</i> subsp. <i>exigua</i>	pale spring beauty	MONTIACEAE		v
n	✿ <i>Claytonia perfoliata</i> subsp. <i>perfoliata</i>	common miner's lettuce	MONTIACEAE		v
n	✿ <i>Clinopodium douglasii</i>	yerba buena	LAMIACEAE		v
i	✿ <i>Conium maculatum</i>	poison hemlock	APIACEAE		o
n	✿ <i>Corethrogynne filaginifolia</i>	California-aster	ASTERACEAE		o
i	<i>Cynosurus echinatus</i>	dogtail grass	POACEAE		o
n	<i>Daucus pusillus</i>	American wild carrot	APIACEAE		o
n	✿ <i>Deinandra fasciculata</i>	clustered tarweed	ASTERACEAE		v

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n	✿ <i>Delairea odorata</i>	cape-ivy	ASTERACEAE	o	
n	<i>Deschampsia danthonioides</i>	annual hairgrass	POACEAE	v	
n	✿ <i>Diplacus aurantiacus</i> var. <i>aurantiacus</i> [ <i>Mimulus aurantiacus</i> ]	common bush monkeyflower	PHRYMACEAE	o	
i	✿ <i>Dipsacus sativus</i>	fuller's teasel	DIPSACACEAE	o	
n	✿ <i>Dipterostemon capitatus</i> subsp. <i>capitatus</i> [ <i>Dichelostemma capitatum</i> subsp. <i>capitatum</i> ]	blue-dicks, schoolbells	THEMIDACEAE	v	
n	<i>Drymocallis glandulosa</i> var. <i>glandulosa</i>	sticky cinquefoil	ROSACEAE	o	
n	<i>Dryopteris arguta</i>	California wood fern	DRYOPTERIDACEAE	v	
n	✿ <i>Dudleya blochmaniae</i> subsp. <i>blochmaniae</i>	Blochman's dudleya	CRASSULACEAE	1B.1 o	
n	✿ <i>Dudleya lanceolata</i>	lance-leaf dudleya	CRASSULACEAE	o	
n	<i>Elymus condensatus</i>	giant wildrye	POACEAE	o	
n	<i>Elymus glaucus</i> subsp. <i>glaucus</i>	blue wildrye	POACEAE	o	
n	✿ <i>Epilobium canum</i> subsp. <i>canum</i>	California-fuchsia	ONAGRACEAE	o	
n	<i>Equisetum laevigatum</i>	slender scouring-rush	EQUISETACEAE	v	
n	<i>Equisetum telmateia</i> subsp. <i>braunii</i>	giant horsetail	EQUISETACEAE	o	
i	<i>Erigeron canadensis</i>	common horseweed	ASTERACEAE	o	
n	<i>Erigeron foliosus</i> var. <i>foliosus</i>	common leafy fleabane daisy	ASTERACEAE	o	
n	✿ <i>Eriogonum parvifolium</i>	coastal buckwheat	POLYGONACEAE	v	
n	✿ <i>Eriophyllum confertiflorum</i> var. <i>confertiflorum</i>	common golden-yarrow	ASTERACEAE	o	
i	✿ <i>Erodium botrys</i>	storkbill filaree	GERANIACEAE	o	
n	<i>Erythranthe microphylla</i>	small-leaved monkeyflower	PHRYMACEAE	?	
i	<i>Eucalyptus globulus</i>	blue gum	MYRTACEAE	o	
n	✿ <i>Eucrypta chrysanthemifolia</i> var. <i>chrysanthemifolia</i>	sweet eucrypta	HYDROPHYLLACEAE	v	

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i	<i>Festuca perennis</i>	ryegrass	POACEAE		o
i	✿ <i>Foeniculum vulgare</i>	fennel	APIACEAE		o
n	✿ <i>Fritillaria biflora</i> var. <i>biflora</i>	chocolate lily	LILIACEAE		o
n	✿ <i>Galium aparine</i>	cleavers, common bedstraw, goosegrass	RUBIACEAE		o
n	<i>Galium californicum</i> subsp. <i>californicum</i>	California bedstraw	RUBIACEAE		o
n	<i>Galium californicum</i> subsp. <i>flaccidum</i>	California bedstraw	RUBIACEAE		o
n	<i>Galium porrigens</i> var. <i>porrigens</i>	climbing bedstraw	RUBIACEAE		o
n	✿ <i>Gamochaeta ustulata</i>	Pacific cudweed	ASTERACEAE		o
i	<i>Gastridium phleoides</i>	nitgrass	POACEAE		o
n	<i>Geranium carolinianum</i>	Carolina geranium	GERANIACEAE		v
i	✿ <i>Geranium dissectum</i>	cut-leaved geranium	GERANIACEAE		o
n	✿ <i>Hazardia squarrosa</i> var. <i>squarrosa</i>	large-headed sawtooth goldenbush	ASTERACEAE		o
i	<i>Hedypnois rhagadioloides</i>	Creteweed	ASTERACEAE		o
n	<i>Hesperevax sparsiflora</i> var. <i>sparsiflora</i>	erect evax	ASTERACEAE		o
n	✿ <i>Heteromeles arbutifolia</i>	toyon, Christmas berry, california-holly	ROSACEAE		o
i	✿ <i>Hirschfeldia incana</i>	short-pod mustard, perennial mustard	BRASSICACEAE		o
n	✿ <i>Holodiscus discolor</i>	ocean spray, creambush	ROSACEAE		o
i	<i>Hordeum marinum</i> subsp <i>gussoneanum</i>	Mediterranean barley	POACEAE		o
n	<i>Horkelia cuneata</i> var. <i>cuneata</i>	wedgeleaf horkelia	ROSACEAE		v
n	<i>Juncus patens</i>	spreading rush	JUNCACEAE		v
n	✿ <i>Juncus phaeocephalus</i> var. <i>phaeocephalus</i>	common brown-headed rush	JUNCACEAE		v

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n	✿ <i>Lagophylla ramosissima</i>	common hareleaf	ASTERACEAE	v	
n	✿ <i>Lasthenia gracilis</i>	common goldfields	ASTERACEAE	v	
n	✿ <i>Lathyrus vestitus</i> var. <i>vestitus</i>	Pacific sweet-pea	FABACEAE	o	
n	✿ <i>Leptosiphon parviflorus</i>	common babystars	POLEMONIACEAE	v	
i	<i>Logfia gallica</i>	narrow-leaved herba impia	ASTERACEAE	o	
n	✿ <i>Lonicera hispidula</i>	California honeysuckle	CAPRIFOLIACEAE	o	
n	<i>Luzula subsessilis</i>	short-stalked wood-rush	JUNCACEAE	v	
i	✿ <i>Lysimachia arvensis</i> [ <i>Anagallis arvensis</i> ]	scarlet pimpernel	MYRSINACEAE	o	
n	<i>Madia exigua</i>	threadstem tarweed	ASTERACEAE	v	
n	✿ <i>Madia gracilis</i>	slender tarweed	ASTERACEAE	v	
n	✿ <i>Mahonia pinnata</i> subsp. <i>pinnata</i>	coast mahonia	BERBERIDACEAE	v	
n	✿ <i>Marah fabacea</i>	manroot, wild cucumber vine	CUCURBITACEAE	o	
n	✿ <i>Matricaria discoidea</i>	common pineapple-weed	ASTERACEAE	o	
i	<i>Medicago polymorpha</i>	California bur-clover	FABACEAE	o	
n	<i>Melica imperfecta</i>	little melic	POACEAE	o	
n	✿ <i>Micranthes californica</i>	California saxifrage	SAXIFRAGACEAE	o	
n	<i>Micropus californicus</i> var. <i>subvestitus</i>	silky cottonweed	ASTERACEAE	v	
n	✿ <i>Monardella villosa</i> subsp. <i>obispoensis</i>	Obispo coyote-mint	LAMIACEAE	o	
i	<i>Myrtus communis</i>	common myrtle	MYRTACEAE	v	
i	✿ <i>Nasturtium officinale</i>	common watercress	BRASSICACEAE	o	
n	<i>Navarretia atractyloides</i>	holly-leaf pincushion plant	POLEMONIACEAE	v	
i	✿ <i>Oxalis pes-caprae</i>	Bermuda-buttercup	OXALIDACEAE	o	
n	<i>Oxalis pilosa</i>	pilose wood-sorrel	OXALIDACEAE	o	
n	<i>Pellaea andromedifolia</i>	coffee fern	PTERIDACEAE	o	

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n	<i>Pentagramma triangularis</i> subsp. <i>triangularis</i>	goldback fern	PTERIDACEAE		v
n	✿ <i>Phacelia imbricata</i> subsp. <i>imbricata</i>	wide-sepaled rock phacelia	HYDROPHYLLACEAE		o
n	✿ <i>Phacelia malvifolia</i>	stinging phacelia	HYDROPHYLLACEAE		v
i	<i>Phalaris paradoxa</i>	hooded canarygrass	POACEAE		v
n	✿ <i>Pholistoma auritum</i> var. <i>auritum</i>	fiesta flower	HYDROPHYLLACEAE		v
n	<i>Pholistoma membranaceum</i>	white fiestaflower	HYDROPHYLLACEAE		o
n	<i>Pinus radiata</i>	Monterey pine	PINACEAE	1B.1	o
n	✿ <i>Plantago erecta</i>	foothill plantain	PLANTAGINACEAE		o
i	✿ <i>Plantago lanceolata</i>	English plantain	PLANTAGINACEAE		o
n	<i>Platanus racemosa</i>	California sycamore	PLATANACEAE		o
i	<i>Poa annua</i>	annual bluegrass	POACEAE		v
n	<i>Poa secunda</i> subsp. <i>secunda</i>	one-sided bluegrass	POACEAE		v
n	<i>Pogogyne serpyloides</i>	thyme-leaved mesamint	LAMIACEAE		v
n	<i>Polypodium californicum</i>	California polypody	POLYPODIACEAE		o
n	<i>Polypodium calirhiza</i>	nested polypody	POLYPODIACEAE		o
n	✿ <i>Primula clevelandi</i> [ <i>Dodecatheon clevelandii</i> ]	Cleveland's shooting star	PRIMULACEAE		o
n	✿ <i>Prunus ilicifolia</i> var. <i>ilicifolia</i>	holly-leaved cherry	ROSACEAE		o
n	✿ <i>Pseudognaphalium californicum</i>	California everlasting	ASTERACEAE		o
i	<i>Pseudognaphalium luteoalbum</i>	Jersey cudweed	ASTERACEAE		o
n	<i>Psilocarphus tenellus</i>	slender woollyheads	ASTERACEAE		v
n	<i>Pteridium aquilinum</i> var. <i>pubescens</i>	bracken fern	DENNSTAEDTIACEAE		o
n	<i>Quercus agrifolia</i> var. <i>agrifolia</i>	coast live oak	FAGACEAE		o
n	✿ <i>Ranunculus californicus</i>	California buttercup	RANUNCULACEAE		o
n	<i>Rhamnus crocea</i>	spiny redberry	RHAMNACEAE		o

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n	✿ <i>Ribes malvaceum</i> var. <i>malvaceum</i>	common chaparral currant	GROSSULARIACEAE	v	
n	✿ <i>Ribes speciosum</i>	fuchsia-flowered gooseberry	GROSSULARIACEAE	o	
n	<i>Rosa californica</i>	California wild rose	ROSACEAE	o	
n	✿ <i>Rosa spithamea</i>	coast ground rose	ROSACEAE	o	
n	✿ <i>Rubus ursinus</i>	California blackberry	ROSACEAE	v	
i	<i>Rumex conglomeratus</i>	knotted dock	POLYGONACEAE	o	
i	✿ <i>Rumex crispus</i>	curly dock	POLYGONACEAE	o	
i	<i>Rumex pulcher</i>	fiddle dock	POLYGONACEAE	o	
n	<i>Sagina decumbens</i> subsp. <i>occidentalis</i>	western pearlwort	CARYOPHYLLACEAE	v	
n	<i>Salix lasiolepis</i>	arroyo willow, California pussywillow	SALICACEAE	o	
n	✿ <i>Salvia mellifera</i>	black sage	LAMIACEAE	o	
n	✿ <i>Salvia spathacea</i>	hummingbird sage	LAMIACEAE	o	
n	✿ <i>Sambucus nigra</i> subsp. <i>caerulea</i>	blue elderberry	ADOXACEAE	o	
n	✿ <i>Sanicula arguta</i>	sharp-toothed sanicle	APIACEAE	o	
n	<i>Sanicula crassicaulis</i>	common sanicle	APIACEAE	v	
n	<i>Sanicula laciniata</i>	coast sanicle	APIACEAE	v	
n	✿ <i>Scrophularia californica</i> subsp. <i>californica</i>	California figwort	SCROPHULARIACEAE	v	
n	<i>Selaginella bigelovii</i>	Bigelow's spike-moss	SELAGINELLACEAE	v	
i	<i>Senecio glomeratus</i>	cutleaf burnweed	ASTERACEAE	v	
n	✿ <i>Sidalcea malviflora</i> subsp. <i>laciniata</i>	geranium-leaved checkerbloom	MALVACEAE	v	
i	✿ <i>Silene gallica</i>	windmill pink	CARYOPHYLLACEAE	o	
n	✿ <i>Silene laciniata</i> subsp. <i>laciniata</i>	Indian pink, Mexican pink	CARYOPHYLLACEAE	o	
n	✿ <i>Sisyrinchium bellum</i>	blue-eyed-grass	IRIDACEAE	o	

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n	✿ <i>Solanum douglasii</i>	Douglas' nightshade	SOLANACEAE	o	
n	✿ <i>Solanum umbelliferum</i> var. <i>xanti</i>	chaparral purple nightshade	SOLANACEAE	v	
n	✿ <i>Solidago velutina</i> subsp. <i>californica</i>	California goldenrod	ASTERACEAE	o	
i	<i>Soliva sessilis</i>	field burweed	ASTERACEAE	v	
i	✿ <i>Sonchus oleraceus</i>	common sow-thistle	ASTERACEAE	o	
i	<i>Spergularia villosa</i>	hairy sand spurrey	CARYOPHYLLACEAE	v	
n	✿ <i>Stachys bullata</i>	coast hedge-nettle	LAMIACEAE	o	
i	<i>Stellaria media</i>	common chickweed	CARYOPHYLLACEAE	o	
n	✿ <i>Stephanomeria cichoriacea</i>	silver rock-lettuce	ASTERACEAE	o	
n	<i>Stipa lepida</i>	foothill needlegrass	POACEAE	o	
i	<i>Stipa miliacea</i> var. <i>miliacea</i>	smilo	POACEAE	o	
n	<i>Stipa pulchra</i>	purple needlegrass	POACEAE	o	
n	✿ <i>Symphoricarpos mollis</i>	creeping snowberry	CAPRIFOLIACEAE	o	
n	✿ <i>Thalictrum fendleri</i> var. <i>polycarpum</i>	tall meadow-rue	RANUNCULACEAE	o	
i	<i>Torilis nodosa</i>	knotted hedge-parsley	APIACEAE	o	
n	✿ <i>Toxicodendron diversilobum</i>	poison-oak	ANACARDIACEAE	o	
i	✿ <i>Tragopogon porrifolius</i>	salsify, purple goat's-beard	ASTERACEAE	v	
n	<i>Trifolium bifidum</i> var. <i>decipiens</i>	pinole clover	FABACEAE	v	
n	✿ <i>Trifolium depauperatum</i> var. <i>truncatum</i>	truncate sac clover	FABACEAE	v	
i	<i>Trifolium dubium</i>	little hop clover	FABACEAE	v	
n	<i>Trifolium microcephalum</i>	miniature clover	FABACEAE	v	
n	✿ <i>Trifolium willdenovii</i>	tomcat clover	FABACEAE	v	
n	<i>Triphysaria pusilla</i>	miniature owl's-clover	OROBANCHACEAE	v	
n	<i>Turritis glabra</i>	tower mustard	BRASSICACEAE	o	

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n	✿ <i>Verbena lasiostachys</i> var. <i>lasiostachys</i>	western vervain	VERBENACEAE	o	
n	<i>Vicia hassei</i>	slender vetch	FABACEAE	v	
i	✿ <i>Vicia sativa</i> subsp. <i>sativa</i>	common vetch	FABACEAE	o	
i	✿ <i>Vicia villosa</i> subsp. <i>varia</i>	narrow-leaved vetch	FABACEAE	o	
i	<i>Vinca major</i>	greater periwinkle	APOCYNACEAE	o	
n	✿ <i>Viola pedunculata</i>	Johnny jump-up, wild pansy	VIOLACEAE	o	