Conservation Assessment for Clingman's hedge-nettle (Stachys clingmanii Small)



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# **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

Clingman's hedge-nettle (*Stachys clingmanii* Small) is an herbaceous perennial in the mint family. Clingman's hedge-nettle occurs mostly in mountain woodlands at high altitudes, with disjunct occurrences in Indiana and, possibly, Illinois.

*Stachys clingmanii* has a Global Conservation Status rank of G2Q, designating it is considered imperiled globally. The "Q" indicates Questionable taxonomy, meaning the distinctness of this entity at the current level is questionable. Its National Conservation Status rank is N2, indicating it is considered imperiled in the United States. It is a Regional Forester Sensitive Species on the Hoosier National Forest in Indiana.

There are documented populations in Alabama, Tennessee, South Carolina, North Carolina, Maryland, and Indiana. Of 30 known occurrences in state Heritage Databases, all but three are on protected or managed land. Many records are more than 20 years old, however.

There is one reported occurrence on the Hoosier National Forest in Indiana. However, no specimens collected on the Hoosier National Forest can currently be located and little is known about the site.

*Stachys clingmanii* is a species of very restricted geographic range. Some known occurrences have been extirpated and few recent localities have been identified. It is not known if the plant is generally in decline, is over-looked, or is misidentified when seen. Studies are needed to document population trends and to resolve taxonomic questions regarding its distinctness as a taxon.

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# NOMENCLATURE AND TAXONOMY

**Class:** Dicotyledoneae **Order:** Lamiales **Family:** Lamiaceae, the mint family

Scientific name: *Stachys clingmanii* Small Common name: Clingman's hedge-nettle Published in: Flora of the southeastern United States. J. K. Small. p. 1032. 1913.

Synonyms: none Infraspecific taxa: none

## **DESCRIPTION OF SPECIES**

Clingman's hedge-nettle was originally described by Small (1913) from Clingman's Dome, North Carolina. Some authorities question the recognition of this taxon as a separate species (W-10).

Small (1913) describes the taxon as:

Perennial, hispid-hirsute. Stems erect, 3-10 dm. long, simple, its hairs spreading: leafblades oblong or oblong-lanceolate, 6-12 cm. long, acuminate, dentate, truncate or subcordate at the base; petioles 1/5-1/6 as long as the blade: clusters in the upper axils of leaf-like bracts: bracts surpassing the calyx: calyx 6-7 mm., corolla bluish, 1.5 cm. long; tube saccate a little above the base, the upper lip pilose on the back, the lower lip as long as the tube, with a suborbicular middle lobe and ovate lateral lobes: filaments villous: nutlets about 2 mm. long.

The following description is based on Gleason and Cronquist (1991), Radford et al. (1968) and Yatskievych (2000):

Stem 0.5-0.8 m, hirsute on the angles only with pustulate (= with little blisters) hairs 1-2 mm. deflexed at 45 degrees; leaves lance-ovate to oblong, 6-18 cm long, 3-7 cm wide, acuminate, sharply serrate, obtuse to subcordate at base, sharply serrate, hirsutulous on both sides; petioles slender, 0.5-4.5 cm, smooth on the upper side; verticals (= whorls of flowers) usually 6-flowered; calyx-tube hairy, 3.3-5.3 mm, the lobes deltoid-acuminate, half as long, tapering to a subulate tip 1 mm. Corolla deep pink, strongly 2-lipped, 14-18 mm. Mericarps 2.2-2.3 mm long.

Gleason and Cronquist (1991) note plants from Illinois and Indiana, with the bristles scarcely deflexed, are also referred here.

It is distinguished from other perennial *Stachys* with leaf-blades cordate or truncate at the base by having petioles less than <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> as long as the blades, lower leaves with petioles several times longer than those of the upper, and calyx lobes awned at the tips (Small 1913). This plant is frequently misidentified (John Nelson, pers. com.).

The following key to *Stachys* is from Radford et al. (1968):

Longest petioles more than 1/3 the length of the blade	S. floridana
Longest petioles less than $1/3$ the length of the blade.	
Leaves acute or obtuse, linear to elliptic	S. hyssopifolia
Leaves acuminate, ovate to elliptic ovate.	
Sides of upper internodes glandular-puberulent	S. nuttallii
Sides of upper internodes glabrous or with remote trichomes.	,
Angles of stem densely pubescent with horizontally spread	ing,
long trichomes	S. clingmanii
Angles of stem glabrous or with reflexed, short trichomes.	
Calyx lobes 2/3 or more as long as the tube	S. tenuifolia
Calyx lobes less than 1/2 as long as the tube	S. latidens

## LIFE HISTORY

Clingman's hedge-nettle is an herbaceous perennial.

### Reproduction

Sexual reproduction is via seeds. Asexual reproduction is possible via rhizomes.

## Ecology

No information found.

### **Dispersal/Migration**

Seeds are most likely dispersed by gravity.

### **Obligate Associations**

### HABITAT

### Rangewide

Clingman's hedge-nettle occurs mostly in mountain woodlands at high altitudes (Gleason and Cronquist 1991). Mohlenbrock (1986) for Illinois reports Clingman's hedge-nettle from rocky woods. Deam (1940) reports it as local in various habitats: dry oak slopes, moist sugar maple and beech woods, and hard white clay soil in a sweet gum "flat" in Indiana. Most localities in Indiana are along banks of rivers and creeks.

Radford et al. (1968) cite meadows, roadsides and clearings, often previously disturbed by fire, for Clingman's Hedge-nettle in the southeast. It grows at high elevations, typically in northern hardwood forests, spruce-fir forest, and on grassy balds in Great Smokey Mountains National Park. It appears to like sunny

openings: the few records the National Parks Service has usually state that it is trailside or in an opening (Janet Rock, pers. com.).

The variety of habitats described for the species across its range suggests more than one species may be involved (Steve Olson, pers. com.).

### **National Forests**

There is one reported occurrence on the Hoosier National Forest in Indiana, from the Highland Rim Section (Olson and Reynolds 2000) between an ephemeral pond and oxbow lake which does not remain inundated by water but dries out each year. However, no specimens collected on the Hoosier National Forest can currently be located and nothing more is known about the site (Kirk Larson, pers. com.).

#### **Site Specific**

See above.

### DISTRIBUTION AND ABUNDANCE

### **Range-wide Distribution**

There are documented populations in Alabama, Tennessee, South Carolina, North Carolina, Maryland, and Indiana (W-10). It is also reported for AL, AR, and VT (W-2). Mohlenbrock (1986) reports it from Illinois, but herbaria there have no specimens (Steven Hill, pers. com.; Daniel Nickrent, pers. com.). The species is now thought not to occur in Maryland and that reports of it were hybrids and/or misidentifications (Chris Frye, pers. com.).

The Alabama record for Clingman's hedge-nettle is questionable. "The only citation occurring in Alabama appears in Kartesz; no actual vouchers exist as far as we know (we've not checked all herbaria, however)" (Al Schotz, pers. com.). The same is true for Arkansas (Theo Witsell, pers. com.) and Vermont (Bob Popp, pers. com.). The source of the record for Arkansas and Vermont is a 1989 publication on the taxonomy of North American *Stachys* (Mulligan and Munro 1989). The authors were contacted during research for this report and were unable to provide additional information, in part because specimens at their home institution had been loaned in 1995 and never returned. We contacted herbaria listed in their paper to try to locate vouchers. None were found, although not all herbaria responded (see Appendix for a list). Another *Stachys* taxonomist, John

Nelson at the A. C. Moore Herbarium at the University of South Carolina, feels *Stachys clingmanii* is primarily a southeastern species and he knows of no collections from Vermont or Arkansas (John Nelson, pers. com.). He mentions it may occur out of the southeast, as in some odd-looking plants in Indiana.

The validity of identification of plants in Indiana as *Stachys clingmanii* has been questioned by some, but one expert consulted by the Division of Nature Preserves of the Indiana Department of Natural Resources has confirmed that plants collected in Indiana are Clingman's hedge-nettle (Mike Homoya, pers. com). However, specimens in the Deam Herbarium at Indiana University have not been annotated since 1932 (Eric Knox, pers. com.).

Dr. George Ramseur, of the University of the South in Tennessee, reported this plant from many sites in the Great Smokey Mountains during the 1950's (Tennessee Natural Heritage Database 2004). He recalls it was not widespread or abundant and does not remember seeing the plant since about 1957 (George Ramseur, pers. com.).

### **State and National Forest Distribution**

There is one reported occurrence on the Hoosier National Forest in Indiana, from the Highland Rim Section (Olson and Reynolds 2000). However, no specimens collected on the Hoosier National Forest can currently be located and nothing more is known about the site (Kirk Larson, pers. com.). A specimen, now lost, collected by Steve Olson keyed to *S. clingmanii* based on descriptions in Deam (1940), Mohlenbrock (1986), and Radford et al. (1968), although he was not entirely convinced it was *S. clingmanii* (Steve Olson, pers. com).

### **RANGE WIDE STATUS**

*Stachys clingmanii* has a Global Conservation Status rank of G2Q, designating it is considered imperiled globally (G2, at high risk of extinction due to very restricted range, very few populations (often fewer than 20) steep declines, or other factors) (W-11). The "Q" indicates Questionable taxonomy, meaning the distinctness of this entity at the current level is questionable; resolution of this uncertainty may result in change from a species to a subspecies or hybrid, or the inclusion of this taxon in another taxon, with the resulting taxon having a lower-priority conservation value.

Its National Conservation Status rank is N2, indicating it is considered imperiled in the United States (W-11). It is a Regional Forester Sensitive Species on the Hoosier National Forest in Indiana.

This plant of extremely limited geographic range has sub-regional, or state, rankings in 7 states (W-10). See Appendix for a detailed list. It considered SH, historical in North Carolina, SR (meaning the plant is reported for the state, but without persuasive documentation that would provide a basis for either accepting or rejecting the species) in Alabama, and SU (currently unrankable due to lack of information or due to substantially conflicting information about status or trends) in West Virginia. Maryland ranks it SRF, falsely reported (Chris Frye, pers. com.).

Two states, Indiana and South Carolina, rank it S1 indicating it is extremely rare; typically 5 or fewer known occurrences in the state, or only a few remaining individuals may be especially vulnerable to extirpation. It is S1S2 in TN, indicating it is between S1 status and S2, very rare, typically between 6 and 20 known occurrences; may be susceptible to becoming extirpated.

Indiana and Maryland list the plant as Endangered in the state. Tennessee lists it as Threatened.

Janet Rock, Botanist with the Great Smokey Mountains National Park where *S. clingmanii* was first described from Clingman's Dome in North Carolina reports that it appears secure in the park and is not monitored.

### POPULATION BIOLOGY AND VIABILITY

The single reported population in the Hoosier National Forest is reported as stable and self-sustaining (Olson 1999).

### **POTENTIAL THREATS**

### **Present or Threatened Risks to Habitat**

NatureServe explorer (W-10) notes there are many historical occurrences of *Stachys clingmanii*, but the causes of loss of these populations are not known. High impact recreational use in its habitat in National Parks is cited as a concern. Forest Management Practices are thought to present a low-level threat (W-10).

#### **Over utilization**

No information found.

#### **Disease or Predation**

No information found.

**Inadequacy of Existing Regulatory Mechanisms** No information found.

### **Other Natural or Human Factors**

Clingman's hedge-nettle is reported to be a possible bioindicator plant, showing signs of ozone damage in the Great Smokey Mountains National Park (National Park Service 2003). Evidence from different observers is conflictling, however.

### SUMMARY OF LAND OWNERSHIP & EXISTING HABITAT PROTECTION

Of 30 known occurrences of Clingmann's hedge-nettle in state Heritage Databases, all but three are on protected or managed land. Many records are more than 20 years old, however.

For Indiana, there are 5 historical occurrences, with plants last seen in 1932 or before (Indiana Natural Heritage Database 2002). Two localities were resurveyed in 1980. One had appropriate habitat still present but the plant was not seen. One site has been destroyed by logging. Two sites that have not been revisited are on state forests.

There are 15 known occurrences in North Carolina (North Carolina Natural Heritage Database 2004). All are protected to some degree by virtue of being in Great Smokey Mountains National Park (11) or on National Park Service Land on the Blue Ridge National Parkway (4). The most recent observation of the plants at any of these sites was in 1977. Most records are from the 1950's with a few from the '30's and '40's.

There are two occurrences listed in the South Carolina Natural Heritage Database (2004), one reported in 1960 (not relocated in 1985) and one in 1985. One is on the Sumter National Forest, Andrew Pickens District. The other is on Brasstown Creek Heritage Preserve.

Tennessee has records for 20 occurrences (Tennessee Natural Heritage Database 2004). All are on the Cherokee National Forest or in Great Smokey Mountains National Park. Ten of these have not been observed since 1940 or before. Numbers of plants are reported for three sites: two with <100, one with 100-1,000.

### SUMMARY OF EXISTING MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES

No information found.

### PAST AND CURRENT CONSERVATION ACTIVITIES

No information found.

### **RESEARCH AND MONITORING**

#### Existing Surveys, Monitoring, and Research

No information found.

### **Survey Protocol**

No information found.

### **Research Priorities**

*Stachys clingmanii* is a species of very restricted geographic range. Some known occurrences have been extirpated and few recent localities have been identified. It is not known if the plant is generally in decline, is over-looked, or is misidentified when seen. Studies are needed to document population trends and to resolve taxonomic questions regarding its distinctness as a taxon.

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# APPENDIX

Alabama	SR	South Carolina	S1
Indiana	<b>S</b> 1	Tennessee	S1S2
Maryland	<b>S</b> 1	West Virginia	SU
North Carolina	SH		

S1: Extremely rare; typically 5 or fewer known occurrences in the state, or only a few remaining individuals may be especially vulnerable to extirpation.

S2: Very rare; typically between 6 and 20 known occurrences; may be susceptible to becoming extirpated.

S3: Rare to uncommon; typically 21 to 50 known occurrences; S3 ranked species are not yet susceptible to becoming extirpated in the state but may be if additional populations are destroyed.

S4: Common; apparently secure under present conditions; typically 51 or more known occurrences, but may be fewer with many large populations; usually not susceptible to immediate threats.

S5: Very common; demonstrably secure under present conditions.

SX: Species has been determined or presumed to be extirpated. All historical occurrences have been searched, or all known sites have been destroyed and a thorough search of potential habitat has been completed.

SR: Reported from the state, but without persuasive documentation that would provide a basis for either accepting or rejecting the species.

S?: Not enough information available to assess at this time, more field studies and/or specimen identification is needed.

SH: Possibly extirpated (historical); occurred historically and there is some expectation that it may be rediscovered. Its presence may not have been verified in the past 20 years.

SU: Currently unrankable due to lack of information or due to substantially conflicting information about status or trends.

HYB: Unranked because it represents an interspecific hybrid, not a species.

### Herbaria searched online for specimens of Stachys clingmanii:

ARIZ = Univ. of Arizona Herbarium University of Arizona 113 Shantz Building, P.O. Box 210038 Tucson, Arizona 85721-0038 <u>http://eebweb.arizona.edu/HERB/index.html</u> [1] 520/ 621-7243 (phan Email: pjenkins@u.arizona.edu

B = Herbarium Botanischer Garten und Botanisches Museum Berlin-Dahlem, Zentraleinrichtung der Freien Universität Berlin Königin-Luise-Strasse 6-8 D-14191 Berlin (letters); D-14195 (parcels) Germany http://www.bgbm.fu-berlin.de [49] 30/ 83850-100. Email: wg@zedat.fu-berlin.de

BARC = U.S. National Seed Herbarium Systematic Botany and Mycology Laboratory, USDA/ARS 10300 Baltimore Avenue, Building 011A, BARC-West Beltsville, Maryland 20705-2350 http://nt.ars-grin.gov

BM = Herbarium The Natural History Museum Cromwell Road London SW7 5BD, England U.K. http://www.nhm.ac.uk 44] 207/ 942-5118. Email: <u>r.huxley@nhm.ac.uk</u>

BR = Herbarium Jardin Botanique National de Belgique Domein van Bouchout B-1860 Meise Belgium http://www.br.fgov.be [32] 2/ 260 09 50. Email: robbrecht@br.fgov.be

GH = Herbaria Harvard University 22 Divinity Avenue Cambridge, Massachusetts 02138-2020 <u>http://www.huh.harvard.edu</u> Contact [1] 617/ 495-2365; Email: ewood@oeb.harvard.edu

Harvard University 22 Divinity Avenue Cambridge, Massachusetts 02138-2020 http://www.huh.harvard.edu/nebc/ Email: rangelo@oeb.harvard.edu

Jepson Herbarium University of California 1001 Valley Life Sciences Building #2465 Berkeley, California 94720-2465 http://ucjeps.berkeley.edu/ Contact [1] 510/ 643-7008.; Email: bmishler@socrates.berkeley.edu

MICH = Herbarium University of Michigan 3600 Varsity Drive Ann Arbor, Michigan 48108-2287 <u>http://herbarium.lsa.umich.edu</u> Email: <u>reznicek@umich.edu</u>; <u>Contact</u> [1] 734/ 764-2407.

MO = Herbarium Missouri Botanical Garden P.O. Box 299 Saint Louis, Missouri 63166-0299 <u>http://www.mobot.org/</u> <u>Contact</u> [1] 314/ 577-5169. Email: james.zarucchi@mobot.org

NA = Herbarium United States National Arboretum, USDA/ARS 3501 New York Avenue, N.E. Washington, District of Columbia 20002-1958 <u>http://www.usna.usda.gov/Research/Herbarium/index.html</u> <u>Contact</u> [1] 202/ 245-4550.; [1] 202/ 245-4513 Email: <u>nakc@ars-grin.gov</u>

NY = William and Lynda Steere Herbarium New York Botanical Garden Bronx, New York 10458-5126 http://www.nybg.org Email: <u>bthiers@nybg.org</u> Found 1 record

UPS = Uppsala University Norbyvägen 16 SE-752 36 Uppsala Sweden <u>http://www-hotel.uu.se/evolmuseum/fytotek/</u> [46] 18/ 471 2791 roland.moberg@evolmuseum.uu.se

### Herbaria e-mailed or sent letters:

ALA = Herbarium University of Alaska Museum P.O. Box 756960, 907 Yukon Drive Fairbanks, Alaska 99775-6960 [1] 907/ 474-7109 Email: <u>fnarb@uaf.edu</u> NO RECORDS FOUND

BR = Herbarium Jardin Botanique National de Belgique Domein van Bouchout B-1860 Meise Belgium http://www.br.fgov.be [32] 2/ 260 09 50. Email: <u>robbrecht@br.fgov.be</u> NO RECORDS FOUND CAN = National Herbarium of Canada **Canadian Museum of Nature** P.O. Box 3443, Station D Ottawa, Ontario K1P 6P4 Canada [1] 613/ 364-4076 Email: <u>mshchepane@mus-nature.ca</u> NO RECORDS FOUND

CM = Herbarium Carnegie Museum of Natural History 4400 Forbes Avenue Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15213-4080 <u>http://www.carnegiemuseums.org/cmnh/botany</u> [1] 412/ 622-3253. Email: <u>isaacb@carnegiemuseums.org</u> SENT 2 RECORDS

DAO = Vascular Plant Herbarium Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada Wm. Saunders Building, Central Experimental Farm Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0C6 Canada <u>http://res2.agr.ca/ecorc/dao/index\_e.htm</u> [1] 613/ 759-1373. Email: <u>catlingp@agr.gc.ca</u> REPLIED – SHEETS ON LOAN; SUGGESTED WE CONTACT Dr. John Nelson at USCH (Univ. of South Carolina, Columbia)

F = Herbarium Field Museum of Natural History 1400 South Lake Shore Drive Chicago, Illinois 60605-2496 <u>Contact</u> [1] 312/ 665-7861.; Email: <u>gmueller@fmnh.org</u> SENT 1 RECORD

FSU = R. K. Godfrey Herbarium Florida State University Tallahassee, Florida 32306-4370 <u>http://www.bio.fsu.edu/herbarium/</u> <u>Contact</u> [1] 850/ 644-6278.; Email: <u>herbarium@bio.fsu.edu</u> NO RECORDS FOUND

ILL = Herbarium University of Illinois 505 South Goodwin Avenue Urbana, Illinois 61801 <u>Contact</u> [1] 217/ 333-2522.; Email: <u>d-seigler@uiuc.edu</u> SENT 1 RECORD

ILL = Herbarium University of Illinois 505 South Goodwin Avenue Urbana, Illinois 61801 <u>Contact</u> [1] 217/ 333-2522.; Email: <u>d-seigler@uiuc.edu</u> SENT 2 RECORDS

MASS = Herbarium University of Massachusetts Amherst, Massachusetts 01003-5810 http://informatics.bio.umass.edu/museum/herbarium Contact [1] 413/ 545-2775.; Email: ksearcy@bio.umass.edu NO RECORDS FOUND

MT = Herbier Marie-Victorin Université de Montréal 4101, rue Sherbrooke est Montréal, Québec H1X 2B2 Canada http://www.irbv.umontreal.ca/francais/herbier/accueil.h brouille@irbv.umontreal.ca; luc.brouillet@umontreal.ca [1] 514/ 872-8496; 872-8474. SENT 1 RECORD

MTMG = Herbarium McGill University, Macdonald Campus 21111 Lakeshore Road Sainte-Anne-de-Bellevue, Québec H9X 3V9 Canada <u>http://www.mcgill.ca/macdonald/campus/herbarium/</u> [1] 514/ 398-7851, ext. 8726 or 7864. Email: <u>waterway@macdonald.mcgill.ca</u> NO RECORDS FOUND

NDG = Herbarium University of Notre Dame 007 Galvin Life Science Center Notre Dame, Indiana 46556-0369 [1] 574/ 631-6684; 631-6552 Email: <u>barbara.j.hellenthal.2@nd.edu</u> NO RECORDS FOUND

NHA = Albion R. Hodgdon Herbarium University of New Hampshire Durham, New Hampshire 03824-2617 <u>http://www.unh.edu/herbarium/</u> Email: <u>garrett.crow@unh.edu</u> or gec@christa.unh.edu NO RECORDS FOUND

OXF = Fielding-Druce Herbarium **University of Oxford** South Parks Road Oxford OX1 3RB, England U.K. <u>http://www.plants.ox.ac.uk/herbarium/index.html</u> Email: <u>stephen.harris@plants.ox.ac.uk</u> NO RECORDS FOUND

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RSA = Herbarium Rancho Santa Ana Botanic Garden 1500 North College Avenue Claremont, California 91711-3 [1] 909/ 625-8767, ext. 248 or 233. Email: <u>gary.wallace@cgu.edu</u> SENT 1 RECORD

SIU = Herbarium Southern Illinois University Carbondale, Illinois 62901-6509 <u>http://www.science.siu.edu/plant-biology/herbarium/index.html</u> [1] 618/ 536-2331, ext. 30. Email: <u>nickrent@plant.siu.edu</u> NO RECORDS FOUND

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BH = Bailey Hortorium Herbarium Cornell University 228 Plant Science Building Ithaca, New York 14853 <u>http://bhort.bh.cornell.edu/herb.htm</u> [1] 607/ 256-5341; Email: <u>kcn2@cornell.edu</u>

CAS = Herbarium California Academy of Sciences 875 Howard Street San Francisco, California 94103 415/ 750-7187; Email: <u>bbartholomew@calacademy.org</u> Also DS = Dudley Herbarium at same address

CCO = Herbarium Carleton University 1125 Colonel By Drive Ottawa, Ontario K1S 5B6 Canada No staff or numbers listed; most of their specimens transferred to other Herbs. And they were mostly fungi and algae, lichens and bryophytes

CSPU = Herbarium California State Polytechnic University Pomona, California 91768-4032 <u>http://www.csupomona.edu/~biology/</u> 909/ 869-4062.; Email: <u>jcclark@csupomona.edu</u>

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