

**Vascular Plants of Hungry Valley, Ventura County, California**  
**By David L. Magney**

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			Status	Family	
<i>Acmispon brachycarpus</i> (Bentham) D.D. Sokoloff	Hill Lotus	AH	.	Fabaceae	O
<i>Acmispon procumbens</i> (E. Greene) Brouillet var. <i>procumbens</i>	Silky California Broom	PH	.	Fabaceae	S
<i>Adenostoma fasciculatum</i> Hook. & Arn. var. <i>fasciculatum</i>	Chamise	S	.	Rosaceae	C
<i>Agoseris retrorsa</i> (Bentham) E. Greene	Spear-leaved Mountain Dandelion	PH	.	Asteraceae	C
<i>Agrostis exarata</i> Trin.	Western or Spike Bentgrass	PG	FACW	Poaceae	S
<i>Allium fimbriatum</i> S. Watson var. <i>fimbriatum</i>	Fringed Onion	PG	.	Alliaceae	O
* <i>Amaranthus albus</i> L. *	Pigweed Amaranth	AH	FACU	Amaranthaceae	C
<i>Ambrosia acanthicarpa</i> Hooker	Burweed, Annual Bur-sage	AH	.	Asteraceae	C
<i>Amsinckia tessellata</i> Gray var. <i>gloriosa</i> (Suksd.) Hoover	Glorious Fiddleneck	AH	.	Boraginaceae	S
<i>Amsinckia tessellata</i> Gray var. <i>tessellata</i>	Devil's Lettuce	AH	.	Boraginaceae	S
<i>Aphyllon californicum</i> ssp. <i>jepsonii</i> (Munz) A.C. Schneid.	Jepson Sagebrush Broom-rape	PH	.	Orobanchaceae	R
<i>Arctostaphylos glauca</i> Lindley	Bigberry Manzanita	S	.	Ericaceae	C
<i>Argemone munita</i> ssp. <i>rotundata</i> (Rydberg) G.B. Ownbey	Prickly Poppy, Chicalote	AH	.	Papaveraceae	R
* <i>Arundo donax</i> L. *	Giant Reed	PG	FACW	Poaceae	C
<i>Artemisia dracunculus</i> L.	Tarragon, Dragon Tarragon	PH	(FACW)	Asteraceae	C
<i>Artemisia tridentata</i> var. <i>tridentata</i>	Great Basin Sagebrush	S	(FACU)	Asteraceae	C
<i>Asclepias eriocarpa</i> Bentham	Kotolo, Indian Milkweed	PH	.	Apocynaceae	O
<i>Asclepias erosa</i> Torrey	Desert Milkweed	PH	.	Apocynaceae	U
<i>Astragalus douglasii</i> (T. & G.) Gray var. <i>douglasii</i>	Douglas Milkvetch	PH	.	Fabaceae	S
<i>Astragalus pachypus</i> E. Greene var. <i>pachypus</i>	Thickpod Milkvetch	PH	.	Fabaceae	S
<i>Astragalus purshii</i> var. <i>tinctus</i> M.E. Jones	Pursh Woollypod	PH	.	Fabaceae	C
? <i>Atriplex polycarpa</i> (Torrey) S. Watson	Common Saltbush, Allscale	S	FACU	Chenopodiaceae	U
* <i>Avena barbata</i> Link. *	Slender Wild Oat	AG	.	Poaceae	C
<i>Balsamorhiza deltoidea</i> Nuttall	Balsamroot, Chuchupate	PH	.	Asteraceae	S
<i>Boechera pulchra</i> (M.E. Jones ex S. Watson) W.A. Weber	Desert Rock Cress	PH	.	Brassicaceae	C
* <i>Bromus hordeaceus</i> L. ssp. <i>hordeaceus</i> *	Soft Chess	AG	FACU	Poaceae	C
* <i>Bromus madritensis</i> ssp. <i>rubens</i> (L.) Husnot *	Red Brome	AG	UPL	Poaceae	C
* <i>Bromus tectorum</i>	Cheat Grass	AG	.	Poaceae	C
<i>Calandrinia menziesii</i> (Hook.) Torr. & A. Gray	Redmaids	AH	FACU	Montiaceae	C
<i>Calochortus kennedyi</i> Porter var. <i>kennedyi</i>	Red Mariposa Lily	PG	.	Liliaceae	S
<i>Calochortus venustus</i> Benth.	Butterfly Mariposa Lily	PG	.	Liliaceae	C
<i>Calystegia malacophylla</i> ssp. <i>pedicellata</i> (Jepson) Munz	Sierra Morning-glory	PV	.	Convolvulaceae	C
<i>Calystegia occidentalis</i> ssp. <i>fulrata</i> (Gray) Brummitt	Western Morning-glory	PV	.	Convolvulaceae	R
<i>Camissonia campestris</i> (E. Greene) Raven cf. ssp. <i>campestris</i>	Mojave Sun-cup	AH	.	Onagraceae	O
<i>Camissonia contorta</i> (Douglas) P.H. Raven	Contorted Primrose	AH	.	Onagraceae	R
<i>Camissonia strigulosa</i> (Fischer & C. Meyer) Raven	Strigose Primrose	AH	.	Onagraceae	O
<i>Camissoniopsis confusa</i> (P.H. Raven) W.L. Wagner & Hoch	Confusing Primrose	AH	.	Onagraceae	U

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<i>Camissoniopsis pallida</i> (Abrams) W.L. Wagner & Hoch ssp. <i>pallida</i>	Pale Primrose	AH	.		Onagraceae	R
<i>Carex subfusca</i> W. Boott	Brown Sedge	PG	FAC		Cyperaceae	U
<i>Castilleja linariifolia</i> Benth.	Linaria-leaved Indian Paintbrush	PH	.		Orobanchaceae	S
<i>Castilleja subinclusa</i> E. Greene ssp. <i>subinclusa</i>	Long-leaved Indian Paintbrush	PH	.		Orobanchaceae	C
<i>Ceanothus leucodermis</i> E. Greene	Chaparral Whitethorn	S	.		Rhamnaceae	C
<i>Ceanothus pauciflorus</i> DC.	Few-flowered Ceanothus	S	.		Rhamnaceae	O
<i>Cercocarpus betuloides</i> Torrey & A. Gray var. <i>betuloides</i>	Birchleaf Mountain Mahogany	S	.		Rosaceae	C
<i>Chaenactis fremontii</i> A. Gray	Desert Pincushion	AH	.		Asteraceae	R
<i>Chaenactis glabriuscula</i> DC. var. <i>glabriuscula</i>	Common Yellow Pincushion	AH	.		Asteraceae	C
<i>Chaenactis xantiana</i> Gray	Xantus Pincushion	AH	.		Asteraceae	S
<i>Chamaesyce albomarginata</i> (Torrey & A. Gray) Small	Rattlesnake Spurge	AH	.		Euphorbiaceae	O
<i>Chorizanthe staticoides</i> Benth. var. <i>staticoides</i>	Turkish Rugging	AH	.		Polygonaceae	S
<i>Chorizanthe watsonii</i> T. & G.	Watson Spineflower	AH	.		Polygonaceae	U
<i>Chorizanthe xanti</i> S. Watson var. <i>xanti</i>	Xantus Spineflower	AH	.		Polygonaceae	S
<i>Cirsium occidentale</i> var. <i>californicum</i> (Gray) Keil & C. Turner	California Thistle	BH	.		Asteraceae	C
<i>Cirsium occidentale</i> var. <i>venustum</i> (E. Greene) Jepson	Red or Venus Thistle	BH	.		Asteraceae	O
<i>Clarkia cylindrica</i> (Jepson) H. Lewis & M. Lewis ssp. <i>cylindrica</i>	Cylindrical Godetia	AH	.		Onagraceae	S
<i>Claytonia parviflora</i> Hook. ssp. <i>parviflora</i>	Small-flowered Miner's Lettuce	AH	FACU		Montiaceae	O
<i>Collinsia callosa</i> Parish	Large-fruited Blue-eyed Mary	AH	.		Plantaginaceae	S
<i>Cordylanthus rigidus</i> ssp. <i>setigerus</i> Chuang & Heckard	Dark-tipped Rigid Bird's-Beak	AH	.		Orobanchaceae	U
<i>Corethrogyne filaginifolia</i> (Hook. & Arn.) Nutt. var. <i>filaginifolia</i>	California Cudweed-aster	PH	.		Asteraceae	C
<i>Cryptantha corollata</i> (I.M. Johnston) I.M. Johnston	Crowned Forget-Me-Not	AH	.		Boraginaceae	C, T
<i>Cryptantha decipiens</i> (M.E. Jones) A.A.Heller	Gravel Forget-Me-Not	AH	.		Boraginaceae	O
<i>Cryptantha juniperensis</i> R.B. Kelley & M.G. Simpson	Rigid Nevada Forget-Me-Not	AH	.		Boraginaceae	O
<i>Cryptantha muricata</i> (Hooker & Arnott) Nelson & Macbr. var. <i>muricata</i>	Showy Prickly Forget-Me-Not	AH	.		Boraginaceae	C
<i>Cryptantha nevadensis</i> var. <i>rigida</i> I.M. Johnston	Rigid Nevada Forget-Me-Not	AH	.		Boraginaceae	O
<i>Cryptantha pterocarya</i> (Torr.) E. Greene var. <i>pterocarya</i>	Wing-nut Forget-Me-Not	AH	.		Boraginaceae	R
<i>Cryptantha simulans</i> E. Greene	Pine Forget-Me-Not	AH	.		Boraginaceae	S
<i>Cuscuta californica</i> Hooker & Arnott var. <i>californica</i>	California Dodder	AV	.		Convolvulaceae	C
<i>Cylindropuntia californica</i> var. <i>parkeri</i> (J.M. Coulter) Pinkava	Cane or Snake Cholla	S	.		Cactaceae	U
<i>Datura wrightii</i> Regel	Jimson Weed	AH	UPL		Solanaceae	C
<i>Eleocharis montevidensis</i> Kunth	Sand Spikerush	PG	FACW		Cyperaceae	U
<i>Eleocharis parishii</i> Britt.	Parish Spikerush	PG	FACW		Cyperaceae	C
<i>Elymus condensatus</i>	Giant Wild Rye	PG	.		Poaceae	C
<i>Elymus elymoides</i> (Raf.) Swezey ssp. <i>elymoides</i>	Bottlebrush Squirreltail	PG	FACU		Poaceae	C
<i>Elymus multisetus</i> (J.G. Smith) Burt Davy	Bottlebrush Squirreltail	PG	.		Poaceae	S
<i>Emmenanthe penduliflora</i> Benth. var. <i>penduliflora</i>	Whispering Bells	AH	.		Hydrophyllaceae	O

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<i>Encelia actoni</i> Elmer	Acton Brittlebush	S	.	Asteraceae	S
<i>Eremocarpus setiger</i> (Hooker) Benth	Dove Weed, Turkey Mullein	AH	.	Euphorbiaceae	C
<i>Eriastrum densifolium</i> ssp. <i>austromontanum</i> (Craig) H. Mason	Mountain Woolly Star	PH	.	Polemoniaceae	S
<i>Eriastrum densifolium</i> ssp. <i>mohavense</i> (Craig) H. Mason	Mojave Woolly Star	PH	.	Polemoniaceae	R
<i>Eriastrum eremicum</i> (Jeps.) H. Mason ssp. <i>eremicum</i>	Woolly Star	AH	.	Polemoniaceae	R
<i>Eriastrum filifolium</i> (Nutt.) Woot. & Standl.	Narrowleaf Woolly Star	AH	.	Polemoniaceae	R
<i>Eriastrum sapphirinum</i> ssp. <i>dasyanthem</i> (Brand) H. Mason	Shaggy-flowered Sapphire Woolly Star	AH	.	Polemoniaceae	U
<i>Ericameria cooperi</i> (Gray) H.M. Hall var. <i>cooperi</i>	Cooper Goldenbush	S	.	Asteraceae	R
<i>Ericameria linearifolia</i> (DC.) Urb. & Wussow	Interior Goldenbush, Stenotopsis	S	.	Asteraceae	C
<i>Ericameria nauseosa</i> ssp. <i>hololeuca</i>	White-stemmed Rabbitbrush	S	.	Asteraceae	O
<i>Ericameria nauseosa</i> ssp. <i>mohavense</i>	Mojave Rabbitbrush	S	.	Asteraceae	C
<i>Eriodictyon crassifolium</i> Benth var. <i>crassifolium</i>	Thickleaf Yerba Santa	S	.	Namaceae	C
<i>Eriogonum elongatum</i> Benth var. <i>elongatum</i>	Long-stemmed Buckwheat	PH	.	Polygonaceae	C
<i>Eriogonum fasciculatum</i> var. <i>polifolium</i>	Desert California Wild Buckwheat	S	.	Polygonaceae	C
<i>Eriogonum roseum</i> Durand & Hilg.	Rose Buckwheat	AH	.	Polygonaceae	S
<i>Eriophyllum confertiflorum</i> (DC.) A. Gray var. <i>confertiflorum</i>	Golden Yarrow	PH	.	Asteraceae	C
<i>Erysimum capitatum</i> (Dougl.) E. Greene var. <i>capitatum</i>	Western Wallflower	AH/BH	.	Brassicaceae	C
<i>Gilia brecciarum</i> M.E. Jones ssp. <i>brecciarum</i>	Breccia Gilia	AH	.	Polemoniaceae	O
<i>Greenocharis circumsissa</i> (H. & A.) Ryd. var. <i>circumsissa</i>	Greenocharis	AH	.	Boraginaceae	S
<i>Gutierrezia californica</i> (DC.) Torrey & A. Gray	California Matchweed, Snakeweed	S	.	Asteraceae	O
<i>Helianthus annuus</i> L.	Common Sunflower	AH	FACU	Asteraceae	C
<i>Hesperoyucca whipplei</i>	Our Lord's Candle	S	.	Agavaceae	C
* <i>Hirschfeldia incana</i> (L.) Lagr.-Fossat *	Summer Mustard	PH	(FACU)	Brassicaceae	C
<i>Johnstonella holoptera</i> (A. Gray) Hasenstab & M.G. Simpson [ <i>Cryptantha h.</i> ]	Winged Forget-Me-Not	AH	.	Boraginaceae	R
<i>Juniperus californica</i> Carrière	California Juniper	S	.	Cupressaceae	C
<i>Leptosiphon liniflorus</i> (Benth) J.M. Porter & L.A. Johnson	Linanthus	AH	.	Polemoniaceae	O
<i>Leptosiphon parviflorus</i> Benth	Yellow Linanthus	AH	.	Polemoniaceae	C
<i>Leptosyne bigelovii</i> (A.Gray) A.Gray	Bigelow Coreopsis	AH	.	Asteraceae	C
<i>Lessingia glandulifera</i> var. <i>peirsonii</i> (J.T. Howell) Markos	Peirson Lessingia	AH	.	Asteraceae	R
<i>Linanthus parryae</i> (Gray) Greene	Parry Linanthus	AH	.	Polemoniaceae	R
<i>Lomatium mohavense</i> (Coul. & Rose) Coul. & Rose ssp. <i>mohavense</i>	Desert-parsley	PH	.	Apiaceae	O
<i>Lomatium utriculatum</i> (T. & G.) Coulter & Rose	Foothill Lomatium	PH	.	Apiaceae	O
<i>Lonicera subspicata</i> var. <i>denudata</i> Rehder	Southern Honeysuckle	S	.	Caprifoliaceae	C
<i>Lupinus excubitus</i> var. <i>austromontanus</i> (A.A. Heller) C.P. Smith	Southern Mountain Bush Lupine	S	.	Fabaceae	O
<i>Lupinus excubitus</i> M.E. Jones var. <i>excubitus</i>	Grape Soda Lupine	S	.	Fabaceae	S
<i>Lupinus sparsiflorus</i> Benth. ssp. <i>sparsiflorus</i>	Few-flowered Lupine	AH	.	Fabaceae	C
<i>Mentzelia gracilenta</i> T. & G.	Slender Stickleaf	AH	.	Loasaceae	U

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<i>Mentzelia veatchiana</i> Kellogg	Veatch Stickleaf	AH	.	Loasaceae	C
<i>Myriopteris</i> [ <i>Cheilanthes</i> ] <i>covillei</i> (Maxon) A. Löve & D. Löve	Coville Lip-fern	PF	.	Pteridaceae	O
<i>Opuntia basilaris</i> Engelm. & J. Bigelow var. <i>basilaris</i>	Beavertail Cactus	S	.	Cactaceae	S
<i>Peritoma arborea</i> var. <i>globosa</i> (Coville) H.H. Iltis	Bladderpod	S	.	Cleomaceae	U
<i>Phacelia affinis</i> Gray var. <i>affinis</i>	Phacelia	AH	.	Hydrophyllaceae	R
<i>Phacelia cryptantha</i> E. Greene	Forget-Me-Not Phacelia	AH	.	Hydrophyllaceae	R
<i>Phoradendron bolleanum</i> (Seem.) Eichler	Boll or Fir Mistletoe	PH	.	Viscaceae	O
<i>Phoradendron leucarpum</i> ssp. <i>tomentosum</i> (DC.) J.R. Abbott & R.L. Thomps.	Oak Mistletoe	PH	.	Viscaceae	C
<i>Pinus monophylla</i> Torrey & Frémont	Singleleaf Pinyon Pine	T	.	Pinaceae	C
<i>Platanus racemosa</i> Nuttall var. <i>racemosa</i>	California Sycamore	T	FACU	Platanaceae	C
<i>Platystemon californicus</i> Benth. [var. <i>californicus</i> ]	Cream Cups	AH	.	Papaveraceae	O
<i>Poa secunda</i>	One-sided Bluegrass	PG	.	Poaceae	C
<i>Quercus agrifolia</i> Nee var. <i>agrifolia</i>	Coast Live Oak	T	(FACU)	Fagaceae	C
<i>Quercus john-tuckeri</i>	Tucker Oak	T	.	Fagaceae	C
<i>Quercus turbinella</i>	Desert Scrub Oak	S	.	Fagaceae	R
<i>Rhus trilobata</i> var. <i>quinata</i> Jepson	Skunkbrush	S	FACU	Anacardiaceae	O
<i>Salix laevigata</i> Bebb.	Red Willow	T	FACW	Salicaceae	C
<i>Sambucus nigra</i> ssp. <i>caerulea</i> (Raf.) Bolli	Blue Elderberry	S	FAC	Adoxaceae	C
<i>Senecio flaccidus</i> var. <i>douglasii</i> (DC.) B.L.Turner & T.M.Barkley	Shrubby Butterweed	S	.	Asteraceae	C
* <i>Sisymbrium altissimum</i> L. *	Tumble Mustard	AH	.	Brassicaceae	O
<i>Solidago spectabilis</i> (D.C. Eaton) A. Gray	Showy Goldenrod	PH	?	Asteraceae	R
<i>Trifolium gracilentum</i> T. & G. [var. <i>gracilentum</i> ]	Pin-point Clover	AH	.	Fabaceae	O
<i>Triteleia ixioides</i> (Aif. F.) Greene ssp. <i>ixioides</i>	Golden Brodiaea	PH	FAC	Themidaceae	R
<i>Turricula parryi</i> (A. Gray) J.F. Macbr.	Poodle-dog Bush	S	.	Namaceae	C

Notes: Scientific nomenclature follows the Flora of North America Editorial Committee (1993-2018), *The Jepson Manual* (Baldwin et al. 2012), Baker et al. (2012 for Phrymaceae),

Nesom (2012a & 2012b for *Erythranthe*, 2013 for *Diplacus*), Tulig & Nesom (2012 for *Diplacus*), Hasenstab-Lehman & Simpson (2012 for *Cryptantha*),

Burge & Zhukovsky (2013 for *Ceanothus vestitus* complex), Schneider (2016 for *Aphyllon*), Colwell et al. (2017 for *Aphyllon*), and Broich (1987 for *Lathyrus vestitus*).

Most current taxonomy is followed when changes have occurred since publication of the above listed references.

Common names follow Abrams and Ferris (1960), Neihaus and Ripper (1976), and DeGarmo (1980).

An "\*" indicates non-native taxa that have become naturalized or persist without cultivation.

Habit definitions:

AF = annual fern or fern ally.

AG = annual grass or graminoid.

AH = annual herb.

BH = biennial herb.

PF = perennial fern or fern ally.

PG = perennial grass or graminoid.

PH = perennial herb.

PV = perennial vine.

S = shrub.

T = tree.

Wetland indicator status (Lichvar et al. 2016): OBL = obligate wetland species, occurs almost always in wetlands (>99% probability)

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Abundance status definitions for Ventura County:		Listing status definitions:		CNPS Rarity Ranking definitions:	
R = Rare (1-5 extant populations known)		FE = Federally listed Endangered		1A = CNPS 1A	
U = Uncommon (6-10 extant populations known)		FT = Federally listed Threatened		1B.x = CNPS 1B	
S = Scattered (11-20 extant populations known)		SE = California listed Endangered		2.x = CNPS 2	
O = Occasional (21-30 extant populations known)		ST = California listed Threatened		3.x = CNPS 3	
C = Common (>30 extant populations known)		SR = California listed Rare		4.x = CNPS 4	
X = Expected but not yet found		FS = Forest Service Sensitive Species			
T = Type Locality					
<p>Developed by David L. Magney 2011, updated 2023. Checklist may be used for educational and nonprofit purposes only.            Based on voucher specimens at one or more California public herbaria and direct observations by author.</p>					