

Conservation Status Assessment

Scientific Name: *Hygrophorus karstenii*

Classification: Fungus

Assessment area: Washington

Heritage Rank: **S3?**

Rank Date: 3/9/2017

Assigned Rank Comments: None.

Rank Adjustment Notes: Index Fungorum now has this species incorporated into *Cuphophyllus pratensis* (a common species); if this taxonomy is accepted, likely would be an S5.

Range Extent: F = 20,000-200,000 sq km (~8,000-80,000 sq mi)

Comments: The species range in Washington is 23,090 sq. km.

Population Size: Not assessed

Comments: None

Number of Occurrences: B = 6 - 20

Comments: There are 15 occurrences in Washington

Area of Occupancy: D = 6-25 4-km² grid cells

Comments: This species occurs within 17 grid squares in the state of Washington

Good Viability: C = Few (4-12) occurrences with excellent or good viability or ecological integrity

Comments: There are 9 sites in wilderness areas or National Parks in Washington.

Environmental Sensitivity: Not Evaluated

Comments: None

Short Term Trends: Not Evaluated

Comments: None

Long Term Trends: Not Evaluated

Comments: None

Threat Impact: D = Low

Comments:

60% of the sites are in permanently protected areas. If the other sites are logged on a 40 year rotation about 10% of sites would be impacted over 10 years and 40% of sites would be impacted over 100 years.

Intrinsic Vulnerability: Not Evaluated

Comments: None

Calculated Rank: S3

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References:

No additional references listed.

Definitions and Resources:

Rank Prefixes	
G	Global rank, applied to taxon's full geographic range
S	State rank, applied to taxon's range within the designated state
Rank Values	
1	Critically imperiled
2	Imperiled
3	Vulnerable
4	Apparently secure, uncommon but not rare
5	Secure, common, abundant, and widespread

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More assessments available at <http://inr.oregonstate.edu/orbic/rare-species/ranking-documentation>

Element rank calculator resources at <http://www.natureserve.org/conservation-tools/conservation-rank-calculator>

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