

## Conservation Status Assessment

**Scientific Name:** *Chamonixia caespitosa*

**Classification:** Fungus

**Assessment area:** Washington

**Heritage Rank:** **S2**

**Rank Date:** 3/9/2017

Rank Reasons: Around 7 occurrences, none in protected areas. Also in 2002 Camacho noted: "There are 2 sites in Washington. These are in very different habitats. It is hard to believe that they represent the same species. However, Coastal and upper Cascade disjuncts are not uncommon in plants."

**Range Extent:** E = 5,000-20,000 sq km (~2,000-8,000 sq mi)

Comments: Around 18,000 sq. km. Northwest side of the state.

**Population Size:** Not assessed

Comments: None

**Number of Occurrences:** B = 6 - 20

Comments: Around 7 occurrences.

**Area of Occupancy:** D = 6-25 4-km<sup>2</sup> grid cells

Comments: Around 7 occurrences of 1 grid cell each.

**Good Viability:** A = No occurrences with excellent or good (A or B) viability or ecological integrity

Comments: No occurrences lie in protected areas.

**Environmental Sensitivity:** Not Evaluated

Comments: None

**Short Term Trends:** Not Evaluated

Comments: None

**Long Term Trends:** Not Evaluated

Comments: None

**Threat Impact:** C = Medium

Comments:

Logging or other development threatens the species. None in protected areas.

**Intrinsic Vulnerability:** Not Evaluated

Comments: None

**Calculated Rank:** S2

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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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