

## R2 Individual Species Recommendations

<b>TAXON</b>	<b>Scientific Name</b>			<b>Common Name</b>		
PD	Oxytropis parryi			Parry oxytrope		
<b>FWS</b>	<b>FS</b>	<b>BLM</b>				
<b>Grank</b>	<b>CO S Rank</b>	<b>WY S Rank</b>	<b>SD S Rank</b>	<b>NE S Rank</b>	<b>KS S Rank</b>	
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	<b>CO Status</b>	<b>WY Status</b>	<b>SD Status</b>	<b>NE Status</b>	<b>KS Status</b>	
<b>IUCN</b>	<b>PIF – Area Importance</b>		<b>PIF – Population Trend</b>			
<b>FS Experts assigned Species Evaluation</b>			<b>Non-NFS Experts assigned Species Evaluations</b>			
			Bonnie Heidel			
<b>Sensitive Species Recommendation</b> (Please check 1 box below)						
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>R2 Sensitive Species (SS)</b>		<b>Not R2 SS, but should be considered for other Emphasis Species Lists</b>			
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Not R2 SS and Not of Concern Now</b>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Insufficient Information Available to make a recommendation</b>		
<b>Recommendation Rationale</b>						
<p>Occurs in montane and alpine habitats along the crest of the southern Rocky Mountains and through higher mountains of the Great Basin. Appears to be fairly rare within R2 but fairly common outside the region, and there are no imminent or obvious threats to its high elevation, rocky habitats. But data from the Colorado Natural Heritage Program (2002 data distribution CD-ROM) indicates that only one of the four Colorado occurrences from has been observed within the past 30 years. The level of apparent rarity (four occurrences in the R2 portion of WY, and four occurrences in CO) raises concern, but the evaluation indicates that the habitat is resilient. We need to better understand the level of risk to this species from management actions (including those that may not directly alter the habitat, such as the use of herbicides). We conclude that information available at this time is insufficient to determine whether or not there is a regional viability concern.</p>						
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