

***Pentachaeta exilis* (A. Gray) A. Gray  
ssp. *aeolica* Van Horn & Ornduff**

SAN BENITO PENTACHAETA  
Asteraceae

**Status:**

CNPS Rare Plant Rank 1B.2  
Federal: unlisted  
State: unlisted  
State Rank: S1

**Habitat:** Cismontane woodland, valley and foothill grassland,  
woodland. 640 - 855 meters (2,100-2,790 feet)



**Counties:**

Monterey  
San Benito  
**Santa Clara**

**Life Form:**

Dicot annual  
herb

**Bloom period:**

March - May



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Ray flowers (0)1-3



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