

Eriogonum contiguum (Reveal) Reveal

AMARGOSA BUCKWHEAT

FAMILY: *Polygonaceae*, the buckwheat family.

SYNONYMS: *Eriogonum inflatum* var. *contiguum*

STATUS:

Heritage Program WATCH LIST, ranks: G2? S1

USFWS/ESA: none. **STATE OF NEVADA:** none. **BLM:** none. **USFS:** none. **NNNPS:** none.

POPULATION CENSUS (NEVADA): 4 occurrences mapped; total estimated individuals 702+, total estimated area unknown. **TREND:** unknown.

IMPACTS AND MAJOR THREATS (NEVADA): No summary available (see references).

INVENTORY EFFORT (NEVADA): Not yet systematically surveyed in Nevada. Most recent entered survey 1971, average year of last survey 1957. **Years since last entered survey** (percent of mapped records at various survey ages): **21-30 yrs:** 60%; **31-50 yrs:** 20%; **51+ yrs or unknown:** 20%.

LAND MANAGEMENT (NEVADA) in decreasing predominance: U. S. Bureau of Land Management, private lands (?).

RANGE: Clark and Nye counties, Nevada; also in CA. Maximum Nevada **range dimension 26.7 km (16.6 mi)** excluding most disjunct record.

ELEVATIONS RECORDED (NEVADA): 2300-2500 feet (701-762 meters).

HABITAT: no summary available (see references).

PHENOLOGY: no summary available. Range of most frequent **survey months:** May-June.

DESCRIPTION: Plants low spreading herbaceous annuals, with leaves basal, and flowers yellow (Reveal 1989).

PHOTOGRAPHS: none known.

ILLUSTRATIONS: none known.

OTHER GENERAL REFERENCES (listed separately): Beatley (1976), Hickman (1993), Reveal (1985), Reveal (1989).
