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Western Bumble Bee

Bombus occidentalis

ABSTRACT

Western Bumble Bee *Bombus occidentalis* has most recently been assessed for *The IUCN Red List of Threatened Species* in 2014. *Bombus occidentalis* is listed as Vulnerable under criteria A2be.

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THE RED LIST ASSESSMENT i

Hatfield, R., Jepsen, S., Thorp, R., Richardson, L., Colla, S. & Foltz Jordan, S. 2015. ...

LAST ASSESSED 29 December 2014

SCOPE OF ASSESSMENT

Assessment in detail

POPULATION TREND

Decreasing

NUMBER OF MATURE INDIVIDUALS Population in detail

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HABITAT AND ECOLOGY

Shrubland, Grassland, Artificial/Terrestrial

Habitat and ecology in detail

GEOGRAPHIC RANGE





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http://www.leifrichardson.org/bbna.html 2015. Bombus occidentalis. The IUCN Red List of Threatened Species. Version 2022-2 Geographic range in detail

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Taxonomy

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Taxonomy

KINGDOM Animalia

PHYLUM Arthropoda CLASS

Insecta

ORDER

Hymenoptera

FAMILY

Apidae

GENUS

Bombus

Taxonomy in detail

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IUCN RED LIST CATEGORY AND CRITERIA

Vulnerable A2be

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DATE ASSESSED 29 December 2014

YEAR PUBLISHED

2015

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Geographic Range

NATIVE Extant (resident) Canada (Yukon, Saskatchewan, Northwest Territories, British Columbia, Alberta); United States (Colorado, California, Arizona, Alaska, Idaho, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, South Dakota, Utah, Washington, Wyoming)	Presence Uncertain & Introduced Canada (Ontario)	
NUMBER OF LOCATIONS		
UPPER ELEVATION LIMIT		_
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Geographic Range in detail

Population

CURRENT POPULATION TREND

Decreasing

NUMBER OF MATURE INDIVIDUALS

POPULATION SEVERELY FRAGMENTED

CONTINUING DECLINE OF MATURE INDIVIDUALS

Population in detail

Habitat and Ecology

SYSTEM

Terrestrial

HABITAT TYPE

Shrubland, Grassland, Artificial/Terrestrial

GENERATION LENGTH (YEARS)

1 years

CONGREGATORY

MOVEMENT PATTERNS

CONTINUING DECLINE IN AREA, EXTENT AND/OR QUALITY OF HABITAT

Habitat and Ecology in detail

Threats

Residential & commercial development

- Housing & urban areas
- Commercial & industrial areas

Agriculture & aquaculture

- Annual & perennial non-timber crops
- Livestock farming & ranching

Biological resource use

• Hunting & trapping terrestrial animals

Natural system modifications

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• Fire & fire suppression

Invasive and other problematic species, genes & diseases

- Invasive non-native/alien species/diseases
- Problematic species/disease of unknown origin
- Diseases of unknown cause

Pollution

• Agricultural & forestry effluents

Climate change & severe weather

- Habitat shifting & alteration
- Droughts
- Temperature extremes
- Storms & flooding

Threats in detail

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INTERNATIONAL









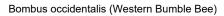






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