

Alamo Mountain Vascular Plants Checklist

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Botanical Name	Common Name	Habit	Family
<i>Abies concolor</i>	White Fir	T	Pinaceae
<i>Acmispon</i> [<i>Lotus</i>] <i>argophyllus</i> var. <i>argophyllus</i>	Silver Deervetch	PH	Fabaceae
<i>Acmispon glaber</i> var. <i>glaber</i> [<i>Lotus scoparius</i>]	Deerweed	S	Fabaceae
<i>Acmispon parviflorus</i> [<i>Lotus micranthus</i>]	Tiny Lotus	AH	Fabaceae
<i>Acourtia microcephala</i>	Sacapellote	PH	Asteraceae
<i>Agoseris retrorsa</i>	Spear-leaved Mountain Dandelion	PH	Asteraceae
<i>Allium amplexans</i>	Narrowleaf Onion	PG	Alliaceae
<i>Alnus rhombifolia</i>	White Alder	T	Betulaceae
<i>Ambrosia psilostachya</i> var. <i>californica</i>	Western Ragweed	BH	Asteraceae
<i>Amorpha californica</i> var. <i>californica</i>	California False Indigo	S	Fabaceae
<i>Apocynum cannabinum</i>	Indian Hemp	PH	Apocynaceae
<i>Arceuthobium campylopodum</i>	Western Dwarf Mistletoe	PH	Viscaceae
<i>Arctostaphylos</i> ?	Manzanita	S	Ericaceae
<i>Arctostaphylos parryana</i> ssp. <i>parryana</i>	Parry Manzanita	S	Ericaceae
<i>Artemisia douglasiana</i>	Mugwort	PH	Asteraceae
<i>Artemisia dracunculus</i>	Tarragon	PH	Asteraceae
<i>Artemisia tridentata</i> ssp. <i>tridentata</i>	Great Basin Sagebrush	S	Asteraceae
<i>Asclepias eriocarpa</i>	Woolly Milkweed	PH	Asclepiadaceae
<i>Asclepias fascicularis</i>	Narrowleaf Milkweed	PH	Asclepiadaceae
<i>Avena barbata</i> *	Slender Wild Oat	AG	Poaceae
<i>Balsamorhiza deltoidea</i>	Chuchupate	PH	Asteraceae
<i>Barbarea orthoceras</i>	American Wintercress	BH	Brassicaceae
<i>Berula erecta</i>	Cutleaf Water-Parsnip	PH	Apiaceae
<i>Boechera arcuata</i>	Few-flowered Rockcress	PH	Brassicaceae
<i>Boechera repanda</i>	Yosemite Rockcress	PH	Brassicaceae
<i>Brickellia nevini</i>	Nevin's Brittlebush	S	Asteraceae
<i>Bromus tectorum</i> var. <i>tectorum</i> *	Cheat Grass	AG	Poaceae
<i>Calocedrus decurrens</i>	Incense-cedar	T	Cupressaceae
<i>Calochortus invenustus</i>	Plain Mariposa Lily	PG	Liliaceae
<i>Calochortus kennedyi</i> var. <i>kennedyi</i>	Red Mariposa Lily	PG	Liliaceae
<i>Camissoniopsis confusa</i>	Confusing Primrose	AH	Onagraceae
<i>Carex douglasii</i>	Douglas Sedge	PG	Cyperaceae
<i>Carex senta</i>	Rough Sedge	PG	Cyperaceae
<i>Castilleja applegatei</i> ssp. <i>martinii</i>	Martin Indian Paintbrush	PH	Orobanchaceae
<i>Ceanothus cordulatus</i>	Snow Bush	S	Rhamnaceae
<i>Ceanothus integerrimus</i>	Deer Brush	S	Rhamnaceae
<i>Ceanothus leucodermis</i>	Whitethorn Ceanothus	S	Rhamnaceae
<i>Ceanothus perplexans</i>	Mojave Ceanothus	S	Rhamnaceae
<i>Cercocarpus betuloides</i> var. <i>betuloides</i>	Birchleaf Mountain Mahogany	S	Rosaceae
<i>Chaenactis santolinoides</i>	Perennial Pincushion	PH	Asteraceae
<i>Cheilanthes covillei</i>	Coville Lip Fern	PF	Pteridaceae
<i>Cirsium occidentale</i> var. <i>venustum</i>	Red Thistle	BH	Asteraceae
<i>Clarkia heterandra</i>	California Gaura	AH	Onagraceae
<i>Claytonia parviflora</i> ssp. <i>parviflora</i>	Small-flowered Miner's Lettuce	AH	Montiaceae
<i>Clematis ligusticifolia</i>	Virgin's Bower	PV	Ranunculaceae
<i>Collomia grandiflora</i>	Bird's Bouquet	AH	Polemoniaceae
<i>Corethrogyne filaginifolia</i> var. <i>filaginifolia</i>	California Aster	PH	Asteraceae
<i>Cornus glabrata</i>	Brown Dogwood	S	Cornaceae
<i>Crassula aquatica</i>	Water Pygmy Weed	AH	Crassulaceae
<i>Crepis acuminata</i>	Long-leaved Hawksbeard	PH	Asteraceae
<i>Crepis occidentalis</i> ssp. <i>occidentalis</i>	Western Hawksbeard	PH	Asteraceae
<i>Cryptantha intermedia</i> var. <i>intermedia</i>	Common Forget-Me-Not	AH	Boraginaceae
<i>Cryptantha oxygona</i>	Sharp-not Forget-Me-Not	AH	Boraginaceae
<i>Cryptantha simulans</i>	Pine Forget-Me-Not	AH	Boraginaceae

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<i>Cuscuta californica</i> var. <i>californica</i>	California Dodder	AH	Cuscutaceae
<i>Cystopteris fragilis</i>	Brittle Fern	PF	Dryopteridaceae
<i>Distichlis spicata</i>	Saltgrass	PG	Poaceae
<i>Drymocallis</i> [<i>Potentilla</i>] <i>glandulosa</i> ssp. <i>glandulosa</i>	Sticky Cinqufoil	PH	Rosaceae
<i>Drymocallis</i> [<i>Potentilla</i>] <i>glandulosa</i> ssp. <i>reflexa</i>	Greene's Cinquefoil	PH	Rosaceae
<i>Eleocharis acicularis</i> var. <i>acicularis</i>	Slender Spike-rush	PG	Cyperaceae
<i>Eleocharis parishii</i>	Parish Spike-rush	PG	Cyperaceae
<i>Elymus elymoides</i> ssp. <i>elymoides</i>	Bottlebrush Squirreltail Grass	PG	Poaceae
<i>Elymus glaucus</i> ssp. <i>glaucus</i>	Blue Wildrye	PG	Poaceae
<i>Ephedra viridis</i>	Green Mormon Tea	S	Ephedraceae
<i>Epilobium campestre</i>	Smooth Spike-primrose	AH	Onagraceae
<i>Epilobium canum</i> ?	California Fuchsia	PH	Onagraceae
<i>Epilobium canum</i> ssp. <i>latifolium</i>	Broad-leaved California Fuchsia	PH	Onagraceae
<i>Epilobium ciliatum</i> ssp. <i>ciliatum</i>	Northern Willow-herb	AH	Onagraceae
<i>Eremocarpus setigerus</i>	Dove Weed	AH	Euphorbiaceae
<i>Eremocarya micrantha</i> var. <i>micrantha</i>	Red-root Eremocarya	AH	Boraginaceae
<i>Eriastrum densifolium</i> ssp. <i>elongatum</i>	Elongate Woolly Star	PH	Polemoniaceae
<i>Eriastrum sappharinum</i> ssp. <i>sappharinum</i>	Sapphire Woolly Star	AH	Polemoniaceae
<i>Eriastrum signatum</i>	Maroon-spotted Woolly Star	AH	Polemoniaceae
<i>Ericamaria parryi</i> var. <i>aspera</i>	Parry Rabbitbrush	S	Asteraceae
<i>Ericameria cooperi</i> var. <i>cooperi</i>	Cooper Goldenbush	S	Asteraceae
<i>Ericameria nauseosa</i> var. <i>bernardina</i>	San Bernardino Rabbitbrush	S	Asteraceae
<i>Ericameria nauseosa</i> var. <i>mohavensis</i>	Mojave Rubber Rabbitbrush	S	Asteraceae
<i>Erigeron foliosus</i> var. <i>foliosus</i>	Slender Fleabane	PH	Asteraceae
<i>Eriodictyon crassifolium</i> var. <i>nigrescens</i>	Hoary Yerba Santa	S	Boraginaceae
<i>Eriogonum davidsonii</i>	Davidson Buckwheat	AH	Polygonaceae
<i>Eriogonum fasciculatum</i> var. <i>foliolosum</i>	Leafy California Buckwheat	S	Polygonaceae
<i>Eriogonum heermannii</i> var. <i>heermannii</i>	Heermann Buckwheat	S	Polygonaceae
<i>Eriogonum nudum</i> var. <i>pauciflorum</i>	Barestem Buchwheat	PH	Polygonaceae
<i>Eriogonum nudum</i> var. <i>westonii</i>	Weston Barestem Buckwheat	PH	Polygonaceae
<i>Eriogonum saxatile</i>	Rock Buckwheat	PH	Polygonaceae
<i>Eriogonum umbellatum</i> var. <i>munzii</i>	Munz Sulphur Buchwheat	S	Polygonaceae
<i>Eriogonum wrightii</i> var. <i>subscaposum</i>	Short-scape Wright Buckwheat	S	Polygonaceae
<i>Eriophyllum confertiflorum</i> var. <i>confertiflorum</i>	Golden Yarrow	PH	Asteraceae
<i>Erysimum capitatum</i> var. <i>capitatum</i>	Western Wallflower	BH	Brassicaceae
<i>Euthamia occidentalis</i>	Western Goldenrod	PH	Asteraceae
<i>Frangula californica</i> ssp. <i>cuspidata</i>	Cuspid California Coffeeberry	S	Rhamnaceae
<i>Frangula californica</i> ssp. <i>tomentella</i>	Hoary Coffeeberry	S	Rhamnaceae
<i>Fremontodendron californicum</i> ssp. <i>californicum</i>	California Flannel Bush	S	Malvaceae
<i>Fritillaria pinetorum</i>	Pine Fritillary	PG	Liliaceae
<i>Galium andrewsii</i> ?	Pine Mat	PH	Rubiaceae
<i>Gayophytum diffusum</i> ssp. <i>parviflorum</i>	Diffuse Gayophytum	AH	Onagraceae
<i>Gayophytum heterozygum</i>	Hybrid Gayophytum	AH	Onagraceae
<i>Gilia ochroleuca</i> ssp. <i>bizonata</i>	Desert Gilia	AH	Polemoniaceae
<i>Glycyrrhiza lepidota</i>	American Licorice	PH	Fabaceae
<i>Greenocharis circumscissa</i> var. <i>circumscissa</i>	Greenocharis	AH	Boraginaceae
<i>Hemizonella minima</i>	Hemizonella	AH	Asteraceae
<i>Hesperoyucca whipplei</i> ssp. <i>cespitosa</i>	Clumping Our Lord's Candle	S	Agavaceae
<i>Hosackia</i> [<i>Lotus</i>] <i>crassifolia</i> var. <i>crassifolia</i>	Buck Lotus	PH	Fabaceae
<i>Hosackia</i> [<i>Lotus</i>] <i>oblongifolia</i> var. <i>oblongifolia</i>	Stream Trefoil	PH	Fabaceae
<i>Ivesia santolinoides</i>	Mousetail Ivesia	PH	Rosaceae
<i>Juncus acutus</i> ssp. <i>leopoldii</i>	Spiny Rush	PG	Juncaceae
<i>Juncus balticus</i> ssp. <i>balticus</i>	Baltic Rush	PG	Juncaceae
<i>Juncus bufonius</i> var. <i>bufonius</i>	Common Toad Rush	AG	Juncaceae

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<i>Juncus macrophyllus</i>	Largeleaf Rush	PG	Juncaceae
<i>Juncus oxymers</i>	Iris-leaved Rush	PG	Juncaceae
<i>Juncus rugulosus</i>	Wrinkled Rush	PG	Juncaceae
<i>Juncus xiphioides</i>	Iris-leaved Rush	PG	Juncaceae
<i>Juniperus californica</i>	California Juniper	S	Cyperaceae
<i>Keckiella ternata</i> var. <i>septentrionalis</i>	Blue-stemmed Bush Penstemon	S	Plantaginaceae
<i>Leptosiphon aureus</i> ssp. <i>aureus</i>	Desert Gold	AH	Polemoniaceae
<i>Leptosiphon ciliatus</i>	Whisker Brush	AH	Polemoniaceae
<i>Leptosyne bigelovii</i>	Bigelow Coreopsis	AH	Asteraceae
<i>Linanthus californicus</i>	Prickly Phlox	S	Polemoniaceae
<i>Linum lewisii</i> var. <i>lewisii</i>	Western Blue Flax	AH	Linaceae
<i>Lonicera interrupta</i>	Chaparral Honeysuckle	S	Caprifoliaceae
<i>Lotus procumbens procumbens</i>	Silky California Broom	PH	Fabaceae
<i>Lupinus albrifrons</i> var. <i>albifrons</i>	Silver Bush Lupine	PH	Fabaceae
<i>Lupinus excubitus</i> var. <i>austromontanus</i>	Southern Mountain Bush Lupine	S	Fabaceae
<i>Madia elegans</i> ssp. <i>elegans</i>	Elegant Tarplant	AH	Asteraceae
<i>Madia gracilis</i>	Slender Tarplant	AH	Asteraceae
<i>Malacothamnus fasciculatus</i> var. <i>fasciculatus</i>	Chaparral Bushmallow	S	Malvaceae
<i>Malacothamnus marrubioides</i>	Pink-flowered Bushmallow	S	Malvaceae
<i>Melica stricta</i> var. <i>stricta</i>	Nodding Melic Grass	PG	Poaceae
<i>Melilotus alba</i> ?	White Sweetclover	BH	Fabaceae
<i>Mimulus cardinalis</i>	Scarlet Monkeyflower	PH	Phrymaceae
<i>Mimulus guttatus</i>	Common Streamside Monkeyflower	PH	Phrymaceae
<i>Mimulus johnstonii</i>	Johnston Monkeyflower	AH	Phrymaceae
<i>Minuartia douglasii</i>	Douglas Sandwort	AH	Caryophyllaceae
<i>Monardella breweri</i> var. <i>breweri</i>	Brewer Coyote Mint	AH	Lamiaceae
<i>Monardella breweri</i> var. <i>lanceolata</i>	Mustang Mint	AH	Lamiaceae
<i>Monardella linioides</i> ssp. <i>oblonga</i>	Flax-leaved Horsemint	PH	Lamiaceae
<i>Oenothera biennis</i> *	Evening Primrose	BH	Onagraceae
<i>Oenothera deltooides</i> ssp. <i>cognata</i>	Birdcage Evening-primrose	AH	Onagraceae
<i>Opuntia phaeacantha</i>	Englemann Prickly Pear	S	Cactaceae
<i>Orobanche californica</i> ssp. <i>jepsonii</i>	Jepson Sagebrush Broomrape	PH	Orobanchaceae
<i>Orobanche fasciculata</i>	Clustered Broomrape	PH	Orobanchaceae
<i>Pediomelum californicum</i>	California Indian Breadroot	PH	Fabaceae
<i>Pellaea mucronata</i> var. <i>californica</i>	California Birdsfoot Cliffbrake	PF	Pteridaceae
<i>Pellaea mucronata</i> var. <i>mucronata</i>	Birdsfoot Cliffbrake	PF	Pteridaceae
<i>Penstemon labrosus</i>	San Gabriel Penstemon	PH	Plantaginaceae
<i>Penstemon laetus</i> var. <i>laetus</i>	Gay Penstemon	PH	Plantaginaceae
<i>Penstemon speciosus</i>	Showy Beardtongue	PH	Plantaginaceae
<i>Phacelia davidsonii</i>	Davidson Phacelia	AH	Boraginaceae
<i>Phlox austromontana</i>	Spreading Phlox	PH	Polemoniaceae
<i>Phlox diffusa</i>	Mat Phlox	PH	Polemoniaceae
<i>Phlox gracilis</i>	Slender Phlox	AH	Polemoniaceae
<i>Phoradendron densum</i>	Fir Mistletoe	PH	Viscaceae
<i>Phoradendron villosum</i>	Hairy Mistletoe	PH	Viscaceae
<i>Pinus flexilis</i>	Limber Pine	T	Pinaceae
<i>Pinus jeffreyi</i>	Jeffrey Pine	T	Pinaceae
<i>Pinus lambertiana</i>	Sugar Pine	T	Pinaceae
<i>Pinus monophylla</i>	Singleleaf Pinyon Pine	T	Pinaceae
<i>Pinus ponderosa</i> var. <i>ponderosa</i>	Ponderosa Pine	T	Pinaceae
<i>Poa secunda</i> ssp. <i>secunda</i>	One-sided Bluegrass	PG	Poaceae
<i>Polypogon interruptus</i> *	Ditch Beardgrass	PG	Poaceae
<i>Polypogon monspeliensis</i> *	Rabbitsfoot Grass	AG	Poaceae
<i>Polypogon viridis</i> *	Water Beardgrass	PG	Poaceae

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<i>Populus fremontii</i> ssp. <i>fremontii</i>	Fremont Cottonwood	T	Salicaceae
<i>Prunus emarginata</i>	Bitter Cherry	S/T	Rosaceae
<i>Prunus virginiana</i> var. <i>demissa</i>	Western Choke Cherry	S	Rosaceae
<i>Pseudognaphalium luteoalbum</i> *	Lowland Everlasting	PH	Asteraceae
<i>Pseudotsuga macrocarpa</i>	Bigcone Spruce	T	Pinaceae
<i>Pyrola asarifolia</i> ssp. <i>asarifolia</i>	Bog Wintergreen	PH	Pyrolaceae
<i>Quercus chrysolepis</i>	Canyon Live Oak	T	Fagaceae
<i>Quercus john-tuckeri</i>	Tucker Oak	S	Fagaceae
<i>Quercus kelloggii</i>	Black Oak	T	Fagaceae
<i>Quercus wislizenii</i> ssp. <i>frutescens</i>	Shrubby Interior Live Oak	S	Fagaceae
<i>Rhamnus ilicifolia</i>	Hollyleaf Redberry	S	Rhamnaceae
<i>Ribes nevadensis</i>	Sierra Pink Currant	S	Grossulariaceae
<i>Rosa californica</i>	California Wild Rose	S	Rosaceae
<i>Rumex salicifolius</i> var. <i>denticulatus</i>	Willow Dock	PH	Polygonaceae
<i>Rumex salicifolius</i> var. <i>salicifolius</i>	Willow Dock	PH	Polygonaceae
<i>Rumex salicifolius salicifolius</i>	Willow Dock	PH	Polygonaceae
<i>Salix exigua</i> var. <i>exigua</i>	Narrowleaf Willow	S	Salicaceae
<i>Salix laevigata</i>	Red Willow	T	Salicaceae
<i>Salix lasiolepis</i> var. <i>lasiolepis</i>	Arroyo Willow	S	Salicaceae
<i>Saltugilia splendens</i> ssp. <i>splendens</i>	Splendid Woodland Gilia	AH	Polemoniaceae
<i>Sambucus nigra</i> ssp. <i>caerulea</i>	Blue Elderberry	S	Adoxaceae
<i>Schoenoplectus americanus</i>	American Sedge	PG	Cyperaceae
<i>Schoenoplectus pungens</i> var. <i>longispicatus</i>	Common Threesquare Bulrush	PG	Cyperaceae
<i>Scutellaria siphocampyloides</i>	Skullcap	PH	Lamiaceae
<i>Selaginella bigelovii</i>	Bigelow Spike-moss	PF	Selaginallaceae
<i>Senecio flaccidus</i> var. <i>douglasii</i>	Shrubby Butterweed	S	Asteraceae
<i>Sidalcea neomexicana</i>	Salt Spring Checkerbloom	PH	Malvaceae
<i>Sidalcea sparsifolia</i>	Few-leaved Globemallow	S	Malvaceae
<i>Solidago velutina</i> ssp. <i>californica</i>	California Goldenrod	PH	Asteraceae
<i>Sporobolus airoides</i>	Alkali Sacaton	PG	Poaceae
<i>Stachys albens</i>	White Hedgenettle	PH	Lamiaceae
<i>Swertia neglecta</i>	Pine Green Gentian	PH	Gentianaceae
<i>Symphoricarpos rotundifolius</i> var. <i>parishii</i>	Parish Snowberry	PV	Caprifoliaceae
<i>Tauschia parishii</i>	Parish Tauschia	PH	Apiaceae
<i>Thermopsis californica</i> var. <i>argentata</i>	Silvery False Lupine	PH	Fabaceae
<i>Toxicodendron diversilobum</i>	Western Poison Oak	S	Anacardiaceae
<i>Trichostema austromontanum</i> ssp. <i>austromontanum</i>	San Jacinto Bluecurls	AH	Lamiaceae
<i>Trichostema lanatum</i>	Woolly Bluecurls	S	Lamiaceae
<i>Trichostema lanceolatum</i>	Vinegar Weed	AH	Lamiaceae
<i>Trifolium obtusiflorum</i>	Creek Clover	AH	Fabaceae
<i>Turricula parryi</i>	Poodle-Dog Bush	S	Boraginaceae
<i>Turritis glabra</i>	Tower Mustard	BH	Brassicaceae
<i>Typha domingensis</i>	Southern Cattail	PG	Typhaceae
<i>Urtica dioica</i> ssp. <i>holosericea</i>	Giant Creek Nettle	PH	Urticaceae
<i>Vulpia microstachys</i> var. <i>pauciflora</i>	Side Oats	AG	Poaceae

Notes: All taxa listed on this checklist are supported by one or more voucher specimens deposited into one or more California public herbaria. Alamo Mountain includes the area bounded by Piru Creek on the north and east, Agua Blanca Creek and Sespe Creek on the south, and Sespe Hot Springs, Mutau Flats, and Lockwood Valley on the west. Taxonomy follows the *Flora of North America North of Mexico* and *The Jepson Manual*, 2nd Edition, and more recent published treatments in some cases.

Growth Habit definitions:

AG = annual grass or graminoid

PG = perennial grass or graminoid

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BH = biennial herb	S = shrub		
PF = perennial fern or fern ally	T = tree		

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