*Liliaceae (Lily Family)*

Phenology: flowering May-June; fruits July-August

Management Responsibility: USFS (Coronado NF), TNC, DoD-US Army (Ft. Huachuca).

Similar Species: only large-flowered, yellow lily in Arizona.

Notes: number of stems and reproductive output extremely variable between years, the latter due to variable predation pressure; boring insects damage flowering stalks and mammalian herbivores consume flowers or stalks. Forest fire and subsequent erosion have severely impacted three populations in Carr and Ramsey canyons. Carr has recovered while Ramsey remains reduced and the population in East Turkey Creek has apparently been extirpated.

Reference: Falk and Warren, 1994.

Lillium parryi



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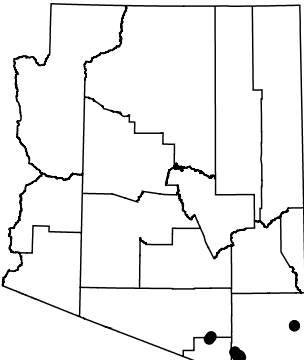


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Habitat: Mesic, shady canyon bottoms along perennial streams or adjacent hillside springs; growing in sandy, saturated soils high in organic material, 5,500-7,800 ft (1675-2375 m) elevation.



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Range: Huachuca, Chiricahua and Santa Rita mountains; also found in Sierra los Ajos, Sonora, Mexico and southern California.