

Fringed Downingia (*Downingia concolor*) and Woolly Marbles (*Psilocarphus brevissimus*) are both small plants that were found in low densities (1% cover or less) in plots with CCG cover ranging from 51 -100%.



Alkali weed (*Cressa truxillensis*) and alkali mallow (*Malvella leprosa*), are indicators of alkaline soils and were found at low densities (1-15% cover) associated with all CCG cover classes.



Slender popcornflower (*Plagiobothrys stipitatus*), a species found in deeper pools, was observed in low densities (5-10% cover) in plots with CCG ranging from 26-100%.



Smooth Goldfields (*Lasthenia glaberrima*) is an obligate wetland species and was found with all CCG cover classes but most frequently in the <5% category.

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Coyote thistle (*Ergngium spp.*) was found in all CCG cover classes but was most frequently associated with cover classes 26-50% and <5%.



Rabbitsfoot Grass (*Polypogon monspeliensis*) is a nonnative annual grass that was found in plots with all CCG cover classes, but was found most frequently with an average cover of 35% in CCG cover classes 26-50% and <5%.



Semaphoregrass (*Pleuropogon californicus*)was observed with CCG in all cover classes. This is a native grass that grows in the wetter areas of a pool. It was found at moderate densities (20-30% cover) and occurred most frequently in plots with CCG



Italian Rye Grass (Lolium multiflorum) is a nonnative annual grass that was found in plots in all CCG cover classes, but is negatively correlated with CCG densities, because it is found most frequently and with the highest cover (40%) in plots without CCG.

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