Gutierrezia californica California Matchweed

SUBSHRUB 2' high, erect or rambling. Stems can be reddish. Leaves dark gray-green. Flower heads have 8 to 20 yellow blooms.

Native habitat: grasslands, slopes, outcrops, sand dunes below 1000' - central western California to northwest Baja California.

Full sun. Needs good drainage. Intolerant of frequent summer water.

Good on slopes. Toxic to livestock fresh or dry.

