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Laurel sumac [Malosma laurina (Nutt.) Abrams (Anacardiaceae)] exhibits a ring pattern of growth on a south-facing slope, on volcanic soil in the Cold Creek drainage of the Santa Monica Mountains, Los Angeles Co. Other incipient rings are also evident. Perhaps these rings are the result of clonal growth of single individuals that are of great age. This digital photograph was taken June 2003. The area shown was last burned in November 1996.

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