

Potentilla rupincola

ROCKY MOUNTAIN CINQUEFOIL



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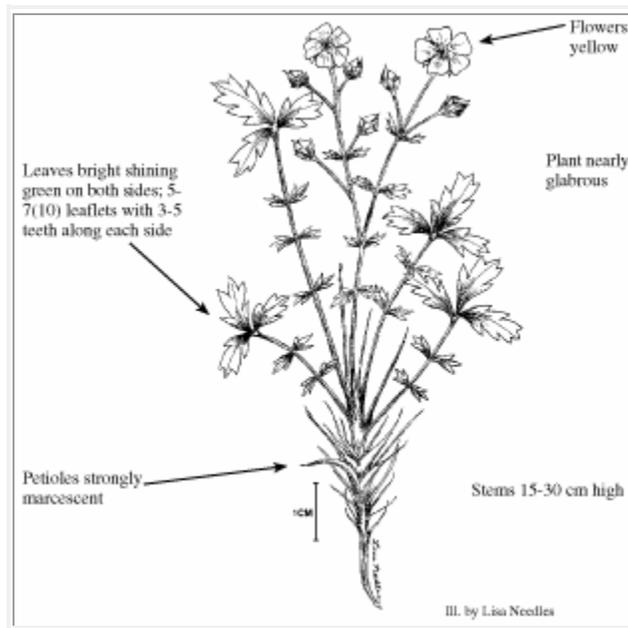


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Rosaceae (Rose Family)

Synonym: *Potentilla effusa* var. *rupincola*

Look Alikes: Nearly identical in appearance to *P. effusa* which is densely to sparsely pubescent, and has silvery or grayish-green lower leaf surfaces.

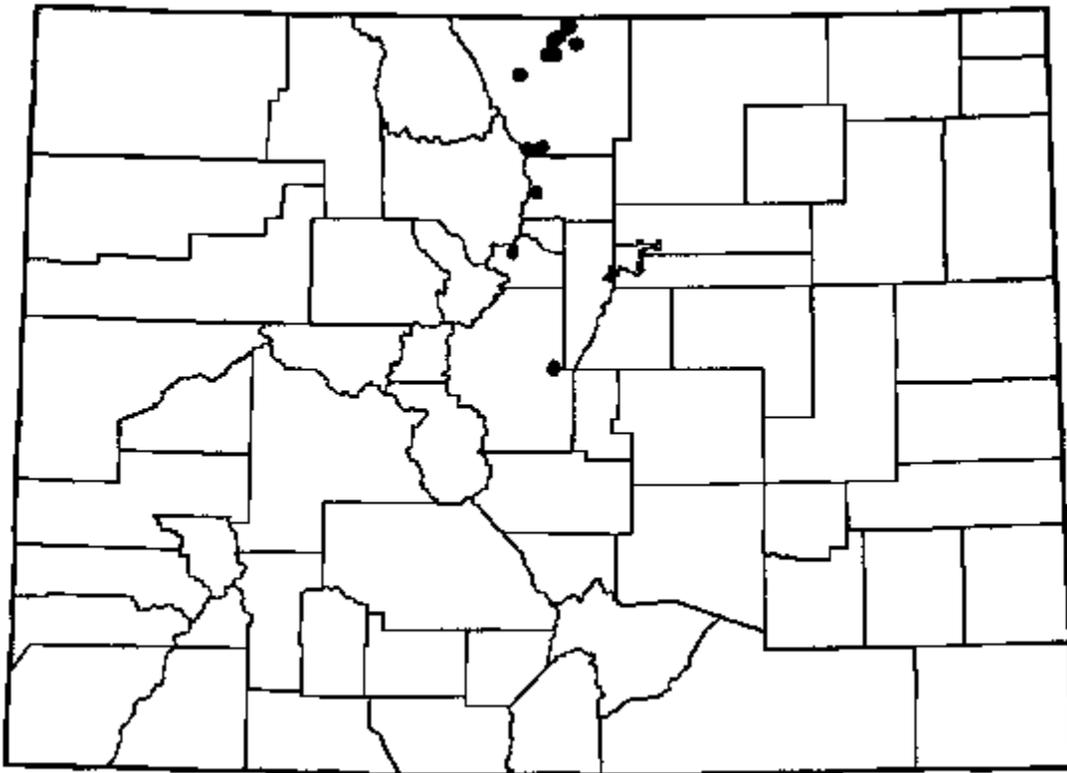
Flowering/Fruiting Period: Flowers mid-June-August.

Habitat: Granitic outcrops or thin, gravelly granitic soils with west or north exposure. Often associated with ponderosa or limber pine. May occur with *Aletes humilis*. Elev. 6900-10,500 ft.



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Distribution: Colorado endemic (Boulder and Clear Creek, Larimer and Park Cos.).



References: Johnston 1980; O’Kane 1988; Weber 1976.

