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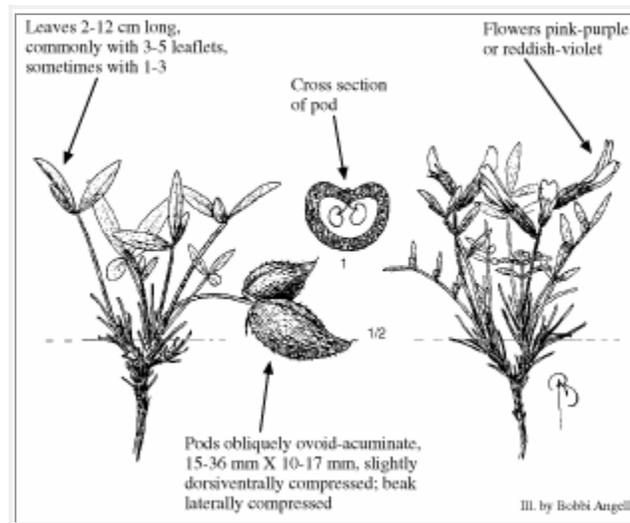


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Fabaceae (Pea Family)

Synonym: *Xylophacos musiniensis*

Look Alikes: *A. piscator* has laterally compressed pods. *A. chamaeleuce* has more numerous, smaller leaflets and a less prominently beaked, purple spotted or mottled pod.

Flowering/Fruiting Period: Flowers late April-early June.

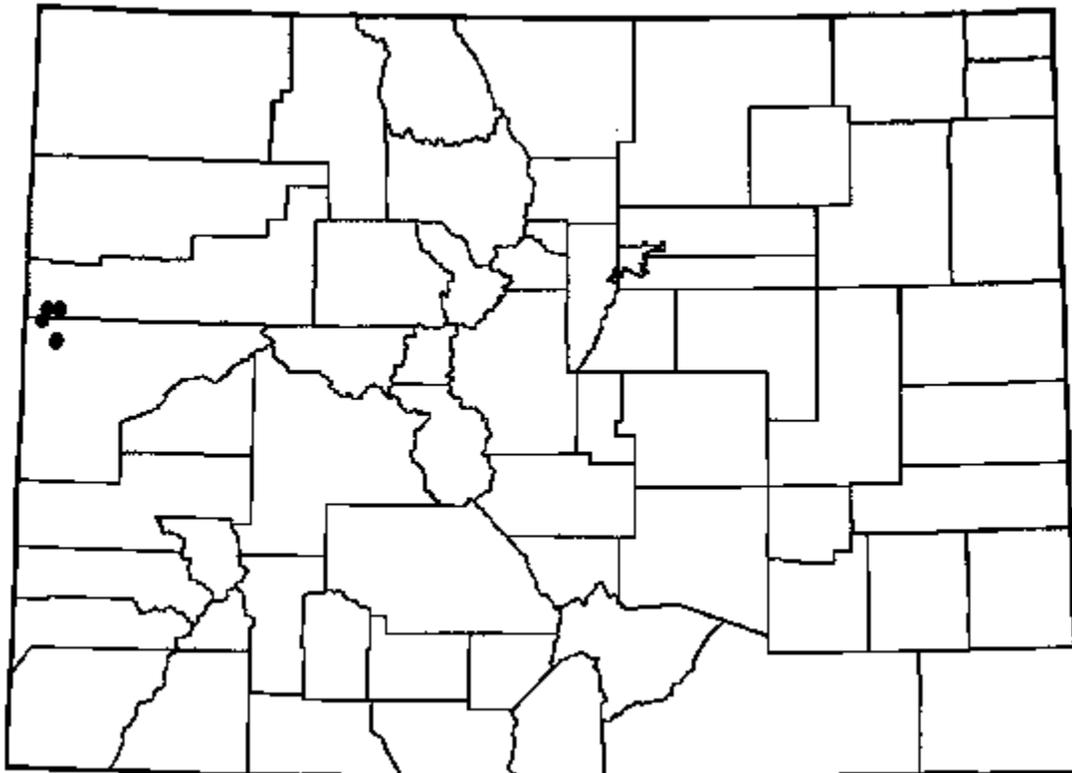
Habitat: Gullied bluffs, knolls, benches and open hillsides; in pinyon-juniper

woodlands or desert shrub communities, mostly on shale, sandstone, or alluvium derived from them. Elev. 4700-7000 ft.



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Distribution: Utah and Colorado (Garfield and Mesa Cos.).



References: Barneby 1964 and 1989.