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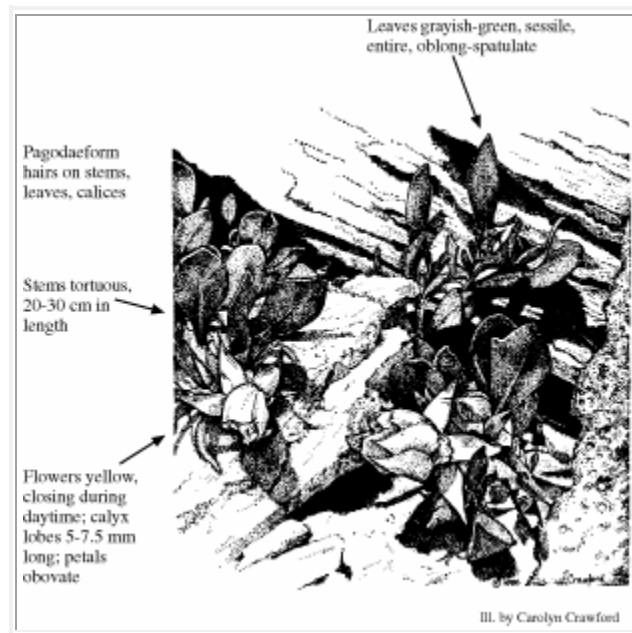


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Loasaceae (Loasa Family)

Synonym: *Mentzelia argillosa*

Look Alikes: *N. multicaulis* calyx lobes are 10-12 mm long; petals are lanceolate; stems are fairly straight and 20-40 cm tall. In general, *Nuttallia* species are highly variable, and often can only be distinguished by more technical seed coat characters.

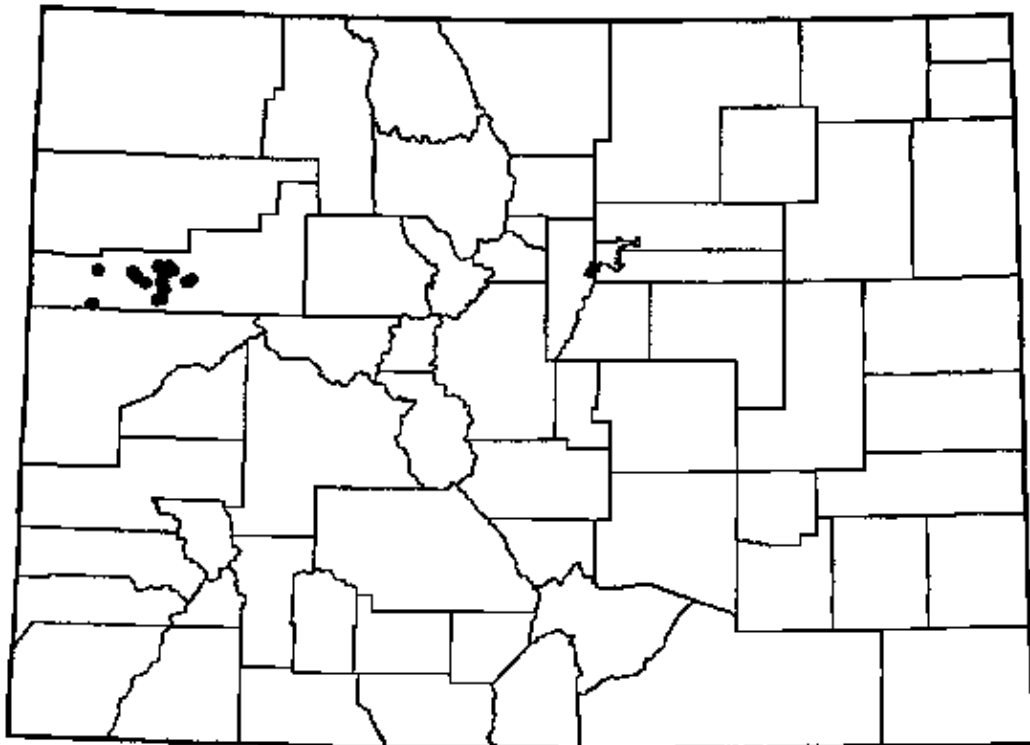
Flowering/Fruiting Period: Late June-July/August.

Habitat: Steep eroding talus slopes of shale, Green River Formation. Elev. 5800-9000 ft.



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Distribution: Utah and Colorado (Garfield Co.). The Utah and Colorado populations may be distinct species given their 200 mile separation and the tendency of *Nuttallia* species to form local endemic populations.



References: O’Kane 1988; Weber and Wittmann 1983; Welsh 1979; Welsh et al. 1993.