

*Astragalus brandegei*

**BRANDEGEE MILKVETCH**

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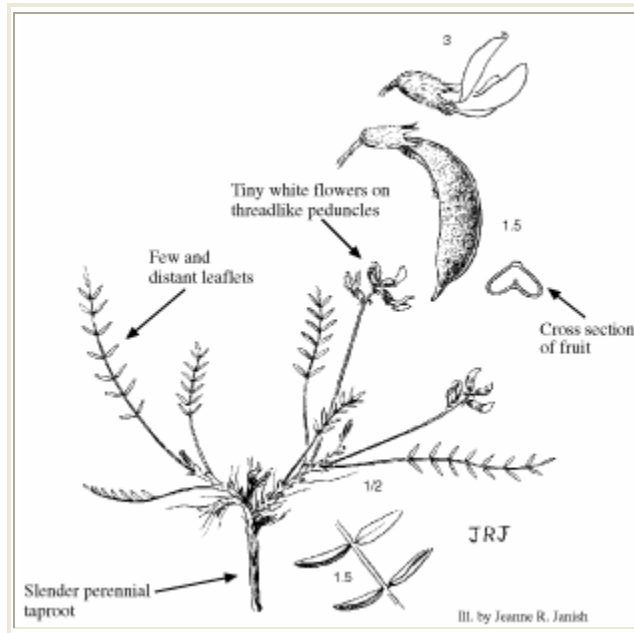


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**Fabaceae (Pea Family)**

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**Look Alikes:** This species is easily recognizable and not likely to be confused with other

species within its' Colorado distribution.

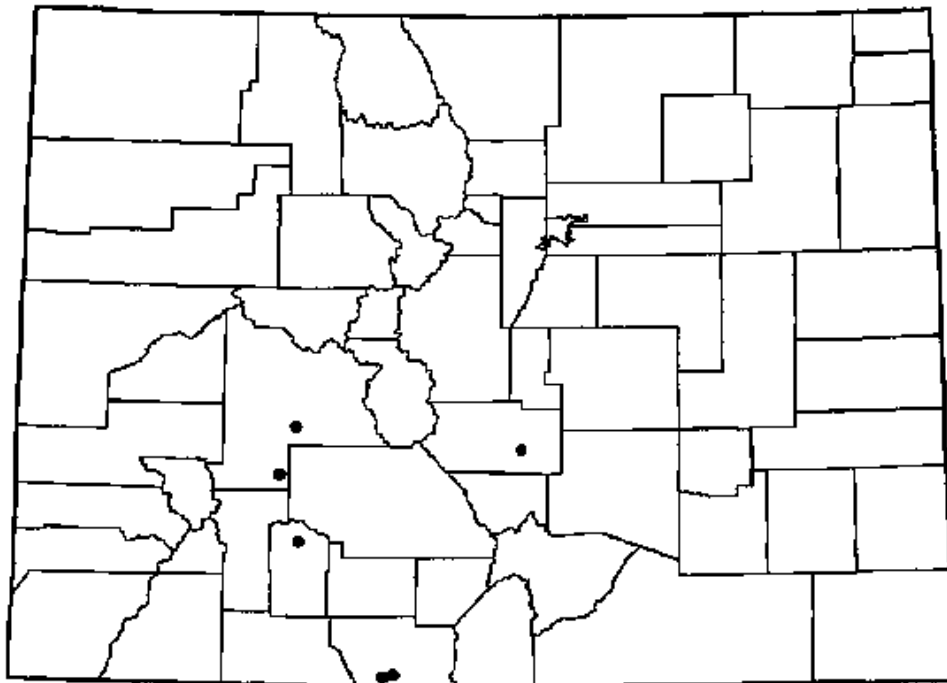
**Flowering/Fruiting Period:** April-September/through September.

**Habitat:** Sandy or gravelly banks, flats, and stony meadows; mostly in pinyon-juniper woodlands, sometimes in oak woodlands, rarely in yucca-grasslands. Bedrock is usually sandstone, occasionally granite or basalt. Elev. 5400-8800 ft.



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**Distribution:** Utah, Arizona, New Mexico and Colorado (Conejos, Fremont, Gunnison and Mineral Cos.). The known localities are widely disjunct.



**References:** Barneby 1964 and 1989; Weber 1961

