

SALINE SALTBUUSH

Atriplex dioica

Goosefoot Family (Chenopodiaceae)

Synonyms: *Atriplex subspicata*; *A. patula* var. *subspicata*

Habitat: Alkaline flats and meadows

DISTRIBUTION

Yukon: South-central Yukon

North America: From British Columbia to Newfoundland, southern United States. Yukon population disjunct by 700 km.

World: North America

CONSERVATION RANK

Global rank: Secure (G5)

Canadian rank: Secure (N5)

Yukon rank: Imperilled to Vulnerable (S2S3)

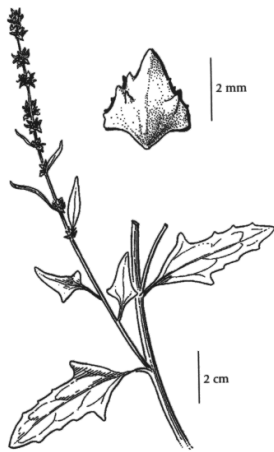
Distinguishing features: Leaves fleshy, fruits triangular, 2 stigmas, male and female flowers separate but on the same plant.



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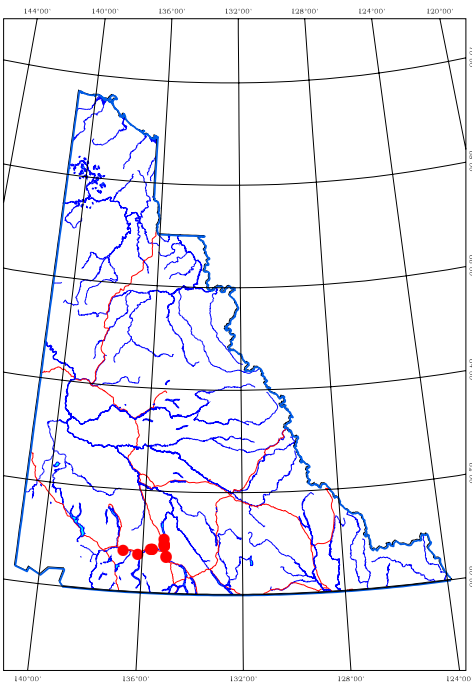


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Atriplex subspicata

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