

WIND RIVER DRABA

Draba ventosa

Mustard Family (Brassicaceae)

Habitat: Alpine and subalpine, talus, scree slopes, slides, cliffs; often on limestone

DISTRIBUTION

Yukon: Southwest Yukon; known only from Kluane National Park

North America: Western Canada, Alaska, Rocky Mountains.

World: North America

CONSERVATION RANK

Global rank: Vulnerable (G3)

Canadian rank: Vulnerable (N3)

Yukon rank: Imperilled to Vulnerable (S2S3)

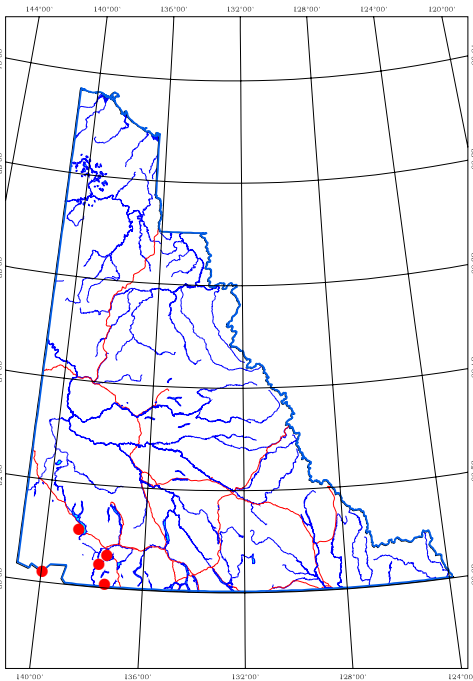
Species at Risk Act status: Candidate

Distinguishing features: *Draba ventosa* is separated from *D. ruaxes* by long-stalked stellate hairs on both leaf surfaces and by fruits with simple and star-shaped hairs. Styles 1.0-1.25 mm.



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