Yukon Aster

Symphyotrichum yukonense

Aster Family (Asteraceae)

Synonyms: *Aster yukonensis*

Habitat: Mud flats, lakeshores, and gravelly slopes

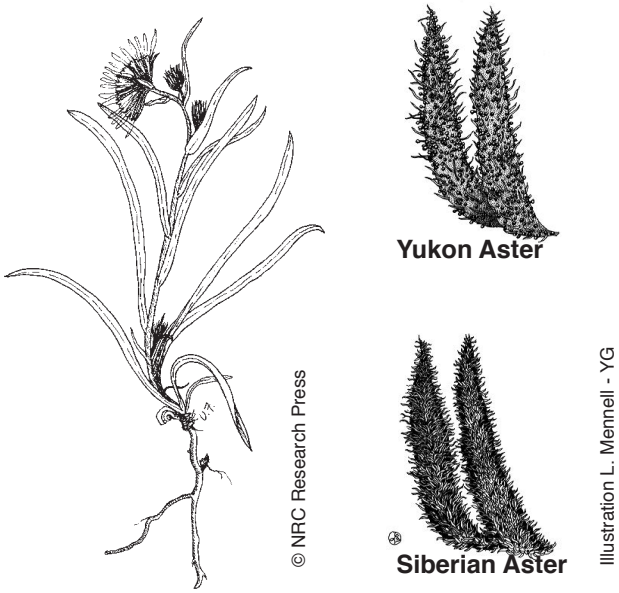
DISTRIBUTION

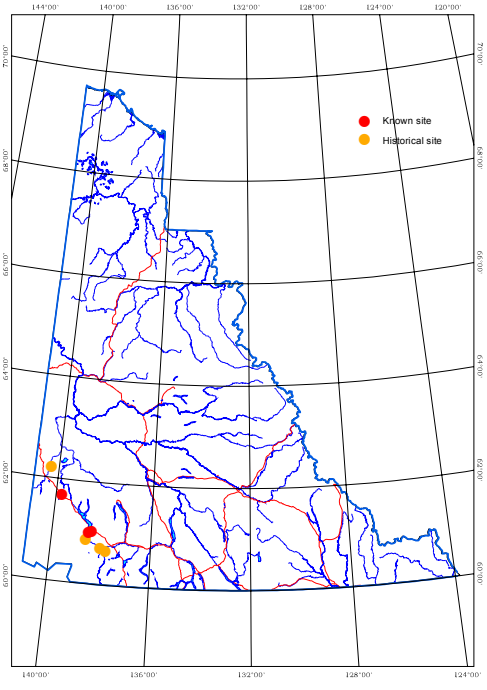
Yukon: Southwestern Yukon; known only from the Kluane region
World: Endemic to Yukon, Alaska, and Northwest Territories

CONSERVATION RANK

Global rank: Vulnerable (G3)
Canadian rank: Imperilled to Vulnerable (N2N3)
Yukon rank: Imperilled to Vulnerable (S2S3)
***Species at Risk Act* status:** Not At Risk (1996)

Distinguishing features: Differing from other species of Aster by having linear leaves clasping stems and phyllaries that are densely glandular and pubescent.





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