Limnanthes pumila ssp. pumila

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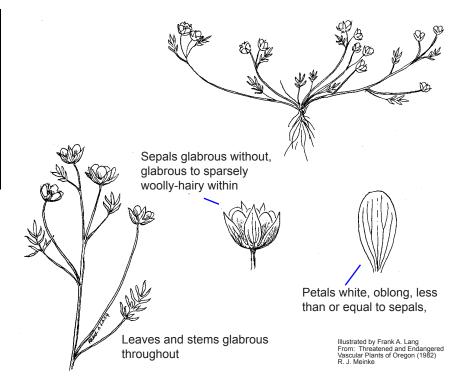
Dwarf meadowfoam





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Annual herb, herbage glabrous throughout. Stems simple or sparingly branched near base, 5-10 cm high. Leaves 1-5 cm long, pinnately divided; leaflets linear to oblanceolate; 3-8 mm long. Peduncles stout, glabrous, 2-4 cm long. Flowers: sepals broadly lanceolate, acute, 6-10 mm long, glabrous to sparse woolly hairy within, glabrous without; petals white, oblong, rounded, less than or equaling the sepals. Fruit: nutlets, ovoid, wrinkled below.

Lookalikes

Limnanthes pumila ssp. grandiflora Limnanthes floccosa ssp. floccosa differs from featured plant by Ssp. pumila has glabrous stems and leaves

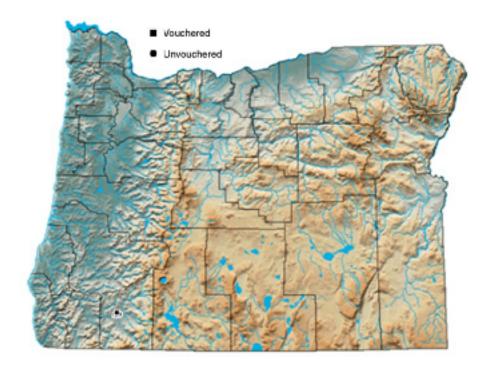




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Dwarf meadowfoam PLANTS symbol: LIFLP2

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Distribution: Summits of Upper and Lower Table Rocks, and adjacent valley floor in central Jackson Co., Oregon.

Habitat: The edges of vernal pools and very moist soil.

Elevation: 350 - 700 m

Best survey time (in flower): March – April

Associated species:

Lasthenia californica ssp. californica (California goldfields) Collinsia grandiflora (Giant blue eyed Mary) Lupinus bicolor (Miniature lupine)





