

Aspleniaceae (Spleenwort Family)

Management Responsibility: BLM (Tucson Field Office).

Synonyms: *Ceterach dalhousiae* (Hook.) in Mickel (1979).

Similar Species: *Asplenium dalhousiae* is distinguished by its once pinnatifid leaves from *Asplenium exiguum* which has bipinnatifid leaves.

Notes: also occurs in northern Mexico in the New World and is disjunct to the Himalaya Mountains in Asia.

References: Mickel, 1979. Wagner, 1993.



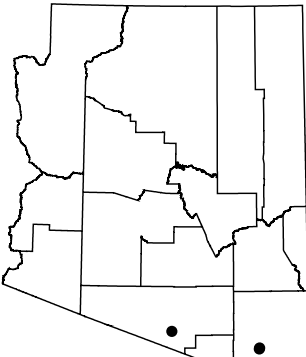
*Asplenium
dalhousiae*

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Habitat: sky island species growing in shady, rocky ravines in moist soil with Madrean oak woodland at 4,000-6,000 ft (1220-1830 m) elevation.



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Range: scattered localities in the Mule Mountains, Sandy Bob and Box Canyons and the Baboquivari Mountains.