

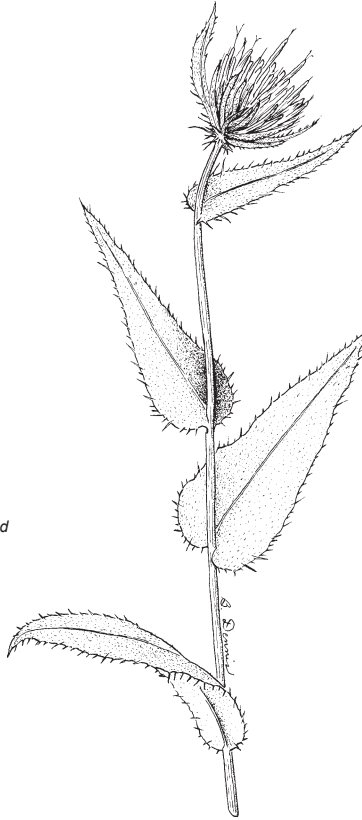
heads solitary  
or few;  
corollas white,  
drying a very  
light yellow,  
1.0-1.4 cm  
long and 1.0-  
1.5 mm wide

glabrate spines poorly  
developed, 2 mm or less

Perennial with  
entire basal and  
cauline leaves

leaves darker green above,  
thinly pubescent; underside  
lighter green

achenes flat, light  
brown and black  
streaked to nearly  
black



### *Asteraceae (Sunflower Family)*

**Phenology:** flowering July to September.

**Management Responsibility:** USFS (Coconino NF).

**Similar Species:** *Cirsium parryi* ssp. *parryi* has yellowish-white flowers and sinuately toothed to sinuately lobed leaves.

**Notes:** first discovered 7/7/87, very little is known about the taxon. Browsing by ungulates has sometimes been noted as well as the presence of the introduced bull thistle (*Cirsium vulgare*) nearby in the drainage.

**References:** AGFD, 1997j. Schaack and Goodwin. 1990.



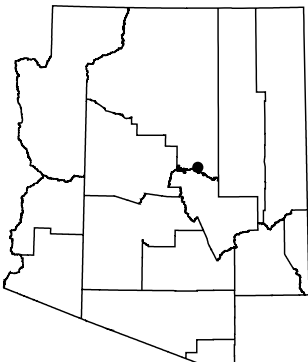
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*Cirsium parryi*  
ssp. *mogollonicum*

**Habitat:** moist to very moist soils in riparian understory of perennial stream with ponderosa pine, douglas fir and white fir, elevation 7200 ft (2200 m).



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**Range:** endemic to <1 square mile in Dane Canyon.