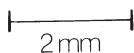


central spines absent or rarely 1-2, radial spines 14-15, each 3-5 mm long, white or yellowish-tan

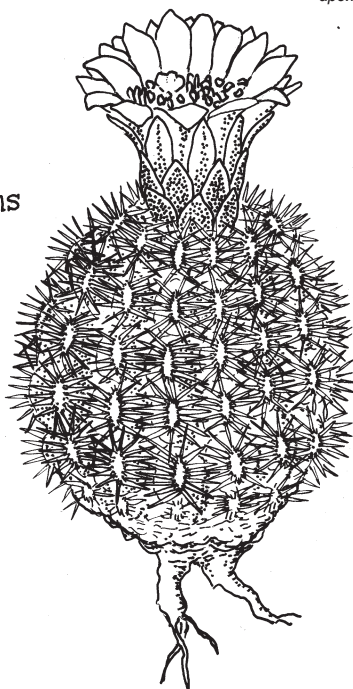


areoles white, somewhat pectinate

Stems 3.2-6.2 cm tall, 2.6-4.0 cm in diameter, spherical, solitary or few branched



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flowers straw-yellow, 1.5 cm in diameter, produced on the apex of the stem

Cactaceae (Cactus Family)

Phenology: flowering March to April; plants retract into the soil in response to drought.

Management Responsibility: BLM (AZ Strip Field Office), NPS (Glen Canyon NRA), Navajo Nation, AZ Dept of Transportation.

Synonyms: *Toumeyia bradyi* (L.D. Benson) W. Earle

Similar Species: can be mistaken with juveniles of *Coryphantha vivipara*

References: AGFD, 1997s. Benson, 1969. Earle, 1963. Phillips, A.M. et al, 1985.

Notes: *P. bradyi* is a narrow endemic with very specific soil requirements.



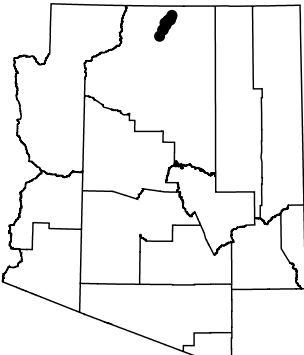
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Pediocactus bradyi

Habitat: grows on Kaibab Limestone chips overlaying soils derived from Moenkopi Formation, 3,340 to 5,200 ft (1018-1585 m) elevation.



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Range: only known from Marble Canyon vicinity.