

COMMON NAME:
SAND WASH GROUNDSEL

SCIENTIFIC NAME:
SENECIO DOUGLASII

ALSO CALLED: FELTY GROUNDSEL, OLD MAN, DOUGLAS RAGWORT, SQUAW-WEED, THREADLEAF GROUNDSEL, DESERT GROUNDSEL, DOUGLAS GROUNDSEL, AND CREEK SENECIO

FLOWER COLOR: YELLOW

LEAVES: THREAD-LIKE OR SPIKE-LIKE LEAVES 1/2" TO 2" LONG

FLOWER ARRANGEMENT: IN SPIKES AT THE END OF BRANCHES

FLOWERING TIME: MAY - OCTOBER

NORMAL SIZE: 3' TO 5'

NORMAL ELEVATION: ABOUT 3000' TO 5000'

HABITATION: GROWS COMMONLY IN THE NORTH HALF OF THE STATE IN WASHES AND ALONG DRY STREAMS

ABUNDANCE: EXTREMELY WIDESPREAD

NOTABLE DETAILS: LARGE WOODY BUSH COVERED WITH SHORT FINE STRINGY GREEN LEAVES AND BRIGHT YELLOW FLOWERS WITH LONG NARROW RAY FLOWERS

SPECIAL INTEREST: SENECIO MEANS OLD MAN IN LATIN.