

Eupatorium album* L. var. *album

Current status: PX
Proposed status: PE

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Habitat: dry fields and open woods in sandy soil

Range: NY to FL and west to OH and LA.

Description: erect perennial with sessile, opposite leaves and a terminal corymbose inflorescence.

Pennsylvania Status: There are three historic locations (one each in Bucks, Montgomery and Lancaster Counties), and two known extant locations (Bucks and Delaware Counties).

Identification Problems: none

Status in Other States: S1 in CT and IN; S3 in DE, OH and WV; not ranked in NJ and NY.

Global Status: G4

Rationale for Change: We have found extant populations of *Eupatorium album* at 2 locations (Rhoads and Steckel, Haverford Hospital site, Delaware County 9/25/2008 and 10/20/2008; Rhoads and Block, Money Island, Bucks Co. 7/9/2009 and 8/3/2009 MOAR) estimated population size about 50 plants at each location.

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