

Wisconsin's Rare Milkweeds



Green Milkweed (*Asclepias hirtella*)

Habitat: Southern sedge meadow and wet to wet-mesic prairies; seasonally wet sandy areas

Best ID Time: June - September



Woolly Milkweed (*Asclepias lanuginosa*)

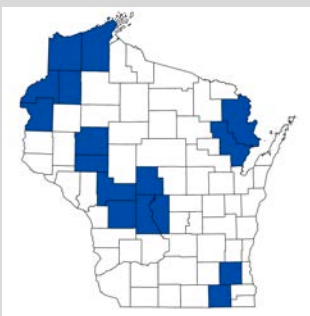
Habitat: Dry, dry-mesic, and sand prairies; barrens

Best ID Time: Late May - late June

Dwarf Milkweed (*Asclepias ovalifolia*)

Habitat: Barrens and sand prairies, including the disturbed edges, such as roadsides.

Best ID Time: June



Purple Milkweed (*Asclepias purpurascens*)

Habitat: A broad range, from wet-mesic prairies to oak woodlands

Best ID Time: Late June - late July

Prairie Milkweed (*Asclepias sullivantii*)

Habitat: Mesic and wet-mesic prairies

Best ID Time: Early June - early July

