



COSEWIC Assessment Summary

Assessment Summary – November 2004

Common name

Macoun's Meadowfoam

Scientific name

Limnanthes macounii

Status

Threatened

Reason for designation

A Canadian endemic highly restricted within a narrow coastal fringe of seasonally wet microhabitats where it is at risk from continued competition with a wide range of exotic plants. Its presence in a highly urbanized area results in habitat disruption and population losses.

Occurrence

British Columbia

Status history

Designated Special Concern in April 1988. Status re-examined and designated Threatened in November 2004. Last assessment based on an update status report.