



Snapdragon, multicolored flowers



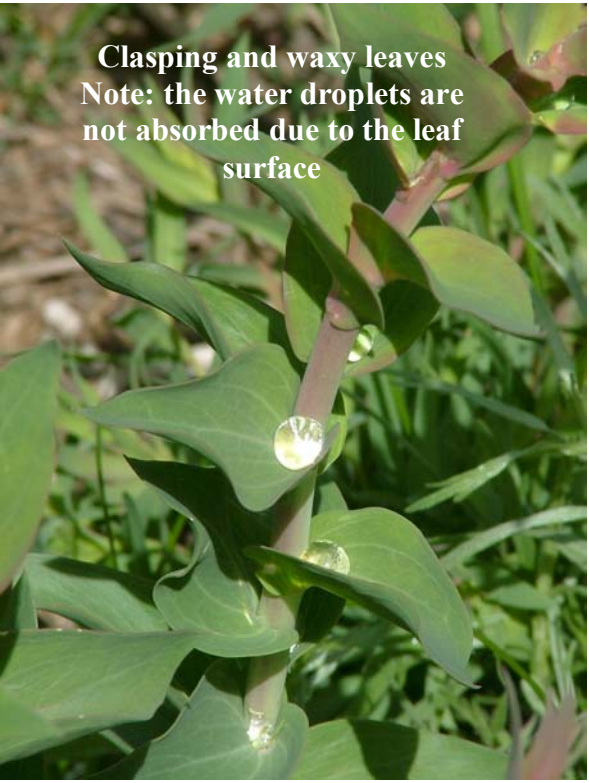
TETON COUNTY WEED AND PEST DISTRICT

Dalmation toadflax *Linaria dalmatica* & *L. genistifolia*

Dalmation toadflax is a creeping root perennial that spreads by seeds and underground rhizomes. They have 'snapdragon' like flowers that are darker yellow at the upper leaf and lighter yellow towards the spur. They have blue green colored clasping leaves that are very waxy and alternate up the stem.

A single Dalmation toadflax plant has the capability of producing over 500,000 seeds per plant. These seeds have the ability to remain dormant in the soil for around 10 years. With extremely high seed production and extensive root system, this plant has shown the ability to increase 1200% over six years on sites in Colorado (Beck, K.G. CSU).

In Teton County we have seen very aggressive infestations of Dalmation toadflax invading disturbed rocky soils, as well as establishing monocultures on south facing slopes. This is a very challenging weed to control and if you need help in managing this species, **please contact Teton County Weed & Pest District 733-8419.**



Clasping and waxy leaves
Note: the water droplets are not absorbed due to the leaf surface



Monoculture on flat ground



Monoculture on steep south facing slope