

Crepis foetida

[Synonyms : *Anisoderis foetida*, *Arnosaris foetida*, *Barkhausia candollei*, *Barkhausia divaricata*, *Barkhausia echioides*, *Barkhausia foetida*, *Barkhausia foetida* var. *diffusa*, *Barkhausia foetida* var. *foetida*, *Barkhausia foetida* forma *prostrata*, *Barkhausia foetida* var. *sinuatodentata*, *Barkhausia foetida* var. *viscosissima*, *Barkhausia glandulosa* var. *pinnatipartita*, *Barkhausia gracilis*, *Barkhausia graveolens*, *Barkhausia interrupta*, *Barkhausia prostrata*, *Barkhausia radicata*, *Barkhausia rodigioides*, *Barkhausia schimperi*, *Barkhausia triangularis*, *Barkhausia zacinthia*, *Berinia foetida*, *Chondrilla decandollei*, *Crepis amygdalina*, *Crepis eritreensis*, *Crepis fallax*, *Crepis foetens*, *Crepis foetida* subsp. *eufoetida*, *Crepis foetida* subsp. *foetida*, *Crepis foetida* subsp. *maritima*, *Crepis foetida* subsp. *radicata*, *Crepis foetida* subsp. *vulgaris*, *Crepis foetida* subsp. *zacinthia*, *Crepis gracilis*, *Crepis graveolens*, *Crepis insularis*, *Crepis interrupta*, *Crepis kotschyana*, *Crepis prostrata*, *Crepis radiata*, *Crepis rodigioides*, *Crepis schimperi*, *Crepis thomsonii*, *Crepis thracia*, *Crepis zacinthia*, *Hieracioides fallax*, *Hieracioides foetidum*, *Hostia foetida*, *Lapsana foetida*, *Picris foetida*, *Rhynchopappus foetidus*, *Wibelia foetida*, *Wibelia graveolens*]

STINKING HAWK'S BEARD is an annual. Native to western Europe and Saudi Arabia, it has small dandelion-like, brownish-centred, yellow flowers.

It is also known as *Škarda smrdutá* (Czech), *Sprötfibbla* (Swedish), and *Stinkender Pippau* (German).

It is viewed as an endangered species in the wild in Britain under the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981.

Foetida is Latin (stinking) meaning 'bad-smelling, fetid or stinking'.