

2022 SPRING



PRAIRIE MOON NURSERY®

Native Seeds and Plants for Gardening and Restoration



WHY NATIVES?

Native plants have survived and adapted for centuries in the wilds of North America.

Resilient. Beautiful. Beneficial.

Natives are the foundation to a healthy ecosystem and vital to wildlife. With every plant, you provide much needed food and habitat for diminishing pollinator and bird species.



RESTORE HABITAT



FILTER WATER



CLEAN AIR



BUILD SOIL

CELEBRATING OUR

40th
Anniversary

THANK YOU FOR CHOOSING NATIVE PLANTS!

Get this **FREE** bundle at checkout with any paid order in 2022 use code: **40YEARS**



- Purple Prairie Clover Seed Packet
- Choose Native Plants Sticker
- Native Plant-Insect Interactions Guide

WHY US?

Prairie Moon offers the largest native plant collection available for retail sales in the US. With a network of growers across the Midwest, we provide over 700 North American species. Our seeds and plants have been used by national parks, local municipalities, teachers, farmers, and backyard gardeners across the country since 1982. When you buy from Prairie Moon, you know you're getting authentic, wild-type native plants, not cultivated varieties bred by the horticultural industry.

GET TO KNOW US!
prairiemoon.com/blog/meet-prairie-moon

100% INDEPENDENTLY OWNED

NEONICOTINOID FREE



PRAIRIE MOON
NURSERY®

OUR PRODUCTS



SEEDS

BEST VALUE, PATIENCE REQUIRED

We offer seeds from over 700 wild-type native species. One big advantage of using seed is affordability, especially when planting larger areas.



DORMANT ROOTS

MATURE PLANTS, WIDE SELECTION

Certain plants transplant most successfully when they are dormant. Most roots are 1-2 years old, dug from outdoor garden beds, and shipped April-May.



POTTED PLANTS

FAST TO ESTABLISH, A GREAT VALUE

These greenhouse-grown plants come in 3-packs (2.5" x 3.5"), or Trays (38 or 50 plants: 2" x 5"). Plants ship when they are well-rooted, late April to early June.

MONARCH POWER PACK

\$59 • 9 PLANTS

CALLING ALL MONARCHS!

Make your garden a layover location for the migrating Monarchs. These plants are preferred food sources for both the caterpillars and butterflies.

LEARN MORE! PG. 17



NEW!



FREE SHIPPING ON \$100+ SEED ORDERS

BEST SELLER MIX & MATCH TRAYS PG. 6-9

Arnel, our Production Manager, examines the crop of *Lobelia siphilitica* (pg. 22)

HOW TO ORDER:

ORDER SECURELY ONLINE: prairiemoon.com
ORDER BY PHONE: 866-417-8156 • Mon-Fri • 7am-5pm CST

Our Sales Team and secure website provide expert advice and up-to-date inventory.

POLLINATOR GARDENS

GARDENS CURATED TO SUPPORT ALL POLLINATORS, ALL SEASONS



PLANTING
LAYOUT
INCLUDED

POLLINATOR PATCH

\$109 • 18 PLANTS

MEDIUM TO DRY SOIL | FULL SUN
COVERS 40-50 SQ FT

This new kit is a smaller version of our best-selling Pollinator Gardens. The Pollinator Patch is perfect for a new native gardener or those wanting an easy-to-establish classic prairie sampler. These plants will provide a succession of blooms, spring through fall, to support pollinators all seasons.

NEW!



POLLINATOR GARDEN

\$139 • 38 PLANTS

MEDIUM TO DRY SOIL | FULL SUN
COVERS 75-100 SQ FT

Bring in the bees, butterflies, and birds with our most popular garden kit! This selection of plants provides a continuation of blooms to support native insects throughout the seasons. Creating habitat also means food and shelter for our imperiled pollinators.



COLOSSAL POLLINATOR GARDEN

\$179 • 50 PLANTS

MEDIUM TO DRY SOIL | FULL SUN
COVERS 120-150 SQ FT

More plants means more pollinators! If you have the space, be a hero and plant this garden to support a herculean amount of wildlife.

MIX & MATCH TRAYS

CREATE A CUSTOM TRAY • 38 PLANTS



HOW TO CREATE A MIX & MATCH TRAY

- 1 Browse the 75 native flowers and grasses on pages 7-9
- 2 Choose 2 to 6 species (options shown below)
- 3 Order online or by phone
prairiemoon.com/mix-match



2 SPECIES
19+19



3 SPECIES
13+13+12



4 SPECIES
10+10+9+9



5 SPECIES
8+8+8+7+7

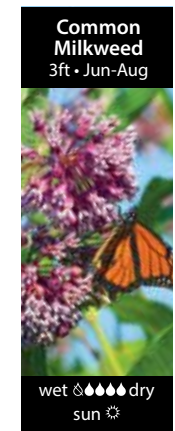


6 SPECIES
7+7+6+6+6+6

ORDER EARLY!

Potted trays often sell out before our greenhouse begins shipping.

prairiemoon.com/mix-match



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MORE ONLINE!
Search "Mix & Match" at prairiemoon.com

Prairie Alumroot
2ft • May-Jul



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Shrubby St. John's Wort
4ft • Jul-Sep



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Southern Blue Flag
3ft • May-Jul



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Button Blazing Star
3ft • Jul-Oct



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Meadow Blazing Star
5ft • Aug-Sep



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Prairie Blazing Star
4ft • Jul-Sep



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Cardinal Flower
4ft • Jul-Sep



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Great Blue Lobelia
3ft • Jul-Oct



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Wild Bergamot
4ft • Jul-Sep



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Spotted Bee Balm
2ft • Jul-Sep




wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Wild Quinine
4ft • Jun-Sep




wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼

Foxglove Beardtongue
4ft • Jun-Jul




wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Hairy Beardtongue
18in • May-Jun




wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼☼

Obedient Plant
4ft • Aug-Sep




wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Hairy Mountain Mint
3ft • Jul-Aug



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Yellow Coneflower
5ft • Jul-Sep




wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Orange Coneflower
3ft • Jul-Sep



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Sweet Black-eyed Susan
5ft • Aug-Oct



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Brown-eyed Susan
5ft • Aug-Oct



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼

Wild Petunia
1ft • Jun-Aug



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼

Blue Sage
5ft • Aug-Oct



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼

Late Figwort
6ft • Jul-Oct



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼☼

Royal Catchfly
4ft • Jul-Aug



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Compass Plant
8ft • Jun-Sep



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Stiff Goldenrod
4ft • Aug-Oct



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Showy Goldenrod
5ft • Aug-Oct



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Smooth Blue Aster
4ft • Aug-Oct



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

New England Aster
5ft • Aug-Oct




wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Aromatic Aster
2ft • Aug-Nov




wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼

Short's Aster
3ft • Aug-Oct




wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼☼

Ohio Spiderwort
3ft • May-Jul




wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼☼

Blue Vervain
5ft • Jul-Sep




wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Hoary Vervain
2ft • Jun-Sep




wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Culver's Root
5ft • Jun-Aug




wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Common Ironweed
6ft • Jul-Sep



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Golden Alexanders
3ft • Apr-Jun



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Big Bluestem
7ft • Jun-Sep



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Side-oats Grama
2ft • Aug-Sep



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Palm Sedge
3ft • July



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼☼

River Oats
3ft • Jul-Sep



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼

Bottlebrush Grass
3ft • Jun-Aug



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼☼

Purple Love Grass
2ft • Jul-Aug



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

June Grass
2ft • Jun-Jul



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼

Switch Grass
4ft • Jul-Sep



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Little Bluestem
3ft • Jul-Oct



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Indian Grass
6ft • Aug-Sep



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

Prairie Dropseed
2ft • Aug-Oct



wet ☹☹☹☹ dry
sun ☼☼

SINGLE SPECIES TRAYS

38 OR 50 PLANTS • 1 SPECIES



THE MOST BANG FOR YOUR BUCK!

Single Species Trays are perfect for filling in large areas, whether you are adding more color to your prairie or creating beautiful landscaping around your home. Trays ship late April to early June. Search "tray" at prairiemoon.com for all available species in 38 or 50 plant trays.

38 PLANT TRAY



\$119

38 plant tray
Cells are 2" wide x 5" deep, perfect for deep-rooted natives.

50 PLANT TRAY



\$139 - \$179

50 plant tray
Cells are 2" wide x 5" deep, perfect for deep-rooted natives.

ORDER EARLY!

Potted trays often sell out before spring shipping.

A POP OF COLOR EACH SEASON!

Ideal for bridging seasonal gaps in your garden. Choose from spring, summer, or fall bloomers.

FULL RETAIL VALUE \$63!



\$59

Power Packs are shipped in secure recyclable cardboard inserts. Pots are 2.5" wide x 3.5" deep.

SPRING

3 Prairie Smoke: A unique wildflower with wispy seed heads pollinated by bumble bees.
3 Jacob's Ladder: Pollinator favorite! Attracts bees, butterflies, moths, and hummingbirds.
3 Golden Alexanders: Host plant for Black Swallowtails. Pollinated by short-tongued bees.

SUMMER

3 Butterfly Weed: Host plant for the Monarch butterfly. Attracts many other butterflies as well.
3 Wild Petunia: Appeals to long-tongued bees like leaf-cutters. A great ground cover.
3 Anise Hyssop: Pollinator magnet! Attracts native bees and butterflies. Deer resistant.

FALL

3 Smooth Blue Aster: A favorite of many native bees and butterflies. A non-aggressive aster.
3 Showy Goldenrod: Pollinators rely on this critical late-season plant with abundant nectar.
3 Blue Sage: Vivid blue blooms attract many long-tongued bees, especially bumblebees.

ORDER EARLY!

Power Packs often sell out before spring shipping.

POLLINATOR POWER PACKS

9 PLANTS • 3 SPECIES

SPRING POWER PACK

\$59



PRAIRIE SMOKE



JACOB'S LADDER



GOLDEN ALEXANDERS

SUMMER POWER PACK

\$59



BUTTERFLY WEED



WILD PETUNIA



ANISE HYSSOP

FALL POWER PACK

\$59



SMOOTH BLUE ASTER



SHOWY GOLDENROD



BLUE SAGE

MORE ONLINE!
Search "Power Pack" at prairiemoon.com

STARTING FROM SEED

The seeds of many native plants have dormancy mechanisms that protect them from germinating before killing frosts or in times of drought. In the wild, seeds lie dormant until the proper conditions for growth occur. In cultivation, the successful gardener must become familiar with several simple pre-sowing seed treatment methods to stimulate quicker, more consistent germination.

Our seed germination codes were developed to help you successfully grow the seed sold in our catalog.

Seed should be stored in a cool, dry place or an airtight container under refrigeration (33–40°F) until you are ready to plant or apply pre-sowing treatment.

A No pre-treatment necessary. Seeds germinate after sowing in a warm location.

B Hot water treatment: Bring water to a boil. Pour over seed and then allow seed to soak for 24 hours at room temp prior to planting.

C (#) Seeds germinate after sitting out over winter or after a period of cold, moist stratification. Sow seeds outdoors in the fall to over-winter naturally and see germination the following spring, or artificially stratify seeds for the number of days in the parenthesis. For more detailed instructions on artificial stratification, go to prairiemoon.com and type GERMINATION into the search bar.

D Seeds are very small or need light to naturally break dormancy and germinate. Surface sow.

E In order to germinate, seeds need a warm, moist period (summer) followed by a cold, moist period (winter). Sow seeds outdoors in spring and expect germination the following spring, one full year later. To artificially mimic this stratification process, mix seeds with damp sand, place in a labeled, sealed plastic bag and store in warm (about 80°F) location for 60–90 days. Then place in refrigerator (33–38°F) for 60–90 days before sowing.

F Seeds have double dormancy and need a cold, moist period (winter) followed by a warm, moist period (summer) followed by a 2nd cold, moist period. Sow seeds outdoors in the fall and expect germination after 2 years. To artificially mimic this stratification process, start by following instructions for code C for 60–90 days, then store in warm (70 to 80°F) place for 60–90 days, followed by a 2nd cold, moist period for 60–90 days.

G Seeds germinate most successfully in cool soil. Sow seeds in late fall (after hard frost) or early spring.

H Seeds need scarification: To scarify, lightly rub between two sheets of sandpaper before artificial stratification.

I Legume: Rhizobium Inoculum may be added. Most legume species harbor beneficial bacteria called rhizobia on their roots. Genus-specific strains of this bacterium called inoculum can aid in the fixation of atmospheric nitrogen and improve long-term health of native plant communities. Inoculum is naturally-occurring in most soils and additional amendment is usually not needed. However, in low fertility soils it may be necessary. Genus-specific strains are available at prairiemoon.com/inoculum

INOCULUM FOR LEGUMES

Choose from 19 different rhizobial inoculum strains. prairiemoon.com/inoculum (free shipping)

Inoculates up to 1 lb of seed.....\$6.00

K Hemiparasitic species which needs a host plant. Good hosts for many parasitic species include low-growing grasses and sedges.

L Plant fresh seed or keep moist. Refrigerate until planting or starting other treatment.

M Best planted outdoors in the fall.

? Not sure. Your input would be of interest to us.



LEARNING THROUGH GROWING

Four decades ago, Alan Wade and several of his friends began Prairie Moon Nursery selling seeds out of his living room. They were following in the footsteps of Alan's parents, Doug and Dot Wade, who started one of the first North American native plant nurseries in the 1970s. We continue to grow the ecotypes first collected by the Wades along with a wide range of ecotypes from across the Midwest.

We are inspired and energized by our daily contact with so many who share our passion for ecological preservation and restoration. We're all learning how to better assist nature through our experiments, from tiny backyard plantings to multi-acre projects.

Thank you for joining us these past 40 years in learning through growing.

OUR MENTORS

Dot Wade and her husband Doug, a student of Aldo Leopold, started one of the first true wildflower nurseries, Windrift Prairie Shop and Nursery.



CATALOGS

The first catalog was a trifold pamphlet that sold for 50¢ in the early 80s. By the early 90s, we had nearly 250 natives to list, graduating to a traditional catalog experience for the reader.



JOINING THE WEB

We moved to computerized software in 1997 and launched our first website in 2003. This added efficiency and greatly expanded our customer reach.



STILL GROWING

In 2015, a greenhouse was added to meet increasing plant demand. By 2018, we tripled the greenhouse size. Coming in 2022-23: a modernized seed processing building and office expansion.



A SIMPLE START

In 1982, with encouragement from his parents, Alan Wade began shipping seed with neighbors Vic, Tony, and Yarrow from his small house.



HUMBLE EXPANSION

A 2 room building was proudly built in 1987. The upstairs was a bookkeeping office, and downstairs was a small warehouse. Plumbing was a luxury, so we relied on an outhouse.



PRAIRIE LANE EST.

Construction began in 2007 on new land just 1 mile away. This consolidated operations under one 10,000 sq ft building, with room to grow, or so we thought!

Prairie Moon Nursery staff gather in a planted prairie surrounded by Rattlesnake Master (pg. 23) and Compass Plant (pg. 19) in late July.

HOST PLANTS

VITAL PLANTS FOR THE LIFECYCLE OF POLLINATORS



Host plant for the endangered Karner Blue

photo: Justin Meissen | IA



Host plant for the Spring Azure



Host plant for the Baltimore Checkerspot



Host plant for the Raspberry Pyrausta

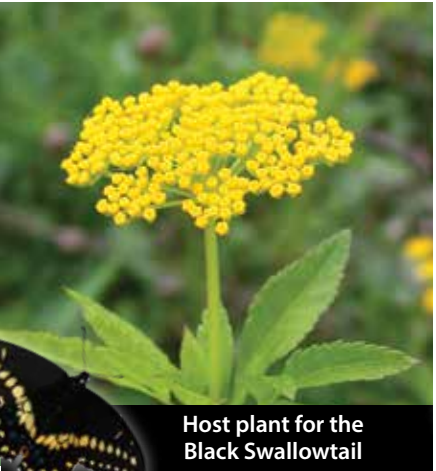


Host plant for the Leonard's Skipper

photo: MJ Hatfield | IA



Host plant for the American Lady

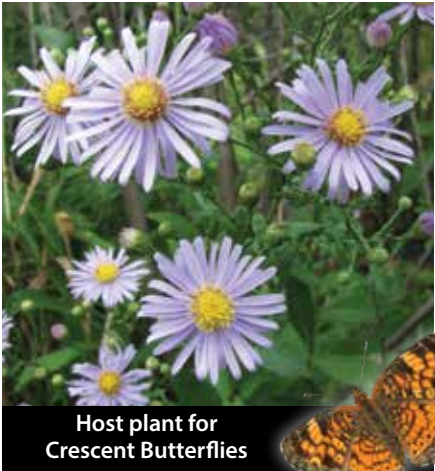


Host plant for the Black Swallowtail



Host plant for the Columbine Duskywing

photo: MJ Hatfield | IA




















Host plant for Crescent Butterflies








photo: Ken Childs | TN
















Host plant for Fritillary Butterflies





Wild Lupine <i>Lupinus perennis</i>								
SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES			
 	  	2'	May-Jul	10-18"	3-8			
FULL PART SHD	WET W/M MED M/D DRY							
Flowering spikes boast cream to indigo blooms. Fan-like leaves add beautiful texture to your garden. Requires well drained, preferably sandy soil.								
SEED: (40 seeds/pkt • 1,100/oz.)			GERM CODE: C(10) • H • I					
packet 1/8 oz								
\$3.00			\$10.00					
PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21								

Golden Alexanders			   			
Zizia aurea						
SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES	
 	  	3'	Apr-Jun	1-2'	3-8	
FULL PART SHD	WET W/M MED M/D DRY					
An important plant for short-tongued bees; they can easily reach the nectar in the shallow flowers. Black Swallowtail caterpillars feed on its leaves.						
SEED: (150 seeds/pkt • 11,000/oz.) GERM CODE: C(60) • G • M						
packet	1/8 oz	1/4 oz	1/2 oz	1 oz		
\$3.00	\$3.50	\$4.00	\$5.20	\$8.00		
PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10						

Columbine <i>Aquilegia canadensis</i>						
						
SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES	
  	  	2'	Apr-Jun	10-17"	3-8	
FULL PART SHD	WET W/M MED M/D DRY					
One of the first plants to provide nectar for hummingbirds. It is hardy and versatile; growing in clay, under pines or walnut trees.						
SEED: (250 seeds/pkt • 38,000/oz.)			GERM CODE: C(60) • M			
packet	1/8 oz	1/4 oz	1/2 oz			
\$3.00	\$7.50	\$12.00	\$19.50			
PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • bare root: \$8 ea.						

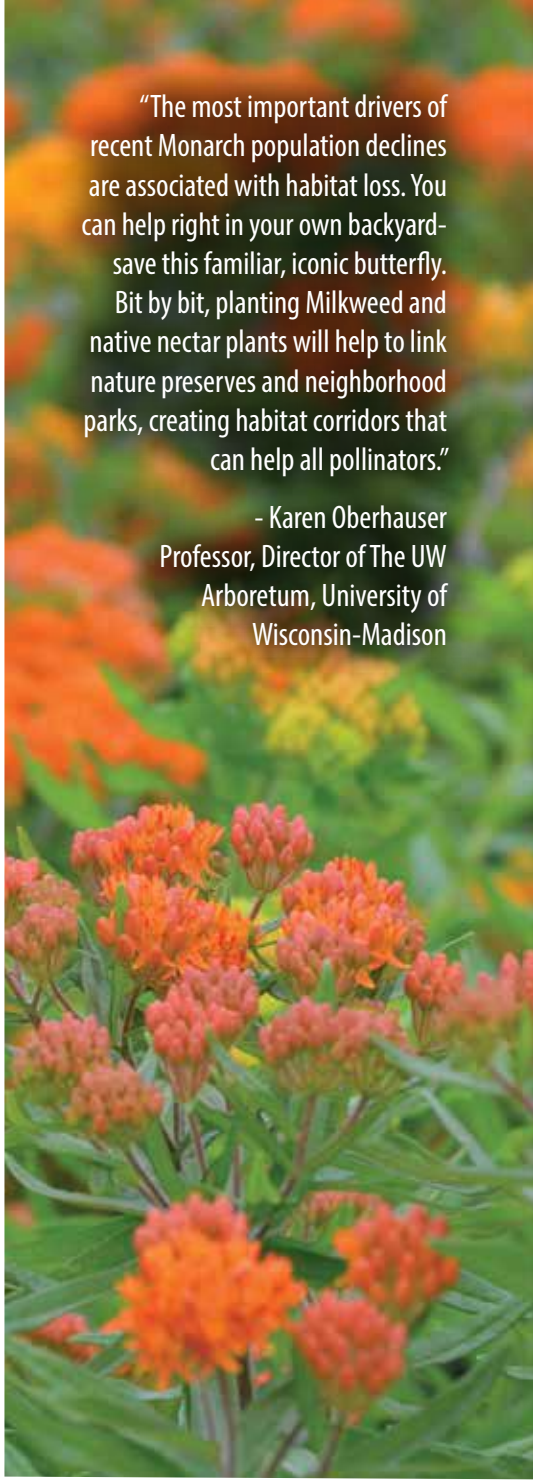
Smooth Blue Aster							
Symphyotrichum laeve							
SUN		SOIL MOISTURE		HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 		  		4'	Aug-Oct	18-24"	3-9
FULL PART SHD		WET W/M MED M/D DRY					
Tons of fall blooms give pollinators a last chance to nectar before the winter cold sets in. Smooth, blue-green leaves add color and texture interest.							
SEED: (750 seeds/pkt • 55,000/oz.)				GERM CODE: A			
packet	1/8 oz	1/4 oz	1/2 oz	1 oz			
\$3.00	\$4.00	\$6.00	\$9.75	\$15.00			
PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10							

Prairie Violet <i>Viola pedatifida</i>									
SUN	SOIL MOISTURE					HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 	  					6"	Apr-Jun	6-8"	3-7
FULL PART SHD	WET	W/M	MED	M/D	DRY				
A nice plant for small gardens or edges. The flowers emerge on leafless stalks in early spring and can last well into the summer months.									
SEED: (100 seeds/pkt • 28,000/oz.) GERM CODE: C(60) - M									
packet 1/8 oz									
\$3.00 \$15.00									
PLANTS: 50 Plant Potted Tray: \$179									

Pearly Everlasting								
<i>Anaphalis margaritacea</i>								
SUN	SOIL MOISTURE				HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 	 				2'	Jun-Sep	1-3'	2-7
FULL PART SHD	WET W/M MED M/D DRY							
Soft, silvery green foliage mounds and produces pearlescent flowers. This hardy and versatile plant plays well with others. Pair with Callirhoe (pg. 27) or Rudbeckia (pg. 25) for a stunning display.								
SEED: (300 seeds/pkt)					GERM CODE: C(30)			
packet: \$3.00								
PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21								

MILKWEED

PROVIDE A HABITAT FOR POLLINATORS












"The most important drivers of recent Monarch population declines are associated with habitat loss. You can help right in your own backyard—save this familiar, iconic butterfly. Bit by bit, planting Milkweed and native nectar plants will help to link nature preserves and neighborhood parks, creating habitat corridors that can help all pollinators."

- Karen Oberhauser
Professor, Director of The UW
Arboretum, University of
Wisconsin-Madison

Common Milkweed

Asclepias syriaca



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 	   	3'	Jun-Aug	2-3'	3-8
FULL PART SHD WET W/M MED M/D DRY					




Incredibly hardy and among the fastest and easiest to establish of the Milkweeds. Capable of growing in small urban pockets. Counters threats to Monarchs.





SEED: (150 seeds/pkt • 4,000/oz.)		GERM CODE: C(30)	
packet	1/8 oz	1/4 oz	1/2 oz
\$3.00	\$3.50	\$4.00	\$5.20
\$8.00			

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10

Spider Milkweed

Asclepias viridis



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 	 	1'	May-Jun	2-3'	5-9
FULL PART SHD WET W/M MED M/D DRY					




This plant is among the very first milkweeds to bloom, offering a place for the first wave of northward migrating Monarchs to lay their eggs.






SEED: (30 seeds/pkt • 4,300/oz.)		GERM CODE: C(30)	
packet	1/8 oz		
\$3.00	\$15.00		

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21

Showy Milkweed

Asclepias speciosa



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 	  	4'	Jun-Aug	2-3'	3-9
FULL PART SHD WET W/M MED M/D DRY					




A Milkweed with a Western native range. Similar in appearance to Common Milkweed, but with larger leaves and showier, star-like flowers.






SEED: (55 seeds/pkt • 4,500/oz.)		GERM CODE: C(30)	
packet	1/8 oz	1/4 oz	1/2 oz
\$3.00	\$3.50	\$4.50	\$7.80

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21

Poke Milkweed

Asclepias exaltata



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 	  	5'	Jun-Jul	2-3'	4-7
FULL PART SHD WET W/M MED M/D DRY					

Among the tallest of the milkweeds, this plant thrives in sun-dappled woodlands. The flowers droop elegantly on slender stalks, with light green petals forming a backplash for white, tapered blooms.





SEED: (30 seeds/pkt)		GERM CODE: C(30)	
packet:	\$3.00		







PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21



Rose Milkweed

Asclepias incarnata



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 	   	4'	Jun-Aug	18-36"	3-9
FULL PART SHD WET W/M MED M/D DRY					





Also called Swamp Milkweed, Monarch and Swallowtail butterflies will be attracted to it and you will enjoy its lovely vanilla fragrance.






SEED: (100 seeds/pkt • 4,800/oz.)		GERM CODE: C(30)	
packet	1/8 oz	1/4 oz	1/2 oz
\$3.00	\$3.50	\$4.50	\$6.50
\$10.00			

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • bare root: \$8 ea.

Whorled Milkweed

Asclepias verticillata



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 	  	2'	Jul-Sep	1-2'	3-9
FULL PART SHD WET W/M MED M/D DRY					

In comparison to other Milkweeds, this one is shorter, and blooms later in the year than others. It is rhizomatous and will spread to other areas.

SEED: (100 seeds/pkt • 11,000/oz.)		GERM CODE: C(30)	
packet	1/8 oz		
\$3.00	\$11.25		

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • 50 Plant Potted Tray: \$159

"When native plants disappear, the insects disappear, impoverishing the food source for birds and other animals."

- Doug Tallamy, Author
Bringing Nature Home (pg. 40)

MONARCH
POWER PACK

\$59 • 9 PLANTS

MEDIUM TO MEDIUM-DRY SOIL
FULL TO PART SUN

Make your garden a layover location for the migrating Monarchs. These plants are preferred food sources for both the caterpillars and butterflies.

NEW!





Common
Milkweed (3)







Meadow
Blazing Star (3)








Showy
Goldenrod (3)

Butterfly Weed

Asclepias tuberosa



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 	  	2'	Jun-Aug	1-3'	3-9
FULL PART SHD WET W/M MED M/D DRY					

The distinctive bright orange color and its ability to attract and sustain butterflies make this plant a well-known favorite for many gardens.

SEED: (100 seeds/pkt • 4,300/oz.)		GERM CODE: C(30)	
packet	1/8 oz	1/4 oz	1/2 oz
\$3.00	\$6.25	\$10.00	\$16.25





PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10






WHY WASPS?

Most people are unaware that the vast majority of native wasps are gentle and solitary. They are an important component of a healthy ecosystem and are responsible for a multitude of predator-prey insect interactions. This reduces damage to food crops and aids in pollination. Consider these natives to diversify your garden in support of wasps.



Culver's Root
Veronica virginica



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 FULL PART SHD	 WET  W/M  MED  M/D DRY	5'	Jun-Aug	2-3'	3-8

This plant offers a strong upright accent to any perennial garden. Its candelabra-like spikes of white flowers open from the bottom up.

SEED: (2,000 seeds/pkt • 800,000/oz.)

GERM CODE: A • D

packet	1/8 oz
\$3.00	\$15.00

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10

WASP POWER PACK

\$59 • 9 PLANTS

MEDIUM-WET TO MEDIUM SOIL
FULL SUN

Attract gentle parasitoid wasps! This NEW Power Pack is ideal for gardeners looking to utilize integrated pest management and study these fascinating pollinators.





Rose Milkweed (3)



Mountain Mint (3)












Golden Alexanders (3)

NEW!



Early Figwort
Scrophularia lanceolata



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 FULL PART SHD	 WET  W/M  MED  M/D DRY	5'	May-Jul	2-3'	3-7

Best appreciated up-close and in-person, the tiny flowers brim with nectar, making this plant one of the best species to grow for attracting native insects.

SEED: (750 seeds/pkt • 220,000/oz.)


GERM CODE: C(60) • D

packet	1/8 oz	1/4 oz	1/2 oz
\$3.00	\$6.25	\$10.00	\$16.25

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21

WASPS

A Guide for Eastern North America



Their Biology, Diversity, and Role as Beneficial Insects and Pollinators of Native Plants




Heather Holm






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WASPS
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Learn why “the world could not afford to lose its wasps” with a book that teaches you everything you didn’t know about these fascinating pollinators. This is a book for academia or the home; professionals and beginner gardeners alike are sure to learn how to observe, attract, and support our imperiled native wasps from this easy-to-use guide. Hardcover.
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Tall Larkspur
Delphinium exaltatum



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 FULL PART SHD	 WET  W/M  MED  M/D DRY	4'	Jul-Aug	2-3'	4-8

These blooms hail hummingbirds and bumble bees. Flowering later than most Delphinium, it adds purple hues to the late summerscape.

SEED: (100 seeds/pkt • 6,500/oz.)

GERM CODE: C(60)

packet	1/8 oz	1/4 oz	1/2 oz	1 oz
\$3.00	\$7.50	\$12.00	\$19.50	\$30.00

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21

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to ATTRACT BIRDS to YOUR YARD

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

PLANTING NATIVE to Attract Birds to Your Yard

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White Wild Indigo
Baptisia alba



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 FULL PART SHD	 WET  W/M  MED  M/D DRY	4'	Jun-Jul	2.5-3.5'	4-9

Spikes of white flowers accentuate the blue-green leaves. After first frost, the foliage turns black, providing stark contrast in late fall and winter.

SEED: (75 seeds/pkt • 1,700/oz.)




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

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\$3.00	\$3.50	\$4.00	\$6.50	\$10.00

PLANTS: Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10



Cup Plant
Silphium perfoliatum



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 FULL PART SHD	 WET  W/M  MED  M/D DRY	6'	Jul-Sep	2-4'	4-8

Top “photo op” plant! Birds will drink the rainwater that collects in the leaves. The tall stems are perfect perches. And the seeds are a Goldfinch favorite!


SEED: (75 seeds/pkt • 1,400/oz.)

GERM CODE: C(60)

packet	1/8 oz	1/4 oz	1/2 oz	1 oz
\$3.00	\$4.00	\$6.00	\$9.75	\$15.00


PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21

BIRD FAVORITES











Native plants are vital to birds. They provide nutritious seeds, fruit, nectar, and also attract a multitude of insects that birds need to feed their young. Native plants also serve as safe nesting sites and perches.

Check out our **NEW** Bird Bonanza Seed Mix, pg. 47.



Compass Plant
Silphium laciniatum



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 FULL PART SHD	 WET  W/M  MED  M/D DRY	8'	Jun-Sep	3-4'	3-9

A true icon of the prairie, this is an incredible addition to any landscape. Birds will perch on the sturdy stems to feed on insects and seeds.

SEED: (50 seeds/pkt • 660/oz.)

GERM CODE: C(60)

packet	1/8 oz	1/4 oz	1/2 oz	1 oz
\$3.00	\$4.00	\$6.00	\$9.75	\$15.00

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10

RUSTY PATCHED BUMBLE BEE FAVORITES

HELP THIS FEDERALLY
ENDANGERED POLLINATOR







"Since I started planting natives, I have documented 9 species of Bumble Bee, including the endangered Rusty Patched, in my small yard. There is nothing more rewarding than seeing firsthand the contribution I am making to local ecosystems."






- Kristin Lee | Iowa City, IA



Mountain Mint

Pycnanthemum virginianum



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	3'	Jun-Sep	12-18"	3-7





This long blooming, aromatic plant is a feast for pollinators. Despite its name, this species can be found in many different kinds of habitats.






SEED: (1,000 seeds/pkt • 200,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: A • D
packet 1/8 oz	
\$3.00	\$10.00

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: **\$21**

Hairy Mountain Mint

Pycnanthemum verticillatum var. *pilosum*



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	3'	Jul-Aug	12-18"	4-8





A plant that is easy-to-grow from seed and spreads by rhizomes. The crushed leaves will yield a familiar mint fragrance. Attracts a wide array of pollinating insects.






SEED: (1,000 seeds/pkt • 185,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: A • D
packet 1/8 oz	1/4 oz 1/2 oz 1 oz
\$3.00	\$6.25 \$10.00 \$16.25 \$25.00

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: **\$21** • Potted Tray: from **\$119** pg. 6-10

Purple Prairie Clover

Dalea purpurea



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	2'	Jul-Sep	18-24"	3-8





A must have for medium-dry sites. We love this legume because it can be planted in the spring and will germinate without overwintering.






SEED: (750 seeds/pkt • 15,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: A • I • J
packet 1 oz 1 lb	
\$3.00	\$3.50 \$45.00

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: **\$21** • Potted Tray: from **\$119** pg. 6-10

Stiff Goldenrod

Oligoneuron rigidum



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	4'	Aug-Oct	1-2'	3-9

A pollinator favorite! A larger, flatter flower cluster than most Goldenrods. Leaves turn shades of red late fall. An adaptable plant and a prolific self-seeder.





SEED: (1,000 seeds/pkt • 41,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: C(60)
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\$3.00	\$3.50 \$4.50 \$6.50 \$10.00






PLANTS: Potted Tray: from **\$119** pg. 6-10



Sweet Joe Pye Weed

Eutrochium purpureum



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	7'	Jul-Sep	3-4'	3-8





A butterfly favorite, it is easy to grow and its vanilla-scented flowers are irresistible for Monarchs, Swallowtails and many other butterflies.






SEED: (400 seeds/pkt • 60,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: C(30) • G
packet 1/8 oz 1/4 oz 1/2 oz 1 oz	
\$3.00	\$6.25 \$10.00 \$16.25 \$25.00

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: **\$21** • Potted Tray: from **\$119** pg. 6-10

Lead Plant

Amorpha canescens



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	3'	Jun-Aug	1-2'	3-8





It's not picky about soil; give it medium to very dry sand, gravel, loam, or clay. Abundant bees and other beneficial insects will be attracted to it.






SEED: (150 seeds/pkt • 16,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: C(10) • J • I
packet 1/8 oz 1/4 oz 1/2 oz 1 oz	
\$3.00	\$5.00 \$8.00 \$13.00

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: **\$21**

Anise Hyssop

Agastache foeniculum



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	3'	Jun-Sep	12-16"	3-6





A deer-resistant, fragrant plant. Very easy to grow and often blooms the first year. Flowers are pollinated by native bees and honeybees alike.






SEED: (1,000 seeds/pkt • 80,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: C(30) • D
packet 1/8 oz 1/4 oz 1/2 oz 1 oz	
\$3.00	\$3.50 \$4.80 \$7.80 \$12.00

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: **\$21** • Potted Tray: from **\$119** pg. 6-10

Wild Bergamot

Monarda fistulosa



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	4'	Jul-Sep	2-3'	3-9





Perfect for the beginner's garden, this plant is tolerant of most soil and sun conditions. Its lavender blooms are offset by attractive, aromatic foliage.






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\$3.00	\$3.50 \$4.80 \$7.80 \$12.00

PLANTS: Potted Tray: from **\$119** pg. 6-10

Wild Geranium

Geranium maculatum



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	1'	Apr-Jul	10-12"	3-8





Dainty, lilac-colored flowers bloom on slender stems, reaching up from deeply lobed, attractive foliage. This resilient plant tolerates most growing conditions and makes a bountiful groundcover.






SEED: (45 seeds/pkt)	GERM CODE: C(60) • M
packet	
\$3.00	\$3.00

PLANTS: bare root: 1-2 **\$6 ea.** 3+ **\$5 ea.**

Purple Giant Hyssop

Agastache scrophulariifolia



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	6'	Jul-Oct	18-24"	3-8

Fragrant foliage and nectar-rich flowers that open slowly over many weeks make them highly attractive to pollinators. Birds love the seeds that follow.

SEED: (1,000 seeds/pkt • 93,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: C(60) • D
packet 1/8 oz 1/4 oz 1/2 oz	
\$3.00	\$5.00 \$8.00 \$13.00

PLANTS: Potted Tray: from **\$119** pg. 6-10

POLLINATOR FAVORITES

PREFERRED BY BUTTERFLIES & BEES



Yellow Coneflower
Ratibida pinnata

SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 FULL PART SHD	 WET W/M MED M/D DRY	5'	Jul-Sep	18-24"	3-9

Butterflies and bees love these flowers. Hardy, drought-tolerant, and transplants well. Pair with Wild Bergamot (pg. 21) & Anise Hyssop (pg. 20).

SEED: (1,000 seeds/pkt • 30,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: C(30)			
packet	1/4 oz	1/2 oz	1 oz	
\$3.00	\$3.50	\$4.50	\$6.00	

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10



Great Blue Lobelia
Lobelia siphilitica

SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 FULL PART SHD	 WET W/M MED M/D DRY	3'	Jul-Oct	12-18"	3-9

This plant offers a deep purple hue amidst the yellows of late summer. Lobelias produce "lobeline," which deters herbivores like deer and rabbits.

SEED: (1,000 seeds/pkt • 500,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: C(60) • D			
packet	1/8 oz	1/4 oz	1/2 oz	1 oz
\$3.00	\$10.00	\$15.00	\$25.00	\$40.00

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10



Showy Goldenrod
Solidago speciosa

SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 FULL PART SHD	 WET W/M MED M/D DRY	5'	Sep-Nov	2-3'	3-8

One of the showiest of the genus. Including it on your property will provide ecosystem services well into the fall when most other plant life is going dormant.

SEED: (500 seeds/pkt • 95,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: C(60) • D			
packet	1/8 oz	1/4 oz	1/2 oz	
\$3.00	\$6.25	\$10.00	\$16.25	

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10



Fireweed
Chamaenerion angustifolium

SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 FULL PART SHD	 WET W/M MED M/D DRY	4'	Jul-Aug	1-2'	2-7

Magenta blooms float above willow-like leaves. Named for its appearance after wildfires, this plant can be aggressive; competition can keep it in check.

SEED: (500 seeds/pkt • 500,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: C(60) • D			
packet	1/8 oz	1/4 oz	1/2 oz	1 oz
\$3.00	\$23.75	\$42.50	\$80.00	\$150.00

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21



Ohio Spiderwort
Tradescantia ohiensis

SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 FULL PART SHD	 WET W/M MED M/D DRY	3'	May-Jul	12-18"	4-9

This Spiderwort is the most widespread in the U.S. Flowers bloom in the morning and close mid-day, making for an extra-long bloom time.

SEED: (150 seeds/pkt • 8,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: C(120) • M • G			
packet	1/8 oz	1/4 oz	1/2 oz	1 oz
\$3.00	\$5.00	\$8.00	\$13.00	\$20.00

PLANTS: bare root: \$6 ea. • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10



Prairie Onion
Allium stellatum

SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 FULL PART SHD	 WET W/M MED M/D DRY	14"	Jul-Aug	4-8"	3-8

Many pollinating insects will visit these late summer blooms, but rabbits and deer avoid them. Well-suited to rock gardens and dry-mesic areas.

SEED: (300 seeds/pkt • 11,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: C(60)			
packet	1/8 oz	1/4 oz		
\$3.00	\$5.00	\$8.00		

PLANTS: bare root: \$6 ea.



Rattlesnake Master
Eryngium yuccifolium

SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 FULL PART SHD	 WET W/M MED M/D DRY	4'	Jul-Sep	18-24"	4-9

The bristly flowers and yucca-looking leaves set this plant apart from others. These inedible qualities deter deer and rabbits. A host plant for Black Swallowtails.

SEED: (250 seeds/pkt • 7,500/oz.)	GERM CODE: C(60)			
packet	1/8 oz	1/4 oz	1/2 oz	1 oz
\$3.00	\$3.50	\$4.00	\$5.20	\$8.00

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10



Shrubby St. John's Wort
Hypericum prolificum

SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 FULL PART SHD	 WET W/M MED M/D DRY	4'	Jul-Sep	3-4'	4-8

This shrub naturally forms a mounded profile. It is an absolute bee magnet that is not picky about its sun and soil needs. It is resistant to rabbits and deer. Bumble bees are especially fond of its bright flowers.

SEED: (500 seeds/pkt)	GERM CODE: A • D			
packet:				
\$3.00				

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10

Blue Sage
Salvia azurea

SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 FULL PART SHD	 WET W/M MED M/D DRY	5'	Aug-Oct	18-24"	4-9

This easy-to-grow, aromatic plant is a survivor! Withstands hot drought and frigid snows alike. It will flop if you spoil it with rich, fertilized soil.

SEED: (40 seeds/pkt • 6,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: A			
packet	1/8 oz			
\$3.00	\$12.50			

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10

These plants explode with life in prairies and meadows during the summer, blooming May-September in full to partial sun and medium-moisture soils.









CLASSIC TALLGRASS PRAIRIE GARDEN

Medium to Dry Soil | Full Sun
Covers 75-100 sq ft
PLANTING LAYOUT INCLUDED

The Tallgrass Prairie is one of the most endangered ecosystems on the planet. Re-create a piece of it in your own backyard with these hardy, drought-tolerant species. Heights range from 4-7'.

A close-up photograph of a yellow and black butterfly, likely a Tiger Swallowtail, feeding on a white, tubular flower. The butterfly's wings are spread, showing the characteristic yellow with black stripes and markings. The background is a soft-focus green, suggesting foliage.A monarch butterfly with orange and black wings is perched on a purple coneflower. The flower has a prominent orange-brown center and numerous purple petals. The background is a soft-focus green field with other flowers.

Prairie Blazing Star							
<i>Liatris pycnostachya</i>							
SUN		SOIL MOISTURE		HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  		  		4'	Jul-Sep	12-18"	3-9
FULL PART SHD		WET W/M MED M/D DRY					
Does well in poor soils such as clay. Butterflies, bees, and hummingbirds are attracted to it. It spreads slowly from corms; offshoots from the mother plant.							
SEED: (150 seeds/pkt + 11,000/oz.) GERM CODE: C(60)							
packet		1/8 oz	1/4 oz	1/2 oz	1 oz		
\$3.00		\$4.00	\$6.00	\$9.75	\$15.00		
PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$18 + bare root: \$7 ea.							





PRAIRIE CLASSICS FOR DRIER SOIL





Dry soil can be a challenge, but you would be surprised at how many native plants will thrive in sites with sandy, rocky or gravel soils.



Aromatic Aster

Symphyotrichum oblongifolium



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	  WET W/M MED M/D DRY	2'	Aug-Nov	12-18"	3-8

Enjoy blooms into October or even November in some parts of the US. The stems create a bush-like form. Despite the name, the flowers have no aroma.

SEED:

(200 seeds/pkt • 80,000/oz.)

GERM CODE: A

packet 1/8 oz

\$3.00 \$10.00





PLANTS:





3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10



Spotted Bee Balm

Monarda punctata



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	  WET W/M MED M/D DRY	2'	Jul-Sep	8-12"	3-9

Also called Dotted Horsemint. An eccentric beauty in form and color with complex blossoms, very different from other Monarda (pg. 15 & 21)

SEED:

(500 seeds/pkt • 90,000/oz.)

GERM CODE: A • D

packet 1/8 oz 1/4 oz 1/2 oz 1 oz

\$3.00 \$6.25 \$10.00 \$16.25 \$25.00





PLANTS:





3-pack potted: \$21 • bare root: \$6 ea.



Western Sunflower

Helianthus occidentalis



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	  WET W/M MED M/D DRY	3'	Jul-Sep	10-12"	3-9

Western Sunflower is easy to identify. The basal leaves form a rosette structure and the stem of the plant shoots up from the middle of it. It does well in the sandiest of soils and is found in upland prairies.

SEED:

(100 seeds/pkt)

GERM CODE: C(30)

packet \$3.00





PLANTS:





bare root: \$6 ea.



Prairie Smoke

Geum triflorum



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	  WET W/M MED M/D DRY	8"	Apr-Jun	6-8"	3-7

The silky, flowing styles of the fruiting stage of Prairie Smoke never fails to win admirers at first sight. When setting seed, large stands of the plant create a gauzy effect that resembles hovering smoke. Prairie Smoke will spread slowly from its roots.

SEED:

(80 seeds/pkt)

GERM CODE: C(60) • M

packet \$3.00

PLANTS:

3-pack potted: \$21 • bare root: \$9 ea.











NEW!



Large-flowered Beardtongue

Penstemon grandiflorus



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	  WET W/M MED M/D DRY	2'	May-Jun	8-12"	3-8

Blossoms are often 2" long! Balance the relatively short bloom period by planting among other species, allowing the silvery leaves to shine.

SEED:

(300 seeds/pkt • 13,000/oz.)

GERM CODE: C(30) • G

packet 1/8 oz 1/4 oz 1/2 oz 1 oz





\$3.00 \$3.50 \$4.00 \$5.20 \$8.00





PLANTS:

3-pack potted: \$21 • bare root: \$7 ea.

Showy Beardtongue

Penstemon cobaea



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	  WET W/M MED M/D DRY	3'	May-Jul	10-12"	4-8

The blooms trumpet out from nearly the entire length of the stem. A showstopper in any scene, but especially stunning in small gardens. Re-sow the seeds to replenish these clump-forming beauties.

SEED:

(200 seeds/pkt)

GERM CODE: C(30)





packet \$3.00





PLANTS:

3-pack potted: \$21

Lance-leaf Coreopsis

Coreopsis lanceolata



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	  WET W/M MED M/D DRY	2'	May-Aug	10-16"	3-9

A classic, easy-to-grow prairie wildflower. This Coreopsis is drought tolerant, suited for sunny, hot sites or landscapes with dry, sandy, or poor soil.

SEED:

(250 seeds/pkt • 14,000/oz.)

GERM CODE: C(30)

packet 1 oz 1 lb





\$3.00 \$5.00 \$75.00





PLANTS:

3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10

Hoary Vervain

Verbena stricta



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	  WET W/M MED M/D DRY	2'	Jun-Sep	10-12"	3-8

Hoary Vervain's seeds are a staple for many birds that depend on this widely-distributed plant. It is a larval host for the Common Buckeye Butterfly.

SEED:

(750 seeds/pkt • 25,000/oz.)

GERM CODE: C(60) • D

packet 1/4 oz 1/2 oz 1 oz



\$3.00 \$3.50 \$4.50 \$6.00





PLANTS:

Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10

Bush's Poppy Mallow

Callirhoe bushii



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	  WET W/M MED M/D DRY	2'	Jun-Aug	1-2'	5-8

Also called Wine Cups for their color and shape; a real stand-out in any planting. It spreads out rather than up and has a long bloom time.

SEED:

(30 seeds/pkt • 4,000/oz.)

GERM CODE: C(30) • B

packet 1/8 oz 1/4 oz 1/2 oz 1 oz



\$3.00 \$10.00 \$15.00 \$25.00 \$40.00




PLANTS:

Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10

Eastern Prickly Pear

Opuntia humifosa



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	 WET W/M MED M/D DRY	8"	Apr-Jun	6-8"	3-7

Deserts aren't the only places on Earth that have cacti! After flowering the pads produce bright red, edible fruits. These cacti spread over time.

SEED:

(20 seeds/pkt • 1,400/oz.)

GERM CODE: A

packet 1/8 oz

\$3.00 \$10.00

PLANTS:

Un-rooted Pads: 1-2 \$5 ea. 3+ \$4 ea.





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




FOR WETTER SOIL

Wet soils in a ditch, shoreline, or pond edge can host many beautiful species. Any area near your home where rain water collects can be transformed into a mini sanctuary for wildlife.



Southern Blue Flag
Iris virginica var. *shrevei*



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	3'	May-Jul	1-2'	4-9





Don't let the common name fool you: Southern Blue Flag Iris is also native through many northern regions in the United States. A staple in rain gardens.






SEED: (30 seeds/pkt • 700/oz.)	GERM CODE: C(120) • M	
packet 1/8 oz	1/4 oz	1 oz
\$3.00	\$4.00	\$6.00

PLANTS: bare root: \$7 ea. • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10



Rose Milkweed
Asclepias incarnata



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	4'	Jun-Aug	18-36"	3-9

Also called Swamp Milkweed, Monarch and Swallowtail butterflies will be attracted to it and you will enjoy its lovely vanilla fragrance.

SEED: (100 seeds/pkt • 4,800/oz.)	GERM CODE: C(30)	
packet 1/8 oz	1/4 oz	1/2 oz 1 oz
\$3.00	\$3.50	\$4.50 \$6.50 \$10.00

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • bare root: \$8 ea.

RAIN GARDEN FOR POLLINATORS





\$139 • 38 PLANTS






Moist Soil | Full to Part Sun
Covers 75-100 sq ft
PLANTING LAYOUT INCLUDED

Create your own rain garden at home! Native plants have deep root systems that absorb many inches of rainfall per day, dramatically reducing contaminated water runoff. These moisture-loving natives are also favorites of several pollinators.



Rose Mallow
Hibiscus laevis



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	5'	Jul-Sep	2-3'	4-9





Add a tropical flair to your garden! Large, creamy-pink blooms have magenta or maroon centers, creating high contrast that hummingbirds can't resist.






SEED: (75 seeds/pkt • 2,200/oz.)	GERM CODE: C(30)	
packet 1/4 oz	1/2 oz	1 oz
\$3.00	\$3.50	\$4.50 \$6.00

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10



False Aster
Boltonia asteroides



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	4'	Aug-Oct	2-4'	3-10





A robust bloomer and pollinator attractor. Sturdy stems and a preference for wet soil, even standing water for short periods, make it perfect in a rain garden.






SEED: (2,000 seeds/pkt • 175,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: C(60) • D	
packet 1/8 oz	1/4 oz	1/2 oz 1 oz
\$3.00	\$4.00	\$6.00 \$9.75 \$15.00

PLANTS: Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10



Common Ironweed
Vernonia fasciculata



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	6'	Jul-Sep	2-3'	3-9





Works great as a tall backdrop plant and is host to the American Painted Lady butterfly. The Xerces Society says it has special value to native bees.






SEED: (500 seeds/pkt • 20,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: C(60)	
packet 1/8 oz	1/4 oz	1/2 oz 1 oz
\$3.00	\$5.00	\$8.00 \$13.00 \$20.00

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10



Joe Pye Weed
Eutrochium maculatum



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	5'	Jul-Sep	3-4'	3-8





Strong stems support this majestic plant. An absolute magnet for dozens of species of butterflies. Love Joe Pye but have shade? Try Sweet Joe Pye (pg. 32).






SEED: (400 seeds/pkt • 80,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: C(30) • D	
packet 1/8 oz	1/4 oz	1/2 oz 1 oz
\$3.00	\$7.50	\$12.00 \$19.50 \$30.00

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10



New England Aster
Symphyotrichum novae-angliae



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	5'	Aug-Oct	2-3'	3-8

Before bloom, ID this aster by the distinctive way the leaves clasp around the hairy stem. It blooms in many shades of purple, and sometimes pink.

SEED: (500 seeds/pkt • 80,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: C(60)	
packet 1/8 oz	1/4 oz	1/2 oz 1 oz
\$3.00	\$7.50	\$12.00 \$19.50 \$30.00

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10










SHADE

POPULAR NATIVES FOR WOODLANDS



Virginia Waterleaf
Hydrophyllum virginianum



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	2'	May-Jun	10-12"	4-9

This early bloomer is named for the light green “splashes” that mottle the emerging foliage. Native to deciduous woodlands. Can spread abundantly and may not be suitable for small landscapes.

SEED: (50 seeds/pkt)



GERM CODE: C(60)






packet: **\$3.00**

PLANTS: bare root: **\$6 ea.**



Virginia Bluebells
Mertensia virginica






SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	2'	Apr-May	1-2'	3-8






One of the most beautiful species of spring ephemerals. Bluebells enjoy rich, well-drained soils where they can form large colonies over time. The flowers start off pink and gradually turn over to their famous shade of light blue as they mature. Bees, especially female Bumblebees that fly in early spring, will often be seen visiting the flowers.

PLANTS: bare root: **\$10 ea.**



Jacob's Ladder
Polemonium reptans



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	1'	Apr-Jun	6-12"	3-8

Pastel blossoms decorate the entire mound in a short, but sweet, spring bloom. The leaf structure is arranged laterally on the stem, much like the rungs of a ladder. The leaves stay green all summer.

SEED: (100 seeds/pkt)



GERM CODE: C(60)






packet: **\$3.00**

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: **\$21**



Mistflower
Conoclinium coelestinum



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	2'	Sep-Oct	1-2'	5-9

Resembling a lovely blue-purple fog when found in dense stands, the disk flowers form in clusters of 35-70 at the tops of stems in late summer and autumn, attracting late-season butterflies.

SEED: (500 seeds/pkt)

GERM CODE: C(60) • D

packet: **\$3.00**

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: **\$21**

SEMI-SHADE WOODLAND GARDEN

\$139 • 38 PLANTS

Medium Soils | Partial Sun

Covers 75-100 sq ft

PLANTING LAYOUT INCLUDED

These delicate yet resilient beauties are perfect for woodland edges or shaded property perimeters. Shade-tolerant species can be slow to start from seed, so this kit is the perfect choice to jump-start your native landscape.



Brown-eyed Susan (2)



Wild Geranium (3)



Columbine (2)



Prairie Alumroot (3)



Wild Bergamot (3)



Cardinal Flower (3)



Bottlebrush Grass (3)



Great Blue Lobelia (3)



Early Sunflower (3)



Hairy Wood Mint (3)



Short's Aster (3)



Sweet Joe Pye Weed (2)









Foxglove Beardtongue (3)



River Oats (2)

Bellwort
Uvularia grandiflora



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	1'	Apr-May	12-18"	3-8

Acheive a mass planting under trees or along wood margins in a relatively short time. We love the overall droopy appearance of the leaves and flower.

SEED: (10 seeds/pkt • 700/oz.)

GERM CODE: L • E




packet 1/8 oz 1/4 oz 1/2 oz






\$3.00 \$11.25 \$17.50 \$30.00

PLANTS: bare root: **\$10 ea.**



Blue-stemmed Goldenrod
Solidago caesia



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	3'	Aug-Oct	2-3'	4-8

A well-behaved woodland Goldenrod. Attractive blue-tinted, arching stems will support lose clumps of bright yellow flowers that support bumblebees late in the season. Plant with Short's Aster for color contrast.

SEED: (500 seeds/pkt)



GERM CODE: C(60) • D






packet: **\$3.00**

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: **\$21**



Heart-leaved Aster
Symphyotrichum cordifolium



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	3'	Sep-Oct	18-24"	3-9

The array of blue flowers attract butterflies and bees. It prefers medium to medium-dry soil conditions, and makes for an excellent cut flower. Other names are Blue Wood Aster and Aster cordifolius.

SEED: (500 seeds/pkt)



GERM CODE: C(60)






packet: **\$3.00**

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: **\$21**



Big-Leaved Aster
Eurybia macrophylla



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	1'	Aug-Oct	2-3'	3-7

Getting its name from its large, heart-shaped foliage reaching 8" across, tooled with a short stature. Use it as a shaded ground cover in almost every soil type.

SEED: (75 seeds/pkt • 27,000/oz.)

GERM CODE: C(60)

packet 1/8 oz

\$3.00 \$12.50

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: **\$21**


SHADE




































































The delicate woodland wildflowers we know and love are in danger of being crowded out by non-native invasive plants or being destroyed by habitat loss and unethical wild digging for commercial sale. All our plants are grown for sale and are not wild dug.

NEW!

Wild Golden Glow

Rudbeckia laciniata



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
  	                                                                				




PRAIRIE GRASSES






Native grasses provide support for wildflowers, keeping their blooms upright while highlighting them with contrasting forms and colors. Grasses also provide year-round cover and food for wildlife. Many grass species establish easily from seed.



Prairie Dropseed

Sporobolus heterolepis



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 	  	2'	Aug-Oct	2-3'	3-9
FULL	WET	W/M	MED	M/D	DRY




A LANDSCAPING MUST-HAVE! A wonderful bunch-forming native grass. Takes on a nice golden hue throughout fall and winter. Birds eat the seeds.






SEED:	(300 seeds/pkt • 14,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: A
packet	1/8 oz	1/4 oz
\$3.00	\$4.00	\$6.00
\$9.75	\$15.00	

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10

River Oats

Chasmanthium latifolium



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 	  	3'	Jul-Sep	1-2'	4-9
FULL	WET	W/M	MED	M/D	DRY




A very ornamental grass easily identifiable by its drooping inflorescences and compressed spikelets, pale-green then golden-brown by fall.






SEED:	(75 seeds/pkt • 4,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: C(60)
packet	1/8 oz	1/4 oz
\$3.00	\$3.50	\$4.00
\$5.20	\$8.00	

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10

Little Bluestem

Schizachyrium scoparium



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 	  	3'	Jul-Oct	2-3'	3-9
FULL	WET	W/M	MED	M/D	DRY




Valued for its blue color in summer and copper color after a frost. Songbirds eat the seeds and caterpillars of skippers feed on the foliage.






SEED:	(500 seeds/pkt • 15,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: A
packet	1 oz	1 lb
\$3.00	\$3.50	\$18.00

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10

Side-oats Grama

Bouteloua curtipendula



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 	  	2'	Aug-Sep	10-24"	3-9
FULL	WET	W/M	MED	M/D	DRY

A rarity among grasses for its tiny flowers during its bloom time. Bracts hang uniformly while red anthers dangle below and white stigmas protrude above.




SEED:	(500 seeds/pkt • 6,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: A
packet	1 oz	1 lb
\$3.00	\$3.50	\$15.00






PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10



Indian Grass

Sorghastrum nutans



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 	  	6'	Aug-Sep	2-3'	3-9
FULL	WET	W/M	MED	M/D	DRY




One of the first warm season grasses to form rich clusters of bronze colored seed. Golden stems and large seed heads provide food to birds come fall.






SEED:	(500 seeds/pkt • 12,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: A
packet	1 oz	1 lb
\$3.00	\$3.50	\$17.00

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10

Sweet Grass

Hierochloa odorata






SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 	  	2'	May-Jul	1-2'	3-7
FULL	WET	W/M	MED	M/D	DRY






Also called Vanilla Grass, it indeed has a lovely sweet smell before and after harvest. It is a cool-season grass that spreads about 2 feet per year by underground rhizomes. Too aggressive for small places. Many North American indigenous cultures burn Sweet Grass in ceremonies to invite the presence of good spirits.

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • 50 Plant Potted Tray: \$149

June Grass

Koeleria macrantha



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 	  	2'	Jun-Jul	10-12"	3-9
FULL	WET	W/M	MED	M/D	DRY




It flowers earlier than other upland prairie grasses. Plumes of silvery-green turn tan. It likes full sun and dry, sandy soil making it popular for green roofs.






SEED:	(1,000 seeds/pkt • 200,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: A • D • G
packet	1/8 oz	1/4 oz
\$3.00	\$3.50	\$4.80

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10

Switch Grass

Panicum virgatum



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 	  	4'	Jul-Sep	2-4'	3-9
FULL	WET	W/M	MED	M/D	DRY




A dominant grass of what was the vast Tallgrass Prairie, it is clump-forming and rhizomatous. It boasts golden color and great winter cover for animals.






SEED:	(500 seeds/pkt • 14,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: A
packet	1 oz	1 lb
\$3.00	\$3.50	\$14.00

PLANTS: Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10

Purple Love Grass

Eragrostis spectabilis



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 	  	2'	Jul-Aug	1-2'	3-9
FULL	WET	W/M	MED	M/D	DRY




When the florets bloom they give an overall purple haze to the landscape. This tough ornamental grass is a stunning addition to any dry area.






SEED:	(500 seeds/pkt • 280,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: A • D
packet	1/8 oz	1/4 oz
\$3.00	\$10.00	\$15.00
\$25.00	\$40.00	

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10

Big Bluestem

Andropogon gerardii



SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
 	  	7'	Jun-Sep	2-3'	3-9
FULL	WET	W/M	MED	M/D	DRY

A foundational component of tallgrass prairies, this grass actively grows when soil temperatures are warm, and turns a beautiful golden color in fall.

SEED:	(500 seeds/pkt • 10,000/oz.)	GERM CODE: A
packet	1 oz	1 lb
\$3.00	\$3.50	\$16.00

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: \$21 • Potted Tray: from \$119 pg. 6-10

PLANT
EARLY SPRING!

ECO-GRASS

Early spring is a great time to plant Eco-Grass, when it has the advantage of early-season soil moisture.

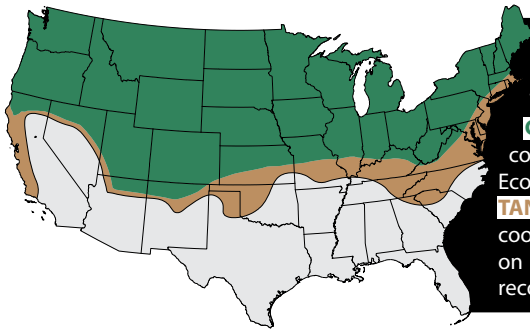
This versatile, fine-textured fescue blend establishes quickly, growing into a flowing carpet that can go unmowed - or be mowed.

Eco-Grass grows in most soil conditions, thriving in all but the darkest and wettest settings.

The relatively deep root systems (4-9") enhance drought resistance by reducing water loss as they seek out deeper water reserves. Eco-Grass also yields big savings as a lawn alternative by eliminating or reducing the need for pesticides, fertilizers and frequent watering or mowing.

When Eco-Grass reaches about 8" it begins to form seed heads and tends to flop over, which can add an attractive naturalistic flow to landscape highlights. Once established, it is durable under moderate foot traffic. It resists invasion by filling in well, but will not encroach on neighboring plantings.

A cool-season grass blend, Eco-Grass is best planted on a prepared site from which competing species have been removed in early fall or early spring. Seeds can be hand-broadcast or distributed with a grass-seed spreader and should be lightly raked in and then watered well for the first two months, if needed. Depending upon conditions, germination can be expected in one to two weeks.



RECOMMENDED PLANTING RANGE

Typical seasonal conditions in the **GREEN** areas are suited to growth of cool-season grasses like the fescues in Eco-Grass. Typical seasonal conditions in **TAN** areas are suited to growth of warm or cool season grasses but planting Eco-Grass on very dry, well-drained sites here is not recommended.



The cool-season nature of Eco-Grass shows in its bright-green luster in late autumn, followed by browning in dormancy and an early spring green-up.

ECO-GRASS SHIPS FREE!

1-19 lbs..... \$6.00 / lb
20-49 lbs..... \$5.00 / lb
50-99 lbs..... \$4.50 / lb
100+ lbs..... \$4.20 / lb

RECOMMENDED SEEDING RATE

5 lbs. per 1,000 sq ft
220 lbs. per acre



Common Blue Violet

Viola sororia

SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
		4"	Apr-Jun	6-8"	3-9
FULL PART SHD WET W/M MED M/D DRY					

A great native ground cover and sure bet for many landscapes, the adaptable Violet is also an important early nectar source for our native pollinators.

SEED: (50 seeds/pkt • 23,000/oz.) GERM CODE: C(60) • M • D
packet 1/8 oz
\$3.00 \$30.00

PLANTS: bare root: **\$5 ea.**



Host plant for the
Painted Lady

Prairie Sage

Artemisia ludoviciana

SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
		3'	Jul-Sep	1-2'	3-7
FULL PART SHD WET W/M MED M/D DRY					

Forms large dense colonies of distinctive silver-green, woolly foliage. Host plant for American Lady and Painted Lady butterflies. It has a lovely scent.

SEED: (1,000 seeds/pkt • 275,000/oz.) GERM CODE: C(30) • D
packet 1/8 oz
\$3.00 \$13.75

PLANTS: 3-pack potted: **\$21** • Potted Tray: from **\$119** pg. 6-10



Wild Strawberry

Fragaria virginiana

SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
		6"	Apr-Jun	3-10"	3-8
FULL PART SHD WET W/M MED M/D DRY					

Delicate white flowers bloom in the spring, growing into small, flavorsome berries in summer, and the foliage blushes a deep burgundy in autumn. Grows nearly anywhere and spreads readily by runners.

SEED: (30 seeds/pkt) GERM CODE: C(60) • ?
packet: **\$3.00**

PLANTS: bare root: **\$7 ea.** • 32 Plant Potted Tray: **\$149**



Pussytoes

Antennaria plantaginifolia

SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
		1'	Apr-Jun	2-6"	3-8
FULL PART SHD WET W/M MED M/D DRY					

This ground cover has low-lying, velvety leaves and white blooms that look like cat paws! This species is a host plant for the American Painted Lady butterfly. Plant it and they will come!

SEED: (300 seeds/pkt) GERM CODE: C(60) • D
packet: **\$3.00**

PLANTS: 50 Plant Potted Tray: **\$159**



GROUND COVERS

LOW-GROWING PLANTS
THAT SPREAD READILY

Wild Petunia

Ruellia humilis

SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES
		1'	Jun-Aug	12-18"	4-9
FULL PART SHD WET W/M MED M/D DRY					

Wild Petunia thrives during the hottest, driest summer weeks, and it makes a beautiful ground cover. Search "ground covers" at prairiemoon.com

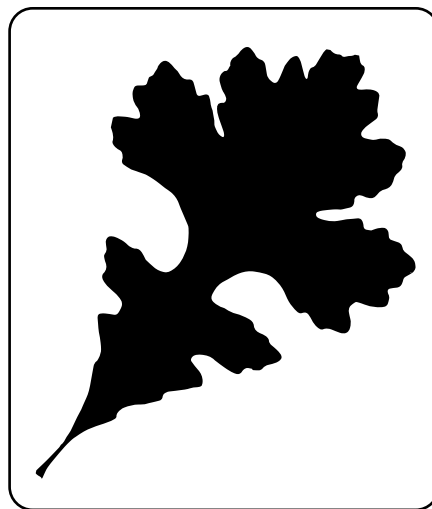
SEED: (100 seeds/pkt • 5,200/oz.) GERM CODE: C(70)
packet 1/8 oz 1/4 oz 1/2 oz 1 oz
\$3.00 \$4.00 \$6.00 \$9.75 \$15.00





PLANTS: 3-pack potted: **\$21** • Potted Tray: from **\$119** pg. 6-10

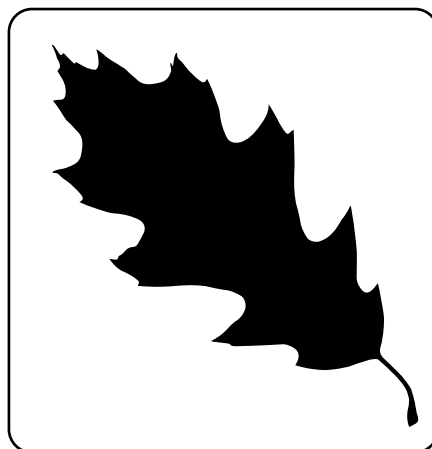
OAKS







Oaks support more life than any other tree in North America. Countless species including invertebrates, birds and mammals rely on this tree for food, reproduction, and shelter. Need trees? Plant an oak!

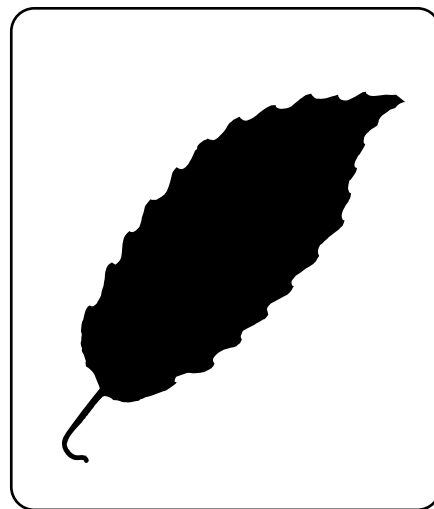
**Bur Oak (Quercus macrocarpa)*



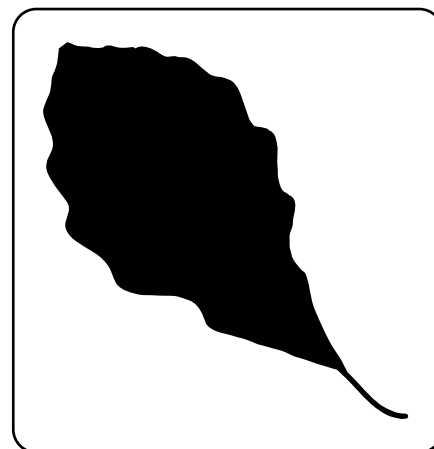
Bur Oak						
<i>Quercus macrocarpa</i>						
SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES	
  FULL PART SHD	  WET W/M MED M/D DRY	80'	APR-JUN	20-30'	3-8	
<p>Maintains a conical shape throughout its juvenile years and branches outward with domed foliage as it matures. The broad limbs provide nesting sites for scores of birds, including Vireos and Tanagers. Acorns are topped by a fringed cap, whose spiny details give this tree its name. Bur Oaks produce the largest acorns of any oak, drawing Mallards, Racoons, and Black Bear.</p>						
PLANTS: bare root: \$8 ea. Age: 1-2 years Size: 12"						









Red Oak						
<i>Quercus rubra</i>						
SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES	
   FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	75'	MAY	20-30'	3-7	
Very tolerant of their siting: size and shape depend on the growing conditions. These trees endure air pollution and even road salt - perfect for urban properties! Rough-textured bark with furrows (often called ski lines) provide food and shelter for Bats, Woodpeckers, Wood Ducks, and countless insects. Red Oak keep their leaves through the winter and blaze a rich, merlot red in the fall.						
PLANTS: bare root: \$8 ea. Age: 1 year Size: 12"						



Chinquapin Oak						
<i>Quercus muehlenbergii</i>						
SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES	
 FULL PART SHD	 WET W/M MED M/D DRY	60'	MAY-JUN	20-30'	5-7	
<p>A medium-large tree with an upright, rounded foliage crown. The gray trunk has irregular scales of bark and the leaves have gray undersides; both create texture in the landscape. The acorns are edible, but require processing to remove the toxic tannins. Numerous creatures enjoy eating the fruits, including Southern Flying Squirrels, Wild Turkey, and Bobwhite Quail.</p>						
PLANTS: bare root: \$8 ea. Age: 1 year Size: 12"						



Swamp White Oak						
<i>Quercus bicolor</i>						
SUN	SOIL MOISTURE	HT	BLOOM	SPACING	ZONES	
   FULL PART SHD	   WET W/M MED M/D DRY	60'	APR-MAY	20-30'	3-8	
<p>A widely adaptable tree, growing tall or spreading wide depending on the conditions it's in. Juvenile trees often have dark, shaggy bark that curls like birch bark. The root system is wider and more shallow than most oaks, allowing it to tolerate temporary flooding, compacted soil, and roadside salt. Requires acidified soil to maintain good health. This Oak is a haven for insects, including Hairstreak butterflies, Duskywing skippers, and moths.</p>						
PLANTS: bare root: \$8 ea. Age: 1-2 years Size: 12"						

The Nature Of Oaks

This book shows the critical ecological role Oaks play wherever they are planted. Tallamy guides the reader through a year of intricate food web interactions that are supported by this keystone species. Each chapter focuses on a single month, to help break up scholarly revelations and statistics with easy-to-understand explanations and witty storytelling.



NEW! \$28.00
(free shipping)

RESERVE YOUR SPRING-SHIPPED OAKS

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Native Planting Signs

These 9" x 12" signs are the perfect addition to your native planting with the added benefit of educating passersby. All signs have a UV-resistant matte finish so they will not fade. They are made in the Midwest using U.S. materials, with pre-drilled holes for easy installation. Both signs are printed on sturdy aluminum with a solid plastic core. (free shipping)

Native Wildflower.....\$28.00

Native Prairie Plants.....\$28.00



MADE
IN WI

CobraHead® Weeder and Cultivator

An all-purpose garden tool. It weeds, cultivates, digs, plants, transplants, and does numerous other tasks well. The tempered steel blade easily cuts through soil. The handle and hook are 13" long. The handle is a mix of recycled plastic and flax fiber. Made in Wisconsin. (free shipping)

CobraHead.....\$29.00



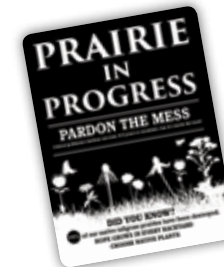
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IN MN

All American Garden Hoe

Hand-made at a small, family-owned MN shop. 54" long, our Crew likes this thin sturdy hoe for making narrow rows, or weeding in tight spaces. (free shipping)

Hoe.....\$36.00

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Prairie in Progress Sign

Before your prairie matures and fills in, educate everyone on the importance of your native planting with this 9" x 12" UV resistant PVC sign. (free shipping)

Prairie in Progress.....\$21.00



Stratification Sand

We use fine sand as a medium to artificially stratify seed. Unlike other seed starting media, the uniform color and fine texture allows you to see your seed. Use to stratify up to ½ oz of seed (slightly more or less depending on seed size). (free shipping)

1 Cup Sand.....\$10.00

LEARN
HOW TO
START
SEEDS!



Starting Seeds

In this manual, Ellis covers the fundamentals of seed selection, soil preparation, proper light and moisture, helpful tools, creating a schedule, successful transplanting, troubleshooting tips, and a list of resources. (free shipping)

Starting Seeds.....\$9.00



Nitrile Garden Gloves

Truly comfortable enough for everyday use, these gloves are so thin that they afford enough sensitivity to grasp weeds or to position delicate roots. (free shipping)
sizing chart available online

SIZES: SMALL | MEDIUM | LARGE

Gloves.....\$8.50

ALL BOOKS AND TOOL SHED ITEMS SHIP FREE

TOOL SHED

The perfect tools for stratifying native seed, planting, and keeping your native garden in tip-top shape.

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Get everything you need to harvest your own seed! Start harvesting and saving seed from your own backyard.

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Learn Native Plants Flash Cards - Upper Midwest

A sampling of plant species native to WI, MN, IL and IA. Each card has a plant photo with general growing conditions. The plant family, genus, and species are revealed on the back, in addition to common names. *(free shipping)*

Flash Cards.....\$29.00



Native Bee Nesting House

This shelter will provide a viable nesting site for native bees. Includes reed and cardboard nesting tubes. Made in USA. 8" long x 2" wide x 2" tall. *(free shipping)*

Bee House with Tubes.....\$18.00

Nesting Tube Refill 20 ct.....\$8.00



Permanent Garden Tags

These (1.0 x 3.375") low-cost aluminum tags will not rust and weather more slowly than plastic tags. These tags come with a wire fastener, and can be embossed with a pen on one or both sides. *(free shipping)*

25 Tags.....\$12.00

50 Tags.....\$17.00

100 Tags.....\$30.00



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PRAIRIEMOON.COM/BOOKS
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Harvest Helper Kit

Get everything you need to harvest seed. SAVE 12% by purchasing these items as a kit!

- Seed Savers Apron
- Orange Harvesting Hook
- The Prairie in Seed Book - Identifying Seed Bearing Prairie Plants in the Upper Midwest *(free shipping)*

Harvest Kit.....\$68.00



Harvesting Hook

This sickle has been our experienced garden crew's choice for years. The 5.5" serrated stainless steel blade provides powerful pulling cuts. *(free shipping)*

Hook.....\$12.00



Soil Knife and Sheath

This soil knife and sheath is the most versatile hand tool in our garden work. The knife is made of the highest quality Swedish stainless steel and is rust-resistant. Instead of lugging tools to the field, attach the knife in its U.S. made, leather sheath to your waistband or belt. *(free shipping)*

Knife and Sheath \$45.00

GROWING YOUR PRAIRIE FROM SEED

Establishing a successful native planting from seed is a labor of love and patience. Most who have been through it will praise the process, the thrill of discovery and the absolute joy in transforming a space with little biological activity into a healthy ecosystem. You will delight in your efforts season after season as the plants and wildlife of the North American prairie become a part of your home landscape.



Year 1



SITE PREP & SEEDING

The first growing season should be dedicated to site preparation, a crucial first step to a successful planting. There are several different methods to accomplish this task. After site preparation is complete, seed can be sown.



Year 2



MOWING

Keeping the site mowed to 4-8" during the first year of growth will control any remaining weeds, allow sunlight to reach the slow-growing perennials, and promote strong root growth.



Year 3



PIONEER FLUSH

The season after planting there will only be a few native species that flower. This stage is known as the Pioneer Flush. It can take 3-5 years after planting for most perennials to bloom for the first time.



Year 4



DIVERSITY OF BLOOMS

As time goes on, more and more perennial wildflowers will start to bloom.

Learn More Online! Search "Site Prep" at Prairiemoon.com

SEED MIXES

Our knowledge of native plant communities inspires us to create these authentic seed mixes.



**MOST
POPULAR**



**BEST
SELLER**



**ROBUST
SPECIES**



**DEER
RESISTANT**



**SHORT
& SHOWY**



**ALL MIXES
PROVIDE
BLOOMS
SPRING-FALL**

PRETTY DARN QUICK SEED MIX		
Sun: ☀️🌤️	Soil: Wet 💧💧💧💧 Dry	
<p>This top-selling mix includes quick-to-establish prairie flowers and grasses to provide more immediate color and a naturalized look. This mix contains prairie classics like Yellow Coneflower, Purple Coneflower, and Wild Bergamot.</p> <p>28 Wildflowers • 6 Grasses • 189 seeds / sq ft. • 11.16 lbs / acre</p>		
500 sq.ft.	1,000 sq.ft.	1/8 acre
\$20.00	\$29.00	\$110.00

POLLINATOR PALOOZA SEED MIX		
Sun: ☀️🌙	Soil: Wet 💧💧💧💧 Dry	
Pollinators play a critical role in our environment. This mix of species will provide pollinators with high quality nectar plants as well as host plants for caterpillars. Created in collaboration with the Xerces Society "Bring Back the Pollinators" campaign.		
41 Wildflowers - 7 Grasses - 172 seeds / sq ft. - 6.65 lbs / acre		
500 sq.ft.	1,000 sq.ft.	1/8 acre
\$22.00	\$33.00	\$134.00

JUNGLE PRAIRIE SEED MIX		
Sun: ☀️🌤️	Soil: Wet 💧💧💧💧 Dry	
This seed mix includes the most robust and competitive prairie plants available. Enjoy a succession of colors and textures spring through fall as the planting matures. Some species pictured: Cup Plant, Brown-eyed Susan, and Stiff Goldenrod. 37 Wildflowers • 5 Grasses • 102 seeds / sq ft. • 10.83 lbs / acre		
500 sq.ft.	1,000 sq.ft.	1/8 acre
\$21.00	\$32.00	\$125.00

DEER RESISTANT SEED MIX		
Sun: ☀️🌙	Soil: Wet 🌧️🌧️🌧️🌧️ Dry	
This mix is composed of native species that deer tend to shy away from; plants with rough texture (Silphium species), milky sap (Milkweeds), or strong aromas (Hyssop, Mint, Onion, etc).		
35 Wildflowers • 7 Grasses • 121 seeds / sq ft. • 11.53 lbs / acre		
500 sq.ft.	1,000 sq.ft.	1/8 acre
\$23.00	\$35.00	\$142.00

SHORTGRASS ECHINACEA SEED MIX		
Sun: ☀️🌙	Soil: Wet 💧💧💧💧 Dry	
<p>Our showiest short mix! A heavy concentration of dazzling flowers, particularly the Echinacea species, native to various areas of the US. The corresponding picture shows Purple Coneflower, Pale Purple Coneflower, and Butterfly Weed.</p> <p>28 Wildflowers • 6 Grasses • 198 seeds / sq ft. • 11.82 lbs / acre</p>		
500 sq.ft.	1,000 sq.ft.	1/8 acre
\$34.00	\$57.00	\$262.00

SHADY SEED MIXES

PERFECT FOR THE EDGES OF WOODS
OR SHADED PROPERTY PERIMETERS



SHORTGRASS WOODS EDGE SEED MIX

Sun: ☼	Soil: Wet ☹☹☹☹☹ Dry	
Wooded edges will work best for these short species. Your springs will be filled with Midland Shooting Star, Solomon's Seal and Golden Alexanders. Foxglove Beardtongue, Black-eyed Susans, and Aster blooms will follow in time.		
26 Wildflowers • 9 Grasses • 118 seeds / sq ft. • 9.83 lbs / acre		
500 sq.ft.	1,000 sq.ft.	1/8 acre
\$62.00	\$77.00	\$320.00

SHADY WOODLAND SEED MIX

Sun: ●	Soil: Wet ☹☹☹☹☹ Dry	
This mix contains shade-loving, spring, summer and fall bloomers representative of a healthy woodland. This native woodland seed mix is best suited for a shady site with dappled sunlight, especially in the spring.		
57 Wildflowers • 12 Grasses • 115 seeds / sq ft. • 12.99 lbs / acre		
500 sq.ft.	1,000 sq.ft.	1/8 acre
\$81.00	\$151.00	\$765.00



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SEED MIX ENHANCEMENTS

ADD MORE COLOR AND DIVERSITY TO YOUR PRAIRIE OR MEADOW



WET SOIL ENHANCEMENT

Sun: ☼☼	Soil: Wet ●●☹☹☹ Dry	
If you want to add flowers to your wetter seed mix or more diversity to an existing wet area, species like Cardinal Flower, Hibiscus, and Prairie Blazing Star are sure to please!		
6 Wildflowers • 216 seeds / sq ft. • 2.03 lbs / acre		
500 sq.ft.	1,000 sq.ft.	1/8 acre
\$19.00	\$28.00	\$97.00



SAVANNA ENHANCEMENT

Sun: ☼	Soil: Wet ☹☹☹☹☹ Dry	
Add more diversity to the Savanna Seed Mix or your existing semi-shaded area. Composed of 7 species including Hairy Wood Mint and Tall Bellflower (pictured above).		
7 Wildflowers • 32 seeds / sq ft. • .94 lbs / acre		
500 sq.ft.	1,000 sq.ft.	1/8 acre
\$19.00	\$28.00	\$107.00



DRY SOIL ENHANCEMENT

Sun: ☼☼☼	Soil: Wet ☹☹☹☹☹ Dry	
Want to add an extra splash of color to your dry site? Sow this enhancement which includes Butterfly Weed, Black-eyed Susan, Prairie Phlox and many more.		
7 Wildflowers • 55 seeds / sq ft. • 1.36 lbs / acre		
500 sq.ft.	1,000 sq.ft.	1/8 acre
\$20.00	\$27.00	\$100.00



SHADY WOODLAND ENHANCEMENT

Sun: ●	Soil: Wet ☹☹☹☹☹ Dry	
Diversify any shady area with this enhancement mix composed of 11 woodland favorites, including Columbine and Jacob's Ladder (pictured above), fall blooming Asters, and many more!		
11 Wildflowers • 57 seeds / sq ft. • 1.70 lbs / acre		
500 sq.ft.	1,000 sq.ft.	1/8 acre
\$26.00	\$42.00	\$185.00



MEDIUM SOIL ENHANCEMENT

Sun: ☼☼	Soil: Wet ☹☹☹☹☹ Dry	
Add this enhancement to any seed mix for medium soils. Classic prairie wildflowers like Pale Purple Coneflower, Black-eyed Susan (pictured above) and several other species will provide even more color to your site.		
6 Wildflowers • 51 seeds / sq ft. • 2.68 lbs / acre		
500 sq.ft.	1,000 sq.ft.	1/8 acre
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TALLGRASS EXPOSED CLAY SEED MIX		
Sun: ☀️	Soil: Wet💧💧💧💧Dry	
Compacted clay subsoils present challenging conditions for plant growth. The tough species in this mix like Yellow Coneflower, Purple Coneflower, Wild Bergamot, and Big Bluestem are up to the task.		
29 Wildflowers • 6 Grasses • 159 seeds / sq ft. • 13.08 lbs / acre		
500 sq.ft.	1,000 sq.ft.	1/8 acre
\$27.00	\$32.00	\$129.00

GRAND DIVERSITY SEED MIX		
Sun: ☀️🌙	Soil: Wet💧💧💧💧Dry	
High diversity and a heavy seeding rate make this a very strong, very showy mix. With 101 species there will be blooms spring through fall. This mix includes Butterfly Weed, Hoary Vervain, Pale Purple Coneflower, Yellow Coneflower, and many more. 89 Wildflowers - 14 Grasses - 207 seeds / sq ft. - 13.65 lbs / acre		
500 sq.ft.	1,000 sq.ft.	1/8 acre
\$42.00	\$73.00	\$350.00

INSECTOPIA SEED MIX		
Sun: ☀️🌙	Soil: Wet💧💧💧💧 Dry	
Great for anyone practicing integrated pest management. This mix will not only attract bees and butterflies, but also predatory insects that prey on garden pests. Design based on Xerces Society's <i>Farming with Native Beneficial Insects</i> : prairiemoon.com 35 Wildflowers • 5 Grasses • 98 seeds / sq ft. • 8.52 lbs / acre		
500 sq.ft.	1,000 sq.ft.	1/8 acre
\$22.00	\$34.00	\$136.00



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BIRD BONANZA SEED MIX		
Sun: ☀️ 🌙	Soil: Wet 💧💧💧💧 Dry	
Support native song birds during their massive decline! Included are species that produce seeds for food, or attract insects for hunting. Also included are plants that supply nesting materials, nectar for hummingbirds, and shelter.		
34 Wildflowers • 6 Grasses • 99 seeds / sq ft. • 13.17 lbs / acre		
500 sq.ft.	1,000 sq.ft.	1/8 acre
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