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Dry Shortgrass Prairie Mix

A mix based on a variety of "poor-soil" communities including dry sand prairies, oak barrens and pine barrens. This mix is designed to be low-profile so most plants won't exceed four feet in height. Big bluestem and Indian grass would typically be important components of such prairies, and could be added. This mix is appropriate for drier soils.

Total Seeding Rate: 32.75 lbs per acre
 4.75 lbs grasses • 3 lbs forbs • 25 lbs nurse crop
 62 native seeds per sq ft

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Grasses		PLS Oz/acre	Seeds/sq ft
<i>Bouteloua curtipendula</i>	Side-oats Grama	20.00	2.75
<i>Bromus kalmii</i>	Prairie Brome	4.00	0.73
<i>Elymus canadensis</i>	Canada Wild Rye	16.00	1.91
<i>Koeleria cristata</i>	June Grass	0.50	2.30
<i>Schizachyrium scoparium</i>	Little Bluestem	35.00	12.05
<i>Sporobolus heterolepis</i>	Prairie Dropseed	0.50	0.18
Total Grasses		76.00	19.93

Forbs		PLS Oz/acre	Seeds/sq ft
<i>Anemone virginiana</i>	Tall Thimbleweed	0.20	0.13
<i>Asclepias tuberosa</i>	Butterfly Milkweed	1.50	0.15
<i>Aster laevis</i>	Smooth Blue Aster	1.00	1.26
<i>Aster sagittifolius</i>	Arrow-leaved Aster	0.75	2.32
<i>Baptisia lactea</i> (<i>B. leucantha</i> , <i>B. alba</i>)	White Wild Indigo	2.50	0.10
<i>Cassia fasciculata</i> (<i>Chamaecrista</i> f.)	Partridge Pea	4.50	0.28
<i>Coreopsis lanceolata</i>	Lance-leaf Coreopsis	4.50	2.07
<i>Desmodium illinoense</i>	Prairie Tick Trefoil	0.20	0.02
<i>Echinacea purpurea</i>	Purple Coneflower	4.50	0.68
<i>Eryngium yuccifolium</i>	Rattlesnake Master	1.25	0.22
<i>Kuhnia eupatorioides</i>	False Boneset	1.20	0.88
<i>Liatis aspera</i>	Rough Blazingstar	0.20	0.07
<i>Lupinus perennis</i>	Lupine	2.50	0.06
<i>Monarda fistulosa</i>	Wild Bergamot	2.50	4.02
<i>Penstemon digitalis</i>	Foxglove Beardtongue	2.50	7.46
<i>Petalostemum purpureum</i> (<i>Dalea</i> p.)	Purple Prairie Clover	4.50	1.86
<i>Potentilla arguta</i> (<i>Drymocallis</i> a.)	Prairie Cinquefoil	1.25	6.60
<i>Ratibida pinnata</i>	Yellow Coneflower	2.40	1.65
<i>Rudbeckia hirta</i>	Black-eyed Susan	4.00	8.45
<i>Solidago rigida</i>	Stiff Goldenrod	1.50	1.41
<i>Tradescantia ohimensis</i>	Common Spiderwort	0.75	0.14
<i>Verbena stricta</i>	Hoary Vervain	3.00	1.93
<i>Zizia aptera</i>	Prairie Golden Alexander	0.80	0.22
Total Forbs		48.00	41.98

Temporary Grass Cover		Oz/acre	Seeds/sq ft
<i>Lolium multiflorum</i>	Annual Ryegrass	80.00	24.79
<i>Avena sativa</i>	Seed Oats	320.00	7.35
Total Temp Grasses		400.00	32.14