



Native Connections

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Basic Dry Shortgrass Prairie Mix

This simpler version of our Diverse Dry Shortgrass Prairie Mix has many popular short prairie species. Though the diversity and seed density are reduced, this is a great starter prairie where a low stature on dry soils is needed or desired.

Total Seeding Rate: 30.58 lbs per acre
 3.25 lbs grasses • 2.33 lbs forbs • 25 lbs nurse crop
 62.92 native seeds per sq ft • up to 4ft

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Grasses		PLS Oz/acre	Seeds/sq ft
Bouteloua curtipendula	Side-oats Grama	11.00	1.52
Carex brevior	Plains Oval Sedge	1.50	1.00
Koeleria cristata	June Grass	1.50	6.89
Schizachyrium scoparium	Little Bluestem	36.00	12.40
Sporobolus cryptandrus	Sand Dropseed	2.00	9.18
Total Grasses		52.00	30.99

Forbs		PLS Oz/acre	Seeds/sq ft
Achillea millefolium	Yarrow	0.50	2.05
Asclepias tuberosa	Butterfly Milkweed	1.50	0.15
Chamaecrista fasciculata	Partridge Pea	8.00	0.50
Coreopsis lanceolata	Lance-leaf Coreopsis	6.00	2.75
Dalea purpurea (Petalostemum p.)	Purple Prairie Clover	4.00	1.65
Echinacea purpurea	Purple Coneflower	5.00	0.76
Lespedeza capitata	Round-Headed Bush Clover	1.50	0.18
Liatris aspera	Rough Blazing Star	0.25	0.09
Monarda punctata	Horsemint	0.50	1.03
Penstemon hirsutus	Hairy Beardtongue	0.75	2.15
Potentilla arguta (Drymocallis a.)	Prairie Cinquefoil	0.75	3.96
Ratibida pinnata	Yellow Coneflower	1.75	1.03
Rudbeckia hirta	Black-eyed Susan	4.00	8.45
Solidago nemoralis	Old-field Goldenrod	0.75	3.44
Symphyotrichum laeve	Smooth Blue Aster	0.75	0.95
Verbena stricta	Hoary Vervain	1.25	0.80
Total Forbs		37.25	29.94

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