

Urban Drainage Criteria Manual V. 3; Table B-3. Native seed mix for rain gardens

Common Name	Scientific Name	Variety	PLS* lbs per Acre	Ounces per Acre	Percent of Mix
Sand bluestem	Andropogon hallii	Garden	3.0		6
Sideoats grama	Bouteloua curtipendula	Butte	3.0		6
Prairie sandreed	Calamovilfa longifolia	Goshen	3.0		6
Indian ricegrass	Oryzopsis hymenoides	Paloma	3.0		6
Switchgrass	Panicum virgatum	Blackwell	4.0		8
Western wheatgrass	Pascopyrum smithii	Ariba	3.0		6
Little bluestem	Schizachyrium scoparium	Patura	3.0		6
Alkali sacaton	Sporobolus airoides		3.0		6
Sand dropseed	Sporobolus cryptandrus		3.0		6
Pasture sage	Artemisia frigida			2	4
Blue aster	Aster laevis			4	8
Blanket flower	Gaillardia aristata			6	12
Prairie coneflower	Ratibida columnifera			7	14
Purple prairieclover (opt)	Dalea (Petalostemon) purpurea			3	6
Sub-Totals:			27.0	22	100
Total lbs per acre:			28.9		

*PLS = Pure Live Seed