

RECOMMENDED NATIVE GRASS SEED MIXES FOR SITES LOCATED IN AREAS OF NATIVE GRASS

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DRY LOAMY SOILS

Northern wheat grass	25%
Slender wheat grass	20%
Green needle grass	20%
Western wheat grass	20%
June grass	10%
Needle-and-Thread	5%

Recommended seeding rate 10 or 15 lb/acre*

MOIST LOAMY SOILS

Northern wheat grass	25%
Slender wheat grass	20%
Western wheat grass	20%
Green needle grass	20%
Plains rough fescue	10%
Western porcupine grass	5%

Recommended seeding rate 10 or 15 lb/acre*

SANDY SOILS

Prairie sand reed	15%
Indian rice grass	25%
Sand drop seed	10%
Needle-and-thread	10%
Canada wild rye grass	20%
Green needle grass	10%
Northern wheat grass	10%

Recommended seeding rate 10 or 15 lb/acre*

SOLONETZIC CLAY SOILS

Blue grama	20%
June grass	20%
Western wheat grass	35%
Northern wheat grass	10%
Green needle grass	10%
Needle-and-thread	5%

Recommended seeding rate 10 or 15 lb/acre*

SALINE SOILS

Western wheat grass	25%
Slender wheat grass	25%
Alkali grass	25%
Tufted hair grass	25%

Recommended seeding rate 10 or 15 lb/acre*

* 10 lb/acre if drilled, 15 lb/acre if broadcast

If you have any questions, please call Jordon Christianson, Special Areas Board, Rangelands Agrolgist @ 403 854-5618.