

Ernst Conservation Seeds

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Warm Season Grass Mix - ERNMX-117

	Botanical Name	Common Name	Price/Lb
70.00 %	Avena sativa, Variety Not Stated	Oats, Variety Not Stated	0.53
15.00 %	Schizachyrium scoparium, Fort Indiantown Gap-PA Ecotype	Little Bluestem, Fort Indiantown Gap-PA Ecotype	17.91
5.00 %	Andropogon gerardii, 'Southlow'-MI Ecotype	Big Bluestem, 'Southlow'-MI Ecotype	14.74
5.00 %	Panicum virgatum, 'Shawnee'	Switchgrass, 'Shawnee'	11.03
5.00 %	Sorghastrum nutans, 'Tomahawk'	Indiangrass, 'Tomahawk'	16.74

100.00 % Mix Price/Lb Bulk: \$5.18

Seeding Rate: 40 lb per acre

Biomass; Grasses & Grass-like Species - Herbaceous Perennial; Uplands & Meadows

The perennial warm season grasses (which take 1-2 years to establish) are combined with cool season grain to provide immediate cover and act as a companion crop. The grain matures quickly during the cool wet season and goes dormant during a hot dry period, which allows the native grasses to develop into long-term grass cover. Seed from October-May in full sun and well-drained soils. Mix formulations are subject to change without notice depending on the availability of existing and new products. While the formula may change, the guiding philosophy and function of the mix will not.