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Eastern West Virginia Riparian Buffer Mix - ERNMX-281

	Botanical Name	Common Name	Price/Lb
20.00%	Elymus virginicus, Madison-NY Ecotype	Virginia Wildrye, Madison-NY Ecotype	\$10.83
20.00%	Panicum clandestinum, Tioga	Deertongue, Tioga	\$23.74
19.00%	Sorghastrum nutans, 'Holt'	Indiangrass, 'Holt'	\$16.89
14.00%	Andropogon gerardii, 'Bison'	Big Bluestem, 'Bison'	\$14.65
11.00%	Carex vulpinoidea, PA Ecotype	Fox Sedge, PA Ecotype	\$33.80
5.00%	Panicum virgatum, 'Shelter'	Switchgrass, 'Shelter'	\$11.74
3.50%	Rudbeckia hirta	Blackeyed Susan	\$33.80
2.50%	Heliopsis helianthoides, PA Ecotype	Oxeye Sunflower, PA Ecotype	\$36.40
1.00%	Juncus effusus	Soft Rush	\$52.00
1.00%	Scirpus cyperinus, PA Ecotype	Woolgrass, PA Ecotype	\$124.80
1.00%	Vernonia noveboracensis, PA Ecotype	New York Ironweed, PA Ecotype	\$260.00
1.00%	Aster laevis, NY Ecotype	Smooth Blue Aster, NY Ecotype	\$364.00
0.50%	Eupatorium fistulosum, PA Ecotype	Joe Pye Weed, PA Ecotype	\$296.40
0.50%	Eupatorium perfoliatum, PA Ecotype	Boneset, PA Ecotype	\$208.00
100.00%		Mix Price/Lb Bulk:	\$29.11

Seeding Rate: Seed at 20 lbs/acre with a cover crop. For a cover crop on areas that should not experience flooding, use one of the following: grain oats (30 lbs/acre; 1 Jan to 30 Apr), brown top millet (10 lbs/acre; 1 May to 31 Aug), or Grain Rye (30 lbs/acre; 1 Sep to 31 Dec). If flooding may occur, use grain rye (30 lbs/acre; 1 Sep to 30 Apr) or Japanese Millet (10 lbs/acre; 1 May to 31 Aug).

Grasses & Grass-like Species, Herbaceous Flowering Species, Mixes, Riparian Sites, Stormwater Management

A riparian mix for eastern WV. This pollinator-friendly mix provides food and cover for wildlife. 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.