

Grass, Forb, and Legume Varieties for use in Kansas
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Cool-season Grass / Varieties

Creeping Foxtail

<i>Garrison</i> ****	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*
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Intermediate / Pubescent

<i>Luna</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Manska</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Slate</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X

Meadow Brome

<i>Regar</i>	X**	X	X	X	X	X**	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
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Orchardgrass

<i>Latar</i>	NS	NS	X**	X	X	NS	NS	NS	X**	X	X	X	X
<i>Paiute</i>	NS	X**	X	X	X	NS	X**	X**	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Potomac</i>	NS	NS	X**	X	X	NS	NS	NS	X**	X	X	X	X

Reed Canarygrass

<i>Ioreed</i>	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X**	X**	X**	X**
<i>Palaton</i>	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X**	X**	X**	X**
<i>Venture</i>	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X**	X**	X**	X**
<i>Rise</i>	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X**	X**	X**	X**
<i>Ventura</i>	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X**	X**	X**	X**

Smooth Brome

<i>Achenbach</i>	X**	X	X	X	X	X**	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Lincoln</i>	X**	X	X	X	X	X**	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Southland</i>	X**	X	X	X	X	X**	X	X	X	X	X	X	X

Tall Fescue

<i>Fawn (E)</i>	NS	X**	X	X	X	NS	X**	X**	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Kenhy (E)</i>	NS	X**	X	X	X	NS	X**	X**	X	X	X	X	X
<i>KY-31 (E)</i>	NS	X**	X	X	X	NS	X**	X**	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Martin (E)</i>	NS	X**	X	X	X	NS	X**	X**	X	X	X	X	X
<i>MO-96 (E)</i>	NS	X**	X	X	X	NS	X**	X**	X	X	X	X	X

(E) = Endophyte free varieties

Tall Wheatgrass

<i>Jose</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
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Timothy

<i>Climax</i>	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	X	X	NS
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Virginia Wildrye

<i>O'ma'ha</i>	X*	X**	X**	X**	X**	X*	X**	X**	X**	X	X	X	X
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Western Wheatgrass

<i>Arriba</i>	X	X	NS	NS	NS	X	X	X	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS
<i>Barton</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Flintlock</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X

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Alkali Sacaton

<i>Saltalk</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
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Bermuda Grass

<i>Guymon</i> ***	NS	X**	X	X	X	NS	X**	X**	X	X	NS	NS	X
<i>Hardie</i> ***	NS	X**	X	X	X	NS	X**	X**	X	X	NS	NS	X
<i>Midland</i> ***	NS	X**	X	X	X	NS	X**	X**	X	X	NS	NS	X
<i>Wrangler</i> ***	NS	X**	X	X	X	NS	X**	X**	X	X	NS	NS	X

Big Bluestem

<i>Kaw</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Champ</i> ****	NS	X	X	X	X	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	X	X	NS
<i>Pawnee</i> ****	NS	X	X	X	X	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	X	X	NS
<i>Rountree</i>	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	X	X	X	X

Blue Grama

<i>Alma</i>	X	X	X	NS	NS	X	X	X	X	NS	NS	NS	NS
<i>Hachita</i>	X	X	X	NS	NS	X	X	X	X	NS	NS	NS	NS
<i>Lovington</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X

Buffalograss

<i>Bison (T)</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Bowie (T)</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Cody (T)</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Sharps Improved</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Texoka</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Tatanka (T)</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X

(T) = Turf types

Common Reed

<i>Southwind</i>	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*
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Eastern Gammagrass

<i>Pete</i>	NS	X**	X	X	X	NS	X**	X**	X	X	X	X	X
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Indiangrass

<i>Cheyenne</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Nebraska 54</i> ****	X	X	X	X	X	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	X	X	NS
<i>Osage</i>	NS	X	X	X	X	NS	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Oto</i> ****	NS	NS	X	X	X	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	X	X	NS
<i>Rumsey</i>	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	X	X	X	X

Little Bluestem

<i>Aldous</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Blaze</i> ****	NS	X	X	X	X	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	X	X	NS
<i>Cimarron</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	NS	NS	NS
<i>Camper</i> ****	NS	NS	X	X	X	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	X	X	NS
<i>Pastura</i> ***	X	X	NS	NS	NS	X	X	X	X	NS	NS	NS	NS

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Prairie Cordgrass

<i>Atkins</i>	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*
<i>Red River</i>	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*	X*

Prairie Sandreed

<i>Goshen****</i>	X	X	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS
<i>Pronghorn****</i>	X	X	X	X	X	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS

Sand Bluestem

<i>Garden****</i>	X	X	X	X	X	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS
<i>Goldstrike****</i>	X	X	X	X	X	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS
<i>Woodward</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X

Sand Lovegrass

<i>Bend</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Nebraska 27****</i>	X	X	X	X	X	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	X	X	NS

Sideoats Grama

<i>El Reno</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Butte****</i>	NS	X	X	X	X	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	X	X	NS
<i>Trailway****</i>	NS	X	X	X	X	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	X	X	NS
<i>Vaughn***</i>	X	NS	NS	NS	NS	X	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS

Switchgrass

<i>Blackwell</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Cave-in-Rock</i>	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	X	X	X	X
<i>Kanlow</i>	NS	X	X	X	X	NS	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Pathfinder****</i>	NS	X	X	X	X	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	X	X	NS
<i>Shawnee</i>	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	X	X	X	X
<i>Trailblazer****</i>	NS	X	X	X	X	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	X	X	NS

Native Forbs / Legumes / Varieties

False Sunflower

<i>Midas</i>	NS	X	X	X	X	NS	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
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Greyhead Prairie Coneflower

<i>Sunglow</i>	NS	NS	NS	NS	X	NS	NS	NS	NS	X	X	X	X
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Illinois Bundleflower

<i>Reno Germplasm</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
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Maximilian Sunflower

<i>Prairie Gold</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
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Pitcher Sage

<i>Nekan</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
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Roundhead Lespedeza

<i>Kanoka</i>	NS	X	X	X	X	NS	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
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Showy Partridge Pea

<i>Riley Germplasm</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
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Thickspike Gayfeather

<i>Eureka</i>	NS	NS	NS	NS	X	NS	NS	NS	NS	X	X	X	X
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