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ORNAMENTAL GRASSES

ARRHENATHERUM zones 4-9
elatius var. bulbosum 'Variegatum'

Bulbous Oat Grass. Loosely tufted plant with semi-erect, narrow, gray-green leaves with white edges. Silvery-green panicles with oat-like spikelets.

$7.99  2Qt./1.89 l.

BOUTELOUA zones 3-10
gracilis

Side Oats Grass, Blue Grama, Mosquito Grass. This native prairie grass has narrow green blades and unique flower spikes which are attached at right angles to the stems and resemble mosquito larvae. Foliage turns an attractive brownish-purple in fall. The reddish-purple attractive flowers are held above the foliage - rising to about 20".

$7.99  2Qt./1.89 l.

CALAMAGROSTIS zones 5-9
x acutiflora 'Avalanche'

Feather reed Grass. A variegated, brighter form of 'Karl Forester'. Foliage has a wide white stripe down its center. Creamy white seed heads turn to a golden straw in fall. Reportedly does well in heavy clay soils, unlike many other ornamental grasses.

$7.99  2Qt./1.89 l., $13.99 #1 container
**CAREX**  
zones 5-9  
(Sedge)

dolichostachya ‘Kaga Nishiki’

鱿鱼 clump; flowers ESP 15”H x 24”W
A variegated sedge with slim green leaves, edged with yellow. Clumping, with a fountain-like effect.

elata ‘Bowles Golden’

鱿鱼 clump; flowers ESU 24”H x 24”W

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**CHASMANTHIUM**  
zones 5--9  
(Northern Sea Oats)

latifolium

鱿鱼 spreading; flowers MSU 36-60"H x 30"W
Native. Northern Sea Oats. Bamboo-like, with light green leaves. Narrow, upright habit, slightly arching. The flat seed heads are curious and delightful. The seeds fade to bronze. Likes a rich, moist soil.

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**ERIANTHUS**  
zones 5-9  
(Ravenna Grass)

ravennae

鱿鱼 upright; flowers LSU 9-12’
Native. Sometimes called Northern Pampas Grass, this is our tallest grass---it is much hardier than true Pampas Grass. Large white plumes in late summer. Drought tolerant once established.

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**FESTUCA**  zones 4-9
(Fescue)

*FESTUCA glauca 'Beyond Blue'*

☀ ☀ ☀ clump; flowers ESU-MSU 9-12"H x 18"W
Blue Fescue. Forms a very neat, spiky dome. Bluer than blue foliage retains its color all season. For edging or specimen. Heat and salt tolerant. Prefers a light soil. Will take some shade. Works well with purple leaved plants.
$9.99 2.75 Qt./2.6 l.

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**HAKONECHLOA**  zones 5-9
(Hakone Grass, Japanese Forest Grass)

*HAKONECHLOA macra 'Aureola'*

☀ ☀ ☀ clump; flowers LSU-EF 12"H x 18"W
From Japan, known as Golden Variegated Hakone, its outstanding leaves are bright yellow, streaked with green. The plant is low and the ½" wide leaves arch gently, making it a great accent for the edge of a path. The flowers are not showy. The fall foliage color is dark, dull pink. Full sun is too intense, but excessive shade will diminish the foliage color. Spreads slowly and is easy to grow. Protect in winter.
$17.99 2.75 Qt./2.6 l.

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**HELICOTRICHON**  zones 4-8

*HELICOTRICHON sempervirens 'Saphirsprudel'*

☀ ☀ ☀ clump; silvery, aging tan LSP 24"H x 30"W
Oat Grass. Leaf color of this type is bluer than the gray color of the species, but it has the same spiky habit. Perfect for rock gardens. Evergreen.
$11.99 2.75 Qt./2.6 l, $34.99 #2 container
**IMPERATA** zones 4-9

*IMPERATA cylindrica* 'Red Baron'
- Slow spreader; non-flowering 12"H
- Japanese Blood Grass. Bright red foliage is best when backlit. The lower third of each blade is green; the top is red. This has been reported as being invasive, but it has only been a slow spreader for us, and, we hear, in gardens north of Racine.
- $7.99  2Qt./1.89 l., $13.99  #1 container

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**JUNCUS** zones 5-10
*Corkscrew Rush* (not true grasses)

*JUNCUS effusus* 'Big Twister'
- Upright; insignificant flowers 18-24"H x 24"W
- Large dark green, wire-like foliage, that grows in a tangle of upright spirals. Great bog or pond plant.

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**MISCANTHUS** zones 5-9
*(Silver Grass)*

- These graceful plants range from 3’ to 10’ tall, depending on the cultivar. Excellent foliage, seed heads. Particularly great for winter interest when most other plants are hiding under a blanket of snow. Clumping habit. Full sun and average soil. Late winter or early spring is the best time to cut them back. Can be late to emerge in the Spring. China.

*MISCANTHUS sinensis* 'Cosmopolitan'
- Clump; cream LSU-LF 84-108”H x 60”W
- ‘Cosmopolitan’ is regarded as being one of the best variegated miscanthus. It has a wider leaf than most, and very wide, bold vertical white striping throughout the leaf. Upright, arching habit. Fluffy cream-colored plumes in late summer.
- $11.99  2.75 Qt./2.6 l

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s. ‘Dixieland’

clump, flowers LSU-LF 38-60"H x 36"W
A dwarf form of ‘Variegatus’ with similar green and white variegated foliage, but a more compact habit. Silky pink plumes in late summer. Suitable for pots.
$7.99 2Qt./1.89 l.

s. ‘Gracillimus’

clump; flowers EF-MF 60-96"H x 30-48"W
Maiden Grass. Vase shaped, with unique, curving flowers. The bright green leaves turn straw-colored with the cold weather. A large, choice grass with exceptional winter value. One of the finest.

s. ‘Little Zebra’

clump: purple LSU 36"H x 30"W
A wonderful newer zebra grass, only 36" high. Green leaves with horizontal yellow bands. Coloring holds all season. Reddish purple flower plumes in late summer before most miscanthus. It stays neat and tidy.
Price for the above 2 varieties: $7.99 2Qt./1.89 l.; $13.99 2.75 Qt./2.6 l.

s. purpureascens

slow spreader; flowers MSU 48"H x 20"W
Flame Grass. China. A strong vertical grass. Fall color is ‘bronzy orange’. Seed heads are creamy white in autumn, and they are showy as late as mid-winter.
$7.99 2Qt./1.89 l., $9.99 2.75 Qt./2.6 l.
s. 'Strictus'

Porcupine Grass. This upright grass is distinguished by its horizontal variegation. The leaf color is green with yellow bands. Unlike Zebra Grass (which some feel is less hardy,) this one remains erect. Initial growth in spring is solid green.

$7.99 2Qt./1.89 l.; $13.99 2.75 Qt./2.6 l.

**PANICUM** zones 3-9

*PANICUM* *virgatum* 'Northwind'


Price for the above 2 varieties: $13.99 2.75 Qt./2.6 l.

**PENNISETUM** zones 4-9

*PENNISETUM* *alopecuroides* 'Hameln'

A good dwarf grass. A neat, elegant, fountain-like mound of narrow leaves. Flowers are ivory. Leaves turn yellow in fall---looks good nearly all winter.

$11.99 2Qt./1.89 l.

v. 'Karley Rose'

Dark green clump forming grass with rosy purple plumes that flower for a long period.

$11.99 2Qt./1.89 l.
**SCHIZACHYRIUM**  zones 3-9

*scoparium* 'Blue Paradise'

 крышевидный осока синий 'Blue Paradise'

 Clump; flowers LSU 36-40"H x 24"W

 Bluestem. Distinctly bluish foliage turns a silver blue in late summer. The flower stems, or culms, have a pink cast. Useful for cutting. Heat tolerant. Very upright and columnar, maintaining its upright habit throughout the season.

 $9.99  2Qt./1.89 l.

**SPOROBOLUS**  zones 3-9

*heterolepis*

 спороболус колосистый 'Heterolepis'

 Clump; flowers LSU-F 24-36"H x 18"W

 Compact Prairie Dropseed. A clumping, compact grass with an elegant vase shape. Medium green foliage turns golden with orange highlights. The airy flower panicles have pink and brown tints.

 $7.99  2Qt./1.89 l.

**GROUNDCOVERS**

**AEGOPODIUM**  zones 3-9

*(Snow-on-the-Mountain)*

 Of European origin, this is notoriously weedy in its solid green form; we offer the variegated form, which is much less invasive, but still strong. Grows almost anywhere. If the foliage begins to dry out, cut it back severely. Fresh, new growth will follow.

**SESLERIA**  zones 4-8

 podograria 'Variegata'

 podograria вареяжата

 Clump; flowers LSU-LF 6"H, spreading

 The ivory white flowers are held in umbels. With its brightly colored leaves, this plant is a perfect choice to brighten a dark, shady area. It is about 10" taller when in flower, and most gardeners cut it back right after flowering for a neater appearance. This plant is less likely to be invasive if it is located in poor soil.

 $3.99  3.5" pot

**AJUGA**  zones 4-9

*(Bugle)*

 Ajuga is a superb groundcover that is fast growing and hardy. It does well in all types of shade, but best flowering is in partial shade. The shiny leaves vary by variety---green, purple or multicolored. The blue and purple flowered types usually bloom heavier and are the most vigorous. Try them under hosta. Established plants will take dry shade, but are less vigorous.
**ASARUM** zones 4-8
(Wild Ginger)

*Europeanum*

Ø brown ESP-MSP 8”H, spreading

European Ginger. This species is felt to be the most desirable in the genus. Its heart-shaped glossy leaves of rich green are always attractive. This Ginger looks especially good when planted with Ferns. We have not seen it bothered by any pests. It prefers an acid soil that is moisture-retentive, although we have heard reports of this plant doing well in dry shade. We recommend 8” spacing. Avoid planting it too deeply---make sure the crowns are at the soil surface.

$5.99 3.5” pot

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**CERASTIUM** zones 3-8
(Snow in Summer)

*‘Columnae’*

Ø white MSU 6”H x 6-8”W

A nice, mat forming groundcover. Small gray green leaves topped by white flowers in summer.

$3.99 1Qt./946 ml.

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**CERATOSTIGMA** zones 6-10
(Common Leadwort)

A genus of several species, all with blue flowers.

*Plumbaginoides*

Ø bright blue LSU-EF 12”H x 18”W

Highly decorative, shiny, dark green leaves, turning bronze red in autumn. It will creep about and can be used as a groundcover in milder climates than ours. Flowers are a brilliant blue, a scarce color in late summer. Late to emerge in the spring. Commonly known as Leadwort. Native to China.

$7.99 2Qt./1.89 l., $11.99 #1 container

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**NEW ‘Sparkler’**

Ø blue MSU 3”H, spreading

Splashes of creamy white over the shiny, thick, dark green leaves. Small blue flowers.

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**x ‘Chocolate Chip’**

Ø bright blue LSP-ESU 4”H, 10” in bloom, spreading

Truly dwarf in stature and leaf size. Oval leaves form a dense, shiny, mat of dark, mahogany green. May rebloom. Leaf color is brighter with some sun.

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**reptans ‘Black Scallop’**

Ø blue MSP-LSP 6”H x 24-36”W

Rich, dark, scallop-shaped leaves and blue flowers.

Price for the above 3 varieties: $3.99 3.5” pot
**CONVALLARIA** zones 3-9
(Lily of the Valley)
An easy plant with charming, very fragrant, bell flowers that cut well, although the stems are short. A great choice for naturalizing a shaded area, especially if soil is moist. Cut it to the ground if foliage deteriorates in summer.

**majalis**
- white MSP 6"H, spreading
Lily-like leaves and waxy, white, fragrant flowers.
$7.99 1Qt./946 ml.

**CORYDALIS** zones 5-8
(Hollowort)
A large genus of valuable small plants, most with tubular flowers and delicate foliage.

**lutea**
- yellow LSU and EF 12"H x 12"W
A really great plant, this is perhaps the longest flowering of any shade loving plant. The bright yellow flowers never seem to end. The foliage is similar to the smaller dicentras, to which it is related. Thrives in a moist soil in semi-shade but will grow in any site with average or even dry soil. Works well with alchemilla, and yellow-edged hostas. Commonly known as Yellow Fumitory.
$7.99 5" pot

**EPIMEDIUM** zones 4-9
(Bishop’s Hat)
This is one of our favorite small plants. It is of interest in most any season. The heart-shaped leaves are evergreen. However, during our hard winters they are sometimes totally brown by spring. When the new foliage shoots are just barely visible, we cut off all of the previous season’s growth. Then we can watch the beautiful new mahogany leaves as they emerge, immediately followed by the petite flowers. These elegant flowers are similar to a tiny spurless Columbine. They have wiry stems and last long when cut. By the time the leaves are full size, they have turned green and will remain so until autumn, when they turn bronze. These plants form a slow-moving but dense network of roots that prohibits weeds from gaining a foothold. An acid soil is preferred.

**alpinum ‘Rubrum’**
- red/white LSP-ESU 8"H x 14"W
Forms a 14” wide clump in about five years.

**grandiflorum ‘Lilafee’**
- violet MSP-ESU 8"H x 12"W; slowly spreading
Elegant yet vigorous plant with dainty, lavander-violet flowers on wiry stems. Clump-forming, with medium green, heart-shaped leaves. Evergreen.
**EPISTEMON**

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<td>Pure white</td>
<td>LSP-ESU 8&quot;H x 14&quot;W. Bright white flowers, blooming a little later than other epimediums. In our garden, this has taken several years to reach 14&quot; diameter.</td>
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**Price for the above 4 varieties:** $11.99 #1 Container.

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**EUONYMUS** zones 4-8

(Wintercreeper)

A fine group of hardy, evergreen groundcovers. Known for their fast growth, and the winter coloring of some varieties. All have oval leaves.

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**GALIUM** zones 4-8

(Sweet Woodruff)

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<td>LSP-ESU 12&quot;H, spreading. Sweet Woodruff. One of the finer groundcovers for shade though it is a little taller than most traditional groundcovers. Profuse tiny bright white flowers. The leaves are shaped like a tiny Lupine leaf. They are bright green and have a vanilla fragrance. This plant makes a perfect companion plant for hosta because of the strong foliar contrast. Also, they bloom at opposite seasons. Another good use is under high branched shrubs or evergreens. Sweet Woodruff spreads quickly, especially if the soil is moist, but dry shade is okay with good soil. AKA Asperula odorata.</td>
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$3.99 1Qt./946 ml.

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**LAMIUM** zones 3-8

(Dead Nettle)

All varieties on our list are good for groundcover. Will grow in dry shade if the soil is good. Related to the familiar pest, Nettle, but in lamium the stinging plant hairs are absent.

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**LEPTINELLA** zones 4-9
(BRASS BUTTONS)
bluebirdnursery.com

*maculatum 'Beacon Silver'*

- dark pink LSP-ESU 10"H x 18"W
  Dark pink flowers contrast beautifully with the leaves, which are heavily variegated with silvery gray. Looks good with gray or blue leafed hostas.
  $3.99  3.5" Pot

*m. 'Pink Chablis'*

- pink LSP-ESU 8-12"H x, spreading
  Silvery white leaves with a green margin, and light pink flowers. Combine with heuchera and brunnera.
  $4.99  1Qt./946 ml.

*m. 'White Nancy'*

- white LSP-ESU 8"H x 15"W
  Excellent groundcover plant with heavy variegation. Leaves are silvery gray with a green margin. Not as fast spreading as 'Beacon Silver.' Charming with any of the purple-leafed heuchera or brunnera.
  $3.99  3.5" Pot

*x 'Platt's Black'*

- yellow LSP 2"H x 18"W
  Attractive black and green fern-like foliage adds texture to your garden. Small yellow flowers in late spring. Great for use as filler between flagstone walks. Fills in quick which keeps weeds down.
  $5.99  5" pot

**LYSIMACHIA** zones 3-8

A genus of vigorous plants, native mostly to Europe and Asia. Well suited for lightly treaded areas.

*nummularia*

- yellow MSU 3"H, spreading
  Known as Creeping Jenny (correctly) or Creeping Charlie (erroneously.) Fast growing with small, rounded, shiny, dark-green leaves. Useful in pots.
  $3.99  1Qt./946 ml.

*n. 'Goldilocks'*

- yellow ESU 4-6H", spreading
  Money Plant. Low, trailing plant with small, rounded, gold/chartreuse leaves, which seem to encircle their stems. Leaf color is a little brighter than the old variety 'Aurea.' Small, bright yellow flowers. A bit less aggressive than the species.
  $3.99  3.5" Pot
MINUARTIA  zones 4-7
(Bluebirdnursery.com)

verna

white LSP-ESU 3”H, spreading
Mat of small, dark green, thin leaves. Five- petaled, tiny flowers on slender stems. Will take some sun, as long as soil is moist. Shallow root system. Makes a nice groundcover, and works well around rocks and stepping stones. Origin: Siberia, Central Asia.
$5.99  5” pot

PACHYSANDRA zones 3-9
(Spurge)

terminalis ‘Green Carpet’

white ESP-LSP 10”H, spreading
A darker green form of the popular evergreen groundcover. This vigorous plant enjoys an acid soil, just like others in this genus. Considered to be one of the finest evergreen groundcovers for our area. Plant at least three plants per square foot.
$11.99  3” 6-PAK

PHLOX zones 2-9
(divaricata) (Woodland Phlox; Wild Sweet William)
d. ‘Blue Moon’
light blue SP 12”H x 12”W
Round, full flowers of light blue. Forms a low, spreading mound of light green leaves. Front of the garden groupings, rock gardens, rock walls, woodland edge, naturalizing, native gardens. Combine with daffodils and tulips.
d. ‘London Grove Blue’
lavendar SP 8-12”H x 12-18”W
Round, full flowers of lavender blue. Slightly fragrant. Forms a low, spreading mound of light green leaves. Front of the garden groupings, rock gardens, rock walls, woodland edge, naturalizing, native gardens. Combine with daffodils and tulips.
Price for the above 2 varieties: $5.99  2Qt./1.89 l.
subulata (Creeping Phlox, Moss Pink)
With needlelike evergreen foliage, this native is a sun-loving phlox, used mostly as a groundcover or in the rockery. The spring bloom is outstanding. Shear back after flowering for a neat appearance. Easy to grow in any soil except wet. With its dense root system, it is used in erosion control.

NEW’s ‘Coral Eye’
pink MSP-LSP 2-6”H, spreading
Soft baby pink flowers have a darker coral-red eye.
s. *Emerald Blue*

medium blue-lavender LSP 4"H, spreading

s. *Emerald Pink*

pink LSP 4"H, spreading

s. *North Hills*

white w/purple eye LSP 4"H, spreading
Bright white flowers with true purple eyes.

s. *Purple Beauty*

purple SP 4-6"H x 18-24"W
A blanket of soft purple flowers in spring. Mat forming, medium green, needle-like foliage.

s. *Red Wing*

pinkish red SP 4-6"H x 12-18"W
The pinkish-crimson flowers have a darker red eyes.Forms a blanket of color. Mat forming, medium green, needle-like foliage.

s. *Snow Flake*

white MSP-LSP 4-6"H, spreading
Large, pure white flowers are held in loose clusters.Price for the above 7 varieties: $5.99   2Qt./1.89 l.

**POTENTILLA** zones 4-9
(Cinquefoil)
A very colorful, easy to grow group of plants. They bloom heavily in early summer with roundish, flat flowers, and some will have a minor rebloom in late summer. The foliage is reminiscent of strawberries. Ideal choice for the garden edge or the rockery.
**aurea verna** 'Nana'

- yellow ESU-LF 24”H x 18”W
- A bright cheery, easy to grow plant. Abundant, bold yellow, rounded flowers. The strawberry-like leaves are bright green with gently toothed edges. Very neat in appearance.
- $5.99 5” pot

**SEDUM** zones 3-9

(Stonecrop)
This broad group of plants offers some interesting groundcover choices. They have fleshy, succulent-like leaves and a mat-like growth habit. All will do well in poor soil. Moderately salt tolerant. Most prefer full sun, but some will tolerate deep shade.

- **x ‘Angelina’**
  - yellow ESU-MSU 3-6”H x spreading
  - Brilliant, needle-shaped, golden yellow foliage. Fall foliage takes on an orange hue. Topped with yellow flowers in June and July on 6-8 inch stems.

- **spurium** ‘Glowing Fire’
  - pink ESU-MSU 4-6”H x 10-12”W
  - Bronzey red succulent foliage and bright pink starry flowers. Low growing, spreading habit. Also known as ‘Fuldaglut’.

**divergens**
- yellow MSU 2-5”H x 6-8”W
- Small, round green leaves are reminiscent of a ball joint, turning red in fall. Bright yellow flowers are star shaped 1/2 inch across, held on short stems.

**sexangulare** ‘Utah’
- yellow MSU-LSU 2-4”H x 8-12”W
- Small yellow flowers with needle-like green foliage. Feels very “delicate” but really quite tough.

**spathulifolium** ‘Harvest Moon’
- yellow MSU-LSU 4-8”H x 12”W
- A rosette of succulent gray-green leaves covered with a silvery-white waxy like powder. Outer petals of the rosette become a beautiful dusty rose as the season progresses. Yellow blooms in late summer. Very attractive with flagstone.
s. 'Tricolor'

**sedum** pink ESU 4"H x 8"W
One of the showiest small sedums. Choice blend of green, soft cream and rich pink. Pink star-shaped flowers in spring only enhance the colors more. A wonderful edging plant for any sunny garden. Great in rock gardens. Remove any solid green foliage.

s. 'Voodoo'

**sedum** red MSU 4-6"H x 24"W
Bright rosy-pink flowers are held above rich, deep red foliage. Quite dramatic.
Price for the above 7 varieties: $4.99 5" pot

THYMUS zones 3-8

s. lanuginosus

**Thymus** pink ESU-MSU 2"H, spreading
Woolly Thyme. A tough, creeping, mat-like plant that is a wonderful textured contrast for rocks and other “hardscape.” This plant has tiny, gray, downy leaves that always look neat. The small flowers are pink. Good as an underplanting for pink roses.
$4.99 5" pot

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**TIARELLA** zones 5-9

*wherryi*

❄ ivory, white LSP 12”H x 18”W, spreading Foamflower. This native woodlander is from the southeast states, but it is hardy. It likes a shady site in a rich, moisture-retentive soil. Heart-shaped leaves are large, forming a mound of downy foliage. Foamy, ivory flowers are held on thin wiry stems.

$3.99 1Qt./946 ml.

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**VERONICA** zones 4-9

*(Speedwell)*

*peduncularis ‘Georgia Blue’*

❄ blue ESP-LSP 6-8”H x 12-14”W Rich, very blue flowers with white eyes. Glossy green foliage. Tips of foliage turn a burgundy or copper color as the season progresses.

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*x ‘Tidal Pool’*

❄ purple-blue MSP-LSP 3”H x 30”W Brilliant blue flowers with white star shaped centers. Bright green foliage with silver highlights.

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*x ‘Waterperry’*

❄ purple-blue ESU-MSU 3”H x 12”W English hybrid. A ground hugger, it stays very low.

$3.99 1Qt./946 ml.

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**VINCA** zones 4-9

*(Periwinkle)*

This is a very versatile and useful groundcover. Vinca can be grown in just about any soil in full sun or part shade. If you wish to restrict growth, cut back hard and divide in early spring. Evergreen.

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*minor ‘Bowles’*

❄ blue LSP 6-8”H, spreading

Beautiful periwinkle blue flowers held above rich, glossy evergreen leaves. This is likely the most popular groundcover in the northern United States.

$11.99 3” 6-PAK
VINES

ARISTOLOCHIA  zones 4-8
(Dutchman’s Pipe, Calico Flower)

durior

ivory yellow LSP 25’H , spreading
This vigorous, twining vine has huge, heart-shaped, dark green leaves. The unusual, ivory-yellow flowers account for the common name. They resemble a calabash pipe in shape, though only 2” long. Exotic.
$17.99  2.75 Qt./2.6 l.

CAMPSIS  zones 4-9
(Trumpet Vine)
All of these hardy colorful vines are clasping.

radicans ‘Flava’

yellow MSU-LSU 30-40’H
The yellow flowered form of the species.

x ‘Balboa Sunset’

red LSP, repeats thru fall 30’H ,spreading
Stunning clusters of scarlet red flowers. A tropical-looking plant that is vigorous and hardy.

x tagliabuana ‘Mme. Galen’

red MSU-LSU 20’H
A European hybrid developed before 1900. The flowers are colored deep salmon-red. Zone 5.
Price for the above 3 types: $17.99  2.75 Qt./2.6 l.
**CELASTRUS**
(American Bittersweet)

*scandens* 'Autumn Revolution'

![Image](image1.png)

Aggressive, twining, native vine with dark green leaves which turn greenish-yellow in the fall. Large orange fruit is attractive to birds. Great as a dried flower because it keeps its bright color. The majority of flowers on this plant have both male and female parts. No pollinator necessary.

$17.99 2.75 Qt./2.6 l.

**CLEMATIS**

Every garden needs at least one clematis. Whether it is planted on an arbor, next to a wall, cascading over a fence, amongst old rose bushes, or in containers, their ability to create a vertical accent is unmatched.

Rewards will be many when proper care has been taken. Prepare the planting site with organically rich, well-drained soil, preferably amended with compost. The roots require protection from the sun, so plant the crowns 3-5” deep, apply a mulch and plant some additional plants nearby to insure a cozy root system.

If in doubt, plant deeper rather than shallower. In hot sites, filtered shade is beneficial to keep the blooms from fading---especially the pastels. Clematis wilt is a common, but usually not fatal, disease thought to be caused by an air borne fungus. Leaves appear limp, withered and finally turn brown as stems weaken. We advise pruning back the affected stem well below the infected portion and destroying it.

**CLEMATIS PRUNING GUIDE:**
All plants listed are hardy to USDA zone 5 (at least) unless specified otherwise.

1. No regular pruning needed. When space is limited, immediately after flowering cut out all shoots that have flowered.
2. Cut out dead growth and weak shoots to a strong pair of buds in early spring (Late April.) Separate and train remaining growths.
3. Cut all shoots back hard in early spring to a strong pair of buds, removing the previous season's growth. This will normally be 9” to 18” from the ground, less for herbaceous varieties.

**CLEMATIS zones 4-8**
(Large-Flowered)

![Image](image2.png)

**NEW**

x 'Abilene'

![Image](image3.png)

Magenta red LSP, F 6-8'H x 3'W (Prune group 2 or 3)
Ruffled, 4" flowers. The flowers open a rich pink then mature to a lighter pink with a dark petal bar giving the flower a two-tone effect. The butter yellow anthers are frilly.

x 'Barbara Harrington'

![Image](image4.png)

Cerise ESU-EF 4-6'H x 3-4'W (Prune code 3)
4" cerise flowers with contrasting yellow stamens.
**NEW × 'Bernadine'**

 Oval blue LSP, F 3-5'H x 2'W (Prune code 2)
 Abundant sky-blue flowers with darker lilac blue filaments and anthers.

**NEW × 'Bijou'**

 Oval violet ESP-MSU 12-18"H x 12"W (Prune code 2)
 A very free flowering, short bush variety of clematis. Covered with violet/mauve flowers in early summer. Lush dark green foliage.

**NEW × 'Fleuri'**

 Oval violet red LSP, F 4'H x 2'W (prune group 2)
 Deep violet slightly ruffled petals have magenta-red bars. White anthers compliment the petals.

**NEW × 'Henryi'**

 Oval white ESU-LSU 8'H x 3'W (Prune code 2)
 This is probably the oldest, large-flowered Clematis hybrid still in cultivation. There is a touch of cream in its white color. The flowers are 6-8” across with 8 sepals which overlap.

**NEW × jackmanii 'Superba'**

 Oval purple ESU-LSU 10-12'H x 3-5'W (Prune code 3)
 5” flowers of deep purple-violet. An improved version of the popular 'jackmanii'. The vine is covered with flowers most of the summer.
x 'Kilian Donahue'
red LSP, repeats -EF 8-10'H x 4'W (Prune code 2)
Flowers open red, maturing to intense fuchsia with orchid edges. Blooms early and repeats later.

x 'Miss Bateman'
white MSU-EF 8-10'H x 3-4'W (prune group 2)
Rounded white flowers are accented by a lime green bar and magenta-red anthers.

x 'Mrs. N. Thompson'
violet MSU-ESU,FALL 8'H x 3'W (Prune code 3)
Freely produced deep violet blue blossoms with a bright scarlet bar. Strikingly colorful and will always command attention.

x 'Niobe'
violet red ESU-MSU 8'H (Prune code 2)
Flower color is almost black-red when newly opened, changing to bright violet red. The creamy stamens make for a sharp contrast. Flower size is about 6" wide, tending to be smaller at season’s end.

x 'Rebecca'
magenta red MSP-LSU 6-8'H x 3'W (prune group 3)
Very large 5-7" flowers are stunningly magenta red with creamy yellow anthers.

x 'Samaritan Jo'
white/purple LSP, F 3-5'H x 2'W (prune group 2)
Pointy, layered white petals with purple margins. Leathery dark green leaves.

x 'Sweet Summer Love'
purple ESU-LSU 8-12'H x 4-6'W (Prune code 2)
Rich, grape purple flowers with tones of red and magenta. Flowers appear to be multi-colored.

x 'The President'
purple-blue LSP-LSU 8'H (Prune code 2)
Very popular variety. It has been around for over 100 years. Large, richly colored, eight-sepal flowers that have reddish stamens. Sepal undersides are silvery. Flowers most of the summer.
Price for the above 15 types: $19.99 2.75 Qt./2.6 l.
**CLEMATIS**  zones 4-9
(Small Flowered)

*Clematis paniculata*

- **ivory white LSU-EF 30’H (Prune code 1)**
  Sweet Autumn Clematis. Probably the heaviest-flowering variety we’ve seen. Even a young plant will exhibit thousands of flowers in late summer or autumn, at a time of year when new flowers are most welcome. The flowers are moderately fragrant. The plant grows vigorously and will cover a small tree or fence in a very short time. Sometimes known as *C. maximowicziana* or *C. terniflora*. From Asia.

  $19.99 2.75 Qt./2.6 l.

**x ‘New Love’**

- **blue MSU-EF 35’H x 2’W (Prune code 2)**
  Bush form. Very dense medium green foliage. Star shaped flowers are indigo blue, Petals curl back to expose the butter yellow filament and anthers. They have a lovely sweet fragrance.

  $15.99 2.75 Qt./2.6 l.

**x ‘Roguchi’**

- **cobalt blue ESU-MF 6-8’H x 2-3’W (Prune code 3)**
  One of the finest, small-flowered, bell-shaped clematis. Covered with cobalt blue bells all summer. Japanese hybrid.

  $19.99 2.75 Qt./2.6 l.

**HEDERA**  zones 5-8
(Baltic Ivy)

*A clinging evergreen groundcover with dark green, durable leaves that are shaped like maple leaves. Will adhere to most buildings and walls. Grow in sun to partial shade. Moist but well-drained soil. May be pinched to encourage extra branching.*

*Hedera helix ‘Thorndale’*

- **non-flowering 20-25’H, spreading**
  Large, widely spaced, glossy, dark green leaves with prominent creamy-white veins.

  $11.99 3” 6-PAK
**HUMULUS** zones 5-8

*Lupulus 'Nugget'*

🔥 LSU-MF 15-17'H

Green foliage with yellow cone-shaped hops. Needs support. Useful as a climber, groundcover, for mass plantings. Also good for erosion control.

$15.99 2.75 Qt./2.6 l.

**HYDRANGEA** zones 4-8

*Hydrangea anomala petiolaris*

🔥 white LSP-ESU 75'H

Climbing Hydrangea. Asia. A superb vine with large, showy flower clusters. It is a strong grower, with a tenacious clasping ability. It will climb a wall or tree, and can be used as a groundcover. Sometimes slow to establish and bloom, but long-lived and magnificent.

$17.99 #1 Container; $34.99 #2 Container

**LATHYRUS** zones 4-8

*(Sweet Pea)*

*latifolius 'Mix'*

🔥 mixed MSU-LSU 8-10'H

A twining vine that can be used on a trellis or fence, as well as for a groundcover. Flowers are pea-like in shades of pink and white. Easy.

$5.99 2Qt./1.89 l.

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**LONICERA** zones 3-9

*(Honeysuckle Vine)*

This is a woody, twining plant for sun or part shade. It will need something to wind around if it is to behave like a vine. It may need the gardener's help when it is young. Also used as a groundcover. The flower clusters hold flowers that are long, narrow trumpets that are often sweetly scented. They are favored by hummingbirds. Its long bloom period and hardiness make it worthy of consideration.

🔥 *Lonicera heckrottii 'Goldflame'*

🔥 carmine/yellow LSP-LSU 15'H or more

The Goldflame Honeysuckle. The outside of the flower is carmine, opening to a yellow inside. Dr. Michael Dirr, a woody plant expert and author, considers this to be the best vining Honeysuckle.
x ‘Mandarin’

orange LSP-MSU 20’H, spreading
A new variety from the west coast of Canada. Large clusters of bright orange flowers with yellow stamens. New leaves are coppery brown and mature to a glossy dark green. Vigorous.

sempervirens x ‘Dropmore Scarlet’

scarlet red MSU-EF 8’H
A hybrid from Canada. It is very showy, with 2” long trumpet flowers over a long season. Sometimes listed as L. x brownii ‘Dropmore Scarlet’.

Price for the above 3 types: $17.99 2.75 Qt./2.6 l.

s. x ‘Winchester’

cream ESU-LSU 15-20’ H x 20-30’W
A prolific bloomer with 2” fragrant flowers, changing to pale yellow with maroon highlights.
$15.99 2.75 Qt./2.6 l.

PARTHENOCISSUS zones 5-9
(Ivy)
A group of deciduous vines, some native, with shiny leaves that are brilliant red in fall. They will climb most anywhere and will attach themselves to brick, wood, trees, or whatever. These are vines with tendrils and grasping tips. Perfect for covering a dead tree, a broken-down fence or a stone wall.

tricuspidata ‘Green Showers’

near white ESU 50-70’H, spreading
Boston Ivy. This vine has 10” wide, showy, bright green leaves which mature to a deep burgundy-red in autumn. Tiny near-white flowers are followed by blue-black berries. Origin: China, Korea, Japan.

quinquefolia

50’H x spreading
Virginia Creeper Vine. A tendril vine with great grasping ability, needing no support. It has serrated green leaves in clusters of five, each one being 4” long. Excellent red tones in the fall. Produces blue berries.

Price for the above 2 types: $17.99 2.75 Qt./2.6 l.
**POLYGONUM** zones 4-8

**auberti**

◊ white MSU-LSU 25’ long
Silver Lace Vine. From China. This is a twining vine, so it needs some support like a trellis, cyclone fence, or something similar. It is fast growing and has valuable foliage. Flowers are small but plentiful, so it is very showy. Excellent for late color.

$17.99 2.75 Qt./2.6 l.

**WISTERIA** zones 5-9

Newly planted wisteria can take a few years to bloom. Old vines are magnificent.

**macrostachys ‘Blue Moon’**

◊ blue SP-ESU 20’H, spreading
A very hardy wisteria that blooms up to three times a year if grown in full sun, beautiful lavender-blue flowers are born on foot-long racemes and are sweetly fragrant. This fast growing twining vine should be trained on a sturdy trellis, or pergola.

$19.99 2.75 Qt./2.6 l.

**VINE GUARANTEE POLICY**

The following vines carry a one-year guarantee, just like nursery stock:

- Campsis (Trumpet Vine)
- Celastrus (Bittersweet)
- Hydrangea (Climbing Hydrangea)
- Lonicera (Honeysuckle)
- Parthenocissus (Virginia Creeper, Boston Ivy)
- Wisteria

The following vines are guaranteed for the growing season in which they are purchased. They are not guaranteed over the winter. However, they are considered to be hardy.

- Clematis
- Hedera (Baltic Ivy and English Ivy)
- Lathyrus (Sweet Pea)
- Polygonum (Silver Lace Vine)