

Pollinator SEED MIX



PLANTING INSTRUCTIONS:

-  **Prepare the seedbed:** Remove existing vegetation to prepare seed bed. Options include chemical termination, tillage, prescribed burn, or other methods.
-  **When and where to plant:** Plant in full sun, at any point in spring - fall. *Cool climates- fall plantings should follow several frosts so seeds do not germinate until spring
-  **Sowing Methods:** Can be planted either by broadcasting, hand tossing, or with a seed drill (area larger than 5 acres)

Recommended: Mix in carriers with seed mix for all sowing methods (ex. Cracked corn, wheat, oats, sunflower seed, pelletized lime, sand, etc.) to facilitate even distribution.

MAINTENANCE:

Watering: Keep consistently moist 4-6 weeks, then gradually reduce water to 1/2 in. per week. Do not water fall plantings until spring. **Weeds:** Pull weeds as soon as identifiable. **Fertilization:** apply a 5-10-5 fertilizer if soil is very poor. **Mowing:** Avoid mowing in year one to ensure strong establishment success. If you must mow, wait until late fall after plants have opportunity to seed.

SEED SPECIES:

Alaska Shasta	New England Aster
Black-eyed Susan	Pincushion Flower
Butterfly Milkweed	‘Imperial Mix’
Candytuft	Purple Coneflower
Dwarf Godetia	Purple Prairie Clover
Dwarfed	Rocket Larkspur
Mixed Cosmos	‘Imperial mix’
Gayfeather	Round-headed Bush Clover
Illinois Bundleflower	Siberian Wallflower
Indian Blanket	Sweet William Pinks
Lance-leaved	Tall White Sweet Alyssum
Coreopsis	Zinnia ‘Dahlia Flowered Mix’

