

Iowa Excluded Species Plant List

(subject to periodic updates)

Latin Name	Common Name
Abutilon theophrasti	velvet-leaf
Agropyron repens	quack grass
Ailanthus altissima	tree-of-heaven
Alliaria petiolata	garlic mustard
Ambrosia artemisiifolia	annual ragweed
Arctium minus	common burdock
Berberis thunbergii	Japanese barberry
Brassica arvensis	wild mustard
Bromus tectorum	cheatgrass
Butomus umbellatus	flowering rush
Cannabis sativa	marijuana
Carduus nutans	musk thistle
Celastrus orbiculatus	oriental bittersweet
Centaurea maculosa	spotted knapweed
Centaurea repens	Russian knapweed
Centaurea solstitialis	yellow starthistle
Cirsium arvense	Canada thistle
Cirsium discolor	field thistle
Cirsium vulgare	bull thistle
Conium maculatum	poison hemlock
Convolvulus arvensis	field bindweed
Cortaderia selloana	pampas grass

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Daucus carota	wild carrot
Dipsacus fullonum	common teasel
Dipsacus laciniatus	cut-leaf teasel
Elaeagnus angustifolia	Russian olive
Elaeagnus umbellata	autumn olive
Eriochloa villosa	hairy cupgrass
Euonymus alatus	winged burning bush
Euonymus alta	winged euonymous
Euphorbia esula	leafy spurge
Fallopia japonica	Japanese knotweed
Frangula alnus	glossy buckthorn
Heracleum mantegazzianum	giant hogweed
Hesperis matronalis	dames rocket
Humulus japonicas	Japanese hops
Lepidium draba	perennial pepper grass
Lespedeza cuneate	Chinese bush clover
Ligustrum spp.	privets
Lonicera japonica	Japanese honeysuckle
Lonicera maackii	amur honeysuckle
Lonicera morrowii	morrow's honeysuckle
Lonicera tatarica	tatarian honeysuckle
Lonicera x bella	bells's honeysuckle

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Lythrum salicaria	purple loosestrife
Miscanthus sinensis	Chinese silver grass
Morus alba	white mulberry
Myriophyllum spicata	Eurasian water milfoil
Nasturtium officinale	water cress
Pastinaca sativa	wild parsnip
Phalaris arundinacea	reed canary grass
Phragmites australis	reed grass
Plantago lanceolata	English plantain
Pueraria montana	kudzu
Rhamnus cathartica	common buckthorn
Rosa multiflora	multiflora rose
Rumex acetosella	sheep sorrel
Rumex latissimus	smooth dock
Rumex crispus	curly dock
Securigera varia	purple crown vetch
Setaria faberi	giant foxtail
Setaria pumila	yellow foxtail
Sicyos angulatus	bur cucumber
Solanum carolinense	horse nettle
Sonchus arvensis	perennial sow-thistle
Sorghum bicolor	shattercane

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Tamarix ramosissima	salt cedar
Tribulus terrestris	puncture vine
Typha spp.	cat-tail
Ulmus parviflora	Chinese elm
Ulmus pumilla	Siberian elm
Viburnum opulus	European high-bush cranberry
Xanthium commune	cocklebur

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