

Pennisetum villosum
Fluffy

Grasses –
The Art of
Garden
Design



Great Grasses for Structure, Texture and Movement

Nassella tenuissima
Pony Tails

The Right Accent can Elevate a Garden into a Work of Art

Benary's grasses provide structure for the garden and will help you build a complete array of combinations for your customers.

Choosing out of our different varieties, you will find the right plant for the right spot to create a special eyecatcher.

Horticultural signs			
☉	Annual	✂	Cut Flower
🌱	Perennial		



Hordeum jubatum
Ricky

Landscape Solutions

Creating stunning landscapes with tried and tested Benary grasses is as easy as profitable. Be it in cities, recreational parks or in the home garden.

Not only pollinators will love it!

Whether you have customers in urban spaces or open spaces, our collection of landscape standouts will dazzle any gardener. Whether your customers' projects are large or small, these products will wow them!

Benary's Reliable Seed Supply for Grasses

Grasses currently are a major market trend worldwide. These plants add structure, texture and movement to planting. There is a suitable grass for every desired application, varying in height, leaf color, flowering time and much more.

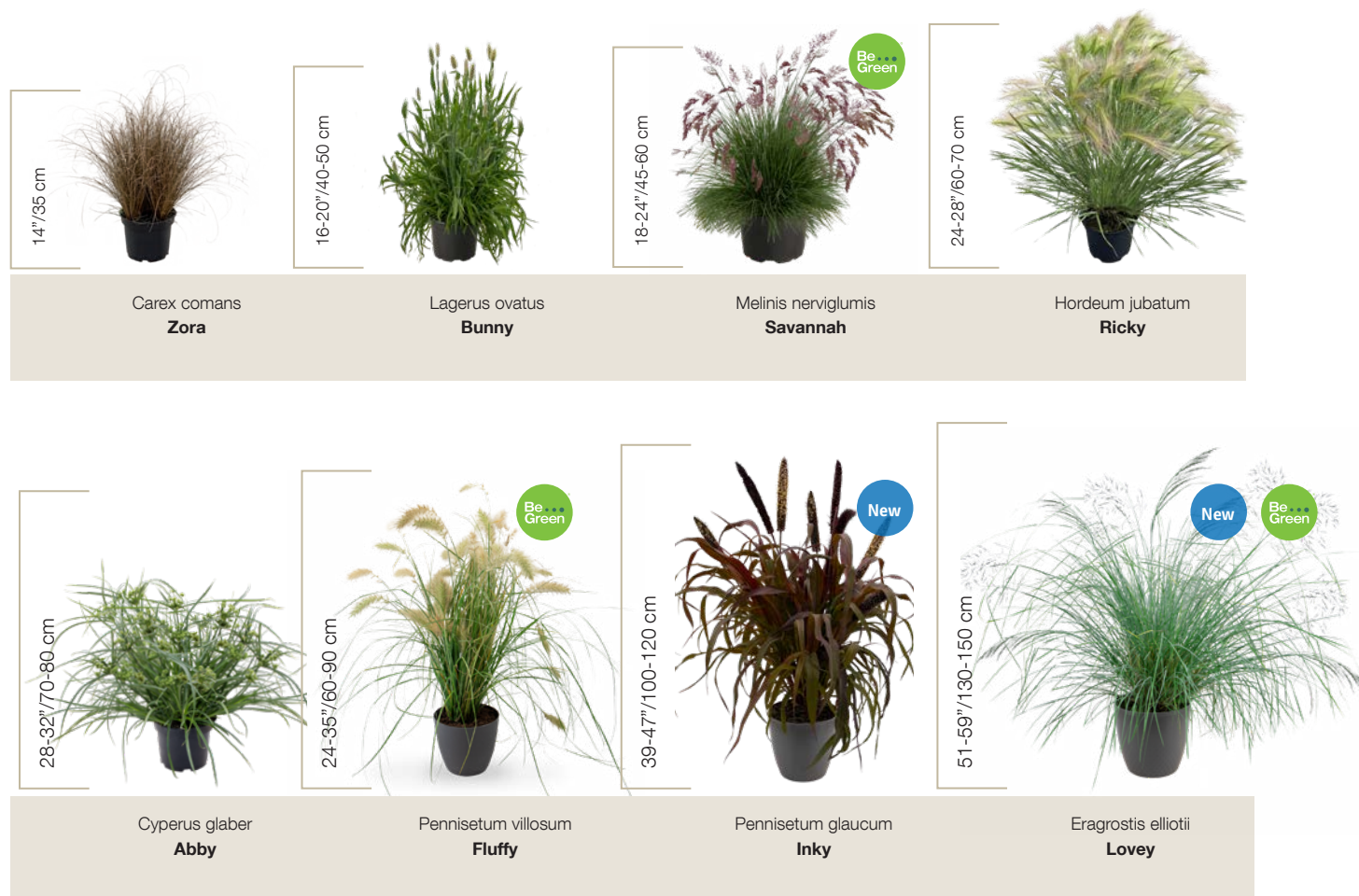
We have delivered the seeds reliably for years with excellent quality and good germination. If you want to be on the safe side, choose Benary!

– Amelie, Teamleader Global Product Management



All Grasses at a Glance

Annual Grasses ☉



Genus/Species	Variety	Item No.	Crop Time	Exposure	Seed Form	Page
Carex comans	Zora	CC5001R	16-18 wks	Sun-Partial shade	Raw	6
Lagerus ovatus	Bunny	LO0101R	8-10 wks	Sun-Shade	Raw	7
Melinis nerviglumis	Savannah	MN0101R/P	20-22 wks	Sun-Partial shade	Raw & BeGreen Pelleted	8
Hordeum jubatum	Ricky	HJ0101R	10-12 wks	Sun-Shade	Raw	9
Cyperus glaber	Abby	CG0301R	10-12 wks	Sun-Shade	Raw	10
Pennisetum villosum	Fluffy	PV1001R/P	14-16 wks	Sun-Partial shade	Rubbed & BeGreen Pelleted	11
Pennisetum glaucum	Inky	PG3001R	14-16 wks	Sun-Partial shade	Raw	12
Eragrostis elliotii	Lovey	EE0101P	10-12 wks	Sun-Partial shade	BeGreen ApeX Pelleted	13

Perennial Grasses 2



Genus/Species	Variety	Item No.	Crop Time	Exposure	Seed Form	Page
<i>Festuca valesiaca</i> var. <i>glauantha</i>	Buddy Blue	FV0101R	14-16 wks	Sun-Partial shade	Raw	16
<i>Festuca glauca</i>	Freddy	FG0101R/P	14-16 wks	Sun-Partial shade	Raw & BeGreen Pelleted	17
<i>Corynephorus canescens</i>	Spiky	CC5501R	14-16 wks	Sun-Partial shade	Raw	18
<i>Eragrostis spectabilis</i>	Snuggly	ES0101P	12-14 wks	Sun-Partial shade	BeGreen ApeX Pelleted	19
<i>Koeleria glauca</i>	Bluey	KG0101R	14-16 wks	Sun-Partial shade	Raw	20
<i>Nassella tenuissima</i>	Pony Tails*	NT0101R/P	12-14 wks	Sun-Partial shade	Raw & BeGreen Pelleted	21
<i>Muhlenbergia reverchonii</i>	Rosy	MR0101R	14-16 wks	Sun-Partial shade	Raw	22
<i>Muhlenbergia capillaris</i>	Ruby	MC0101R	14-16 wks	Sun-Partial shade	Raw	23

*This grass is considered invasive in some areas of the US. Please check local USDA for shipping restrictions.



Carex comans

Zora

- Finely textured ornamental grass
- Extraordinary, brownish color
- Versatile use in mixed containers or beds



Brown-leaved Beauty



Zora
CC5001R

Plug Time	
288 tray	5-7 wks
Finished Time (from 288 tray)	
10-12 cm (4-5") pots (1*)	9-10 wks
15-19 cm (6-7") pots (3*)	11-12 wks
Crop Time (from sowing to sale)	
16-18 wks	

* plants per pot

Seed Form	Raw
Seeds/Plug	4-6
Cover	No
Germ. Temperature	20-22 °C (68-72 °F)
Germ. Time	7-14 days
Height	35 cm (14")
Width	20 cm (8")
Exposure	Sun-Partial shade



The Cutie of the Grasses

Lagurus ovatus ✕

Bunny

- Bunny tail grass with fluffy, white spikelets
- Suitable for pot and container production
- Perfect landscape performance
- Excellent for dried flower production

Bunny
LO0101R



Plug Time

288 tray	3 wks
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Finished Time (from 288 tray)

10-12 cm (4-5") pots (1*)	5-6 wks
15-19 cm (6-7") pots (3*)	6-7 wks

Crop Time (from sowing to sale)

8-10 wks

* plants per pot

Seed Form	Raw
Seeds/Plug	3-5
Cover	No
Germ. Temperature	15-18 °C (58-64 °F)
Germ. Time	4-8 days
Height	40-50 cm (16-20")
Width	30-40 cm (12-16")
Exposure	Sun-Shade



Melinis nerviglumis ✕

Savannah



- Excellent texture for mixed containers or large landscape plantings
- Dense, velvety pink panicles
- Long panicles blow in the wind
- Drought tolerant

Savannah
MN0101R/P



Great Structure Plant for
High Value Combos



Plug Time	
288 tray	6-8 wks
Finished Time (from 288 tray)	
10-12 cm (4-5") pots (1*)	13-14 wks
15-19 cm (6-7") pots (3*)	14-15 wks
Crop Time (from sowing to sale)	
20-22 wks	

* plants per pot

Seed Form	Raw & BeGreen Pelleted
Seeds/Plug	4-6
Cover	Yes
Germ. Temperature	20-22 °C (68-72 °F)
Germ. Time	7-14 days
Height	45-60 cm (18-24")
Width	30 cm (11")
Exposure	Sun-Partial shade

Hordeum jubatum ✕

Ricky

- Attractive structural plant
- Green spikelets turning yellow and rose during summer
- Perfect for landscape and group plantings
- Suitable as dried flower in bouquets

Extraordinary Color
Play during Summer



Ricky
HJ0101R



Plug Time	
288 tray	4 wks
Finished Time (from 288 tray)	
10-12 cm (4-5") pots (1*)	6-7 wks
15-19 cm (6-7") pots (3*)	7-8 wks
Crop Time (from sowing to sale)	
10-12 wks	

* plants per pot

Seed Form	Raw
Seeds/Plug	4-6
Cover	No
Germ. Temperature	20-22 °C (68-72 °F)
Germ. Time	4-8 days
Height	60-70 cm (24-28")
Width	40-60 cm (16-24")
Exposure	Sun-Shade

Cyperus glaber ✕

Abby

- Round-shaped plant habit
- Decorative spikelets growing from dark green leaves
- Great filler in floral arrangements
- Tolerates high water levels

Shooting Star



Abby
CG0301R

Plug Time	
288 tray	5 wks
Finished Time (from 288 tray)	
15-19 cm (6-7") pots (3*)	5-7 wks
Crop Time (from sowing to sale)	
10-12 wks	

* plants per pot

Seed Form	Raw
Seeds/Plug	3-5
Cover	No
Germ. Temperature	22-24 °C (72-76 °F)
Germ. Time	7-14 days
Height	70-80 cm (28-32")
Width	50-60 cm (20-24")
Exposure	Sun-Shade



Fluffy Eyecatcher

Fluffy
PV1001R/P

Pennisetum villosum ✕

Fluffy

New
Seed
Form

Be...
Green

- Fluffy white spikelets on fresh green leaves
- Eyecatcher as stand-alone plant
- Excellent for group and mass plantings



Plug Time

288 tray	4-5 wks
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Finished Time (from 288 tray)

15-19 cm (6-7") pots (3*)	10-12 wks
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Crop Time (from sowing to sale)

14-16 wks

* plants per pot

Seed Form	Rubbed & BeGreen Pelleted
Seeds/Plug	4-6
Cover	Yes
Germ. Temperature	22-24 °C (72-76 °F)
Germ. Time	3-6 days
Height	60-90 cm (24-35")
Width	40 cm (16")
Exposure	Sun-Partial shade



Pennisetum glaucum

Inky

New

- Striking, large, red flower spikes on reddish-brown foliage
- Drought tolerant, vigorous millet grass
- Eye-catcher in mass landscape plantings, especially in autumn



Inky
PG3001R

Plug Time	
288 tray	4-5 wks
Finished Time (from 288 tray)	
15-19 cm (6-7") pots (3*)	10-11 wks
Crop Time (from sowing to sale)	
14-16 wks	

* plants per pot

Seed Form	Raw
Seeds/Plug	4-6
Cover	Yes
Germ. Temperature	22-24 °C (72-76 °F)
Germ. Time	5-8 days
Height	100-120 cm (40-48")
Width	30-40 cm (12-16")
Exposure	Sun-Partial shade



Eragrostis elliottii

Lovey

New

Be...
Green

Graceful and Resilient

- Fine-textured foliage and airy flower heads
- Drought resistant
- Warm climate grass with vigorous growth for landscaping



Lovey
EE0101P



Plug Time

288 tray	4 wks
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Finished Time (from 288 tray)

15-19 cm (6-7") pots (3*)	6-8 wks
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Crop Time (from sowing to sale)

10-12 wks

* plants per pot

Seed Form	BeGreen Apex Pelleted
Seeds/Plug	4-5
Cover	No
Germ. Temperature	22-24 °C (72-76 °F)
Germ. Time	3-6 days
Height	130-150 cm (51-59")
Width	50-60 cm (20-24")
Exposure	Sun-Partial shade

Perennial Grasses

Nassella tenuissima
Pony Tails





Festuca valesiaca var. *glaucantha*

Buddy

- Finely textured ornamental grass for versatile uses
- Best selection from seed in the market
- Open panicles with beige spikelets
- Tuft-forming, compact habit
- Evergreen grass

Silvery-Blue Leaves



Buddy Blue
FV0101R

Plug Time	
288 tray	4-5 wks
Finished Time (from 288 tray)	
10-12 cm (4-5") pots (1*)	10-11 wks
15-19 cm (6-7") pots (3*)	11-12 wks
Crop Time (from sowing to sale)	
14-16 wks	

* plants per pot

Seed Form	Raw
Seeds/Plug	4-6
Cover	Yes
Germ. Temperature	18-20 °C (64-68 °F)
Germ. Time	7-14 days
Height	25-50 cm (10-20")
Width	40 cm (16")
Exposure	Sun-Partial shade
Hardiness Zone	4-8

Festuca glauca

FreddyNew
Seed
FormBe...
Green

- Blue-green leaves
- Tuft-forming habit
- Evergreen grass

Open Panicles with
Lighter Spikelets



Freddy
FG0101R/P

Plug Time	
288 tray	4-5 wks
Finished Time (from 288 tray)	
10-12 cm (4-5") pots (1*)	10-11 wks
15-19 cm (6-7") pots (3*)	11-12 wks
Crop Time (from sowing to sale)	
14-16 wks	

* plants per pot

Seed Form	Raw & BeGreen Pelleted
Seeds/Plug	4-6
Cover	Yes
Germ. Temperature	18-20 °C (64-68 °F)
Germ. Time	7-14 days
Height	30-50 cm (12-20")
Width	40 cm (16")
Exposure	Sun-Partial shade
Hardiness Zone	4-8



Corynephorus canescens

Spiky

New

- Compact growth of blue-silvery foliage
- Drought tolerant, hardy grass
- Adds texture and contrast to landscape planting



Spiky
CC5501R

Silvery-Blue Foliage

Plug Time	
288 tray	4-5 wks
Finished Time (from 288 tray)	
10-12 cm (4-5") pots (1*)	9-10 wks
15-19 cm (6-7") pots (3*)	10-11 wks
Crop Time (from sowing to sale)	
14-16 wks	

* plants per pot

Seed Form	Raw
Seeds/Plug	4-6
Cover	No
Germ. Temperature	20-22 °C (68-72 °F)
Germ. Time	3-6 days
Height	40-50 cm (16-20")
Width	40-50 cm (16-20")
Exposure	Sun-Partial shade
Hardiness Zone	5-9

Eragrostis spectabilis

Snuggy

New

Be...
Green

- Coarsely-textured foliage with compact growth
- Drought tolerant, for sandy soils
- Showy, easy-care grass for landscape plantings



Snuggy
ES0101P

Plug Time	
288 tray	6-7 wks
Finished Time (from 288 tray)	
10-12 cm (4-5") pots (1*)	6-7 wks
15-19 cm (6-7") pots (3*)	7-8 wks
Crop Time (from sowing to sale)	
12-14 wks	

* plants per pot

Seed Form	BeGreen ApeX Pelleted
Seeds/Plug	4-6
Cover	No
Germ. Temperature	22-24 °C (72-76 °F)
Germ. Time	10-14 days
Height	50-60 cm (20-24")
Width	50-60 cm (20-24")
Exposure	Sun-Partial shade
Hardiness Zone	5-10



Koeleria glauca

Bluey

New

- Numerous, short flower spikes on compact, bluish foliage
- Drought tolerant, for sandy soils
- Water-wise, low maintenance grass for landscaping



Bluey
KG0101R



Plug Time	
288 tray	4-5 wks
Finished Time (from 288 tray)	
10-12 cm (4-5") pots (1*)	9-10 wks
15-19 cm (6-7") pots (3*)	10-11 wks
Crop Time (from sowing to sale)	
14-16 wks	

* plants per pot

Seed Form	Raw
Seeds/Plug	4-6
Cover	No
Germ. Temperature	20-22 °C (68-72 °F)
Germ. Time	6-10 days
Height	60-70 cm (124-28")
Width	40-50 cm (16-20")
Exposure	Sun-Partial shade
Hardiness Zone	4-9



Nassella tenuissima ✕

Pony Tails

New
Seed
Form



Delicate, Bright Spikelets

- Airy, beige flower heads on fresh green leaves
- Excellent for group plantings
- Eyecatcher as stand-alone plant

Creates
Excellent
Group
Plantings



Pony Tails*
NT0101R/P

Plug Time	
288 tray	4-5 wks
Finished Time (from 288 tray)	
10-12 cm (4-5") pots (1*)	6-7 wks
15-19 cm (6-7") pots (3*)	7-8 wks
Crop Time (from sowing to sale)	
12-14 wks	

* plants per pot

Seed Form	Raw & BeGreen Pelleted
Seeds/Plug	4-6
Cover	No
Germ. Temperature	20-22 °C (68-72 °F)
Germ. Time	6-10 days
Height	60-90 cm (24-36")
Width	30 cm (12")
Exposure	Sun-Partial shade
Hardiness Zone	6-10

Muhlenbergia reverchonii

Rosy

Soft Touch

- Dense, clump-forming plants with green foliage
- Reddish pink flowers float above the foliage
- Smaller in stature and softer blooms than Ruby
- Heat and drought tolerant
- Needs warmer temperatures for better flower initiation and lush blooms



Rosy
MR0101R

Plug Time	
288 tray	6-8 wks
Finished Time (from 288 tray)	
10-12 cm (4-5") pots (1*)	8-9 wks
15-19 cm (6-7") pots (3*)	9-10 wks
Crop Time (from sowing to sale)	
14-16 wks	

* plants per pot

Seed Form	Raw
Seeds/Plug	4-6
Cover	No
Germ. Temperature	20-22 °C (68-72 °F)
Germ. Time	7-14 days
Height	60-80 cm (24-32")
Width	50 cm (20")
Exposure	Sun-Partial shade
Heat Zone	3-12
Hardiness Zone	5-10



Ruby
MC0101R



Muhlenbergia capillaris

Ruby

Amazing Pink Colored Blooms

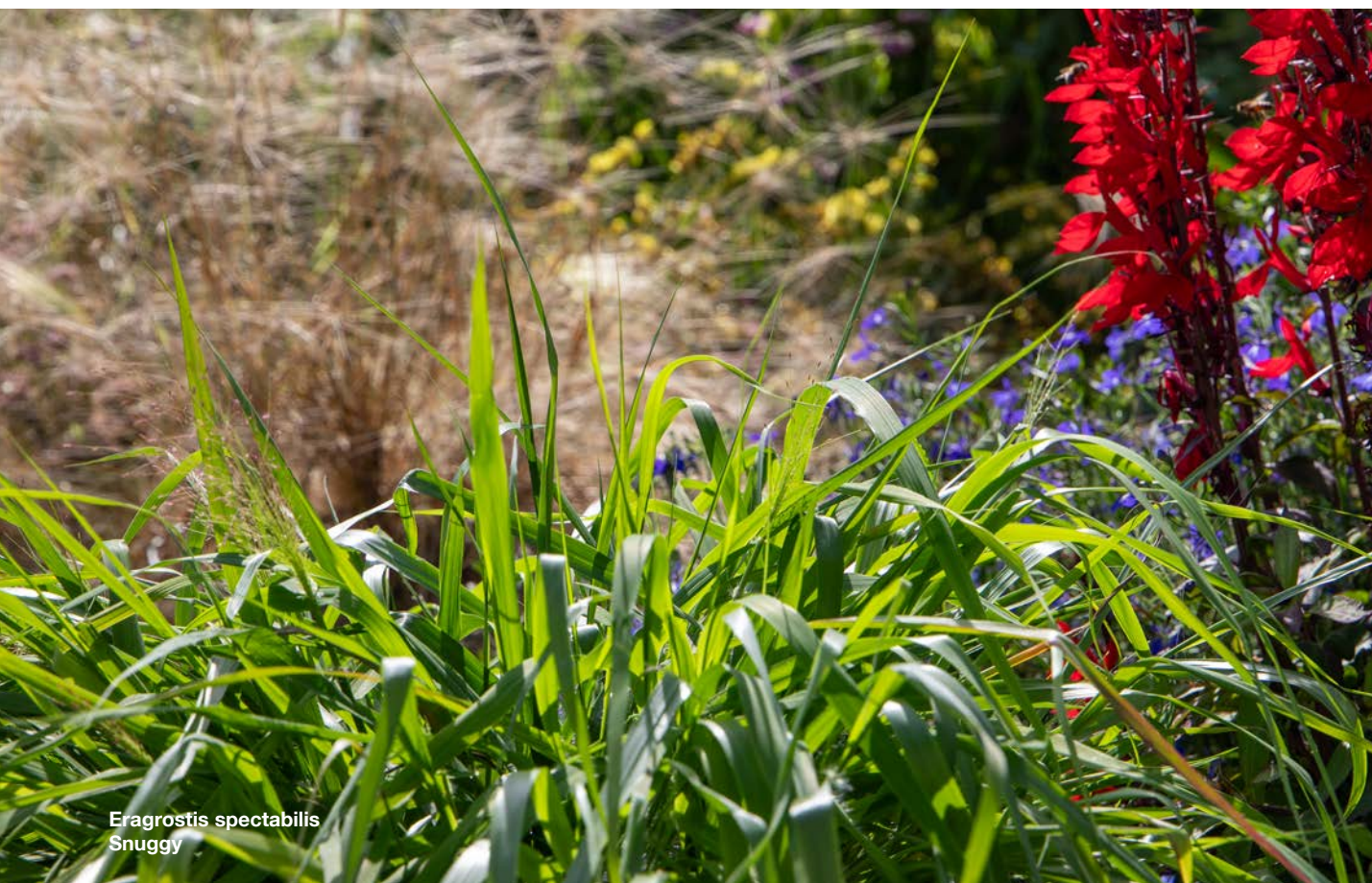
- Excellent texture in mass plantings
- Heat and drought tolerant
- Needs warmer temperatures for better flower initiation and lush blooms
- Highly preferred by landscape architects



Plug Time	
288 tray	6-8 wks
Finished Time (from 288 tray)	
10-12 cm (4-5") pots (1*)	8-9 wks
15-19 cm (6-7") pots (3*)	9-10 wks
Crop Time (from sowing to sale)	
14-16 wks	

* plants per pot

Seed Form	Raw
Seeds/Plug	4-6
Cover	No
Germ. Temperature	20-22 °C (68-72 °F)
Germ. Time	7-14 days
Height	70-90 cm (28-36")
Width	60 cm (24")
Exposure	Sun-Partial shade
Heat Zone	3-12
Hardiness Zone	6-10



Eragrostis spectabilis
Snuggly

Disclaimer

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