



Native Plant Signs for Your Nursery or Display Garden (listed by common name)

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Research suggests that customers are more willing to pay for plants labeled as native and non-invasive. Read more at:

http://msue.anr.msu.edu/news/eco_labeling_which_terms_really_are_effective_in_marketing_or_natural_plant

Herbaceous Plants

Alumroot, American	<i>Heuchera americana</i>
Alumroot, prairie	<i>Heuchera richardsonii</i>
Agoseris, pale/false dandelion	<i>Agoseris glauca</i>
Anemone, Canada	<i>Anemone canadensis</i>
Angelica	<i>Angelica atropurpurea</i>
Aster, bigleaf	<i>Eurybia macrophylla</i>
Aster, heart-leaved	<i>Symphyotrichum cordifolium</i>
Aster, New England	<i>Symphyotrichum novae-angliae</i>
Aster, sky blue	<i>Symphyotrichum oolentangiense</i>
Aster, smooth	<i>Symphyotrichum laeve</i>
Baneberry, red	<i>Actaea rubra</i>
Baneberry, white/doll’s eyes	<i>Actaea pachypoda</i>
Beardtongue, foxglove	<i>Penstemon digitalis</i>
Beardtongue, hairy	<i>Penstemon hirsutus</i>
Bellflower, tall	<i>Campanula americana</i>
Bellwort, tall	<i>Uvularia grandiflora</i>
Bergamot, wild/bee balm	<i>Monarda fistulosa</i>
Bishop's cap	<i>Mitella diphylla</i>
Black-eyed Susan	<i>Rudbeckia hirta</i>
Black-eyed Susan, sweet	<i>Rudbeckia subtomentosa</i>
Blazing star, cylindrical	<i>Liatris cylindracea</i>

Blazing star, marsh	<i>Liatris spicata</i>
Blazing star, northern	<i>Liatris scariosa</i>
Blazing star, plains/scaly	<i>Liatris squarrosa</i>
Blazing star, prairie	<i>Liatris pycnostachya</i>
Blazing star, rough	<i>Liatris aspera</i>
Bloodroot	<i>Sanguinaria canadensis</i>
Bluebells, Virginia	<i>Mertensia virginica</i>
Blue-eyed grass	<i>Sisyrinchium angustifolium</i>
Boneset	<i>Eupatorium perfoliatum</i>
Cardinal flower	<i>Lobelia cardinalis</i>
Celandine poppy	<i>Stylophorum diphyllum</i>
Cohosh, blue	<i>Caulophyllum thalictroides</i>
Columbine, wild	<i>Aquilegia canadensis</i>
Compass plant	<i>Silphium laciniatum</i>
Coneflower, cutleaf	<i>Rudbeckia laciniata</i>
Coneflower, grey-headed	<i>Ratibida pinnata</i>
Coneflower, pale	<i>Echinacea pallida</i>
Coneflower, purple	<i>Echinacea purpurea</i>
Coneflower, showy	<i>Rudbeckia fulgida</i>
Coreopsis, prairie	<i>Coreopsis palmata</i>
Coreopsis, sand/lance-leaf	<i>Coreopsis lanceolata</i>
Coreopsis, tall	<i>Coreopsis tripteris</i>



Culver's root	<i>Veronicastrum virginicum</i>
Cup plant	<i>Silphium perfoliatum</i>
Dock, prairie	<i>Silphium terebinthinaceum</i>
Dogbane, creeping	<i>Apocynum cannabinum</i>
Dutchman's breeches	<i>Dicentra cucullaria</i>
Evening primrose, common	<i>Oenothera biennis</i>
False boneset	<i>Brickellia eupatorioides</i>
False indigo, blue	<i>Baptisia australis</i>
False indigo, cream	<i>Baptisia bracteata</i>
False Solomon's seal, feathery	<i>Mianthemum racemosum</i>
False Solomon's seal, starry	<i>Mianthemum stellatum</i>
Fireweed, American	<i>Chamaenerion angustifolium</i>
Foamflower, heartleaf	<i>Tiarella cordifolia</i>
Gentian, bottle	<i>Gentiana andrewsii</i>
Geranium, wild/cranesbill	<i>Geranium maculatum</i>
Ginger, wild	<i>Asarum canadense</i>
Golden Alexander	<i>Zizia aurea</i>
Goldenrod, bluestem	<i>Solidago caesia</i>
Goldenrod, grey/field	<i>Solidago nemoralis</i>
Goldenrod, hairy	<i>Solidago hispida</i>
Goldenrod, Riddell's	<i>Solidago riddellii</i>
Goldenrod, showy	<i>Solidago speciosa</i>
Goldenrod, stiff	<i>Solidago rigida</i>
Harebell	<i>Campanula rotundifolia</i>
Hepatica, common (sharp or round)	<i>Hepatica nobilis</i>
Horsemint	<i>Monarda punctata</i>
Iris, blue flag	<i>Iris versicolor</i>
Iris, southern blue flag	<i>Iris virginiana</i>
Ironweed	<i>Veronia missurica</i>
Jack-in-the-pulpit	<i>Arisaema triphyllum</i>
Jacob's ladder	<i>Polemonium reptans</i>
Joe-pye weed, common	<i>Eutrochium maculatum</i>
Joe-pye weed, hollow	<i>Eutrochium fistulosum</i>
Joe-pye weed, sweet	<i>Eutrochium purpureum</i>

Jerusalem artichoke	<i>Helianthus tuberosus</i>
Lead plant	<i>Amorpha canescens</i>
Lily, Michigan	<i>Lilium michiganense</i>
Lily, wood	<i>Lilium philadelphicum</i>
Lobelia, great blue	<i>Lobelia siphilitica</i>
Lupine, wild	<i>Lupinus perennis</i>
Mallow/hibiscus, swamp	<i>Hibiscus moscheutos</i>
Mayapple	<i>Podophyllum peltatum</i>
Mayflower, Canada/wild lily-of-the-valley	<i>Maianthemum canadense</i>
Meadow-rue, early	<i>Thalictrum dioicum</i>
Meadow-rue, purple	<i>Thalictrum dasycarpum</i>
Milk vetch, Canada	<i>Atragalus canadensis</i>
Milkweed, butterfly	<i>Asclepias tuberosa</i>
Milkweed, common	<i>Asclepias syriaca</i>
Milkweed, poke	<i>Asclepias exaltata</i>
Milkweed, prairie/smooth	<i>Asclepias sullivantii</i>
Milkweed, swamp	<i>Asclepias incarnata</i>
Milkweed, tall green	<i>Asclepias hirtella</i>
Milkweed, whorled	<i>Asclepias verticillata</i>
Monkey flower	<i>Mimulus ringens</i>
Mountain mint	<i>Pycnanthemum virginianum</i>
Nodding wild onion	<i>Allium cernuum</i>
Obedient plant/false dragonhead	<i>Physostegia virginiana</i>
Pale Indian Plantain	<i>Carcalia atriplicifolia</i>
Pea, partridge	<i>Chamaecrista fasciculata</i>
Petunia, wild	<i>Ruellia humilis</i>
Phlox, prairie/downy	<i>Phlox pilosa</i>
Phlox, woodland/wild blue	<i>Phlox divaricata</i>
Prairie clover, purple	<i>Dalea purpurea</i>
Prairie smoke	<i>Geum triflorum</i>
Prickly pear, eastern	<i>Opuntia humifusa</i>
Pussytoes, smooth	<i>Antennaria parlinii</i>
Queen of the prairie	<i>Filipendula rubra</i>
Ragwort, round-leaf	<i>Senecio obovatus</i>



Ramp/wild leek	<i>Allium tricoccum</i>
Rattlesnake master	<i>Eryngium yuccifolium</i>
Rosinweed	<i>Silphium integrifolium</i>
Sage, prairie	<i>Artemisia ludoviciana</i>
Senna, wild	<i>Senna hebecarpa</i>
Sneezeweed	<i>Helenium autumnale</i>
Solomon's seal	<i>Polygonatum biflorum</i>
Spiderwort	<i>Tradescantia ohiensis</i>
Spikenard	<i>Aralia racemosa</i>
Spring beauty	<i>Claytonia virginica</i>
Spurge, flowering	<i>Euphorbia corollata</i>
Squirrelcorn	<i>Dicentra canadensis</i>
Sunflower, downy	<i>Helianthus mollis</i>
Sunflower, western	<i>Helianthus occidentalis</i>
Sunflower, woodland	<i>Helianthus divaricatus</i>

Sunflower, early/false	<i>Heliopsis helianthoides</i>
Thimbleweed, common	<i>Anemone cylindrica</i>
Thistle, swamp	<i>Cirsium muticum</i>
Toothwort, cutleaf	<i>Dentaria lancinata</i>
Trillium, large-flowered	<i>Trillium grandiflorum</i>
Trillium, red	<i>Trillium erectum</i>
Trillium, yellow	<i>Trillium luteum</i>
Trout lily	<i>Erythronium americanum</i>
Turtlehead	<i>Chelone glabra</i>
Twinleaf	<i>Jeffersonia diphylla</i>
Vervain, blue	<i>Verbena hastata</i>
Vervain, hoary	<i>Verbena stricta</i>
Violet, wood	<i>Viola palmata</i>
Wild quinine	<i>Parthenium integrifolium</i>
Yellow avens	<i>Geum aleppicum</i>

Grasses

Beachgrass, American	<i>Ammophila brevigulata</i>
Bluestem, big	<i>Andropogon gerardii</i>
Bluestem, little	<i>Schizachyrium scoparium</i>
Bottlebrush grass	<i>Elymus hystrix</i>
Bulrush	<i>Scirpus atrovirens</i>
Dunegrass, American	<i>Leymus mollis</i>
Indian grass	<i>Sorghastrum nutans</i>
Junegrass	<i>Koeleria cristata</i>
Prairie cordgrass	<i>Spartina pectinata</i>
Prairie dropseed	<i>Sporobolus heterolepis</i>
Purpletop	<i>Tridens flavus</i>

Sea oats, northern	<i>Chasmanthium latifolium</i>
Sedge, bristly/bottlebrush	<i>Carex comosa</i>
Sedge, brown fox	<i>Carex vulpinoidea</i>
Sedge, fringed	<i>Carex crinita</i>
Sedge, Pennsylvania	<i>Carex pensylvanica</i>
Sedge, plantain-leaf	<i>Carex plantaginea</i>
Sedge, silver	<i>Carex platyphylla</i>
Side-oats grama	<i>Bouteloua curtipendula</i>
Sweet grass	<i>Anthoxanthum hirtum</i>
Switchgrass	<i>Panicum virgatum</i>
Wild rye, Canada	<i>Elymus canadensis</i>

Vines/Groundcovers

Bearberry	<i>Arctostaphylos uva-ursi</i>
Bittersweet, American	<i>Celastrus scandens</i>
Bunchberry	<i>Cornus canadensis</i>
Cherry, dwarf sand	<i>Prunus pumila</i>

Cinquefoil, common	<i>Potentilla simplex</i>
Grape, riverbank/wild	<i>Vitis riparia</i>
Honeysuckle, trumpet	<i>Lonicera sempervirens</i>
Prickly-pear, eastern	<i>Opuntia humifusa</i>



Strawberry, wild	<i>Fragaria virginiana</i>
Sumac, fragrant	<i>Rhus aromatica</i>
Trumpet vine	<i>Campsis radicans</i>

Virginia creeper	<i>Parthenocissus quinquefolia</i>
Virgin's bower	<i>Clematis virginiana</i>
Wintergreen	<i>Gaultheria procumbens</i>

Ferns

Christmas fern	<i>Polystichum acrostichoides</i>
Cinnamon fern	<i>Osmunda cinnamomea</i>
Interrupted fern	<i>Osmunda claytoniana</i>
Lady fern	<i>Athyrium filix-femina</i>
Maidenhair fern	<i>Adiantum pedatum</i>

Male fern	<i>Dryopteris filix-mas</i>
Ostrich fern	<i>Matteuccia struthiopteris</i>
Royal fern	<i>Osmunda regalis</i>
Sensitive fern	<i>Onoclea sensibilis</i>

Trees/Shrubs

Ash, white	<i>Fraxinus americana</i>
Aspen, quaking	<i>Populus tremuloides</i>
Basswood/American linden	<i>Tilia americana</i>
Bayberry, American	<i>Myrica pennsylvanica</i>
Birch, paper/white	<i>Betula papyrifera</i>
Birch, river	<i>Betula nigra</i>
Birch, yellow	<i>Betula alleghaniensis</i>
Blueberry, low	<i>Vaccinium angustifolium</i>
Box-elder	<i>Acer negundo</i>
Buttonbush	<i>Cephalanthus occidentalis</i>
Cedar, northern white	<i>Thuja occidentalis</i>
Red-cedar	<i>Juniperus virginiana</i>
Cherry, black	<i>Prunus serotina</i>
Chokeberry, black	<i>Aronia melanocarpa</i>
Chokecherry	<i>Prunus virginiana</i>
Cinquefoil, shrubby	<i>Dasiphora fucifosa</i>
Cottonwood, eastern	<i>Populus deltoides</i>
Dogwood, flowering	<i>Cornus florida</i>
Dogwood, gray/stiff	<i>Cornus foemina</i>
Dogwood, pagoda/alternate	<i>Cornus alternifolia</i>
Dogwood, red-osier	<i>Cornus sericea</i>
Dogwood, round-leaf	<i>Cornus rugosa</i>

Elderberry, American	<i>Sambucus canadensis</i>
Elderberry, red	<i>Sambucus racemosa</i>
Fir, balsam	<i>Abies balsamea</i>
Hazelnut, American	<i>Corylus americana</i>
Hemlock, eastern	<i>Tsuga canadensis</i>
Hickory, bitternut	<i>Carya cordiformis</i>
Hickory, shagbark	<i>Carya ovata</i>
Highbush-cranberry	<i>Viburnum trilobum</i>
Hop-hornbeam	<i>Ostrya virginiana</i>
Hop-tree	<i>Ptelea trifoliata</i>
Juniper, common	<i>Juniperus communis</i>
Juniper, creeping	<i>Juniperus horizontalis</i>
Lead bush/false indigo bush	<i>Amorpha fruticosa</i>
Maple, red	<i>Acer rubrum</i>
Maple, silver	<i>Acer saccharinum</i>
Maple, sugar	<i>Acer saccharum</i>
Meadowsweet	<i>Spiraea alba</i>
Mountain-ash, American	<i>Sorbus americana</i>
Musclewood/blue-beech	<i>Carpinus caroliniana</i>
Nannyberry	<i>Viburnum lentago</i>
New Jersey tea	<i>Caenothus americanus</i>
Ninebark	<i>Physocarpus opulifolius</i>



	Oak, black	<i>Quercus velutina</i>
	Oak, burr	<i>Quercus macrocarpa</i>
	Oak, red	<i>Quercus rubra</i>
	Oak, swamp white	<i>Quercus bicolor</i>
	Oak, white	<i>Quercus alba</i>
	Pawpaw	<i>Asimina triloba</i>
	Pine, jack	<i>Pinus banksiana</i>
	Pine, red	<i>Pinus resinosa</i>
	Pine, white	<i>Pinus strobus</i>
	Plum, American/wild	<i>Prunus americana</i>
	Redbud, eastern	<i>Cercis canadensis</i>
	Rose, Carolina/pasture	<i>Rosa carolina</i>
	Rose, swamp	<i>Rosa palustris</i>
	Sassafras	<i>Sassafras albidum</i>
	Serviceberry, Allegheny	<i>Amelanchier laevis</i>
	Serviceberry, Canada	<i>Amelanchier canadensis</i>

	Serviceberry, downy	<i>Amelanchier arborea</i>
	Spicebush	<i>Lindera benzoin</i>
	Spruce, black	<i>Picea mariana</i>
	Spruce, white	<i>Picea glauca</i>
	Steeplebush	<i>Spiraea tomentosa</i>
	St. John's wort, Kalm's	<i>Hypericum kalmianum</i>
	St. John's wort, shrubby	<i>Hypericum prolificum</i>
	Sumac, shining/winged	<i>Rhus copallina</i>
	Sumac, staghorn	<i>Rhus typhina</i>
	Tamarack/American larch	<i>Larix laricina</i>
	Viburnum, downy arrowwood	<i>Viburnum dentatum</i>
	Viburnum, maple-leaf	<i>Viburnum acerifolium</i>
	Walnut, black	<i>Juglans nigra</i>
	Willow, pussy	<i>Salix discolor</i>
	Winterberry/MI holly	<i>Ilex verticillata</i>
	Witch-hazel, American	<i>Hamamelis virginiana</i>

Additional Native Species (possible future signs)
