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## Arizona’s Prohibited Noxious Weed Seed List R3-4-403 Noxious Weed Seeds

In addition to the noxious weeds prohibited in the “Federal Seed Act”, below is a list of prohibited noxious weed seeds sorted by common name.

Common Name	Scientific Name
African rue (Syrian rue)	<i>Peganum harmala</i> L.
African sumac	<i>Searsia lancea</i>
Black mustard	<i>Brassica nigra</i>
Branched broomrape	<i>Orobanche ramosa</i> L.
Buffelgrass	<i>Cenchrus ciliaris</i> ( <i>Pennisetum ciliare</i> )
Bull thistle	<i>Cirsium vulgare</i>
Camelthorn	<i>Alhagi maurorum</i>
Canada thistle	<i>Cirsium arvense</i> L. Scop.
Cheatgrass	<i>Bromus tectorum</i>
Dalmation toadflax	<i>Linaria dalmatica</i> (L. <i>genistifolia</i> var. <i>dalmatica</i> )
Diffuse knapweed	<i>Centaurea diffusa</i>
Dudaim melon (Queen Anne’s melon)	<i>Cucumis melo</i> L. var. <i>Dudaim</i> Naudin
Dyers woad	<i>Isatis tinctoria</i> L.
Field bindweed	<i>Convolvulus arvensis</i> L.
Field sandbur	<i>Cenchrus spinifex</i> ( <i>C. incertus</i> )
Floating water hyacinth;	<i>Eichornia crassipes</i>
Fountain grass	<i>Pennisetum setaceum</i>
Garden or common morning glory	<i>Ipomoea purpurea</i>
Giant reed	<i>Arundo donax</i>
Giant Salvinia	<i>Salvinia molesta</i>
Globed-podded hoary cress (Whitetop)	<i>Lepidium draba</i> ( <i>Crdaria draba</i> )
Grannyvine	<i>Ipomoea tricolor</i>
Halogeton	<i>Halogeton glomeratus</i> (M. Bieb.) C.A. Mey

Hydrilla (Florida-elodea)	<i>Hydrilla verticillata</i> (L.f.) Royle
Ivy-leaf morning glory	<i>Ipomoea hederacea</i>
Johnsongrass	<i>Sorghum halepense</i>
Jointed goatgrass	<i>Aegilops cylindrica</i> Host.
Kochia	<i>Kochia scoparia</i>
Leafy spurge	<i>Euphorbia esula</i> L.
Lehman's lovegrass	<i>Eragrostis lehmanniana</i>
Malta starthistle	<i>Centaurea melitensis</i>
Morning glory	<i>Ipomoea triloba</i>
Morning glory	<i>Ipomoea x leucantha</i>
Musk thistle	<i>Cardus nutans</i>
Natal grass	<i>Melinis repens</i>
Onionweed	<i>Asphodelus fistulosus</i>
Plumeless thistle	<i>Carduus acanthoides</i> L.
Puncturevine	<i>Tribulus terrestris</i> L.
Purple loosestrife	<i>Lythrum salicaria</i> L.
Purple starthistle	<i>Centaurea calcitrapa</i> L.
Quackgrass	<i>Elymus repens</i>
Red brome	<i>Bromus rubens</i>
Ripgut brome	<i>Bromus diandrus</i>
Rush skeletonweed	<i>Chondrilla juncea</i> L.
Russian knapweed	<i>Acroptilon repens</i> (L.) DC.
Russian olive	<i>Elaeagnus angustifolia</i>
Saharan mustard	<i>Brassica tournefortii</i>
Salt cedar	Tamarix spp.
Scotch thistle	<i>Onopordum acanthium</i> L.
Siberian elm	<i>Ulmus pumila</i>
Southern sandbur	<i>Cenchrus echinatus</i> L.
Spotted knapweed	<i>Centaurea stoebe</i> (C. maculosa)
Stinknet (Globe chamomile)	<i>Oncosiphon pilulifer</i> (O. piluliferum)
Sweet resinbush	<i>Euryops subcarnosus</i>
Tree of heaven	<i>Ailanthus altissima</i>
Ward's weed	<i>Carrichtera annua</i>
Wild mustard	<i>Sinapis arvensis</i>
Yellow bluestem	<i>Bothriochloa ischaemum</i>
Yellow starthistle (St. Barnaby's thistle)	<i>Centaurea solstitialis</i> L.