

Grasses –
The Art
of Garden
Design

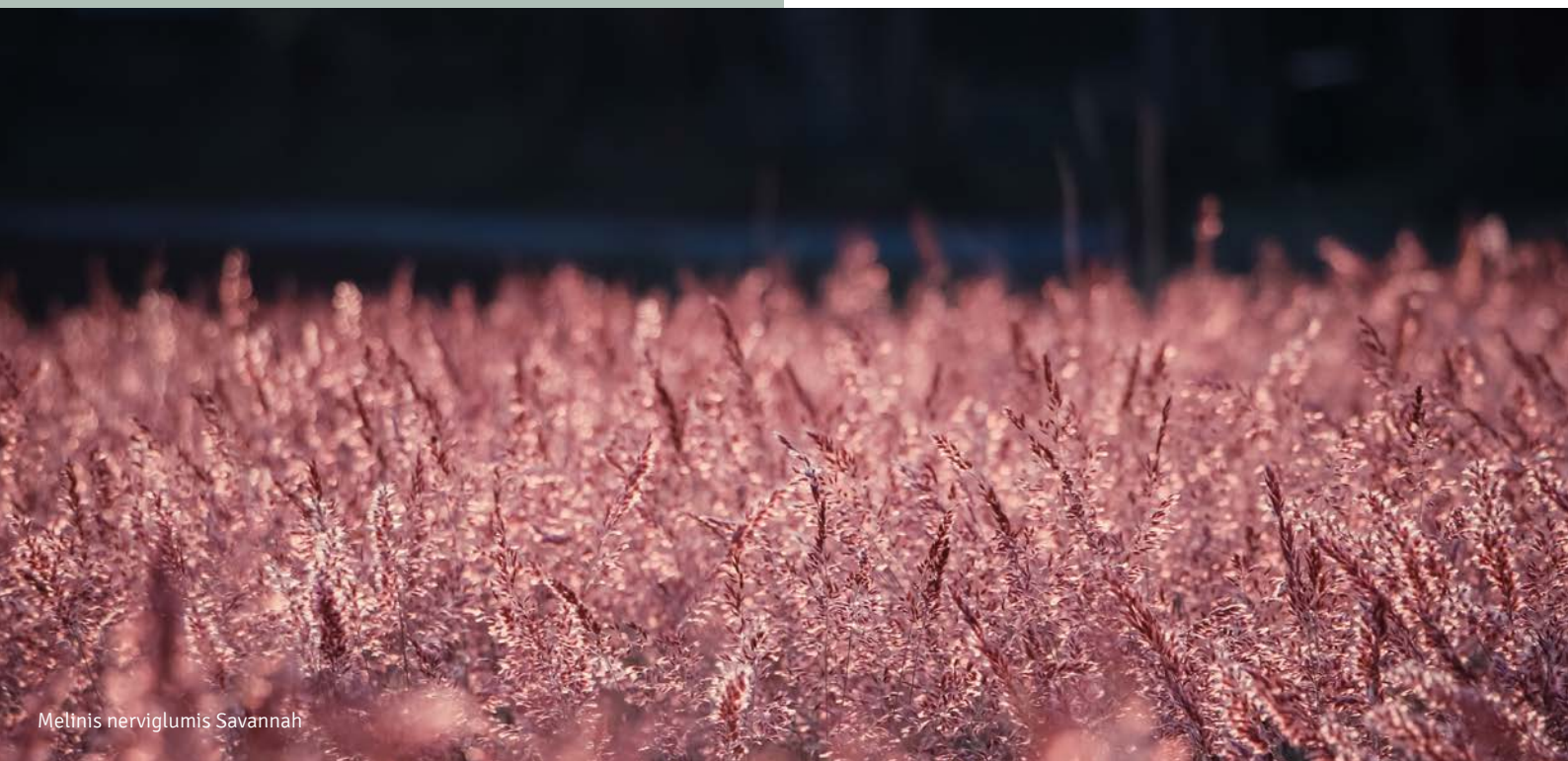
Hordeum jubatum Ricky

Great Grasses for Structure, Texture and Movement











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.



Melinis nerviglumis Savannah

Signs & Symbols			
	Plug Time		Exposure
	Finish Time		Seed form
	Crop time* (From sowing to sale)		Heat Zone
	Height		Hardiness Zone
	Width		
Horticultural Signs			
	Annual		Perennial
	Cut Flower		

* Ideal crop time can vary under different local conditions

Seeds per Plug:

288/128 cells for 72 to 21 trays. Sow 5-7 seeds per plug, add 3-4 weeks plug time & reduce finish time by 3 weeks.

Plugs per pot:

Gallon/30 cm pot. For 2-3 gallons/60-90 cm, add 3 weeks finish time. More seeds per cell/plugs per pot will result in faster finish.

Pot Size:

quart / 10-13 cm



Carex comans Zora

All our Grasses at a Glance



Cyperus glaber ☉
Abby



Lagurus ovatus ☉
Bunny



Hordeum jubatum ☉
Ricky



Melinis nerviglumis ☉ ×
Savannah



Pennisetum villosus ☉ ×
Fluffy



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Festuca valesiaca var. *glauca* 2
Buddy



Festuca glauca 2
Freddy



Nassella tenuissima 2 ×
Pony Tails



Muhlenbergia capillaris 2 ×
Ruby



Muhlenbergia reverchonii 2 ×
Rosy



Benary's Reliable Seed Supply for Grasses

Grasses are currently a major market trend, globally. There is a suitable grass for every desired application, varying in height, leaf color, flowering time and much more.

What distinguishes the Benary grasses from other ones is that we have a reliable seed supply. We deliver the seeds reliably for years in excellent quality with good germination. If you want to be on the safe side, choose Benary!

– Amelie,
Global Product Manager





Shooting Star



Cyperus glaber ☺

Abby New

- Round-shaped plant habit
- Decorative spikelets growing from dark green leaves
- Great filler in floral arrangements
- Tolerates high water levels
- Minimum germination: 86%



Abby	5 wks	5-7 wks	10-12 wks	28-32"	70-80 cm	20-24"	50-60 cm	Sun-Shade	Raw

Seeds per Plug	Cover	Germination Temperature		Germination Time		Plugs per Pot
3-5	No	70 °F	21 °C	7-14 days		1-3



Lagurus ovatus ☺

Bunny New

- Bunny tail grass with fluffy, white spikelets
- Suitable for pot and container production
- Perfect landscape performance
- Excellent for dried flower production
- Good addition in combinations
- Minimum germination: 84%



Cutie of the Grasses



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Bunny	3 wks	5-7 wks	8-10 wks	16-20"	40-50 cm	12-16"	30-40 cm	Sun-Shade	Raw

Seeds per Plug	Cover	Germination Temperature		Germination Time	Plugs per Pot
3-5	No	70 °F	21 °C	4-8 days	1-3



Hordeum jubatum ☺

Ricky New

- Attractive structural plant
- Green spikelets turning yellow and rose during summer
- Perfect for landscape and group plantings
- Suitable as dried flower in bouquets
- Minimum germination: 84%



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Extraordinary Color Play during Summer



Ricky	4 wks	6-8 wks	10-12 wks	24-28"	60-70 cm	16-24" 40-60 cm	Sun-Shade	Raw

Seeds per Plug	Cover	Germination Temperature		Germination Time		Plugs per Pot
4-6	No	70 °F	21 °C	6-10 days		1-3



Melinis nerviglumis ☉ ✕

Savannah









- Dense, velvety pink panicles
- Long panicles blow in the wind
- Ideal for container production
- Excellent texture for mixed containers or large landscape plantings
- Drought tolerant
- Minimum germination: 84%



Great Structure
Plant for High
Value Combos



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Savannah	6-8 wks	13-15 wks	20-22 wks	18-24"	45-60 cm	11"	30 cm	Sun-Partial shade	Raw

Seeds per Plug	Cover	Germination Temperature		Germination Time		Plugs per Pot
4-6	Yes	70 °F	21 °C	7-14 days		1-3



Pennisetum villosum ☺ ✕

Fluffy

- Fluffy white spikelets
- Fresh green leaves
- Eyecatcher as stand-alone plant
- Excellent for group and mass plantings
- Minimum germination: 84%



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Fluffy Eyecatcher

Fluffy	4-5 wks	10-12 wks	14-16 wks	24"	60 cm	16"	40 cm	Sun-Partial shade	Raw

Seeds per Plug	Cover	Germination Temperature		Germination Time		Plugs per Pot
4-6	Yes	70 °F	21 °C	3-6 days		1-3



Brown-leaved Beauty








Carex comans ☺

Zora

- Finely textured ornamental grass
- Extraordinary, brownish color
- Versatile use in mixed containers or beds
- Extremely long shelf-life
- Grow like an annual but sell as premium perennial
- Minimum germination: 75%



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Zora	5-7 wks	10-12 wks	16-18 wks	14"	35 cm	8"	20 cm
						Sun-Partial shade	Raw

Seeds per Plug	Cover	Germination Temperature		Germination Time		Plugs per Pot
4-6	No	70 °F	21 °C	7-14 days		1-3



Festuca valesiaca var. *glauca* 2l








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
- Minimum germination: 80%



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Silvery-Blue Leaves

									
Buddy	4-5 wks	10-12 wks	14-16 wks	10-20"	25-50 cm	16"	40 cm	Sun	Raw

Seeds per Plug	Cover	Germination Temperature		Germination Time	Plugs per Pot		
4-6	Yes	70 °F	21 °C	7-14 days	1-3	Undertermined	4-8



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*Festuca glauca*2

Freddy

- Blue-green leaves
- Tuft-forming habit
- Evergreen grass
- Minimum germination: 75%



Open Panicles with Lighter Spikelets

									
Freddy	4-5 wks	10-12 wks	14-16 wks	12-20"	30-50 cm	16"	40 cm	Sun	Raw

Seeds per Plug	Cover	Germination Temperature	Germination Time	Plugs per Pot		
4-6	Yes	70 °F 21 °C	10-14 days	1-3	Undetermined	4-8



Nassella tenuissima 

Pony Tails








- Delicate, bright spikelets
- Evergreen grass with fresh, green leaves
- Excellent for group planting, containers and cut production
- Eyecatcher as stand-alone plant
- Minimum germination: 75%



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Creates
Excellent
Group
Plantings

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

								
Pony Tails	4-5 wks	6-7 wks	12 wks	24-35"	60-90 cm	12"	30 cm	Sun
								Raw

Seeds per Plug	Cover	Germination Temperature		Germination Time	Plugs per Pot		
4-6	No	70 °F	21 °C	6-10 days	1-3	Undetermined	6-10



Amazing Pink Colored Blooms








Muhlenbergia capillaris 21 ✕

Ruby

- Excellent texture in mass plantings
- Vigorous plants up to up to 36" (90 cm)
- Heat and drought tolerant
- Needs warmer temperatures for better flower initiation and lush blooms
- Highly preferred by landscape architects
- Minimum germination: 74%



Z 0780

									
Ruby	6-8 wks	8-9 wks	14-16 wks	28-36"	70-90 cm	24"	60 cm	Sun	Raw

Seeds per Plug	Cover	Germination Temperature		Germination Time	Plugs per Pot		
4-6	No	70 °F	21 °C	7-14 days	1-3	3-12	6-10



Soft Touch

Muhlenbergia reverchonii ✕








Rosy

- 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
- Minimum germination: 74%



Z 0790



							
Rosy	6-8 wks	8-9 wks	14-16 wks	24-32"	60-80 cm	20"	50 cm
						Sun	Raw

Seeds per Plug	Cover	Germination Temperature		Germination Time	Plugs per Pot		
4-6	No	70 °F	21 °C	7-14 days	1-3	3-12	5-10

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!

Creating Beautiful Spaces

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!



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Cyperus glaber Abby



Lagurus ovatus Bunny



Hordeum jubatum Ricky

Disclaimer

All information is based on our own trials and would therefore be as guideline only. Detailed cultivation aspects vary depending on climate, location, time of year and environmental conditions. Benary expressly disclaims any responsibility for the content of such data / information and makes no representation or warranty for the cultivation of any products listed. It is recommended that growers conduct a trial of products under their own conditions.

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