

Contestant Name/# _____ County/Chapter _____ Site # _____

North Dakota Range Judging Card

Plant Identification



Instructions: Clearly print the PLANT I.D. NUMBER from the key (back side of card) in the appropriate blank. Place an X in the appropriate column(s) describing characteristics and ecological factors

Ecological and Resource Rating
Desirable = De Undesirable = Un

Plant Identification Number	Life Span			Season of Growth		Grazing Response			Plant Origin		Sharp-tailed Grouse				Cattle Food		SCORE
	P	A	B	C	W	D	Ic	Iv	N	I	Food		Cover		De	Un	
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Key to symbols:
 P = Perennial C = Cool-season D = Decreaser N = Native
 B = Biennial W = Warm-season Ic = Increaser I = Introduced
 A = Annual Iv = Invader

Plant Key

GRASSES

1. American sloughgrass
2. Bearded wheatgrass
3. Big bluestem
4. Blue bunch wheatgrass
5. Blue grama
6. Buffalograss
7. Canada wildrye
8. Cattail species
9. Crested wheatgrass
10. Cheatgrass
11. Foxtail barley
12. Green needlegrass
13. Indian ricegrass
14. Indiangrass
15. Inland saltgrass
16. Kentucky bluegrass
17. Little bluestem
18. Needle-and-Thread
19. Northern reedgrass
20. Nuttall alkaligrass
21. Plains muhly
22. Porcupine grass
23. Prairie cordgrass
24. Prairie dropseed
25. Prairie Junegrass
26. Prairie sandreed
27. Red threeawn
28. Reed canarygrass
29. Sand bluestem
30. Sand dropseed
31. Sandberg bluegrass
32. Sideoats grama
33. Smooth bromegrass
34. Switchgrass
35. Tumblegrass
36. Western wheatgrass
37. Wilcox panicum

SEDGES and RUSHES

38. Baltic rush
39. Slough sedge
40. Three Sedge
41. Upland Sedge

CRYPTOGAMS

42. Clubmoss
43. Horsetail

FORBS

44. Absinth wormwood
45. American licorice
46. American vetch
47. Ball cactus
48. Beards tongue
49. Black samson
50. Blanket flower
51. Blue-eyed grass
52. Bracted spiderwort
53. Canada thistle
54. Cudweed sagewort
55. Curly dock
56. Curlycup gumweed
57. Cutleaf goldenweed
58. Daisy fleabane
59. Deervetch
60. Dotted gayfeather
61. Fringed sagewort
62. Goatsbeard
63. Green sagewort
64. Hairy goldaster
65. Heath aster
66. Hoods phlox
67. Indian breadroot
68. Lamberts crazyweed
69. Leafy spurge
70. Mariposa lily
71. Milkvetch species
72. Missouri goldenrod
73. Pasque flower
74. Plains pricklypear
75. Prairie coneflower
76. Prairie thistle
77. Prairie smoke
78. Purple prairie clover
79. Pussytoes
80. Scarlet globemallow
81. Scarlet gura
82. Silverleaf scurfpea

FORBS (continued)

83. Skeletonweed
84. Soft Goldenrod
85. Stiff Goldenrod
86. Sunflower species
87. Western wallflower
88. Western yarrow
89. White milkwort
90. White prairie clover
91. Sweetclover
92. Wild flax
93. Wild onion
94. Woolly plantain

SHRUBS and HALF-SHRUBS

95. Big sagebrush
96. Broom snakeweed
97. Creeping juniper
98. Leadplant
99. Nuttall saltbush
100. Prairie rose
101. Rabbit brush
102. Shrubby cinquefoil
103. Silver sagebrush
104. Skunk brush sumac
105. Yucca
106. Western snowberry
107. Winterfat

TREES

108. Boxelder
109. Buffaloberry
110. Bur oak
111. Chokecherry
112. Cottonwood
113. Green ash
114. Quaking aspen
115. Rocky Mountain Juniper
116. Juneberry
117. Silverberry