

Solidago missouriensis

Missouri Goldenrod



Plant type:	Rhizomatous Perennial
Season of Interest:	July-Oct Bloom/Fall Interest Oct-Nov
Height:	Up to 32"
Water needs:	Low
Native Region:	CO, Central to Western US
Elevation:	3,700'-10,000'
Important to know:	Keystone Species



Maintenance:	Low. Cut back in spring to maintain seed for fauna over winter.
Characteristics:	Establishes small colonies/clumps.
Habitat:	Prairies, open areas



Ease of Propagation: Easy

Propagation: After-ripen. Store seeds dry for 4-6 months to allow the embryo to mature. Sow after last frost date. Cover very lightly (light requirement). At 70-75°, they germinate in 1-3 weeks. Goldenrods generally do not need a cold stratification, but it probably does no harm to sow outside a month before the last frost date.