

Prices

\$50 per package
(plus tax)

Each package includes:

- 10 Ponderosa Pine
- 10 Rocky Mountain Juniper
- 10 Hackberry
- 10 Nanking Cherry
- 10 Silver Buffaloberry

This package is only available with the species listed above.

For detailed descriptions and photos of mature trees, visit the Conservation Trees for Nebraska website:

nrdtrees.org

How to Order

Orders are taken
November 1 - April 1.

Orders are taken by the Central Platte NRD or your local Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) by calling or visiting either office.

Central Platte NRD

Phone: (308) 385-6282

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Grand Island NE 68803

NRCS Offices (Ext. 3)

Lexington (308) 324-6314

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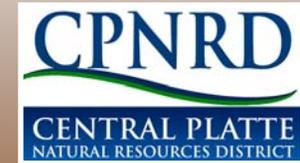
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Western Nebraska Small Acreage Package



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Ponderosa Pine (*Pinus ponderosa*)

Ponderosa Pine is native to northwest and north central Nebraska. Needles are grouped in threes and sometimes pairs 5-10" long. Cones are 3-6" long, each scale is armed with a sharp recurved spine. Can withstand prolonged drought and is the best pine to use on severe sites. Best used in east and south inside rows of windbreaks.

Height at maturity: 35-55'
Spacing within rows: 16-20'
Spacing between rows: 12-24'



Small Acreage Package For Western Nebraska

For landowners that want to plant trees, but don't want 25 seedlings of one kind.

Nanking Cherry (*Prunus tomentosa*)

A winter hardy, moderately fast-growing, medium shrub. Broad spreading, densely twiggy, becoming more open and picturesque with age. Also called Manchu cherry. Edible fruits are dark red and excellent for pies and jellies.

Provides nesting cover and fruit for songbirds. Browsed by rabbits, mice, and deer, which could cause serious injury if control measures are not taken. It is sometimes a rather short-lived plant.

Height at maturity: 4-7'
Spacing within rows: 6-10'
Spacing between rows: 12-16'



Hackberry (*Celtis occidentalis*)

Hackberry is a native tree and found throughout Nebraska. It has medium to long life span. Leaves are elm shaped; the grayish bark has a warty appearance.

Once established, moderate rate of growth and tolerance to adverse weather can be expected. Can be used in single row windbreaks to slow summer winds and increase the snow catch over fields during winter.

Height at maturity: 45-55'
Spacing within rows: 16-20'
Spacing between rows: 16-24'



Rocky Mountain Juniper (*Juniperus scopulorum*)

Rocky Mountain Juniper prefers slightly alkaline soils, but also grows well in rocky, sandy, or clay soils. Medium-sized tree, ranges from 15 - 25' in height. It is drought resistant.

Maintains a bluish-green color throughout the winter. Provides both food and protective cover for wildlife.

Height at maturity: 15-25'
Spacing within rows: 12-16'
Spacing between rows: 12-24'



Silver Buffaloberry (*Shepherdia argentea*)

Silver buffaloberry is a native species of western Nebraska. This thorny, thicket-forming, tree-like shrub is drought tolerant and adaptable to alkaline soils. The persistent, fleshy berries provide food for birds during the winter. The tart berries also are used in jellies.

Height at maturity: 10-12'
Spacing within rows: 6-10'
Spacing between rows: 12-16'

