

## Prices

**\$55 per package**  
*(plus tax)*

Each package includes:

- 10 Ponderosa Pine
- 10 Rocky Mountain Juniper
- 10 Bur Oak
- 10 Chokecherry
- 10 American Plum

*This package is available with only the species listed above.*



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

**[nrdnet.org/tree-program](http://nrdnet.org/tree-program)**

## 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**

**Office: 215 Kaufman Ave  
Grand Island NE 68803**

### *NRCS Offices (Ext. 3)*

**Lexington (308) 324-6314**

**Kearney (308) 237-3118**

**Osceola (402) 747-2461**

**Central City (308) 946-2251**

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## Western Nebraska Small Acreage Package

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**Central Platte**

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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.

## Chokecherry

(*Prunus virginiana*)

Medium to large-sized shrub that forms a dense thicket. Used for outer row in a multi-row windbreak. Good wildlife habitat; provides food and cover for birds and small mammals.



Showy white flowers bloom in April/May, cherries ripen during July. Cherries can be used for making jelly and wine. Should not be planted near other stone-fruit species because of western x-disease and black knot.



**Height at maturity: 6'-12''**  
**Spacing within rows: 6-12'**  
**Spacing between rows: 12-18'**

## Bur Oak (*Quercus macrocarpa*)

Native to Nebraska, Bur Oak grows on a wide variety of sites and best on rich, moist bottomlands. It has a slow to moderate growth rate and is drought tolerant.

Excellent tree for wildlife habitat plantings. It is less susceptible to oak wilt than northern red oak and has no serious insect problems. Oaks may need protection from deer when young.



**Height at maturity: 35-45'**  
**Spacing within rows: 16-22'**  
**Spacing between rows: 16-24'**

## Rocky Mountain Juniper

(*Juniperus scopulorum*)

Prefers slightly alkaline soils, but also grows well in rocky, sandy, or clay soils. Medium-sized tree, Ranges 15 - 25' in height and 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'**

## American Plum

(*Prunus americana*)

Native to Nebraska and well adapted to a wide variety of soil and climates. Forms dense thickets ideal for outside rows of windbreaks and wildlife habitat. Birds, deer, and rabbits use thickets during the winter.



White flowers bloom in May, red to purple plums ripen during September. Earliest ripening fruit is the sweetest and makes the best jelly.



**Height at maturity: 5-8'**  
**Spacing within rows: 6-10'**  
**Spacing between rows: 12-16'**