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National Seed Warehouse System





Seed Warehouse System Vision and Goals



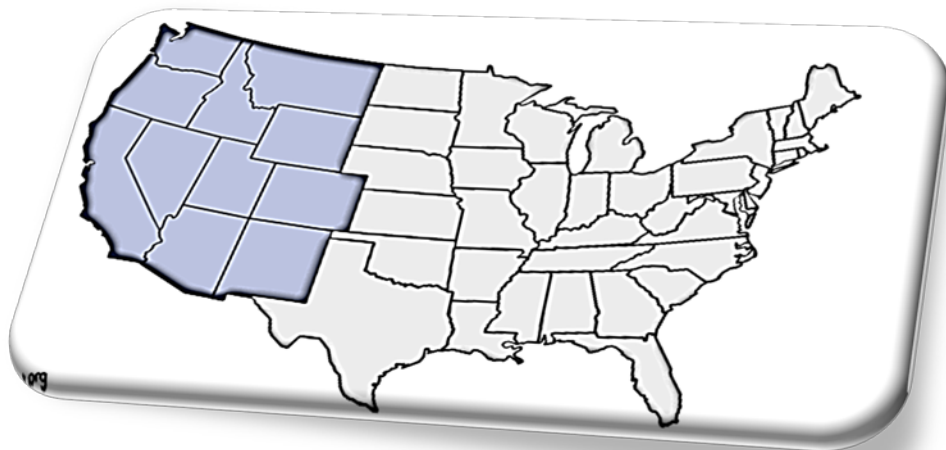
- **The Right Seed in the Right Place at the Right Time**
- **Provide Quality Seed for BLM and Interagency Partners**
- **Utilize Recently Increased Storage Capacity Effectively and Efficiently**
- **Increase Seed Buying Capacity and Use Strategic Approaches**
- **Focus on Communication, Partnerships & Customer Service**





Who are the Customers?

- 40 BLM Field Offices in 11 Western States
- BLM Programs (ES&R, Fuels, HLI, Range, and Wildlife)
- Typically we fill over 250 Seed Requests a year



- Partners with cooperative agreements



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Seed Storage Capacity - 2.6M



2017 - Storage Capacity Increased by 1.1 Million Pounds:

- New Narrow Isle Rack Configuration
- New Articulating Forklift to Operate Safely in Narrow Isles

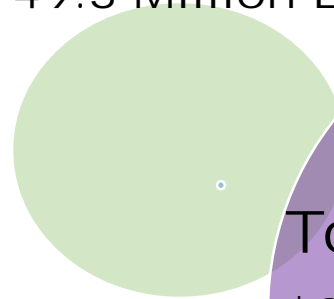
2018-2019 Mixing

- Ely's Mixer is Currently Being Re-fabricated
- Boise & Mixing Capacity

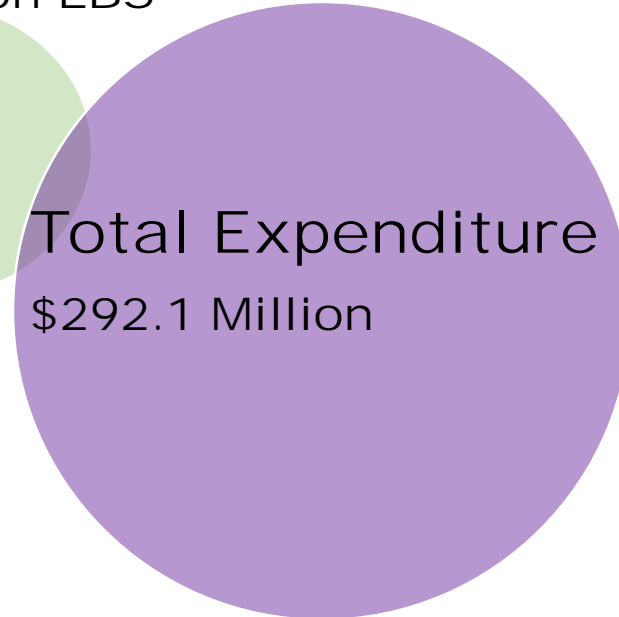


21 Years of Seed Buying Capacity BLM Consolidated Seed Buy 1996-2018

49.3 Million LBS



Total Expenditure
\$292.1 Million





Who are the Suppliers for the System

Over 30 vendors that are Growers, Wildland Seed Collectors and Distributers of Native and Non-Native Seed

Both Large and Small Business's sell seed to the BLM National Seed Warehouse System through the Consolidated Seed Buys

BLM Conduct's a Spring Seed Buy Early April to Stock Both the Ely, NV and Boise, ID Warehouse's and Conducts 3 Rounds of Seed Buy in the Fall with a 90 Day Buying Window





Seed Inventory & Price Sheet Example

National Seed Warehouse System Inventory

***(SI) = Source Identified Plant Material**

(SI) means (Collected from Field location or farm produced from a source Field location)

Call the Warehouses for specific (SI) locations Boise 208-384-3277 and Ely 775-289-3461

All other Seed Types are either Native or Non Native Cultivars

See: Seed Tag Illustrations at the end of the list

FBMS Material #	RSW INVENTORY DATE OCTOBER 2, 2016	MOVING AVERAGE PRICE PER LB	STOCK QTY LB	BLM MIN PLS
200171	ALFALFA, MESA, LADAK	\$ 2.73	12,250	0.8100
200246	BALSAMROOT, ARROWLEAF, BASA3, (SI)	\$ 33.91	850	0.4200
200250	BEEPLANT, ROCKY MOUNTAIN, CLSE, (SI)	\$ 17.76	2,164	0.7600
200050	BEEPLANT, YELLOW, CLLU2, (SI)	\$ 20.00	-	0.7600
200259	BISCUITROOT, FERNLEAF, LODI, (SI)	\$ 46.03	1,062	0.4500
200269	BITTERBRUSH, ANTELOPE, PUTR2I, (SI)	\$ 24.45	4,632	0.7700
200144	BITTERBRUSH, DESERT, PUGL2, (SI)	\$ 22.50	100	0.7700
200251	BLACKBRUSH, CORA, (SI)	\$ 15.53	800	0.5400
207814	BLUEGRASS, POAL, ALPINE	\$ 14.00	-	0.7200
200020	BLUEGRASS, BIG, POSE, SHERMAN	\$ 11.59	5,125	0.7200
200085	BLUEGRASS, CANBY'S, POSE, CANBAR	\$ 4.12	9,850	0.7200



Priority Seed Needs

Field Query By District (9 Districts) Conducted Spring 2018

- What are Your Future Priority Seed Needs ?

Shown Below is a Summary of All BLM District Combined

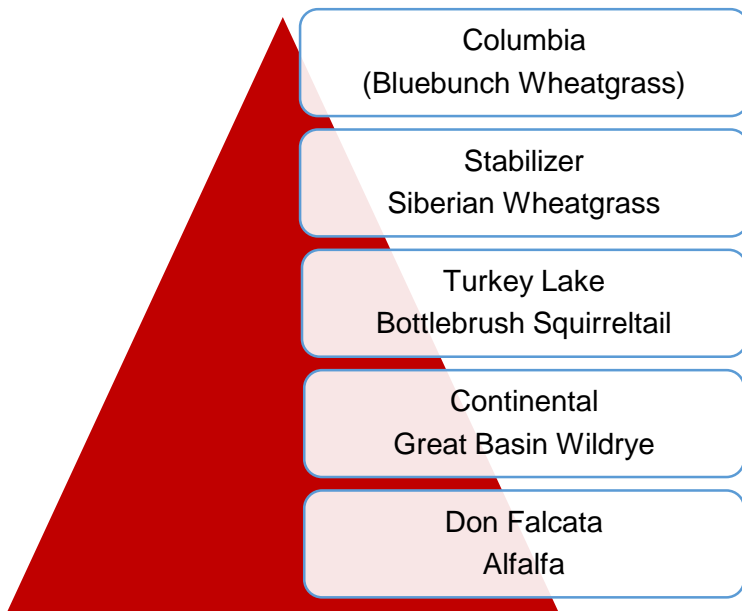
Additionally – I Have a Handout that Reflects the Query By District

- As There is Variation Between the Districts
- Responding Districts = Twin Falls, Boise, Vale, Burns, Elko, Winnemucca, Ely, Battle Mountain, and Carson City

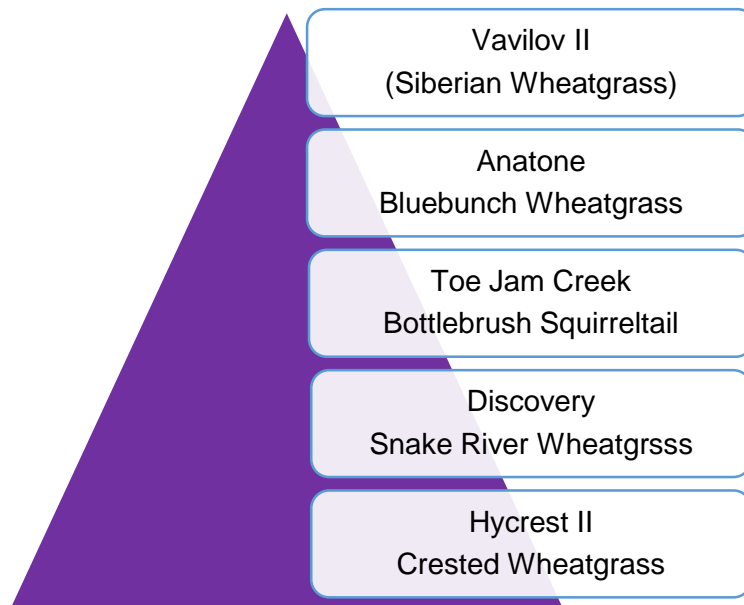


BLM Combined Future Priority Needs

Top 5 Species Requested (New Cultivars) The Future



Top 5 Species Requested (Cultivars)

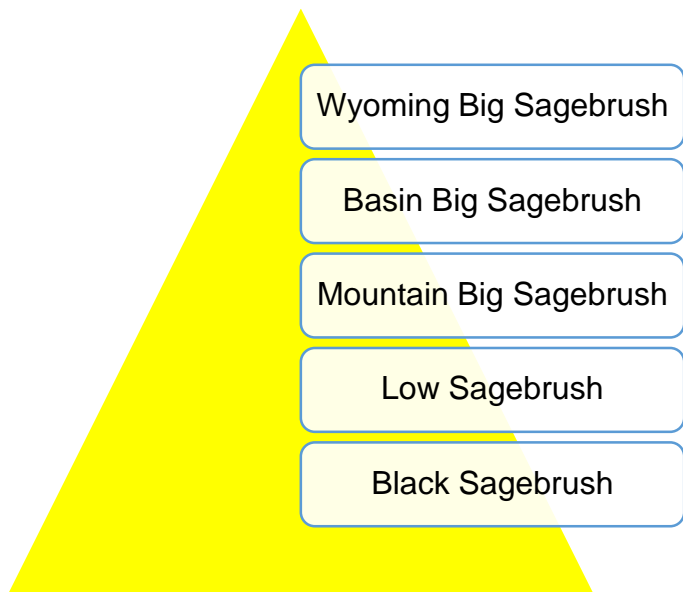




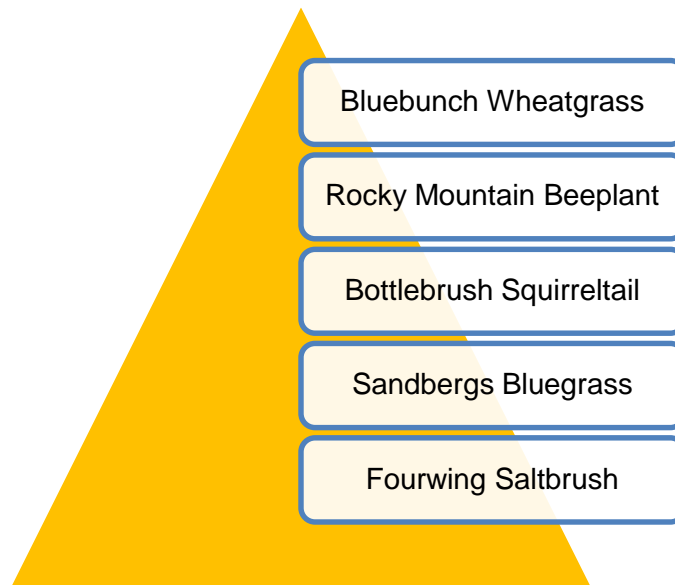
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(Source Identified: Wildland Collect or Field Grown)

Top 5 Sagebrush Requested (Source Identified)



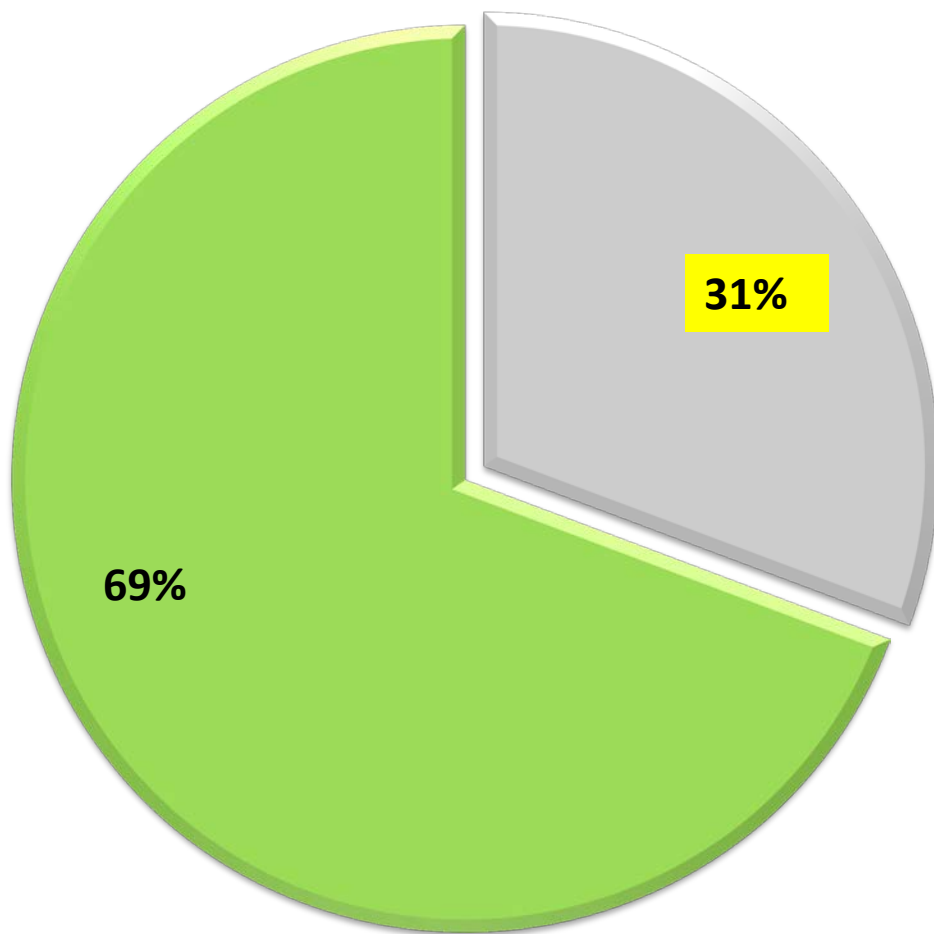
Top 5 Species Requested (Source Identified)





3 year Summary 2013-2016

Sales



- NON-NATIVE
- NATIVE

NON-NATIVE	NATIVE
1,688,280	3,810,452
31%	69%



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Questions & Feedback

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