

Flowers Suitable for Drying

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Astilbe Hybrids, <i>Astilbe arendsii</i>	3'	WPR		X	X			X	
Barley, <i>Hordeum vulgare</i>	4'	Br	X			X		X	
Bells-of-Ireland, <i>Moluccella laevis</i>	2'	G	X		X	X		X	X
Butterfly weed, <i>Asclepias tuberosa</i> *	3'	O		X	X			X	
Cattail, <i>Typha</i> species*	6-10''	Br		X	X			X	X
Chinese lantern, <i>Physalis alkekengi</i>	2'	O-R	X	X		X		X	X
Clovers, <i>Trifolium</i> species*	1-2'	WPY	X	X	X			X	
Cockscomb, <i>Celosia critata</i>	3'	RY	X		X			X	X
Coral Bells, <i>Heuchera sanguinea</i>	1-2'	PRW		X	X		X	X	
Cupid's-dart, <i>Catananche caerulea</i>	2'	B		X	X			X	
Dock, <i>Rumex</i> species*	1-6'	Br		X		X		X	X
Dusty Miller, <i>Centaurea cineraria</i> *	3'	Gr	X				X	X	X
Elderberry, <i>Sambucus</i> species*	8-30'	W		X	X		X	X	
Galax, <i>Galax urceolata</i> *	6-12''	W		X	X			X	
Globe Thistle, <i>Echinops ritro</i>	2'	B		X	X	X		X	
Golden Rod, <i>Solidago</i> species*	1-4'	Y		X	X			X	X
Grasses, many genera and species*	1-6'	G Br	X	X		X	X	X	X
Gypsophila, <i>Gypsophila elegans</i> , <i>G. paniculata</i>	10''-3'	Wp	X	X	X			X	
Heather, <i>Calluna vulgaris</i> *	18''	WPR		X	X	X		X	
Honesty, money plant, <i>Lunaria annua</i>	3'	W Gr	X	Bien-Niel		X		X	X
Hydrangea, <i>Hydrangea</i> species	5-8'	WRB		X	X			X	
Joe-Pye weed, <i>Eupatorium maculatum</i> *	6-10'	Pu		X	X			X	
Lady's Mantle, <i>Alchemilla vulgaris</i>	9-12'	G		X	X			X	
Lavender, <i>Lavandula angustifolia</i>	2-3'	WB		X	X			X	
Love-in-a-mist, <i>Nigella damascena</i>	1'	WB	X		X	X		X	
Love-lies-bleeding, <i>Amaranthus caudatus</i>	3-5'	Pu RWO	X		X			X	
Marigold, <i>Tagetes</i> , several species*	6''-3'	YRO	X		X			X	X
Meadow rue, <i>Thalictrum</i> species*	1-6'	WYPuR		X	X			X	X

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Millet, <i>Panicum miliaceum</i> *	3 ½'	Br	X			X		X	
Monkshood, <i>Aconitum carmichaelii</i>	6'	B		X	X			X	
Oats, <i>Avena</i> species*	3'-4'	Br	X			X		X	
Onions, <i>Allium</i> species*	6"-3'	BrYPWPu		X	X			X	X
Pearly everlasting, <i>Anaphalis margaritacea</i> *	3'	W		X	X			X	X
Peppergrass, <i>lepidium</i> species*	2'	Br	X			X		X	X
Pussy willow, <i>Salix discolor</i> , <i>S. caprea</i> *	20'	Gray		X	X		X		
Queen-Anne's Lace, <i>Daucus carota</i> *	3'	W	X	Biennial	X			X	
Rudbeckia, <i>Rudbeckia</i> species*	3'	YO Brz	X	X	X			X	X
Rye, <i>Secale cereale</i> *	3-5'	Br	X			X		X	
Sea lavender, <i>Statice</i> , <i>Limonium</i> species*	1-2'	WBRP	X	X	X			X	X
Silverrod, <i>Solidago bicolor</i> *	1-3'	W		X	X			X	
Smartweed, <i>polygonum hydropiperoides</i> *	2'	PR	X		X			X	
Sorghum, <i>sorghum bicolor</i>	7-12'	Br	X			X		X	
Spiraea, <i>Spiraea</i> species*	1 ½'-5'	WPR		X	X		X	X	X
Strawflower, <i>Helichrysum bracteatum</i>	3'	OWRYP	X		X			X	X
Sumac, <i>Rhus</i> species*	20-30'	R		X		X		X	X
Sunrays, <i>Helipterum</i> species	1 ½'	PYW	X		X			X	
Tansy, <i>Tanacetum vulgare</i> *	3'	Y		X	X			X	
Teasel, <i>Dipsacus sylvestris</i> *	6'	Br		Biennial		X		X	X
Wheat, <i>Triticum aestivum</i> *	4'	Y-Br	X			X		X	
Winged everlasting, <i>Ammobium alatum</i> , 'Grandiflora'	3'	W	X		X			X	
Wormwood or sagebrush, <i>Artemisia</i> species*	1-6''	Gr		X			X	X	X
Yarrow, <i>Achillea</i> species*	3-4'	WPYR		X	X			X	X
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