

Protocol Information



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Family Scientific Name:	Fabaceae
Family Common Name:	Legume or Pea Family
Scientific Name	<i>Lupinus rivularis</i> Dougl. ex lindl
Genus:	<i>Lupinus</i>
Species:	<i>rivularis</i>
Species Authority:	Dougl. ex lindl
Variety:	
Sub-species:	
Cultivar:	
Authority for Variety/Sub-species:	
Common Synonym	
Genus:	<i>Lupinus</i>
Species:	<i>lignipes</i>
Species Authority:	Heller
Variety:	
Sub-species:	
Cultivar:	
Authority for Variety/Sub-species:	
General Information	
Common Name:	Streambank Lupine, Riverbank Lupine
Species Code:	LURI (USDA)
Ecotype:	Whidbey Island (Shomer 2007).
General Distribution:	Along the Pacific coast from southern BC to northern California
Climate and Elevation:	Low elevation
Local habitat and Abundance:	Gravelly or sandy river stream banks distributed near coastal regions (Klinkenberg 2005). Flood prone and disturbed sites (Endangered 2002). Associated plants are <i>Plantago lanceolata</i> , <i>Solidago</i>

canadensis, *Juncus tenuis*, *Hypericum perforatum*, and *Epilobium angustifolium* (Endangered 2005).
Subshrub

Strategy Type:

Propagation Details

Propagation Goal:

Propagation Method:

Product Type:

Stock Type:

Time to Grow:

Target Specifications:

Propagule Collection:

Plants

Seeds

Container (plug)

30 days (Jeroue 2007)

4 inches tall with 3-5 true leaves (Jeroue 2007).

Collected in July by removing branches of pods (Shomer 2007). Hand collected in mesh bag (Barner 2007).

Propagule Processing/Propagule Characteristics:

Just after harvesting, put pods in a large bag and place in warm sunny location (Shomer 2007). The pods will dry out and pop/break open; some will even jump to release clean seeds. Use a screen to separate seeds and pod (Shomer 2007). Seed density 1600/oz (Shomer 2007), 38,510/lb (Barner 2007). Machine cleaning with a Westrup Model LA-H laboratory brush machine, with a #18 mantel, at medium speed then air screened with a Clipper with 12 round topscreen and 6 round bottom screen (Barner 2007).

Pre-Planting Propagule Treatment:

Requires scarification. For best results fold seeds in 120 grit sand paper and rub together being careful not to crush seeds (Jeroue 2007). Store in cool place 55-60 degees ferenheit (Shomer 2007). Stored for 8 months (Jeroue 2007).

Growing Area Preparation/Annual Practices for Perennial Crops: Establishment Phase:

50 seeds per 12x12" mini flat with fine soil mix
Grow *Balsamorhiza* in deep, fertile, well drained soil with full sun exposure (Huxley 1999). Roots of young plants are prone to rot during summer months if kept too moist (Ryan and Douglas 1999).

Length of Establishment Phase:

97/100 germination, 97% germination (Jeroue 2007).

Active Growth Phase:

Length of Active Growth Phase:

Hardening Phase:

Length of Hardening Phase:

Harvesting, Storage and Shipping:

Length of Storage:

Guidelines for Outplanting /

Performance on Typical Sites:

Other Comments: Listed as endangered in BC and the hybrid, Yellow Bush Lupine (*Lupinus arboreus*), is a major threat to *L. rivularis* due to its aggressive growth which displaces *L. rivularis* (Klinkenburg 2005).

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