Plant Propagation Protocol for *Agrimonia striata*ESRM 412 – Native Plant Production
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Plant Family		
Scientific Name	Rosaceae (2)	
Common Name	Rose	
Species Scientific Name		
Scientific Name	Agrimonia striata (1)	
Varieties	N/A	
Sub-species	N/A	
Cultivar	N/A	
Common Synonym(s)	N/A	
Common Name(s)	Roadside agrimony (1) church steeples, stickwort,	
	liverwort (6)	
Species Code (as per USDA Plants	AGST (1)	
database)		
GENERAL INFORMATION		
Geographical range	occurs across much of the United States, Canada, Saint Pierre and Miquelon, and Mexico(2)	
Ecological distribution	This species is found in rich deciduous or mixed deciduous woods, floodplains, thickets, edges, fields, and open spaces (2)	
Climate and elevation range	from sea level to 3,700 m elevation (2)	
Local habitat and abundance	nom sea level to 5,700 in elevation (2)	
Plant strategy type / successional	weedy/colonizer, spreads vegetatively through	
stage	rhizomes (1)	
Plant characteristics	Perennial Forb/Herb (1)	
	AGATION DETAILS	
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Ecotype Propagation Goal	Subalpine meadow on exposed bedrock (5) Plants (5)	
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Propagation Method	Seed (5)	
Product Type	Container (plug) (5)	
Stock Type	172 ml conetainer (5)	
Time to Grow	2 Years (5)	

Target Specifications	Stock Type: Containerseedling Height: 3 cm, multiple leaves Firm plug in container. (5)
Propagule Collection Instructions	Seeds are collected in fall.(1) Seeds are collected in paper bags and kept in a well ventilated drying shed prior to cleaning. (5)
Propagule Processing/Propagule Characteristics	Fruits are brown and have hooks on them that would help them spread by attaching to the fur of passing animals.(2) Seeds are cleaned by using a hammermill and office clipper. Seeds are stored at 0C and low humidity in sealed containers. Seed longevity is at least 3 to 5 years. Seed dormancy is classified as physiological dormancy. (5)
Pre-Planting Propagule Treatments	5 month cold, moist stratification. (5)
Growing Area Preparation / Annual Practices for Perennial Crops	Outdoor nursery growing facility. (5)
Establishment Phase Details	Sowing Method: Direct Seeding. Seeds are lightly covered with a medium. (5)
Length of Establishment Phase	Seedlings germinate in May and June. Germination is uneven and continues over a 2 month period in the outdoor nursery. True leaves develop 4 weeks after germination. (5) 8 weeks to finish establishment (5)
Active Growth Phase	Seed grown plants did not reach root tightness the first growing season. Initial root growth is slow. (5) Plants are fertilized bi-weekly during the growing season. (5)
Length of Active Growth Phase	12 weeks(5)
Hardening Phase	Plants are fertilized during August and September. Irrigation is gradually reduced in September and October. Plants were given one final irrigation prior to winterization (5)
Length of Hardening Phase	4 weeks (5)
Harvesting, Storage and Shipping	Total Time to Harvest: 1.8 years from seed Harvest Date: July of the 2nd year Storage Conditions: Overwinter in outdoor nursery under insulating foam cover and snow (5)
Length of Storage	5 months (5)
Guidelines for Outplanting / Performance on Typical Sites	prefers moist, humus-rich neutral or slightly acidic soil. Appreciates full sun or some shade (3) Would be best in the border area of a forest. (4)
Other Comments	Propagation details sourced from <i>Dryas octopetala</i> L. <i>hookeriana</i> (Juz.) Hult. propagation methods. Both are

	similar weedy plants that spread vegetatively and through seed. They are both native to the same area, have similar growth times and patterns, and are both in the family Rosaceae. Details specific to <i>Agrimonia striata</i> will be interspersed where needed to make this more comprehensive.	
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