UTAH

SUMMARIES OF EXTERIOR QUARANTINES
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NURSERY STOCK DEFINITION

"Nursery stock" means all plants, whether field grown, container grown, or collected native plants; trees, shrubs, vines, grass sod; seedlings, perennials, biennials; and buds, cuttings, grafts, or scions grown or collected or kept for propagation, sale, or distribution; except that it shall not mean dormant bulbs, tubers, roots, corms, rhizomes, pips; field vegetable, or flower seeds; or bedding plants, annual plants, florists' greenhouse or field grown plants, flowers or cuttings.

GENERAL SHIPPING REQUIREMENTS

Out-of-state nurseries and nursery outlets transporting nursery stock to a nursery or nursery outlet in Utah shall annually deliver to the department a certified duplicate copy of the "state of origin" certificate of inspection for each such out-of-state nursery or nursery outlet; provided, that the department may accept and exchange a list of certified or licensed out-of-state nurseries or nursery outlets in lieu of a certificate of inspection for each such individual nursery or nursery outlet.

Nursery stock originating outside and imported into Utah for customer delivery or for resale shall
bear a tag stating that the nursery stock has been inspected and certified free from plant pests and disease. The tag shall also bear the name and address of the shipper or consignor.

**NOXIOUS WEED LIST**

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Common Crupina ................................................................. *Crupina vulgaris*

African rue ................................................................. *Peganum harmala*

Small bugloss ................................................................... *Anchusa arvensis*

Mediterranean sage .......................................................... *Salvia aethiopis*

Spring millet grass ............................................................. *Milium vernale*

Syrian beancaper ............................................................. *Zygophyllum fabago*

Plumeless thistle ............................................................. *Centaurea calcitrapa*

Malta thistle ........................................................................ *Centaurea melitensis*

Camelthorn .......................................................................... *Alhagi maurorum*

Garlic mustard .................................................................... *Allaria petiolata*

Purple starthistle .................................................................. *Centaurea calcitrapa*

Goatsrue .............................................................................. *Galega officinalis*

Sahara mustard .................................................................... *Brassica tournefortii*

Giant Reed ............................................................................ *Arundo donax*

Japanese Knotweed ............................................................ *Polygonum cuspidatum*

Vipers bugloss ..................................................................... *Echium vulgare*

Elongated mustard .................................................................. *Brassica elongate*

Common St. Johnswort ....................................................... *Hypericum perforatum L.*

Oxeye daisy ............................................................................ *Leucanthemum vulgare*

Cutleaf vipergrass .................................................................. *Scorzonera laciniata*

Ventenata ............................................................................. *Ventenata dubia*

Leafy spurge ......................................................................... *Euphorbia esula L.*

Medusahead ........................................................................... *Taeniatherum caput-medusae*

Rush skeletonweed .................................................................. *Chondrilla juncea*

Spotted Knapweed ................................................................*Centaurea maculosa Lam.*

Purple Loosestrife .................................................................. *Lythrum salicaria L.*

Squarrose Knapweed ........................................................... *Centaurea Squarrosa Gugle.*

Dyers Woad .......................................................................... *Isatis tinctoria L.*

Yellow Starthistle .................................................................. *Centaurea solstitialis L.*

Yellow Toadflax ................................................................... *Linaria vulgaris Mill.*

Diffuse Knapweed .................................................................. *Centaurea diffusa (Lam.)*

Blackhenbane ......................................................................... *Hyoseyamus niger (L.)*

Dalmation Toadflax ................................................................ *Linaria dalmatica (L.) Mill*

Russian Knapweed .................................................................. *Centaurea repens L.*

Houndstounge ......................................................................... *Cynoglossum officinale L.*

Broad-leaved Peppergrass ..................................................... *Lepidium latifolium L.* (Tall Whitetop)

Phragmites ............................................................................. *Phragmites australis ssp.*

Tamarisk (Saltcedar) ................................................................ *Tamarix ramosissima Ledeb.*

Hoary cress ............................................................................ *Cardaria spp.*

Canada Thistle ....................................................................... *Cirsium arvense (L.) Scop.

Poison Hemlock ..................................................................... *Conium maculatum L.*

Musk Thistle .......................................................................... *Carduus nutans L.*

Quackgrass ........................................................................... *Agropyron repens (L.) Beauv.*

Jointed goatgrass ..................................................................... *Aegilops cylindrica*

Bermudagrass ......................................................................... *Cynodon dactylon (L.) Pers.*
Perennial Sorghum spp., including but not limited to:
Johnson Grass ................................................................. *Sorghum halepense* (L.) Pers.
Sorghum alburnum ............................................................... *Sorghum alburnum* Parodi.
Scotch Thistle .......................................................................... *Onopordium acanthium* L. (Cotton Thistle)
Field Bindweed ................................................................. *Convolvulus* spp. (Wild Morning-glory)
Puncturevine(Goathead) ............................................................... *Tribulus terrestris*
Cogongrass .............................................................................. *imperata cylindrical* (Japanese blood grass)
Myrtle spurge ............................................................................ *Euphorbia myrsinites*
Dame’s Rocket ........................................................................... *Hesperis matronalis*
Scotch broom .................................................................................... *Cytisus scoparius*
Russian olive ........................................................................... *Elaeagnus angustifolia*

**QUARANTINES OR ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS**

I. **GYPSY MOTH QUARANTINE**

https://rules.utah.gov/publicat/code/r068/r068-014.htm

PEST: Gypsy Moth (*Lymantria dispar*)

STATES REGULATED: All areas of the United States and Canada identified as high risk by USDA-APHIS-PPQ.

MATERIALS REGULATED: Any article which may convey Gypsy Moth including but not limited to the following:

1. Known host plant material,
2. Outdoor household articles,
3. Mobile homes, recreational vehicles and associated equipment

Note: See also USDA-APHIS federal domestic gypsy moth quarantine, which takes precedence.

II. **EUROPEAN CORN BORER QUARANTINE**

https://rules.utah.gov/publicat/code/r068/r068-010.htm

PEST: European Corn Borer (*Pyrausta nubilalis*)

STATES REGULATED: All states and districts of the United States except the states of AK, AZ, CA, HI, ID, NV, NM, OR, and WA.

COMMODITIES COVERED: All known host material of the European Corn Borer.

III. **JAPANESE BEETLE QUARANTINE**

https://rules.utah.gov/publicat/code/r068/r068-015.htm
PEST: Japanese Beetle (*Popillia japonica*)

AREAS REGULATED: AL, CO, CT, DE, GA, IA, IL, IN, KS, KY, ME, MD, MA, MI, MN, MO, MT, NE, NH, NJ, NY, NC, OH, OK, PA, RI, SC, TN, TX, VT, VA, WI, WV, WASH DC. In Canada, in the province of Quebec: Missiquoi and St. Jean; in Ontario, Lincoln, Welland, and Wentworth.

ARTICLES AND COMMODITIES COVERED: Soil, humus, compost and manure (except when commercially packaged and treated); All plants with roots (except bareroot plants free from soil); Grass Sod; Plant crowns or roots for propagation (except when free from soil); Bulbs, corms, tubers, and rhizomes of ornamental plants (except when free from soil); Any other plant, plant part, article, or means of conveyance when it is determined by a Utah State Plant Quarantine Officer to present a hazard of spreading live Japanese beetle due to infestation or exposure to infestation by Japanese beetle. Packing material added to bareroot plants after harvesting would not normally pose a pest risk. Free From Soil - For the purposes of this quarantine, free from soil is defined as soil in amounts that could not contain concealed Japanese beetle larvae or pupae.

*Note that not all protocols in the U.S. Domestic Japanese Beetle Harmonization Plan are acceptable for Utah. Advance notification of regulated commodity shipment is required.*

IV. PINE SHOOT BEETLE QUARANTINE  
https://rules.utah.gov/publicat/code/r068/r068-016.htm

PEST: Pine Shoot Beetle (*Tomicus piniperda* L.)

STATES REGULATED: All states/counties of the United States and Canada identified by USDA-APHIS-PPQ in the federal domestic pine shoot beetle quarantine.

MATERIALS REGULATED: See federal pine shoot beetle quarantine.

Note: USDA-APHIS federal domestic pine shoot beetle quarantine takes precedence.

V. Karnal Bunt Quarantine  
https://rules.utah.gov/publicat/code/r068/r068-018.htm

Disease: Karnal Bunt

STATES REGULATED: Entire state of Arizona; Counties in New Mexico: Dona Ana county, Hidalgo county, Luna county and Sierra county; Counties in Texas: El Paso county, Hudspeth county. Any areas not mentioned above and subsequently found to be infested.
Materials Regulated: See federal Karnal Bunt Quarantine.

VI. Utah Firewood Quarantine R68-23


R68-23. Utah Firewood Quarantine.

R68-23-1. Authority and Purpose.
Promulgated under authority of 4-2-2 and 4-35-9, this rule is enacted to prevent the movement of invasive insects transported by firewood, including, but not limited to Agrilus planipennis (Emerald Ash Borer), Anoplophora glabripennis (Asian Longhorned Beetle), Solenopsis invicta (Red Imported Fire Ant).

(1) All areas of the United States and Canada that are declared high risk by the United States Department of Agriculture or Utah Commissioner of Agriculture and Food.
(All states and countries)

This quarantine applies to all firewood offered, exposed, or held for sale in the State of Utah. (All firewood from outside the state of Utah)

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