# **UTAH**

# SUMMARIES OF EXTERIOR QUARANTINES Updated January, 2021

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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.

## 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

https://rules.utah.gov/publicat/bulletin/2017/20170615/41675.htm

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).

# STATES REGULATED: R68-23-3. Area Under Quarantine.

(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)

MATERIALS REGULATED: R68-23-4. Articles and Commodities Under Quarantine. 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)

## NOXIOUS WEED LIST

COMMON NAME	SCIENTIFIC NAME
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	
Malta thistle	Centaurea melitensis
Camelthorn	Alhagi maurorum
Garlic mustard	Alliaria petiolata
Purple starthistle	Cantaurea calcitrapa
Goatsrue	Galega officinalis
Sahara mustard	Brassica tournefortii
Giant Reed	Arundo donax
Japanese Knotweed	Polygonum cuspidatum
Vipers bugloss	Echium vulgare
Elongated mustard	
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	•
Spotted Knapweed	Centaurea maculosa Lam.
Purple Loosestrife	Lythrum salicaria L.
Squarrose Knapweed	Centaurea Squarrosa Gugle.

Oyers WoadIsatis tinctoria L	<b>.</b>	
Yellow Starthistle		
Yellow ToadflaxLinaria vulgaris Mill		
Diffuse Knapweed	)	
Blackhenbane	)	
Dalmation ToadflaxLinaria dalmatica (L.) Mil	1	
Russian Knapweed	<b>.</b>	
Houndstounge	<b>.</b>	
Broad-leaved PeppergrassLepidium latifolium L. (Tall Whitetop)		
Phragmitesphragmites australis ssp	٠.	
Гаmarisk(Saltcedar)		
Hoary cress	٠.	
Canada Thistle		
Poison Hemlock	<b>.</b>	
Musk ThistleCarduus nutans L	<b>.</b>	
QuackgrassAgropyron repens (L.) Beauv		
Tointed goatgrass	$\boldsymbol{a}$	
Bermudagrass	•	
Perennial Sorghum spp., including but not limited to:		
Johnson Grass		
Sorghum almum		
Scotch Thistle <i>Onopordium acanthium L.</i> (Cotton Thistle		
Field Bindweed		
Puncturevine(Goathead)		
Cogongrassimperata cylindrical (Japanese blood grass)		
Myrtle spurgeEuphorbia myrsinites		
Dame's Rocket		
Scotch broom		
Russian olive Elaeagnus angustifolic		

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