

Weed Alert!

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(*Elymus farctus*)

Mature Size Knee



Description

- Salt-tolerant perennial grass up to 2 ft. tall and similar in appearance to wheat
- May hybridize with wheat to produce a salt-tolerant wheat variety
- Seedheads composed of erect spikes of alternating seeds along a zig-zag stem
- Stems erect and 8-24 in. tall, hairless
- Leaf blades flat, densely hairy, stiff, and with ribbed surfaces
- Reproduces by seed and vegetatively from rhizomes and root fragments
- Spread by wind, water, sand movement, human activities, animals
- Native to the Mediterranean Region



Bloom Period Nov - Dec

Habitat coastal regions, foredunes

2-Minute Removal Dig



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