Echinochloa crus-galli

Barnyardgrass

Robert H. Mohlenbrock. USDA SCS. 1989. Midwest wetland flora: Field office illustrated guide to plant species. Midwest National Technical Center, Lincoln. Courtesy of USDA NRCS Wetland Science Institute.

General

1. Annual graminoid, growing to 1.5m

Geography and Habitat

1. Native: Eurasia
2. Habitats
    - Prefers wet soils, tolerant of partial submergence
    - Prefers nutrient-rich, high nitrogen soils
    - Tolerant of sandy and loamy soils

Invasion Pathways

1. Deliberate release

Sources

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