

Weed Life Cycles

Jeffrey Derr, Professor of Weed Science, Virginia Tech

Summer annual grasses

Southern crabgrass
Smooth crabgrass
Yellow foxtail
Goosegrass
Barnyardgrass
Microstegium (Japanese stiltgrass)

Summer annual broadleaves

Common groundsel
Spotted (prostrate) spurge
Ivyleaf morningglory
Common lespedeza
Sericea lespedeza
Long-stalk phyllanthus
Chamberbitter
Mulberry weed
Prostrate knotweed
Horseweed
Carpetweed
Common lambsquarters
Purslane
Common ragweed
Smartweed

Perennial broadleaves

Ground ivy
Virginia buttonweed
Wild violet
Indian mock strawberry
Dandelion
Field or hedge bindweed
Horsenettle
Red sorrel
Wild chrysanthemum (mugwort)

Other summer annual monocots

Dayflower
Doveweed

Winter annual grasses

Annual bluegrass

Winter annual broadleaves

Flexuous bittercress

Annual and perennial sedges

Rice flat sedge
Compressed sedge
Yellow nutsedge
Purple nutsedge
False green kyllinga

Perennial grasses

Bermudagrass
Tall fescue
Orchardgrass
Nimblewill
Dallisgrass
Johnsongrass

Creeping woodsorrel

Yellow woodsorrel
Buckhorn plantain
Spotted knapweed
Catsear
White clover
Black medic
Virginia creeper
Japanese honeysuckle