

## Carex Alternatives to *Liriope*

Carex species	Common Names	Hardiness Zones	Plant Size	Leaf Texture	Habit	Leaf retention	Floral Value	Showy Fruit	Exposure		Moisture		
									Sun	Shade	Dry	Average	Moist to Wet
<i>C. albicans</i>	whiteninge sedge	3-8	•		●	●	✿	♁					
<i>C. amphibola</i>	eastern narrowleaf sedge	3-9	●		●	●	✿	♁	☀				☔
<i>C. appalachica</i>	Appalachian sedge	3-8	•		●	●	✿	♁					
<i>C. blanda</i>	eastern woodland sedge	4-8	•		●	●	✿	♁	☀				☔
<i>C. bromoides</i>	brome-like sedge	3-9	●		●	●	✿	♁					☔
<i>C. cherokeensis</i>	Cherokee sedge	6-9	●		●	●	✿	♁					☔
<i>C. laxiculmis</i>	blue wood sedge	4-8	•		●	●	✿	♁					☔
<i>C. laxiculmis</i> 'Hobb'	'Hobb' Bunny Blue® sedge	4-8	•		●	●	✿	♁					☔
<i>C. pensylvanica</i>	Pennsylvania sedge	3-8	•		●	●	✿	♁					☔
<i>C. plantaginea</i>	plantainleaf sedge	3-8	•		●	●	✿	♁					☔
<i>C. radiata</i>	eastern star sedge	3-8	•		●	●	✿	♁					☔
<i>C. rosea</i>	rosy sedge	3-8	•		●	●	✿	♁					☔
<i>C. socialis</i>	low woodland sedge	5-8	•		●	●	✿	♁					☔
<i>C. texensis</i>	Texas sedge	5-9	•		●	●	✿	♁	☀				☔
<i>C. woodii</i>	pretty sedge	4-8	•		●	●	✿	♁					☔

Symbol	Plant Size	Plant Height
•	small	6" - 15"
●	medium	15" - 20"
●	large	20" - 30"

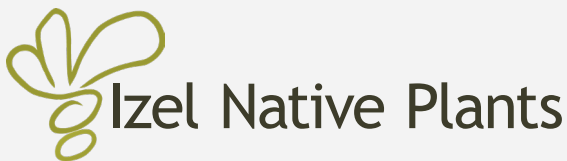
Symbol	Growth Habit
●	clumping
●●●	spreading

Symbol	Leaf Retention
●	semievergreen
●	semievergreen / deciduous
●	deciduous

Symbol	Floral Value
✿	excellent
✿	good
*	nondescript

Symbol	Showy Fruit
♁	excellent
♁	good
♁	nondescript

Symbol	Leaf Texture	Blade Width
	fine	1mm - 4mm
	medium	5mm - 9mm
	coarse	10mm - 19mm



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