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SHIPPING PLANTS FROM MAINE TO OTHER STATES

State regulations related to specific plant species and plant pests are listed below. Some states have created invasive plant lists, banning the sale of certain plants. The major ornamental crops have been included on this list, but not all banned plants appear here.

To the best of our knowledge this list was accurate at the date of publication. If you would like more information on a particular state's regulations visit the National Plant Board website at: www.nationalplantboard.org

Some prohibited items may be shipped provided certain conditions are met. For additional information, contact the Division of Animal and Plant Health.

	STATES	PLANT MATERIAL	CONDITIONS
All Plants	All States	All plants	Nursery stock certificate must be attached. Packages must be labeled with: 1. name and address of shipper, 2. destination, 3. name and quantity of plants, 4. county and state where the plants were grown All plants must be healthy and free of insects and diseases
	AK,AL,AR,AZ,CA,CO,HI,IA,ID,KS, MN,MO,MS,MT,ND,NE,NM,NV, OK,OR,SD,TX,UT,WA	All plants in growing media	Prohibited unless bare rooted or treated and certified free of Japanese beetle
	IN	All plants	Must be free of black vine weevil
	CA,CT,MA,ME,MI,NH,VT,WA	<i>Cabomba caroliniana</i> (fanwort)	Prohibited
Aquatic Plants	AK,AL,CT,ID,IL,IN,MA,ME,MI,MS, NC,NE,NH,OR,SC,VT,WA	<i>Egeria densa</i> (Brazilian elodea)	Prohibited
	CA	<i>Egeria najas</i> (Slender-leaved elodea)	Prohibited
	AR,AZ,IL,IN,MA,MS,OK,TX	<i>Eichornia azurea</i> (water hyacinth)	Prohibited
	AL,AR,AZ,ID,MS,SC,TX	<i>Eichornia crassipes</i> (water hyacinth)	Prohibited
	FL,NE	<i>Eichornia spp.</i> (water hyacinth)	Prohibited
	AK,AZ,CA,CO,CT,FL,IL,ID,IN,MA, ME,MI,MS,MT,NE,NH,NM,NV,OK, OR,SC,TX,VT,WA	<i>Hydrilla verticillata</i> (hydrilla)	Prohibited
	CA,IL,IN,ME,MI,NH,VT,WA	<i>Hydrocharis morsus-ranae</i> (European frogbit)	Prohibited
	FL,IL,IN,MA,OK,TX	<i>Ipomoea aquatica</i> (Chinese waterspinach)	Prohibited
	AL,CT,IL,ID,IN,MA,ME,MI,NE,NH, NM,OR,VT,WA	<i>Myriophyllum aquaticum</i> (parrot feather)	Prohibited
	CT,MA,ME,NH,VT,WA	<i>Myriophyllum heterophyllum</i> (variable-leaf milfoil)	Prohibited
	AK,AL,CO,CT,FL,IL,ID,IN,MA,ME, MI,MS,MT,NE,NC,NH,NM,NV,OR, SC,SD,TX,VT,WA	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i> (Eurasian milfoil)	Prohibited
	AL,CT,IL,IN,MA,ME,NE,NC,NH, SC,VT,WA	<i>Najas minor</i> (European naiad)	Prohibited

	CA,CT,FL,IL,IN,MA,ME,MI,NE,NH,OR,VT,WA	<i>Nymphoides peltata</i> , (yellow floating heart)	Prohibited
	AL,CT,FL,MS,TX	<i>Pistia stratiotes</i> (water lettuce)	Prohibited
	AL,CT,IL,IN,MA,ME,MI,MT,NE,NH,VT	<i>Potamogeton crispus</i> (curly-leaf pondweed)	Prohibited
	AR,AZ,CO,CT,IL,IN,MA,MI,MS,NE,NM,NV,OK,SC,TN,VT	<i>Salvinia molesta</i> (giant salvinia)	Prohibited
	AL,AZ,CT,IL,IN,MA,ME,MI,NH,OR,SC,VT,WA	<i>Trapa natans</i> (water chestnut)	Prohibited
	FL,NC	<i>Trapa spp.</i> (water chestnut)	Prohibited
Ornamental Herbaceous Plants	AZ,CA,HI,ID,NV,OR,TX,UT,WA	All hosts of European corn borer including, but not limited to: asters, broomcorn, calendula, chrysanthemum, corn, cosmos, dahlia, geranium, gladiola, hollyhock, Japanese hops, marigold, sorghum, sudangrass, zinnia	Prohibited unless certified free of European corn borer
	HI	Grasses, bromeliads (including pineapple), orchids, coffee, banana, coconut, passionfruit	Prohibited
	TN	Turfgrass sod	Prohibited unless certified
	CO,ID,MT,NM,OH,SD,WA,WY	<i>Chrysanthemum leucanthemum</i> (oxeye daisy)	Prohibited
	KS,MN	<i>Digitalis lanata</i> (Grecian foxglove)	Prohibited
	CA,CO,MT,NV,SD,WY	<i>Hypericum perforatum</i> (St. John's wort)	Prohibited
	AR,FL,HI,MS,TN	<i>Imperata cylindrical</i> (Japanese bloodgrass)	Prohibited
	FL	<i>Ipomoea carnea ssp fistulosa</i> (bush morning glory)	Prohibited
	AZ,MI,OK	<i>Ipomoea spp.</i> (morning glory)	Prohibited
	FL	<i>Ipomoea triloba</i> (little bell)	Prohibited
	GA,OK	<i>Ipomoea turbinata</i> (giant morning glory)	Prohibited
	CT,IL,IN,MA,MT,NH,OR,VT	<i>Iris pseudocarus</i> (yellow flag iris)	Prohibited
	CT,WA	<i>Lysimachia vulgaris</i> (garden loosestrife)	Prohibited
	AK,AL,AR,AZ,CA,CO,CT,FL,IA,ID,IL,IN,KS,MA,MI,MN,MO,NC,ND,NE,NH,NM,NV,OH,OK,OR,PA,SD,TN,TX,VA,VT,WA,WI,WV,WY	<i>Lythrum salicaria</i> (purple loosestrife)	Prohibited
	KS,IN,NC,MT	<i>Lythrum spp.</i> (loosestrife)	Prohibited
	IN,MN,ND,NE,NV,SD,WA,VA	<i>Lythrum virgatum</i> (wand loosestrife)	Prohibited
	ID,MN,NV,UT,WY	<i>Mentha spp.</i> (Mint)	Prohibited
	CT,MA	<i>Myosotis scorpioides</i> (forget-me-not)	Prohibited
	AL	<i>Ornithogalum umbellatum</i> (star of Bethlehem)	Prohibited
	Vegetable Plants	GA,MD,NC,NJ,NY,TX	All vegetable plants
ID,NV,WA		<i>Allium spp.</i> (onion, garlic, leek, chive, shallot)	Prohibited
WA		<i>Brassica spp.</i> (crucifers, incl. seeds)	Prohibited
CA,NJ,NV		<i>Capsicum spp.</i> (pepper)	Certified free of insects and diseases
IN		<i>Fragaria spp.</i> (strawberry)	Prohibited
AL,AR,MS,SC		<i>Ipomoea spp.</i> (sweet potato)	Special certification
AZ,FL		<i>Lactuca spp.</i> (lettuce, incl. seeds)	Prohibited
ID,WA		<i>Phaseolus spp.</i> (bean, incl. seeds)	Prohibited
CA,AK,MT,NJ,NV,SC		<i>Solanum lycopersicon</i> (tomato)	Certified free of insects and diseases
CA,NV		<i>Solanum melongena</i> (eggplant)	Prohibited

	NC,SC	Tobacco plants	Prohibited
Woody Plants	AL,AK,AR,AZ,CA,CO,FL,GA,HI,IA, ID,KY,KS,LA,MN,MO,MS,MT,ND, NE,NM,NV,OK, OR,SC,SD,TN,TX, UT,WA,WY and portions of IL,IN, ME,NC, OH,VA,WI,WV	All trees, shrubs, cut Christmas trees, trailers, outdoor household equipment etc.	Prohibited unless certified free of all life stages of gypsy moth
	MI	<i>Abies spp.</i> (fir)	Prohibited unless certified free of balsam woolly adelgid
	MA,NH,VT	<i>Acer platanoides</i> (Norway maple)	Prohibited
	CT,MA	<i>Acer pseudoplatanus</i> (sycamore maple)	Prohibited
	CA,CT,MA,NH,VT,WV	<i>Ailanthus altissima</i> (tree of heaven)	Prohibited
	IL,IN,IA,KS,MI,MN,MO,MT,NE,ND, OH,PA,SD,WA,WI, WV, WY	<i>Berberis spp.</i> (barberry)	Prohibited
	MA,NH,VT	<i>Berberis thunbergii</i> (Japanese barberry)	Prohibited
	CT,MA,NH,VT	<i>Berberis vulgaris</i> (common barberry)	Prohibited
	OR	<i>Buddleja davidii</i> (butterfly bush)	Prohibited
	TX	<i>Camellia spp.</i>	Prohibited
	AZ,CA,NM,TX	<i>Carya spp.</i> (hickory, pecan)	Prohibited
	CA,FL,OR,WA	<i>Castanea spp.</i> (chestnut)	Prohibited
	CA,FL,OR,WA	<i>Castenopsis spp.</i> (Chinquapin)	Prohibited
	CT,IA,MA,MN,NC,NH,VT	<i>Celastrus orbiculatus</i> (Oriental bittersweet)	Prohibited
	FL	<i>Cornus spp.</i> (dogwood)	Prohibited
	OR,WA	<i>Corylus spp.</i> (hazelnut)	Prohibited
	CA	<i>Diospyros spp.</i> (persimmon)	Prohibited
	CO,CT,MT,NM,WY	<i>Elaeagnus angustifolia</i> (russian olive)	Prohibited
	TN	<i>Elaeagnus pungens</i> (thorny olive)	Prohibited
	CT,MA,MI,NH,TN,WV	<i>Elaeagnus umbellata</i> (autumn olive)	Prohibited
	MA,NH,VT	<i>Euonymus alatus</i> (burning bush)	Prohibited
	NJ	<i>Grossularia spp.</i>	Prohibited
	OR	<i>Hedera helix</i> (English ivy)	Prohibited
	OR	<i>Hedera hibernica</i> (English ivy)	Prohibited
	ID,OR,WA	<i>Humulus lupulus</i> (hops)	Prohibited
	AZ,CA,KS,TX	<i>Juglans spp.</i> (walnut, butternut)	Prohibited
	CA	<i>Juniperus spp.</i> (juniper)	Prohibited
	All States, including portions of ME	<i>Larix spp.</i> and <i>Pseudolarix spp.</i> (larch) grown in Washington, Hancock, Waldo, Knox and Lincoln Counties	Prohibited
	CT,MA,NH	<i>Ligustrum obtusifolium</i> (border privet)	Prohibited
	FL, TN	<i>Ligustrum sinense</i> (Chinese privet)	Prohibited
	TN	<i>Ligustrum vulgare</i> (European privet)	Prohibited
	CA,FL,OR	<i>Lithocarpus densiflora</i> (tanbark oak)	Prohibited
	CT,MA,NH, TN, VT	<i>Lonicera x bella</i> (bell's honeysuckle)	Prohibited
CT,IL,MA,NH, VT	<i>Lonicera japonica</i> (Japanese honeysuckle)	Prohibited	
CT,MA,TN,VT	<i>Lonicera maackii</i> (amur honeysuckle)	Prohibited	
CT,MA,NH, TN, VT, WV	<i>Lonicera morowii</i> (morrow's honeysuckle)	Prohibited	
CT,MA,NH, VT, WV	<i>Lonicera tatarica</i> (tatarian honeysuckle)	Prohibited	
CT	<i>Lonicera xylosteum</i> (dwarf honeysuckle)	Prohibited	
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IL,IN,IA,KS,MI,MN,MO,MT,NE,ND,OH,PA,SD,WA,WI,WV,WY	<i>Mahonia spp.</i>	Prohibited
CA	<i>Malus spp.</i> (apple, crabapple)	Prohibited
CT	<i>Paulownia tomentosa</i> (princess tree)	Prohibited
CA,HI,MT	<i>Pinus spp.</i> (pine)	Prohibited
AL,AK,AR,AZ,CO,DE,FL,GA,ID,KY,KS,LA,MS,NC,ND,NE,NM,NV,OK,OR,SC,SD,TN,TX,UT,WA,WY and portions of: IL, ME,MD, MO,NY, VA	<i>Pinus spp.</i> (pine) – including pine Christmas trees, wreaths containing pine and pine nursery stock	Prohibited unless certified free of pine shoot beetle. Plants grown in Aroostook and Washington Counties are unrestricted.
OR	<i>Planera spp.</i>	Prohibited
CT	<i>Populus alba</i> (white poplar)	Prohibited
CO	<i>Prunus spp.</i> (cherry, peach, plum)	Prohibited
MI	<i>Prunus virginiana</i> (chokecherry)	Prohibited
CA,FL,OR	<i>Quercus spp.</i> (oak)	Prohibited
CT,IL,MA,MN,NH,VT	<i>Rhamnus cathartica</i> (common buckthorn)	Prohibited
IL,MA,MN,NH,VT	<i>Rhamnus frangula</i> (<i>Frangula alnus</i> , glossy buckthorn)	Prohibited
IA	<i>Rhamnus spp.</i> (except <i>R. frangula</i>)	Prohibited
MI,OH,VA	<i>Ribes nigrum</i> (black currant)	Prohibited
DE,MA,ME,NC,NH,NJ,RI,WV	<i>Ribes spp.</i> (currant, gooseberry)	Prohibited
MA	<i>Robinia pseudoacacia</i> (black locust)	Prohibited
AL,CT,IA,IL,IN,KS,MA,MD,MN,MO,NH,OH,PA,SD,TN,VA,WI,WV	<i>Rosa multiflora</i> (multiflora rose)	Prohibited
IN,NJ	<i>Rosa spp.</i> (rose)	Certified virus free
ME,MI,NH,OH,VT,WI	<i>Tsuga spp.</i> (Hemlock)	Prohibited unless certified and grown in an area where hemlock woolly adelgid does not occur
NM	<i>Ulmus pumila</i> (Siberian elm)	Prohibited
OR	<i>Ulmus spp.</i> (elm)	Prohibited
GA,OR,WA	<i>Vaccinium spp.</i> (blueberry, cranberry)	Prohibited
ID,NY,OR,WA	<i>Vitis spp.</i> (grape)	Prohibited unless certified free of viruses
OR	<i>Zelkova spp.</i>	Prohibited