

# Wild Strawberry

Scientific Name: *Fragaria virginiana*



<u>Life Cycle</u>	<u>Plant Height</u>	<u>Plant Spacing</u>	<u>Soil Moisture</u>	<u>Sun Exposure</u>	<u>Bloom Period</u>
Perennial	6 in.	3-10 in.	Medium/Wet - Dry	Any	April - June

Not only do you get the early-summer white blossoms and edible fruit, but the Wild Strawberry plant takes on a great red fall color. It is best introduced into a situation using plants; it spreads by runners readily. Wild Strawberries grow in a wide variety of sun and soil conditions: full sun to nearly full shade, prairie, meadows, fields, on moist ground, along the edge of woods, and on hillsides. The fruit ripens in late spring or early summer. They are much smaller than commercial strawberries but probably the most delicious of the wild fruits.

\*\*\*All information collected from [www.prairiemoon.com](http://www.prairiemoon.com)\*\*\*