

# Grass-leaved goldenrod

*Euthamia graminifolia*

Minnesota C-Value: 4  
Wetland Indicator Status: FACW-  
Native



**Leaves:** Alternate, linear to narrowly lance-shaped. 3-15 cm long and 3-10 mm wide. 3-nerved (sometimes 5) with many indistinct glandular dots. Margins can range from entire to rough. Petioles are absent or very short.

**Stems:** Erect stems with upward branching. 1-3 ft tall. Can be smooth or hairy.

**Flowers and fruit:** Small yellow flower heads form loose flat-topped clusters that branch from the tops of stems. 15-25 rays per flower.

**Plant communities:** Prairies and sedge meadows, edges of marshes, bogs, fens, woodlands, shrub carrs, and fence rows.

**Comments:** Perennial, spreading aggressively by rhizomes. Also sometimes called common flat-topped goldenrod. True *Solidago* goldenrods have wider toothed leaves that lack glandular dots.