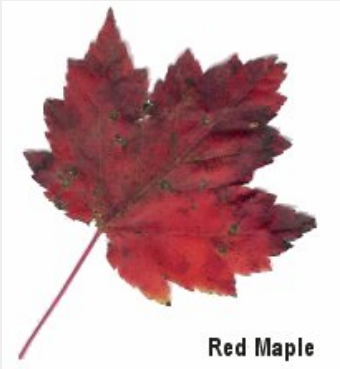







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### Plants Poisonous to Livestock

Scientific Name	Common Name(s)	Species Most Often Affected	Parts Poisonous	Primary Poison(s)
 Red Maple	Red maple, Swamp maple, Soft maple	horses	leaves	gallic acid
 Sugar Maple	Sugar maple, Rock maple, Hard maple	horses	leaves	gallic acid
	Silver maple, Soft maple, White maple	horses	leaves	gallic acid

	<p>Commercial Onions, Wild Onions, Swamp Onions, and Chives</p>	<p>cattle, horses, children</p>	<p>bulbs, leaves</p>	<p>SMCO</p>
	<p>Fiddleneck</p>	<p>horses, swine, cattle</p>	<p>seeds</p>	<p>intermediate, lycopsamine</p>
	<p>Dogbane</p>	<p>horses, cattle, humans, sheep, cats, dogs, goats</p>	<p>rhizome</p>	<p>apocynamarin</p>
	<p>Lambs Quarters</p>	<p>cattle, horses, humans, sheep, swine</p>	<p>all</p>	<p>nitrate</p>



Jimsonweed,  
Downy Thornapple,  
Devils Trumpet,  
Angels Trumpet

cattle,  
humans,  
horses,  
goats

flowers,  
leaves,  
seeds

atropine,  
scopolamine, and  
hyoscyamine



Foxglove

cats, cattle,  
dogs, goats,  
horses,  
humans

flowers,  
leaves,  
seeds

cardiac or steroid  
glycosides







White Snakeroot

cattle, dogs,  
goats,  
horses,  
humans,  
rabbits,  
sheep

all

tremetone

	<p>Poinsettia, Spurges, Snow on the Mountain</p>	<p>cattle, horses, humans, sheep</p>	<p>leaves, stems and sap</p>	<p>phorbol esters</p>
	<p>Buckwheat</p>	<p>horses, goats</p>		
	<p>Tall Fescue</p>	<p>cattle, horses</p>	<p>all</p>	<p>diaziphenanthrene, pyrrolizidine, and ergot</p>
	<p>Jessamine</p>	<p>horses, goats</p>	<p>all</p>	<p>gelsemine</p>



Ground Ivy,  
Creeping Charlie,  
and Gill over the  
Ground

horses,  
goats

leaves,  
stems

unknown



St. Johns Wort,  
Klamath Weed

horses,  
sheep, goats

all

hypericum



Golden Chain or  
Laburnum

cattle, dogs,  
horses,  
humans,  
swine

Pods,  
seeds, all

cytisine

	<p>Sweet Pea, Tangier Pea, Everlasting Pea, Caley Pea and Singletary Pea</p>	<p>horses, rodents, turkeys, sheep, humans</p>	<p>seeds</p>	<p>DABA, ODAP, amine, phenol, glycoside</p>
	<p>White and Yellow Sweetclover</p>	<p>horses, cattle, sheep</p>	<p>stem</p>	<p>dicoumarol</p>
	<p>Oleander</p>	<p>horses, cattle, sheep, dogs, humans, goats</p>	<p>all, leaves, stems</p>	<p>nerioside, oleandroside, saponins, cardiac glycosides</p>
	<p>Pokeweed</p>	<p>cattle, sheep, humans, turkeys, swine, horses</p>	<p>all</p>	<p>phytolaccatoxin, phytolaccigenin</p>

	<p>Wild Cherries, Black Cherry, Bitter Cherry, Choke Cherry, Pin Cherry</p>	<p>horses, cattle, moose, sheep, swine, goats</p>	<p>seeds, leaves</p>	<p>amygdalin, prunasin</p>
	<p>Buttercups or Crowfoot</p>	<p>cattle, goats, horses</p>	<p>all</p>	<p>protoanemonin</p>
	<p>Rhubarb</p>	<p>goats, humans, swine, horses</p>	<p>leaves</p>	<p>anthraquinones, oxalate</p>
	<p>Black Locust</p>	<p>horses, cattle, humans, poultry, sheep, goats</p>	<p>bark, leaves, seeds</p>	<p>robin, phasin</p>

	<p>Common Nightshade, Black Nightshade, Horse Nettle, Buffalo Bur, Potato</p>	<p>cattle, humans, rodents, sheep, horses, goats</p>	<p>leaves, immature fruit</p>	<p>soladulcidine, solanine</p>
	<p>Sorghum or Milo, Sudan Grass, and Johnson Grass</p>	<p>horses, cattle, goats</p>	<p>leaves, stems</p>	<p>dhurrin, nitrate</p>
	<p>Common Vetch, Hairy Vetch, Narrow leaved Vetch, Purple Vetch and Broad Beans</p>	<p>chickens, horses, humans</p>	<p>seeds</p>	<p>beta-cyano-L-alanine</p>