

Lespedeza, Common / Annual Lespedeza / Japanese Clover (*Lespedeza striata*)

Distribution: warm season and transition zone

Habitat: thin turf; tolerates low mowing heights

Growth Season: summer annual

Descriptions:

North Carolina State University: http://www.turffiles.ncsu.edu/Weeds/Lespedeza_Common.aspx

Virginia Tech: http://www.ppws.vt.edu/scott/weed_id/lesst.htm

Weed Alert: http://www.weedalart.com/weed_pages/wa_common_lespedeza.htm



Text and Picture: http://www.turffiles.ncsu.edu/Weeds/Lespedeza_Common.aspx; http://www.ppws.vt.edu/scott/weed_id/lesst.htm

Lespedeza, Sericea (*Lespedeza cuneata*)

Distribution: warm season

Habitat: thin weak turf on golf courses, lawns, and playing fields

Growth Season: perennial

Descriptions:

North Carolina State University: http://www.turffiles.ncsu.edu/Weeds/Lespedeza_Sericea.aspx



Text and Picture: http://www.turffiles.ncsu.edu/Weeds/Lespedeza_Sericea.aspx