



PHYRE DOJO'S

10 S.T.E.A.M. QUALIPHYRES FOR HARVESTING A1 GRADE (HD) HAND DRILL PLANT STALK SPINDLES

- WHAT IS AN A1 GRADE (HD) HAND DRILL PLANT STALK SPINDLE?

AN A1 GRADE (HD) HAND DRILL PLANT STALK SPINDLE:

(PICTURES - PD HAS HIGH STANDARDS! STANDARDIZATION)

IS > 20" - 24" IN LENGTH

IS FROM 3/8" TO 1/2" DIAMETER AT THE BASE

IS COMPLETELY CYLINDRICAL

IS A LARGE PITH LUMEN STALK

IS A STABLE STALK THAT WILL NOT BREAK UNDER REPEATED USE

IS COMPLETELY ARROW STRAIGHT ITS ENTIRE LENGTH WITH ONLY
A DEVIATION OF NOT MORE THAN 1/8"

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10 S.T.E.A.M. QUALIPHYRES FOR HARVESTING
A1 GRADE (HD) HAND DRILL PLANT STALKS

1) AVAILABILITY – EASILY SEEN AND FOUND “EVERYWHERE” LOCALLY. TIME OF YEAR FOR HARVESTING. I.E. PRICKLY LETTUCE.

2) TRIBAL – USUALLY GROWS IN LARGE GROUPS. ETHICAL HARVESTING. (I.E. PRICKLY LETTUCE VS. CANADA LETTUCE.)

3) PROCESSING – LEAST AMOUNT OF BRANCHING REMOVAL. LEAST AMOUNT OF OUTER BARK REMOVAL. LEAST AMOUNT OF THORNS/NEEDLES. EASILY SCRAPED/SHAVED/SANDED. I.E. PRICKLY LETTUCE.

4) STRAIGHTNESS – NEARLY ARROW STRAIGHT. 5/8" TUBE DROP FREE FALL TEST. AXIS LENGTH FOR ABOUT 20" to 24". (I.E. NOT GREAT BURDOCK, CURLY DOCK, SWEET CLOVER, ETC.)

5) SURFACE AREA – LARGE LUMEN/PITH WALLS ARE ABOUT 3/16" THICK. I.E. REEDS ARE TOO THINLY WALLED.

I.E. MUGWARTS, LAMBS QUARTERS, EVENING PRIMROSE CAN BE TOO THICKLY WALLED.

6) STABILITY – NOT FRAGILE OR ROTTEN. I.E. PILEWORT, REEDS (PHRAGMITES).

7) EASE OF USE – “FLOATS” VERY WELL. DOES NOT REQUIRE A LOT OF PRESSURE VARIABLE WHILE SPINNING. WORKS WELL WITH
>ROTATIONS/BACK AND FORTH AND >SPEED VARIABLES.
<DENSITY/HARDNESS VARIABLE.

8) DIAMETER BASES – 3/8”, 7/16”, 1/2”. 10MM/11MM/12MM.
HARD/DIFFICULT/UNCOMMON/RARE TO FIND – I.E. WILD CARROT

9) CYLINDRICAL – THE ENTIRE LENGTH OF THE STALK.
(I.E. PRICKLY LETTUCE (LACTUCA SERRIOLA) CAN HAVE AN OVAL SECTION.

STALKS CAN IMplode - AMARANTH, PILEWORT, LAMBS QUARTERS
ODDLY SHAPED – SMARTWEED IS SHAPED LIKE “THE ELDER WAND” IN HARRY POTTER.

10) OTHER - ANNOYANCES. PET-DEEVES. DEFENSES.
VELCRO-LIKE SEEDS. ETC. - COCKLEBUR (XANTHIUM SPP.), HACKELIA
VIRGINIANA, GREAT BURDOCK (ARCTIM LADDA), ETC.
DERMATITIS/ALLERGIES/REACTIONS - MULLEIN (VERBASCUM SPP.)
THORNS/NEEDLES/SPIKES - THISTLES, TEASELS.
HOLES FROM INSECTS - YUCCAS.
ETC.

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