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Table S1. *Amaranthus palmeri* seedbank dynamics during 2014-2016 for two burial depths treatments (0 and 15 cm) and seven experimental sites with diverse climates and soil conditions.

| Species            | Year | Burial depth (cm) | Site        | Initial # seeds | Intact seeds | Damaged seeds* | Viable seeds | NViable seeds |
|--------------------|------|-------------------|-------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|---------------|
|                    |      | -                 | Arkansas    | 100             | 58.1         | 41.9           | 15.8         | 42.1          |
|                    |      |                   | Illinois    |                 | 48.6         | 50.4           | 8.1          | 40.5          |
|                    |      | 0                 | Indiana     |                 | 59.8         | 40.2           | 34.1         | 25.7          |
|                    |      |                   | Mississippi |                 | 67.1         | 32.9           | 39.3         | 27.8          |
|                    |      |                   | Missouri    |                 | 60.8         | 39.1           | 7.2          | 53.6          |
|                    |      |                   | Tennessee   |                 | 59.4         | 40.5           | 16.4         | 43.0          |
|                    | 2014 |                   | Wisconsin   |                 | 70.2         | 29.8           | 14.6         | 55.6          |
|                    | 2014 | 15                | Arkansas    |                 | 75.9         | 24.1           | 25.5         | 50.4          |
|                    |      |                   | Illinois    |                 | 64.4         | 35.6           | 20.7         | 43.6          |
|                    |      |                   | Indiana     |                 | 71.5         | 28.5           | 29.7         | 41.8          |
|                    |      |                   | Mississippi | 100             | 97.0         | 3.0            | 66.2         | 30.8          |
|                    |      |                   | Missouri    | 1               | 62.1         | 37.8           | 14.7         | 47.4          |
|                    |      |                   | Tennessee   |                 | 74.6         | 25.4           | 13.8         | 60.8          |
| Amaranthus palmeri |      |                   | Wisconsin   |                 | 79.5         | 20.5           | 18.7         | 60.8          |
|                    | 2015 | 0                 | Arkansas    | 100             | 44.4         | 55.6           | 4.5          | 39.9          |
|                    |      |                   | Illinois    |                 | 42.3         | 57.7           | 3.5          | 38.8          |
|                    |      |                   | Indiana     |                 | 66.1         | 33.9           | 21.3         | 44.8          |
|                    |      |                   | Mississippi |                 | 56.4         | 43.6           | 12.0         | 44.2          |
|                    |      |                   | Missouri    |                 | 31.1         | 68.9           | 2.3          | 28.7          |
|                    |      |                   | Tennessee   |                 | 57.8         | 42.2           | 4.8          | 53.0          |
|                    |      |                   | Wisconsin   |                 | 63.2         | 36.8           | 2.5          | 60.6          |
|                    |      | 15                | Arkansas    | 100             | 45.5         | 54.4           | 6.1          | 39.4          |
|                    |      |                   | Illinois    |                 | 44.5         | 55.5           | 11.7         | 32.8          |
|                    |      |                   | Indiana     |                 | 78.8         | 21.2           | 12.6         | 66.2          |
|                    |      |                   | Mississippi |                 | 69.9         | 30.1           | 39.0         | 30.9          |
|                    |      |                   | Missouri    |                 | 62.4         | 37.5           | 6.3          | 56.2          |
|                    |      |                   | Tennessee   |                 | 57.1         | 42.9           | 1.5          | 55.5          |
|                    |      |                   | Wisconsin   |                 | 77.8         | 22.2           | 2.7          | 75.1          |
|                    | 2016 | 0                 | Arkansas    | 100             | 14.3         | 85.7           | 1.5          | 12.7          |
|                    |      |                   | Illinois    |                 | 14.7         | 85.3           | 0.9          | 13.8          |
|                    |      |                   | Indiana     |                 | 47.0         | 53.0           | 13.4         | 33.6          |

|  |    | Mississippi |     | 27.9 | 72.1 | 8.8  | 19.1 |
|--|----|-------------|-----|------|------|------|------|
|  |    | Missouri    |     | 20.3 | 79.7 | 1.9  | 18.3 |
|  |    | Tennessee   |     | 35.1 | 64.9 | 5.3  | 29.8 |
|  |    | Wisconsin   |     | 55.7 | 44.3 | 4.6  | 51.2 |
|  |    | Arkansas    | 100 | 25.6 | 74.4 | 5.2  | 20.3 |
|  |    | Illinois    |     | 33.8 | 66.2 | 5.5  | 28.3 |
|  |    | Indiana     |     | 65.7 | 34.2 | 5.9  | 59.8 |
|  | 15 | Mississippi |     | 55.1 | 44.9 | 18.2 | 36.9 |
|  |    | Missouri    |     | 50.8 | 49.1 | 1.6  | 49.2 |
|  |    | Tennessee   |     | 29.2 | 70.8 | 3.8  | 25.4 |
|  |    | Wisconsin   |     | 74.7 | 25.3 | 9.1  | 65.6 |

Data included in the table above are the mean of three replications per site for each burial depth and location of seed origin.

<sup>\*</sup>Damaged seeds contained broken, shrunk, or malformed seeds (Figure 3) and those lost due to deterioration and futile germination and were impossible to measure but they were estimated. NViable=non-viable.

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Table S2. *Amaranthus tuberculatus* seedbank dynamics during 2014-2016 for two burial depths treatments (0 and 15 cm) and seven experimental sites with diverse climates and soil conditions.

| Species                 | Year | Burial depth (cm) | Site        | Initial # seeds | Intact seeds | Damaged seeds* | Viable seeds | NViable seeds |
|-------------------------|------|-------------------|-------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|---------------|
|                         |      | 0                 | Arkansas    | 100             | 67.5         | 32.5           | 14.4         | 53.1          |
|                         |      |                   | Illinois    |                 | 48.2         | 51.8           | 5.3          | 42.8          |
|                         |      |                   | Indiana     |                 | 66.2         | 33.8           | 41.3         | 24.9          |
|                         |      |                   | Mississippi |                 | 89.2         | 10.7           | 39.8         | 49.4          |
|                         |      |                   | Missouri    |                 | 58           | 42.0           | 6.7          | 51.3          |
|                         |      |                   | Tennessee   |                 | 54.9         | 45.1           | 3.2          | 51.7          |
|                         | 2014 |                   | Wisconsin   |                 | 71.6         | 28.4           | 17.4         | 54.2          |
|                         | 2014 |                   | Arkansas    |                 | 86.3         | 13.7           | 30.3         | 55.9          |
|                         |      | 15                | Illinois    |                 | 70.3         | 29.7           | 12.2         | 58.1          |
|                         |      |                   | Indiana     |                 | 71.5         | 28.5           | 21.9         | 49.6          |
|                         |      |                   | Mississippi | 100             | 90.4         | 9.6            | 37.2         | 53.2          |
|                         |      |                   | Missouri    |                 | 81.8         | 18.2           | 16.3         | 65.5          |
|                         |      |                   | Tennessee   |                 | 67.6         | 32.4           | 2.8          | 64.8          |
|                         |      |                   | Wisconsin   |                 | 89.3         | 10.7           | 46.1         | 43.2          |
|                         | 2015 | 0                 | Arkansas    | 100             | 41.2         | 58.8           | 1.0          | 40.2          |
| Amaranthus tuberculatus |      |                   | Illinois    |                 | 26.9         | 73.1           | 2.0          | 24.9          |
|                         |      |                   | Indiana     |                 | 52.0         | 48.0           | 24.1         | 27.9          |
|                         |      |                   | Mississippi |                 | 60.2         | 39.8           | 4.2          | 56.0          |
|                         |      |                   | Missouri    |                 | 22.0         | 78.0           | 0.9          | 21.1          |
|                         |      |                   | Tennessee   |                 | 36.9         | 63.1           | 3.4          | 33.5          |
|                         |      |                   | Wisconsin   |                 | 62.3         | 37.7           | 17.3         | 44.9          |
|                         |      | 15                | Arkansas    | 100             | 74.2         | 25.8           | 5.2          | 69.0          |
|                         |      |                   | Illinois    |                 | 63.4         | 33.6           | 16.8         | 49.6          |
|                         |      |                   | Indiana     |                 | 72.0         | 28.0           | 26.4         | 45.6          |
|                         |      |                   | Mississippi |                 | 66.3         | 33.7           | 4.9          | 61.3          |
|                         |      |                   | Missouri    |                 | 70.3         | 29.6           | 1.6          | 68.7          |
|                         |      |                   | Tennessee   |                 | 59.5         | 40.5           | 2.9          | 56.6          |
|                         |      |                   | Wisconsin   |                 | 76.9         | 23.1           | 30.9         | 46.0          |
|                         | 2016 | 0                 | Arkansas    | 100             | 20.5         | 79.5           | 1.5          | 19.0          |
|                         |      |                   | Illinois    |                 | 11.2         | 88.8           | 0            | 11.2          |
|                         |      |                   | Indiana     |                 | 38.0         | 62.0           | 18.9         | 19.1          |

|    | Mississippi |     | 30.3 | 69.7 | 2.2  | 28.1 |
|----|-------------|-----|------|------|------|------|
|    | Missouri    |     | 26.1 | 73.9 | 0.6  | 25.5 |
|    | Tennessee   |     | 35.0 | 65.0 | 2.7  | 32.3 |
|    | Wisconsin   |     | 61.1 | 38.9 | 10.1 | 51.0 |
|    | Arkansas    | 100 | 35.8 | 64.2 | 2.6  | 33.1 |
|    | Illinois    |     | 49.3 | 50.7 | 2.7  | 46.6 |
|    | Indiana     |     | 62.5 | 37.5 | 12.8 | 49.6 |
| 15 | Mississippi |     | 58.9 | 41.1 | 5.4  | 53.5 |
|    | Missouri    |     | 54.2 | 45.8 | 0.4  | 53.8 |
|    | Tennessee   |     | 23.4 | 76.6 | 1.6  | 21.8 |
|    | Wisconsin   |     | 76.6 | 23.4 | 14.2 | 62.3 |

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