

Table 1. Aboveground biomass of sulfur cinquefoil plants at senescence (\pm SE) after clipping to 7.5 or 15 cm at different timings and combinations of timings on foothill rangeland in southwestern Montana.

Timing of Clipping	Year			
	2006		2007	
	7.5 cm	15 cm	7.5 cm	15 cm
	-----($\text{g}\cdot\text{plant}^{-1}$)-----			
Unclipped Control	$3.74 \pm 0.5 \text{ a}^1, \text{A}^2$	$3.74 \pm 0.5 \text{ a, A}$	$3.37 \pm 0.5 \text{ a, A}$	$3.37 \pm 0.5 \text{ a, A}$
Pre-flower	$1.68 \pm 0.5 \text{ a, B}$	$3.77 \pm 0.8 \text{ b, A}$	$0.54 \pm 0.1 \text{ a, BC}$	$0.99 \pm 0.2 \text{ b, BC}$
Pre-flower & Flower	$0.88 \pm 0.1 \text{ a, C}$	$1.32 \pm 0.2 \text{ a, B}$	$0.60 \pm 0.1 \text{ a, B}$	$1.42 \pm 0.4 \text{ a, B}$
Pre-flower & Flower & Seedset	$0.90 \pm 0.2 \text{ a, C}$	$1.18 \pm 0.2 \text{ b, B}$	$0.50 \pm 0.1 \text{ a, BC}$	$1.03 \pm 0.1 \text{ b, BC}$
Pre-flower & Seedset	$0.46 \pm 0.1 \text{ a, D}$	$1.29 \pm 0.1 \text{ b, B}$	$0.58 \pm 0.1 \text{ a, B}$	$0.91 \pm 0.1 \text{ a, BC}$
Flower	$0.84 \pm 0.1 \text{ a, C}$	$1.96 \pm 0.4 \text{ b, C}$	$0.38 \pm 0.03 \text{ a, C}$	$0.67 \pm 0.04 \text{ b, C}$
Flower & Seedset	$0.59 \pm 0.1 \text{ a, D}$	$0.73 \pm 0.1 \text{ b, D}$	$0.40 \pm 0.1 \text{ a, C}$	$0.82 \pm 0.1 \text{ b, BC}$
Seedset	$0.58 \pm 0.1 \text{ a, D}$	$1.01 \pm 0.1 \text{ b, B}$	$0.64 \pm 0.1 \text{ a, B}$	$1.08 \pm 0.1 \text{ b, BC}$

¹Means in the same row within year followed by the same lowercase letter are not different ($P > 0.05$).

²Means in the same column followed by the same uppercase letter are not different ($P > 0.05$).