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Butterfly milkweed (*Asclepias tuberosa*) is a common wildflower native to the tallgrass prairie that once dominated Iowa's landscape. In this volume, researchers from Dordt College analyze the genetic structure of butterfly milkweed populations in remnant and restored prairies across northwest Iowa. The results inform strategies for prairie restoration and conservation.



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