



Intensiv™

Late-Maturing Orchardgrass



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High Yielding



Excellent Winter Hardiness

Key features

- Quick to establish
- Exceptional palatability
- High digestibility
- Outstanding disease resistance

Seeding Rate:

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Other Varieties

AlfaBar Alfalfa

Freedom! Red Clover

Alice White Clover

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Intensiv™ Orchardgrass is a high yielding, late-maturing, winter-hardy variety of exceptional quality. Intensiv was bred specifically for increased animal nutrition by producing forage that is highly palatable and easily digestible. This quality is achieved by creating a plant with greater leafiness and by reducing the indigestible lignin component of the plant fiber.

Intensiv features increased milk and meat production. It also has robust seedling vigor that makes it quick to establish. This feature combined with excellent winter-hardiness, heat and drought tolerance, and outstanding disease resistance insures a long stand life.

Technical Information

Applications

Intensiv is effective in grazing and haying situations. It can be seeded alone or as a mixture component. For grazing, seed with a large-leaved white clover such as Alice. For silage or for dry hay, can be seeded with a premium red clover such as Freedom! or high quality AlfaBar alfalfa. Given its late maturity and excellent winter-hardiness, it is an ideal companion for alfalfa. Interplanting with alfalfa can be used to improve stand yield, extend longevity, and reduce the risks of winterkill and pest damage associated with growing a pure stand.

Establishment

Intensiv exhibits exceptional seedling vigor and establishes rapidly. When planting north of the transition zone, Intensiv should be planted in the early spring or late summer to take advantage of soil moisture and moderate temperatures. In the transition zone, planting should occur in the late summer or early fall. Prior to planting, take a soil test and apply adequate phosphorous and potassium if necessary. At planting, apply 35-40 lbs/acre nitrogen to ensure good establishment. Intensiv may be established via full cultivation, no-till, or broadcast seeding. Plant no deeper than 1/4 inch below the surface in a firm seed bed.