

NEW PELLETTED AGRISEED WHITE CLOVER BLEND



This is a pelleted form of our Agriseed white clover blend, which contains varieties Crusader 50% and Barblanca 50%. The pelleting process doubles the normal size of clover seed allowing for easier drill adjustment and more uniform seed dispersal. The extra weight and density improves seed flow and enables the seed to be spread more evenly and accurately when broadcast.

Why Pellet White Clover?

Farmers who have lost their clovers when controlling emergent broadleaved weeds such as docks and chickweed, now have a viable means of introducing clover back into their leys.

Broadcasting natural seed into an established sward is difficult due to the low sowing rate and very small seed size. Equally unless clover seeds have good contact with moist soil, they will not germinate due to their relatively hard shell.

The pellet coating contains **HEADSTART**, which acts as a food source for the new seedlings to help it compete in an established grass sward, by helping the new seedlings overcome situations of stress, whether by cold temperatures, drought or shade, therefore speeding up germination and plant establishment.

HEADSTART is a combination of seaweed enzymes, natural bio-nutrients and trace elements combined with osmotic attractant (assist in the attraction and absorption of water)

Being heavier than natural seed the pellet will find its way to the soil surface more readily.

The pellet coating also steadies the flowability to suit both slot seeding and broadcasting.

Timing?

Clover is best sown into warm, moist soils. Following 1st cut silage is probably the first opportunity in the season. Mid to late August is an ideal time to sow into grazing pastures, as the growth of the established sward is now beginning to slow, reducing the competition to the new clover seedling.

The Product

Agriseed pelleted white clover blend is supplied in 10kg and 25kg packs, with a sowing rate of 5kgs/ Ha (2kgs/ acre).



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