

GRASS

Cereal Rye, Spring *Secale cereale*

 This data is based on expert opinion.



 Plant Hardiness Zone 7 Dataset

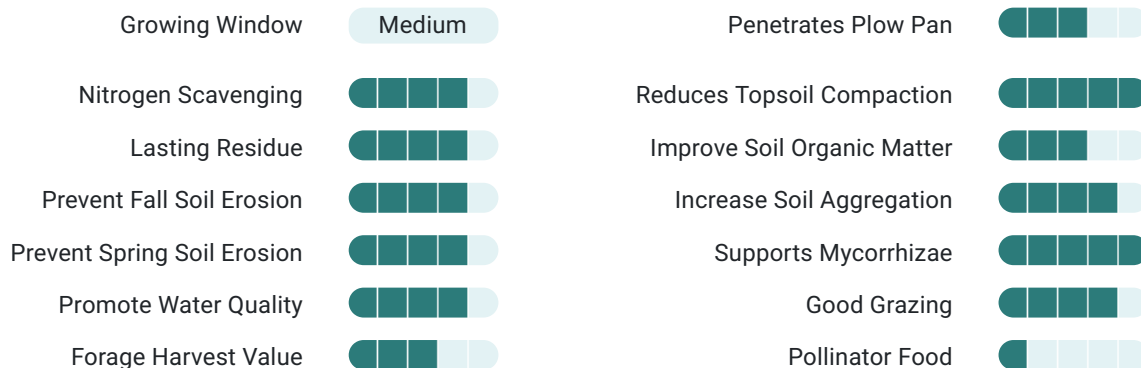
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COVER CROP DESCRIPTION

Best choice for poor/acid soils. Tolerates wet soil. Spring cereal rye germplasm does not require vernalization (overwintering) to flower and may be less winter-hardy than winter cereal rye if planted in the fall. Good cover crop for many purposes: excellent for biomass, N scavenging, weed control. Good forage, but low quality after heading. Best choice for roller-crimping. Height, biomass, high C:N ratio at maturity can be overwhelming and may hinder a following cash crop. Potential weed if it sets seed, especially in small grain cash crops. Mix with vetch, pea.

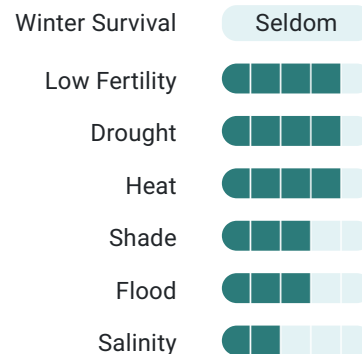


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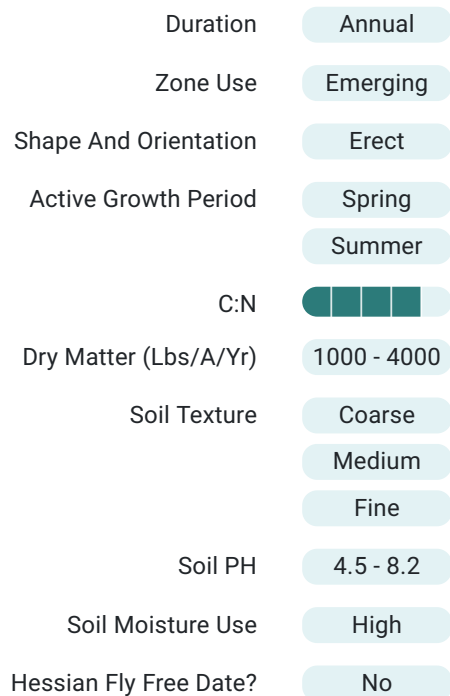


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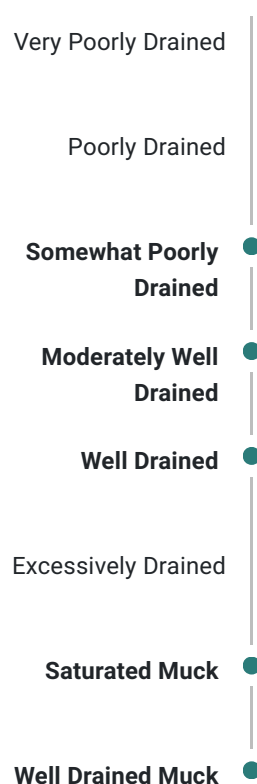
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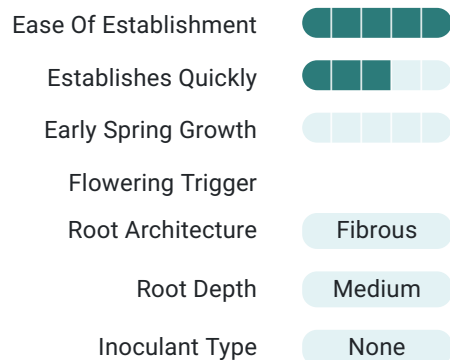
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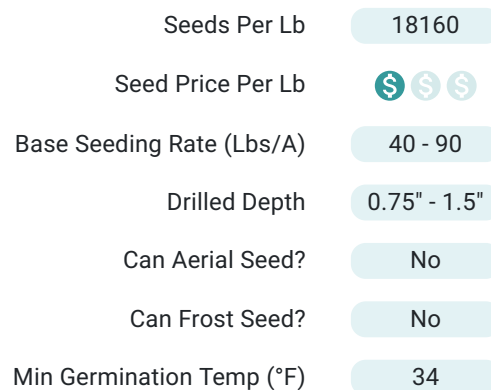
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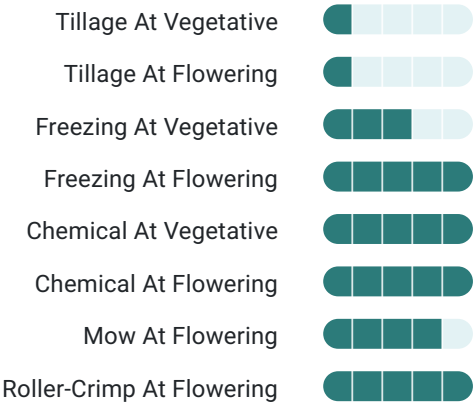
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