

GRASS

Ryegrass, Annual *Lolium multiflorum*

 This data is based on expert opinion.



 Plant Hardiness Zone 7 Dataset

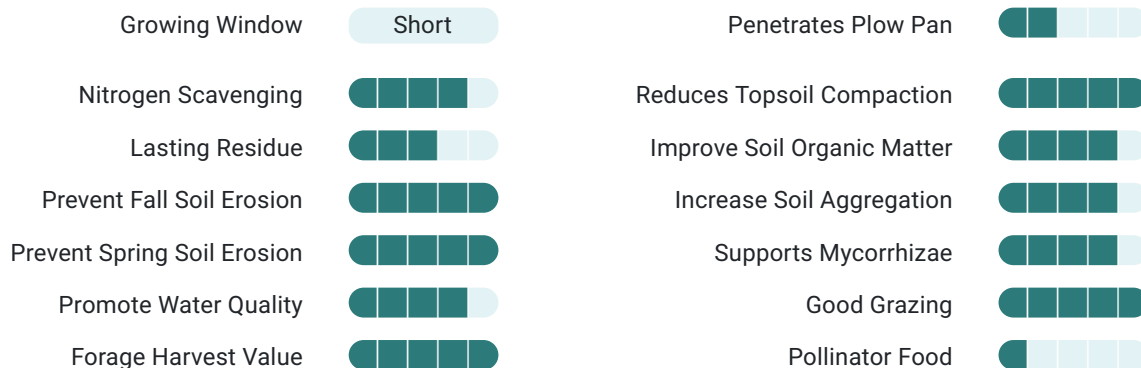
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COVER CROP DESCRIPTION

Also sometimes known as Italian ryegrass. Establishes well in tough conditions. Tolerates wet feet better than small grains. Not good in heat or drought. Winter-hardiness can vary – select cultivar accordingly. Dense fibrous root system, top soil conditioner, good weed fighter and N scavenger, top-quality forage. Needs N fertility for high biomass. Annual ryegrass is a key weed in small grains. Do not allow to set seed. Can be hard to kill with herbicides. Mixes well with crimson clover. Shorter than small grains with a lower C:N ratio.

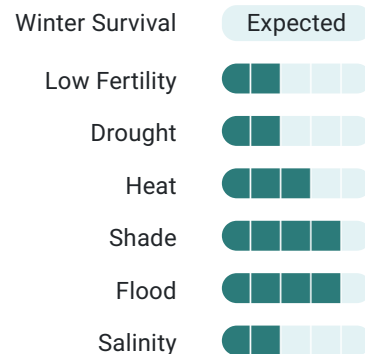


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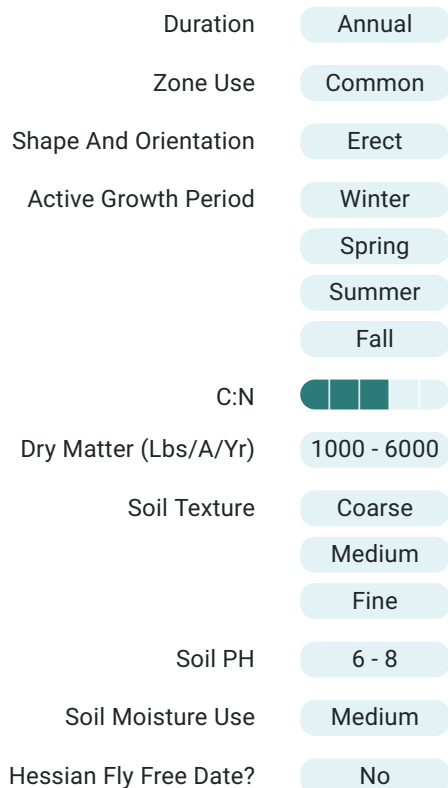


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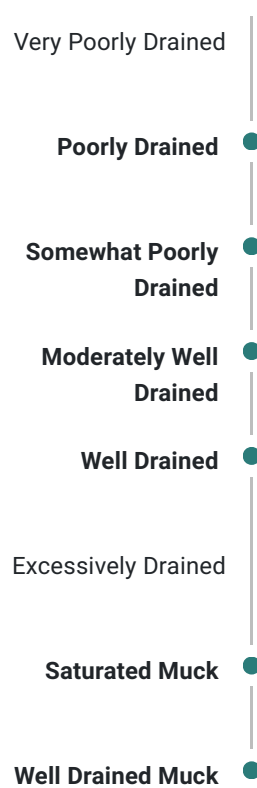
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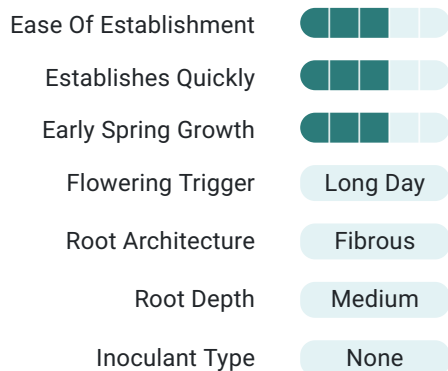
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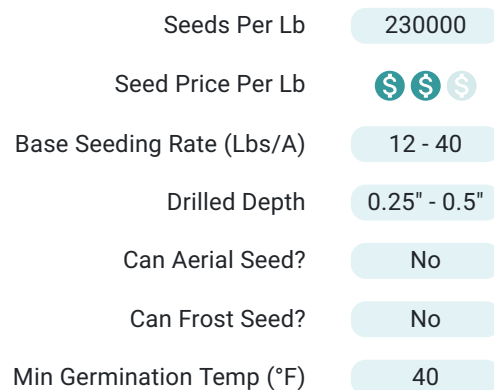
SOIL DRAINAGE



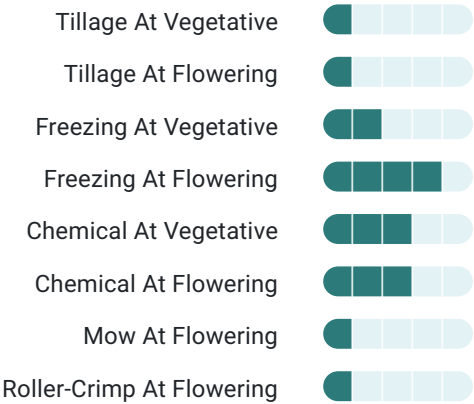
GROWTH



PLANTING



TERMINATION



PLANTING DATES

Frost Seeding	N/A
Reliable Establishment	03/15 - 06/15
Temperature/Moisture Risk	N/A
Can Interseed	N/A