

START

Red Clover

START red clover was developed under extremely harsh conditions. START is a persistent red clover providing excellent yields of high protein, palatable forage. It exhibits good winter hardiness, as well as improved heat and drought tolerance.

START, a diploid variety, has a very erect growth habit and resists lodging. It also has moderate to excellent resistance to disease such as anthracnose, mosaic virus, and powdery mildew. START has excellent re-growth capabilities, thus increasing total forage yields in a multiple-cut management.

START is currently being tested in many regions of the U.S and those trial results will be available in 1996.

CHARACTERISTICS

- Multiple cut
- Fast re-growth
- Resists lodging
- Enhanced disease resistance
- Good winter hardiness
- Heat and drought tolerant
- Excellent forage yields

SEEDLING RATES

- Monoculture: 15-20 lbs./acre
- With grasses: 10 lbs./acre
- With cereals: 10-15 lbs./acre

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