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FORAGES

SEED GUIDE



Maizex Seeds is proud to carry a focused portfolio of Elite forages. With a rich history of performance in Eastern Canada, Elite forage seed varieties have been selected and tested to meet the specific nutrition and agronomic needs of Canadian farmers. The following pages showcase key varieties selected to carry the Elite name, tested not only for overall yield performance but also to provide specific agronomic characteristics that can make a difference year over year while in production.

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Forage Mix Selector

These blends have been positioned by our expert forage agronomists to address the specific needs of Canadian dairy, beef, and export operations. Contact your Maizex dealer for assistance in planning your forages field by field.

PREMIUM PERFORMANCE MIXES							
Ultra High Yield		Ultra Intensive		PRO Hi-Gest		Ultra Export	
Maximize dry hay yield		Maximize regrowth and tonnage in four-cut systems		Optimize feed quality in three-cut systems		For premium export hay with possible delayed harvest	
Rustung alfalfa	50%	Althea alfalfa	90%	Amina alfalfa	50%	Rustung alfalfa	90%
Samba alfalfa	25%	Laura meadow fescue	4%	Rustung alfalfa	40%	Sahara DT timothy	10%
Sahara DT timothy	25%	Athos late orchardgrass	3%	Laura meadow fescue	5%		
		Mahulena festulolium	3%	Barelite tall fescue	5%		

UTILITY PROVEN PERFORMANCE MIXES							
Ultra All Terrain		Classic 75		PRO Lowland		PRO Pasture Reno	
For fields with variable soil types and drainage		An economical solution to establishing hay		Designed for lowland with poor drainage		Low-set alfalfa crown with aggressive grasses for grazing	
Magnum 8-Wet alfalfa	50%	Alfalfa	75%	Arlaka timothy	50%	3010 alfalfa	35%
Samba alfalfa	25%	Timothy	25%	Magnum 8-Wet alfalfa	25%	Companion white clover	25%
Sahara DT timothy	25%			Samba alfalfa	15%	Laura meadow fescue	15%
				Companion white clover	10%	Athos late orchardgrass	15%
						Mahulena festulolium	10%

PURE LEGUME							
Standfast		Dry Yield		Hi-Gest		Premium Red Clover	
Standfast technology with quick regrowth for shorter cutting intervals and use for haylage		Industry-leading disease resistance and excellent persistence and winter survival; suited for longer cutting intervals		Improve feed quality with the Hi-Gest program; a low-lignin alfalfa with improved fibre digestibility Hi-Gest ALFALFA TECHNOLOGY		The most impressive red clover on the market; offers multiple cuts over several years	
Althea alfalfa	100%	Rustung alfalfa	100%	Amina alfalfa	100%	Aramis red clover	100%

PURE GRASS MIXES							
Brome/ Fescue		Brome Blend		Meadow Fescue/ Festulolium		Triple-G	
Add resilience to hay fields		A proven performer		Add high-quality grasses to premium alfalfa		Improve the life and performance of stands with a diverse blend	
Succession	80%	Succession	70%	Laura	50%	Succession	34%
Suede	20%	Hakari	30%	Mahulena	50%	Suede	33%
						Athos	33%



Featured Forage Products

Elite forage products have been specifically tested for performance and positioning to meet individual field management and ration needs. Here are details on the key products in our portfolio.

ALFALFA	
Althea For truly fast recovery	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Standfast variety for fast recovery and regrowth• Ideal for short cutting intervals• Higher total yield through more cuts• Excellent winter survival• High-quality feed source
Amina For longer-lasting quality	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Produces more leaves• Better digestibility• Extended harvest period Hi-Gest ALFALFA TECHNOLOGY
Rustung For resistance	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Outstanding yield and quality potential• Ideal for longer cutting intervals, 10% bloom• Excellent winter survival• Industry benchmark for disease tolerance
Samba A versatile alfalfa	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Yield stability• Disease resistance• Branched root system
Magnum 8-Wet For wet soils	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ideal for uneven fields• Branched roots to overcome wet soils• High yield potential• Excellent disease tolerance
3010 For grazing tolerance	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Deep-set crown with high yield potential• Slower regrowth allows more time for manure application• Outstanding winter survival

CLOVER	
Aramis Superior quality red clover	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Excellent quality• Very good yield under three-cut management systems• Good persistence
Companion Ladino white clover	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Early• Tolerates drought well• Very good persistence

TIMOTHY	
Arlaka For yield	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Very leafy• Intermediate maturity• Superior stand persistence
Sahara DT For drought tolerance	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Vigorous in the spring• Excellent forage quality• Better yield distribution

GRASSES	
BarElite Soft-leaf tall fescue	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• High yield• Grows all season long• Soft, appetizing leaves
Laura Meadow fescue	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Highly digestible• Very good annual yield• High quality
Suede Soft-leaf tall fescue	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Good forage quality• Intermediate maturity• Tolerates stress well
Mahulena Festulolium	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Tolerates drought and flooding• High yield• Good persistence
Athos Late orchardgrass	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Tolerates dry periods well• Good fall growth• Very good yield potential
Hakari Alaska bromegrass	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Very fast establishment• Tolerates drought well• Good palatability
Succession Hybrid bromegrass	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Quick spring start• Great quality• Tolerates dry spells



For more information on the right forage products for your farm, connect with your local Maizex dealer for field-by-field assistance. Also ask about our premium EnergyPlus and FeastPlus hybrids to maximize corn silage performance in your ration.

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