



Greenfeed oat

Cultivars list

Products

Greenfeed oat (*Avena sativa*) crops are easy to manage, and grow large yields of good quality winter feed quickly. Oats are usually grazed once or twice. For extra production and grazing into spring,, sow with an Italian or annual ryegrass (e.g. *Tabu+* or *Hogan*).

Oats are often compared to ryegrass as a winter crop. Oats produce a larger bulk of winter feed. Italian or annual ryegrass is higher in feed value and can be grazed more times into spring, and in some situations, into the following year.

Barenbrug oat cultivar

Hattrick

Hattrick is a well proven cultivar with excellent rust resistance, high yield and good regrowth. When leafy, *Hattrick* has 80% digestibility (or 12 MJ ME/kg DM) and contains 13-15% protein. Suitable for grazing or making into silage.

Catch-crop+

Catch-crop mix of *Hattrick* oats and *Tabu+* Italian ryegrass which takes up N with the flexibility and reduced costs of a 12-18 month pasture.

Coronet

High yielding cultivar that can be either autumn or spring sown. Has a fine stem, high leaf content and good disease and frost tolerance.

Crowa

Selected as a fast starting, high yielding early - medium maturity type, giving farmers more flexibility in grazing and green chop cereal silage timing.

Milton

Establishes rapidly, suited to autumn planting for a single winter grazing or as green chop silage. Has a high leaf: stem ratio and good yield and disease resistance.



For maximum winter growth, Hattrick should be sown early.