

CHICORY

BROWSE/FORAGE

Chicory is a perennial cool season herb and forage crop that has large, dandelion-like leaves and is high in nutritional value. The **chicory** plant's taproot allows it to tolerate drought conditions very well, and will remain green throughout the summer. It is best planted in the spring to avoid winterkill of young plants. Deer will show preference to **chicory** over other crops. **Chicory** works best in deer food plots when planted in a mixture with clovers and other cool season forages.

PLANTING TIPS

- ◆ Plant the seed around 1 inch deep
- ◆ For optimal results, plant on well-drained soil that is rich in organic matter
- ◆ Make sure the land is bare for 2-4 months before planting
- ◆ Prepare a firm, smooth seedbed for best seed-to-soil contact
- ◆ Dense planting will reduce the weed pressure

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CHICORY CHARACTERISTICS

Botanical Name	Cichorium intybus
Typical Seeds / lb	70,000
Life Cycle	Perennial
Environment	Full Sun
Planting Season	Summer-Fall
Flower Color	Purple
Seeding Rate	5-8 lbs / acre



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