

FORAGE TURNIPS

BRASSICA - APPINS OR SEVEN TOPS

Forage Turnips are an annual brassica crop that has a significantly higher proportion of leaf yield compared to other turnips and has high digestibility. Appin and Seven Top turnips are the varieties that we carry for forage turnips. These turnips are fast and vigorous in growth, and mature as quick as 60-100 days. The high leaf-to-bulb ratio increases the plants utilization. Once the top leaves are eaten, then stock cows, dry cows and ewes eat the bulb. Forage turnips are high yielding, high quality turnips that are designed for grazing and are an excellent choice for forage for deer.

PLANTING TIPS

- ◆ Plant the seed around 1/4 to 1/2 inch deep
- ◆ Optimal planting time is from late July to Early September
- ◆ When planting as a pure stand, 5 lbs per acre is recommended
- ◆ For extended grazing, plant in early to mid-summer
- ◆ For summer grazing, plant in the spring

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FORAGE TURNIPS CHARACTERISTICS

Botanical Name	
Typical Seeds / lb	200,000
Life Cycle	Annual
Environment	Full Sun
Planting Time	Fall, Spring
Leaf Color	Green
Seeding Rate	3-5 lbs / acre



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