



Niagara Oats

Niagara is a medium maturity Canadian forage oat, very similar to Foragemaker 50 with improved rust resistance. At boot stage, Niagara is high in crude protein and percent digestible fiber.

Management Notes:

Adequate seed bed preparation is important, as are seeding rate and fertility. Niagara Oats are high yielding while maintaining better quality. This is accomplished when both good fertility and good moisture are available.

Always test forages for nitrate levels before feeding, especially when grown in high nitrogen regimes.

Cut prior to boot stage for optimal quality.

At A Glance

- True forage oat with high quality
- Dark green foliage
- Replaces Foragemaker 50

Uses

Like other oats varieties, mixes well with alfalfa as a nurse crop to suppress weeds and protect from harsh weather

Dry Hay: Poor

Haylage/Balage: Excellent

Management Intensive Grazing: Good

Establishment

Planting Dates: Seed 4 to 6 weeks prior to the beginning of wheat seeding.

Seeding Rate: 95-130 lb/A (3-4 bu/A); 80-100 lb/A for cover crop
Large seed box required.

Depth: 1" - 1 1/2"



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