# Performance

# <u>Max</u>

Seeding Rate: 20-25lb/A
70% KingFisher Alfalfas

30% Endophyte Free Tall Fescue

An alfalfa/endophyte free tall fescue mixture that will excel in both agronomic and nutritional performance. The alfalfa adds drought productivity, protein, and high NSC while the tall fescue adds consistent high fiber digestibility, superb yields and traffic tolerance.

### Soil Adaptation:

Best on soils that are good for alfalfa.

Wet-Tall fescue will dominate in wet areas. Alfalfa does not tolerate wet soils well.

Drought—Excellent for both alfalfa and tall fescue pH range: 6.5 and higher. Tall fescue will tolerate lower pH's

## **Cutting Management:**

Cut leaving a 3 to 4 inch stubble height at the first sign of alfalfa flowering

### Stand life:

With good management and proper soils, alfalfa should last a minimum of 3 years. Consistent early harvest of alfalfa will shorten alfalfa stand life. For longer alfalfa stand life delay fall harvest to full flower, which replenishes alfalfa root energy reserves. Tall fescue persistence is very long with the exception of southern climates.

#### Traffic Tolerance:

Very Good. Tall Fescue has a superior traffic tolerance, and the alfalfas have above-average traffic tolerance. Will tolerate manure applications.



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