

Latar Orchardgrass

Dactylis glomerata



Latar Orchardgrass is a late maturing, hay type orchardgrass. It blooms and matures seed on average of 10-14 days later than commercial varieties. Leaves are abundant, broad, well distributed and noticeably light green. It is vigorous and high in vegetative production. It has good pest and disease resistance. The average seed production is 250 lbs. per acre, however, under optimum conditions, it has been known to produce as much as 700 lbs. per acre. Latar is unique among Orchardgrass varieties because of its feeding value. Lab tests have shown it to be highest in digestibility, and lowest in fiber of all orchardgrasses. It has good cold tolerance.

It is recommended to plant Latar in alternate rows with legumes. Best time to plant is in the spring. Latar has been replacing other orchardgrasses in conservation seedings where perennial legume grass mixtures are used crop rotations to improve the soil. Also used for hay, pasture, and silage.

Seeding Rate: Drilled: 3 - 5 Lbs./Ac | Broadcast: 10 – 20 Lbs. per acre

Taxonomy

Species: glomerata

Genus: Dactylis

Family: Poaceae

Order: Cyperales

Subclass: Commelinidae

Class: Liliopsida

Division: Magnoliophyta

Subkingdom: Tracheobionta

Kingdom: Plantae



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