

SOUTHERN BEEFMASTER

DROUGHT AND HEAT TOLERANT PASTURE FOR BEEF CATTLE



Southern Beefmaster is an excellent mixture of highly drought and heat tolerant forage grasses combined with red and white clovers formulated for stocker cattle, beef cows and calves. The varieties in this mix were chosen to give you the best performance in the challenging climate of the transition zone. Southern Beefmaster's featured component is the beneficial endophyte tall fescue BarOptima PLUS E34®. BarOptima PLUS E34 is a new, revolutionary product which enhances the sustainability of grass stands located in the challenging climates of the south and transition zone. The beneficial endophyte in BarOptima gives it more tolerance to heat and other stresses, and in combination with the fescue's soft leaves, improves palatability and dry matter intake and average daily gains. The orchardgrass varieties are late maturing and tolerant to grazing situations. Southern Beefmaster also contains perennial ryegrass for rapid establishment and exceptional forage quality. The red and white clovers provide high protein and nitrogen fixation.

ADAPTATION - CLIMATE

Southern Beefmaster is a complex mixture of cool-season grasses that perform well in temperate regions of the United States. The addition of drought tolerant varieties allows it to adapt to drier areas with supplemental irrigation.

ADAPTATION - SOIL

Southern Beefmaster is adapted to a range of soil conditions. It is suited to both shallow and deep soils with light and heavy texture. It is also adapted to a wide range of fertility and moisture conditions.

ESTABLISHMENT

In moderate climates or hot, dry areas, Southern Beefmaster can be planted in spring or early fall. In regions prone to summer drought, fall sowing is recommended. To ensure good establishment, a balanced fertilizer such as 100 lbs/acre of 20-20-20 (N-P-K) should be applied at planting. Southern Beefmaster can be established via full tillage, no-till, or broadcast seeding methods. A well-prepared firm seedbed is ideal for planting. Maintain a planting depth of 1/8 to 1/4 inch. Southern Beefmaster can also be seeded via no-till drill to improve an existing pasture.



At A Glance

- All varieties specifically selected for drought resistance
- Rapid establishment and persistence
- Exceptional yields and late-maturing—maintains quality
- Red and white clover provide protein and soil nitrogen

Product Formula (by weight)

45% BarOptima Plus E34 Tall Fescue
30% HLR Orchardgrass
15% Remington Ryegrass
5% RegalGraze Ladino Clover
5% Freedom Red Clover

Uses

Ideal pasture mixture for stocker cattle, calves, and cows in southern climates.

Dry Hay: Very Good

Haylage/Balage: Excellent

Rotational Grazing: Very Good

Establishment

Seeding Rate: 30 to 35 lbs/A.

Depth: Shallow (surface to 1/4") is ideal.

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