

viterra® Cover crop blend

GRANOPUR

... WCS (whole crop silage) usage before winter



Benefits:

- For increase in biomass after WCS or an early cereal harvest with the cut used before winter
- Increased crop reliability through a balanced composition of different cereal components
- Maintenance of the soil tilth throughout summer
- **viterra® GRANOPUR** is as a pure cereal blend also very good for potato crop rotations

Blend details:

Composition of blend Weight %	20 % Saia oat / Bristle oat PRATEX
	20 % Spring oat
	20 % Spring rye OVID
	40 % Spring triticale

without cruciferae, without legumes, not winter-hardy

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Usage:

Biogas- and fodder production
Humus formation
Protection against erosion

Crop rotation suitability:

+ suitable / ++ strongly recommended

Maize	++
Cereals	++
Oilseed rape	+
Sugar beets	+
Potatoes	+
Intensive crops	+
Legumes	+

Agronomic features:

bad / early / short / low good / late / long / high / tall

Weed suppression	6
Protection against erosion	5
Humus formation	5
Cold- and frost resistance	2

Cultivation recommendations:

Recommended sowing rate	135 - 150 kg/ha
Sowing depth	2 - 4 cm
Sowing period	Early March to late May or early July to early August - depending on location!
Fertilization	An early fertilization to promote the initial development is recommended.
Crop protection	Usually there is no crop protection required
Sowing method	Drill sowing ensure high crop emergences
Harvest	Standing crop at yellow ripeness
Harvest date	June/July for early sowing, October/November for sowing in summer

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