

CLOVERS

Crimson Clover

Attractive crimson flowers and highly palatable

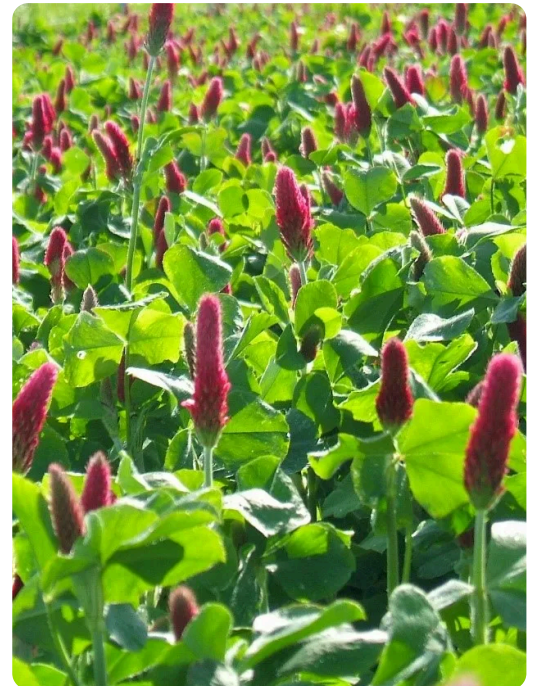
Trifolium incarnatum

Soft seeded erect annual clover suited to medium-high rainfall areas. Produces a large amount of high quality forage in the late spring period and is adaptable to loam and gravelly soils. Susceptible to germination after false breaks. Often used in mixes for cover crops and regenerative pastures, being deep rooted and having high seed production.

ABOUT THIS VARIETY

Crimson Clover is a deep rooted, long season, soft seeded aerial seeding clover that is adaptable to a wide range of soil types and management systems. It performs best in free draining heavier soils and gravelly loams, but will perform in all soils where subterranean clovers are grown.

Crimson has an upright growth habit, high quality leaf and stem and excellent mid to late spring production, with a very showy crimson flower that is attractive to bees and other beneficial insects, making it suited to vineyards and orchards. With its very high forage quality and mid to late spring production peak, it increases the clover to grass ratio for improved forage quality and hay.



QUICK FACTS

-  **TYPE & PERSISTENCY**
Annual
-  **MIN RAINFALL**
500 mm+
-  **SOIL & PH**
Soil range: Sand to Heavy · pH 4.5+ (CaCl₂)
-  **SOWING RATE**
3–10 kg/ha General
-  **TOLERANCES**
Low pH
-  **END USE**
Grazing, Hay, Silage
-  **DAYS TO FLOWERING**
120
-  **HARD SEED LEVEL**
Soft
-  **FLOWER COLOUR**
Crimson

KEY ATTRIBUTES

- ✓ Highly palatable, soft seeded erect annual clover
- ✓ Suits late winter to early spring grazing
- ✓ Deep rooted with high seed production, popular in cover crop mixes
- ✓ Excellent spring and early summer production
- ✓ Lifts the clover to grass ratio for better hay
- ✓ Showy flowers attract bees and beneficial insects

PLANTING & GRAZING NOTES

A highly palatable feed suited to late winter and early spring grazing and to silage or hay production. To optimise production it is best suited to rotational grazing systems that allow recovery time between grazings. Inoculate with group C inoculant before sowing.

STAND LIFE

A soft seeded annual. It is susceptible to germination after false breaks. Being soft seeded, it will not regenerate following a crop and needs to be resown at the start of each pasture phase.

HOW IT'S SOLD

FORM	PACK
Bare	25 kg