

CLOVERS

Haifa White Clover

Perennial clover under irrigation, a winter producer

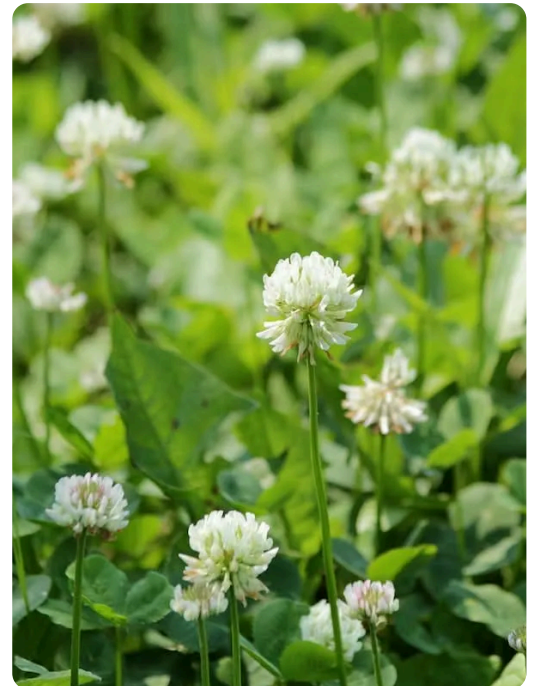
Trifolium repens

Small-medium sized leaves with high winter / early spring activity. Older variety with prolific seed set and some hard seed dispersed by livestock.

ABOUT THIS VARIETY

Haifa White Clover is a highly productive winter active variety suited to rotational grazing systems in higher rainfall areas or under irrigation in Western Australia. It was selected for increased stolon density (compared to a large leaved Ladino type), medium leaf size and increased winter activity.

Haifa is an older variety that has been largely superseded by later releases, but it is a useful addition to a mix in the higher rainfall zones where winter activity is required. It has limited summer production compared to Ladino and later releases, so it is best sown into a mix with more summer active white clover varieties, particularly under irrigation.



QUICK FACTS

-  **TYPE & PERSISTENCY**
Perennial
-  **MIN RAINFALL**
500 mm+
-  **SOIL & PH**
Soil range: Sand to Heavy · pH 5+ (CaCl₂)
-  **SOWING RATE**
2–4 kg/ha In a mix
-  **TOLERANCES**
Low pH, Waterlogging
-  **END USE**
Grazing
-  **DAYS TO FLOWERING**
90
-  **HARD SEED LEVEL**
Low
-  **FLOWER COLOUR**
White

KEY ATTRIBUTES

- ✓ Increased winter activity with medium leaf size
- ✓ Increased stolon density compared to Ladino types
- ✓ Prolific seed set, some hard seed spread by livestock
- ✓ Useful in high rainfall and irrigated mixes
- ✓ Sown with perennial or biennial ryegrasses
- ✓ Limited summer production compared with later releases

PLANTING & GRAZING NOTES

As with all white clovers, make sure seed is not sown too deep (maximum 1.5cm), and graze pastures frequently to ensure light penetration, which enhances plant establishment and development. Can be sown with perennial or biennial ryegrasses; white clover is generally not competitive with annual ryegrass species. Where sown with other white clovers, adjust the proportion of Haifa accordingly. Inoculate with group B inoculant before sowing.

STAND LIFE

A perennial clover under irrigation or in higher rainfall areas. Prolific seed set and some hard seed dispersed by livestock help it persist.

HOW IT'S SOLD

FORM	PACK
Bare	25 kg