



HUSBANDRY GUIDELINES LEGUME FALLOW FLOWER RICH (AB15)

GAME COVER & STEWARDSHIP SEED

Seed Rate: 8 Kg/acre 20kg/Ha

Description: A pollen and nectar rich mixture providing food and shelter for pollinators, invertebrates and farmland birds, used as part or whole fields scale.

Duration: 2 year

Use: Do not graze or conserve forage. Top at least twice to control blackgrass (Check dates comply with agreement)

Drill or Broadcast: Either, although drilling is preferable

Time of Sowing: March / April or August / Early September

Row Width: 10 cm

Depth of Sowing: 0.5cm (Shallow)

Soil Type: Thrives on various soil types. Min pH of 6

Seed Bed Preparation: Aim to achieve a firm, fine seedbed and roll the seeds in

Fertiliser: Not required

Pesticide and Herbicide Control: To ensure a successful establishment and continued growth, effective / appropriate initial weed control is essential. A stale seedbed would always be the best approach using Glyphosate.

Comments: AB15 is a robust and reliable conservation mixture which can be a useful part of a rotation aimed at reducing blackgrass populations if required.

May require topping hard in the 1st year to encourage rooting and tillering along with suppressing annual weeds.

Note that this mixture is suitable for agreements starting on or after 1st January 2021

LEGUME FALLOW MIXTURE FLOWER RICH TWO YEAR AB15

50%	Winter Vetch
15%	Lucerne
15%	Red Clover
10%	Alsike Clover
5%	Birdsfoot Trefoil
5%	Black Medick

100%
Packed in 20kg

Sowing Rate
(kg/ha)
15 - 20

WILD BIRD SEED

