

# Veil SC Alfalfa

## Key Features

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Veil SC is a high forage yielding alfalfa with deep crown placement. The majority of the crowns are set into the soil about 1.5 inches compared to about 0.5 inch with traditional alfalfas. These sunken crowns protect the plant under wheel and animal traffic pressures and provide extra protection in open winters. Veil SC was bred from non-GMO genetics

- Sunken Crown for wheel and animal traffic tolerance
- High forage yield and quality potential
- High resistance to Aphanomyces Root Rot Race 2
- Rapid regrowth making it ideal for pastures and hay

## Fall Dormancy Rating

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4.5

## Winter Hardiness Index

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1.9

## Seeding Rate

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15-20 lbs/acre.

## Seeding Depth

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¼" into a firm, clod-free seedbed.

## Establishment

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Seeding rates for alfalfa vary with management and seeding type. When drilling in rows the seeding rates can be lower. When broadcasting alfalfa seed the seeding rates should be higher. When incorporating grasses into a mixed forage crop the alfalfa should be broadcast at a slightly lower rate than stated above. The grasses in this mixed stand should be drilled in rows. This will allow a more uniform stand of both specie.

## History and Development

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Veil SC was introduced into the line-up for its high disease tolerance and outstanding yields. In addition, Veil SC has a sunken crown to give it a high tolerance to wheel and animal traffic. It is highly resistant to both Aphanomyces races 1 and 2, as well as being highly resistant to the major diseases giving it a 35/35 resistance rating.



## Diseases

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Anthracnose	HR
Aphanomyces Race 1	HR
Aphanomyces Race 2	HR
Bacterial Wilt	HR
Fusarium Wilt	HR
Phytophthora	HR
Verticillium Wilt	HR

## Nematodes

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Stem	NA
Northern Root Knot	NA

## Insects

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Pea Aphid	NA
Spotted Alfalfa Aphid	NA

HR=Highly Resistant  
NA=Not Available

