

Organic Forage Production Systems

Year			1	2	3	4				
2003-2007 (Transition)										
2007	fall	Early	Rye + Vetch	Rye + Vetch	Rye + Vetch	Rye + Vetch				
		Mid								
Late										
2008	winter	Early								
		Mid								
		Late								
spring	Early	Brassica	Sorghum + Sudan Grass	Rye + Vetch	Buckwheat					
	Mid									
	Late									
summer	Early	Buckwheat	Alfalfa + Orchard Grass			Rye	Rye			
	Mid	Rye + Red Clover								
	Late	Red Clover								
fall	Early		Alfalfa	Alfalfa + Orchard Grass	Rye + Hairy Vetch	Corn				
	Mid				Corn					
	Late									
2009	winter	Early				Alfalfa	Alfalfa + Orchard Grass	Rye + Hairy Vetch	Corn	
		Mid								
		Late								
spring	Early	Alfalfa	Alfalfa + Orchard Grass	Rye + Hairy Vetch	Corn					
	Mid									
	Late									
summer	Early					Alfalfa	Alfalfa + Orchard Grass	Rye + Hairy Vetch	Corn	
	Mid									
	Late									
fall	Early	Alfalfa	Alfalfa + Orchard Grass	Rye + Hairy Vetch	Corn					
	Mid									
	Late									
2010	winter					Early	Alfalfa	Alfalfa + Orchard Grass	Rye + Hairy Vetch	Corn
						Mid				
						Late				
spring	Early	Alfalfa	Alfalfa + Orchard Grass	Rye + Hairy Vetch	Corn					
	Mid									
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	Mid									
	Late									

Conventional tillage

Minimum tillage

Fallow period