

REVIVE INSTRUCTIONS:

Seedbed Preparation and Planting

Do not plant Revive until soil temps reach 65°

1. Select a site with medium/heavy to well-drained soil.
2. For optimum results perform a laboratory soil test in advance of planting to determine lime and fertilizer requirements. If using Whitetail Institute's laboratory check the Revive box on submittal form. If using another lab test for forage grain. Whitetail Institute's soil test submittal forms can be purchased and downloaded at: <https://whitetailinstitute.com/soil-test-kit-download-version/>
Tip: For best results, use a soil-test kit that requires you to send a sample of your soil to a qualified soil-testing laboratory for analysis (not a do-it-yourself test). The Whitetail Institute's laboratory soil-test report is very easy to understand.
3. Add the amount of lime recommended in your soil-test report. If no soil test is available, then add a minimum of 2 tons of lime per acre. For best results, disk or till the lime thoroughly into the top few inches of the seedbed. If possible, lime should be added several months in advance of planting.
4. Either of the following methods can achieve proper seedbed preparation:
 - A. Disk ground thoroughly to kill grass and weeds. Allow this area to sit for 1 to 2 weeks. Re-disk ground again to achieve a seedbed that is grass and weed free. The second disking will be much easier and take fewer passes over the pre-worked ground. Reduce the cutting angle in your disk on the last pass over the ground to help level and smooth out seedbed.
 - B. Apply an herbicide such as Roundup® to kill existing grass and weeds. Wait 2 weeks and disk thoroughly to create a clean seedbed. You will need to disk the ground several times to create a loose seedbed. Reduce the cutting angle in your disk on the last pass over the ground to help level and smooth out the seedbed.
5. 12.25 lbs. of seed plants 1/4 acre. Broadcast seed and lightly drag to cover seed no more than 1/2 inch. Do not disk or till the seed into the soil.