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RANCHER RED CLOVER

Van Dyke Seed is proud to have finally licensed its own variety of Red Clover.

Rancher was bred by McCarthy LLC with germplasms tracing back to Hedges.

KEY FEATURES

- Quick establishing
- Superior persistence
- Vigorous regrowth
- Improved disease resistance
- Winter hardy
- Heightened forage yield

University of Kentucky 2024 Red Clover Report
by G.L. Olson

Table 6. Dry matter yields and stand persistence of red clover varieties sown March 29, 2024, at Lexington, Kentucky.

Variety	Percent Stand		Yield (tons/acre)		
	2024		2024		
	Jun 3	Sep 17	Jun 27 ¹	Aug 20	Total
Commercial Varieties-Available for Farm Use					
Blaze	93	92	0.14	0.75	0.89*
Freedom!	86	87	0.14	0.65	0.79*
SS0303RCG	94	94	0.14	0.65	0.79*
Kenland (certified)	94	94	0.14	0.65	0.79*
Rancher	93	88	0.13	0.60	0.73*
GA9908	87	87	0.13	0.60	0.72*
Common O	93	92	0.14	0.52	0.66
Dynamite	92	92	0.13	0.53	0.65
Gallant	86	85	0.13	0.48	0.62
Qredclove	85	84	0.14	0.21	0.35
Experimental Varieties					
SERC-V33	80	80	0.14	0.65	0.79*
24DKY2014	74	74	0.14	0.60	0.74*
SERC-V15	93	85	0.13	0.59	0.72*
GRD13014/F5058	92	89	0.13	0.56	0.69*
SERC-V32	87	80	0.13	0.51	0.64
SERC-201PC52	67	67	0.10	0.46	0.56
GRD15002/F4287	92	86	0.11	0.28	0.39
Mean	88	86	0.13	0.55	0.68
CV,%	12	12	7.58	28.11	22.91
LSD,0.05	16	15	0.01	0.22	0.22

¹ Due to delayed emergence and weak seedling growth (cool, wet spring), the first cut yield was exceptionally low.

* Not significantly different from the highest numerical value in the column, based on the 0.05 LSD.



Oregon State University Seed Certification 2024 Red Clover trials
by Nichole Anderson

2024 Variety Evaluation of First-Year Red Clover

Variety	Clean Seed Yield kg/ha	Clean Seed Yield lb/a	Cleanout %	Seed Weight mg seed ⁻¹	Seed Number no m ⁻²	Biomass Harvest Weight g/ft ²	Biomass Dry Weight g/ft ²
Control (Medium Red)	575.6 e	513.7 e	7.16 *	1.839 c	31329 d	814.3 *	165.7 *
Rancher	529.5 d	472.5 d	4.93	1.796 bc	29520 d	846.6	157.9
GA9908	218.8 b	195.2 b	5.64	1.780 abc	12335 b	758.0	152.4
Emarwan	377.2 c	336.6 c	5.19	1.734 a	21800 c	651.7	124.1
Evolve	110.4 a	98.5 a	12.36	1.800 c	6125 a	678.1	130.5
Blaze	185.4 b	165.4 b	5.77	1.738 ab	10699 b	621.4	131.9
Red Moon	204.1 b	182.1 b	7.03	1.823 c	11196 b	723.2	141.5
Redkin	98.5 a	87.9 a	7.78	1.781 abc	5529 a	724.9	139.7
VGC-RC-15	129.8 a	115.8 a	8.58	1.787 abc	7275 a	807.2	167.2
P =	0.0000	0.0000	0.2486	0.0274	0.0000	0.3151	0.6570

* Indicates That Entries Are Not Statistically Different Using LSD (0.05)

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