

Chicory

Chicory is a perennial forb that is long-lived. Chicory can be very palatable and nutritious, as well as, rich in minerals when properly managed. Chicory has a deep tap root, allowing it to survive most droughts.

It is most preferred by livestock prior to bolting, so it is best to rotationally graze, or occasionally mow to help keep it vegetative.



Chicory should not be seeded in hay fields. It is often too high in moisture content and can cause spoilage.

Seeding Method:	Frost-seed, Broadcast or Drill
Seeding Rate:	2-3# / acre in a mix
Seeding Depth:	1/4" - 1/2" deep
Seeding Dates:	2/15 - 5/1 or 8/1-9/10
Notes:	Best for pasture, not hay