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Crop establishment recommendations in the Uplands



For hand drill-seeding, cover the seeds by lightly sweeping soil towards the seed to cover it.



For broadcast-seeds, cover by lightly harrowing the field after sowing.



Machine-seeding only needs 20 -60 kg/ha seeds. Space between seeds should be uniform to produce vigorous seedlings.

Use 40-60 kg seeds/ha

Advantages of Seeding in rows:

- Easy weeding and application of other inputs. (i.e. fertilizers and pesticides)
- Promotes good stand and higher yield.

Remember not to bury the seeds deep into the soil.