

# Fowler Seed Marketing

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## FSM Brand Sleepy Head Timothy

**FSM Brand Sleepy Head Timothy** is a medium-late variety heading in early June and best suited for hay production, alone or in mixes, in areas where first cutting is typically made in early to mid-June.

### Agronomic & Performance Characteristics

- Medium-late Maturity (1-2 days later than Climax)
  - Rapid Establishment
  - Good Spring Vigor
  - Tall & Very Leafy
  - Resistant to Fusarium Wilt & Rust
  - High quality, palatable forage
  - Excellent Winter Hardiness
  - Superior yields (Up to 5% higher than Climax in performance trials!)
- Variety Development: Non-GMO  
Seeding Rate: 8-10#/acre



**FSM Brand Sleepy Head** medium-late maturity timothy will perform well as a high yielding grass hay either alone or in combination with our late maturing orchardgrasses, soft-leaved tall fescue, and alfalfa or other legumes. Excellent root and leaf disease tolerance with resistance to Fusarium Wilt and Rust, Sleepy Head is an ideal variety for horse hay producers in Northern Ohio and other areas where dry hay production is typically delayed until mid-June. Sleepy Head offers good spring vigor, great lodging resistance, extreme leafiness, and yields up to 5% higher than Climax timothy in performance studies! The best combination of yield and forage quality occur when harvested in the boot stage, just before the head emerges.

Like other varieties of timothy, Sleepy Head will perform well on a wide range of soils throughout Ohio, including soils with moderate to poor drainage. For best results, sow Sleepy Head seed no deeper than 1/4 inch into a fine, firm seed bed. Timothy will tolerate poor soil fertility but produces higher yields when supplied with adequate nitrogen, calcium, phosphorus, and potassium.

**FSM Brand Sleepy Head Timothy** should be inoculated with **Myco-Seed Treat** for enhanced seedling establishment at a rate of 4oz/100# before planting.

Use our **Bio-Enhanced Grass Hay Program** to supply balanced nutrition throughout the growing season, including, essential calcium, phosphorus, and potassium.

*FSM Brand Sleepy Head Timothy seed is non-GMO and untreated, however, always confirm acceptability for organic production with your certifying organization.*