



## BAYOU KALE

Bayou kale is a great addition for forage, cover crops, and even for food plots. This cold tolerant brassica makes it a favorable forage and cover crop specie as we move into northern regions.

### AT A GLANCE

- Excellent cold weather crop
- Nutrient scavenging brings nutrients up through the soil for crops.
- Taproots reduce soil compaction

### PLANTING DETAILS

- Bayou kale should be planted by the first part of October.
- Rates vary due to the intended use of this specie but will range from 2-6 pounds per acre.
- Seeds/lb: 175,000

### GROWING CONDITIONS

- Termination happens at 14 degrees, which makes it one of the longest living brassicas into colder weather.
- Planting depth: ¼ - ½"
- Min germination temp: 43F

### BENEFITS

#### Soil Compaction

The taproot makes it an excellent crop to aid in the reduction of compaction.

#### Nutrient Scavenging

Bayou's long tap roots scavenge for nutrients deep into the soil profile bringing those nutrients into the root zone for crops.



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