



BUCKWHEAT

“A bee’s buffet”

HIGHLIGHTS

- Quick growing crop that reaches maturity in 70-90 days
- Scavenges phosphorus, releasing these nutrients to later crops as the residue breaks down
- Flowers create pollinator habitat

Lifespan	Annual
Winter Hardy?	No
Root Structure	Fibrous
Use before	Corn and Soybeans
Average Seeds / Pound	~18,000
Seeding Rate (drill)	30-50 lbs/ac
Seeding Rate (broadcast)	50-75 lbs/ac
Blended Seeding Rate	25-40lbs/ac
Blends well with:	Radish, Turnip, Rapeseed
Forage Suitability	• Silage - Poor • Hay - Poor • Grazing - Poor