

LEAFGUARD XL **NEW GENETICS!**

Fall Dormancy: 4.0
 Winterhardiness: 2.0
 Disease Resistance: 30



An up close image of Leafguard XL glandular hair expression

- A true “no spray” variety with improved yield and better leafhopper protection
- Dark green, fine stemmed, and highly palatable
- Great agronomics in a high-yielding PLH product
- Apex™ Green Seed Coating for organic transition acres. (Always check with certifier)

Disease Resistance Index

Disease	Resistance Level*
Anthracnose	HR
Aphanomyces Race 1	HR
Bacterial Wilt	HR
Fusarium Wilt	HR
Phytophthora	HR
Verticillium Wilt	HR
Potato Leafhopper	HR

*HR = Highly Resistant

Agronomic Characteristics

Recovery	Fast
Root Type	Tap
Standability	Excellent
Forage Yield	Good
Forage Quality	Good

RFQ Comparison

LeafGuard II	210
Hi-Gest 360	197
W.L. 365	194
D.L. 3420	188

Seeding Information

Drill Rate	18 - 22 lb./A.
Broadcast Rate	25 lb./A. +
Depth	1/4 in. - 1/2 in.
Planting Dates	April - May August - September

TESTING RESULTS

Variety	Total D.M. Tons/A.
LeafGuard XL	6.33
LeafGuard II	5.86
Conventional check	5.71
WL 358LH	5.07

Mean: 5.74 LSD .05: 0.37 LSD .01: 0.53 CV%: 4.02

Location – Evansville, WI Seeded – May 13, 2019
 Plot Size – 3 ft. by 17 ft. Replications – 4



All elite alfalfa (except Leafguard XL) is treated with Beck's Escalate® yield enhancement system which includes HydroLocQS Plus micronutrient package, a biological, and Apron XL® LS and Stamina® fungicides.