

100% Sun-Cured Alfalfa
Highly Digestible Fiber Source
Highly Palatable
No Binders
Consistent Nutrition
Low Dust & Low Waste
Convenient & Economical

Since 1934, Seminole Feed's top priority is horse nutrition, and our goal is to provide you with the "World's Best Equine Feed". Seminole Alfalfa Pellets, one of our popular forage supplements, comes from Eastern Idaho's agricultural plains.

Legume forages and forage products such as alfalfa cubes and pellets provide a denser nutrition profile, and are highly digestible. Used to replace part of the forage in the diet, include Seminole Alfalfa Pellets along with your horse's daily feed ration to add calories and high digestible fiber.

# **Guaranteed Analysis -**

Crude Protein (min)	17.0%
Crude Fat (min)	1.5%
Crude Fiber (max)	30.0%
Acid Detergent Fiber (ADF) (max)	30.0%
Neutral Detergent Fiber (NDF) (max)	42.0%
Ash (max)	13.0%
Calcium (min)	1.00%
Calcium (max)	2.00%
Phosphorus (min)	0.20%
Moisture (max)	12.0%

# Ingredients -

**Sun-Cured Alfalfa Hay.** 





## **Seminole Alfalfa Pellets - Forage Supplement for All Livestock**

## **Forage First - Feeding the Horse**

After water, forage is the next most crucial component of a horse's diet, and should be fed at a rate of 1.5 - 2% of body weight (BW) per day. Long-stemmed forages, such as pasture, hay, chopped forage, and hay cubes can be fed interchangeably on a pound-for-pound basis. Seminole Alfalfa Pellets are considered short-stemmed forage and should only replace a portion of the forage fed to the horse each day. Feed up to 1 - 1.5% of BW as pellets, along with 0.5 - 1% of BW supplied by long-stemmed forages. The tables below will assist you in calculating the appropriate quantity of forage for your horse.

Feeding Guidelines for Seminole Alfalfa Pellets				
Mature Body Weight (Lbs.)	600-800	800-1000	1000-1200	1200-1400
Maximum Amount of Seminole Alfalfa Pellets (Lbs.)	6 - 12	8 - 15	10 - 18	12 - 21
	PLUS	PLUS	PLUS	PLUS
Minimum Amount of Long-Stemmed Forage (Lbs.)	3 - 4	4 - 5	5 - 6	6 - 7
Recommended Daily Forage (1.5% - 2% body weight)	9 - 16	12 - 20	15 - 24	18 - 28

- Amounts of Seminole Alfalfa Pellets are on an as-fed basis
- To supply adequate forage, the combination of Seminole Alfalfa Pellets and Long-Stemmed Forage should add up to the Total Daily Forage Offered in the last row of the table
- Seminole Alfalfa Pellets weigh 1.1 pounds per dry US Quart
- Senior horses or those with dental issues may benefit from having the pellets soaked
- Clean fresh water must be provided at all times
- Increases in feeding rates should not exceed 1 pound per day
- Make all feed changes gradually over a 7 10 day period
- Postpone feeding a horse that has been exercised or is exhibiting pain, fever, or diarrhea

Replacement Guidelines			
	Using Seminole Alfalfa Pellets to		
Replace a Portion of Long-Stemmed Forage			
	Hay	Alfalfa Cubes	Pasture
Seminole Alfalfa Pellets	1 Lb. Pellets per pound hay	1.25 Lbs. Pellets per pound of cubes	2 - 2.5 Lbs. Pellets per hour grazing

- Amounts of Seminole Alfalfa Pellets are on an as-fed basis
- Pasture intake is based on an 1100 Lb. horse eating 2% body weight during 12 hours of grazing
- If you need further assistance, please contact our Nutritionist at 800-683-1881, Ext.
   131 or e-mail Nutritionist@SeminoleFeed.com

## **Considerations for the Senior Horse**

When addressing the unique needs of a senior horse, Seminole Alfalfa Pellets can provide an excellent source of high-calorie supplemental forage. Horses with poor dentition or those predisposed to choke can benefit when forage replacements, such as cubes and pellets, are soaked. Use the table provided below as a guide.

Soaking Seminole Alfalfa Pellets Soak pellets for a minimum of 10 minutes & feed immediately			
Temperature of Water	Pounds of Pellets per Quarts of Water	Soak Time	Consistency
Cold ~ 60° F	1 Lb. / 1.5 Qts.	30 Minutes	Soupy & Partially Broken Apart
Warm ~ 90° F	1 Lb. / 1.5 Qts.	20 Minutes	Wet & Mostly Broken Apart
Hot ~ 113° F	1 Lb. / 1.5 Qts.	10 Minutes	Wet & Mostly Broken Apart

- Results may vary based on amount of pellets, water temperature, and water volume
- Only soak what will be immediately consumed
- Do not soak Seminole Alfalfa Pellets longer than 30 minutes to avoid mold and fermentation of product
- Feed senior horses smaller meals more frequently to reduce spoilage and waste
- To encourage consumption, adjust the water volume based on the horse's preference

## **Feeding Directions - Other Species**

Alfalfa pellets may be fed as a forage supplement.

Recommended values based on mature body weight. Always feed by weight not volume.		
Species	Ideal % BW to Feed	Transition Period
Alpacas & Llamas	2%	Two Weeks
Bison	Min 2.25%	Two Weeks
Cattle	Up to 3%	Two Weeks
Deer	1.5% - 2%	Two Weeks
Goats	Up to 4%	Two Weeks
Sheep	Up to 4%	Two Weeks
Swine	Max 1%	Two Weeks

<sup>\*</sup> For feeding recommendations on additional livestock species, please contact our Nutritionist at 800-683-1881 Ext. 131 or e-mail Nutritionist@SeminoleFeed.com

# Additional Bagged Forages Offered By Seminole:

**Seminole Alfalfa Cubes** 

Protein (min) - 16% | Fat (min) - 1.5% | Fiber (Max) - 30%

### **Seminole Alfalfa Mini Cubes**

Protein (min) - 16% | Fat (min) - 1.5% | Fiber (Max) - 30%

### **Seminole Timothy Pellets**

Protein (min) - 10% | Fat (min) - 1.5% | Fiber (Max) - 34%

## **Seminole Timothy & Alfalfa Cubes**

Protein (min) - 14% | Fat (min) - 1.5% | Fiber (Max) - 34%

### **Seminole Orchard Pellets with Apple Flavor**

Protein (min) - 10% | Fat (min) - 1.5% | Fiber (Max) - 34%

**Notice:** This product is perishable. Store this product in a dry, well ventilated area protected from animals and insects. Do not feed this product if it is moldy, spoiled, infested or contaminated as it may cause illness or death to your animals. No liability will be accepted for direct, incidental or consequential damages resulting from any use inconsistent with the feeding instructions. Always feed by weight not volume. When feeding by volume, periodically weigh the feed to verify your animal is receiving the proper amount.

For the purposes of elite equine competition, this forage supplement is recognized as free from restricted and prohibited ingredients when fed as directed.

**Seminole Quality Guarantee** - Seminole Feed® strives to provide a world class product for your equine partner, adhering to strict quality control and safe-feed production standards. If you're not satisfied, we're not satisfied. Should the quality of this product not meet your expectations, return it within 30 days with proof of purchase to your Authorized Seminole Feed® Dealer for a complete refund or replacement.



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