

718 Winter Triticale



2013–2017 Dryland Forage, Vernon Texas

Hand-clipped 3 times per year, every 30 days through winter

Variety	2017 lbs/acre	2016 lbs/acre	2014 lbs/acre	2013 lbs/acre	4 year
SY TF 131	6587	4046	2816	2878	4082
TriCal 718	5561	4225	3386	3120	4073
Trical 135	5280	3950	3143	3398	3943
SY TF 813	5197	3778	3482	2771	3807
TriCal Gainer 154 BRAND	5155	3902	3972	3015	4011
Slick Trit II	5037				
TriCal 348	5023	4468	2876	2739	3776
Fridge	3623	2717	3227	2837	3101
EXP 1	3344	3521	3177	3054	3274
Short Beard Thunder	2930				
EXP 2	2856	3855	2707	2457	2969

Key Attributes:

- Awnletted (very short beards)
- Prostrate fall growth habit
- Very good fall seedling vigor
- Good winterhardiness
- Medium maturity
- Good straw strength
- Tolerant of rust
- Good fall forage
- High silage yields
- Adapted to a large area including Central and Northern Plains

Comparison Chart:

	FALL FORAGE YIELD ¹	SILAGE YIELD ²	SILAGE QUALITY ³	MATURITY ⁴	HEIGHT ⁵	LODGING ⁶	LEAF RUST	STRIPE RUST
TriCal 102	5	8	7	4	8	3	S	S
TriCal Gainer 154 BRAND	7	9	9	2	2	2	R	R
TriCal 718	7	7	7	3	6	3	R	MR
TriCal 141	6	7	8	3	6	2	R	R
TriCal Flex 719 BRAND	7	9	8	6	7	2	R	R

1. Dry matter production measured by repeated hand clippings simulating fall and winter grazing.
2. Yields expressed at 35% dry matter. 1=Poor: 9=Excellent.
3. Comparative relative feed values.
4. 1=very early: 9=very late.
5. 1= short: 9=tall.
6. 1=no lodging: 9=Prone to lodging
7. 1=No damage from cold winter temperatures: 9=all leaves burned, seedling plant dead from cold temperatures.



Area of Adaptation:

