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SOYBEAN (ROUND UP READY) PLANTING TIPS

These recommendations can help you achieve the best results with your food plots:

1. Soybean is typically planted in the Spring after the last frost and when soil temp reaches 62 degrees at 1" below the surface. Soybeans will grow in most any soil that is well drained as long as the proper nutrients (fertilizer) are provided.
2. Soil should be fertile with a ph of 6.5 to 7.0. If you are not sure of your soil fertility or ph, have your soil tested. Your local Ag Center or fertilizer dealer can help with this. A good fertilizer recommendation is 300-400lbs/acre of 0-20-20. This should be worked into soil when preparing the seed bed.
3. Prepare a good seed bed by plowing and discing, or use a rototiller. Soybean should be planted approximately 1" deep. A corn planter with the proper plates, a grain drill, or you can broadcast the soybean seed and lightly disc them in being careful not to cover too deep. Approximately 1" deep is what you want.
4. Important: use a cultipacker, lawn roller or even your ATV tires to pack the field to insure good seed to soil contact! Do not over pack the field! Once over will work!
5. As your Soybeans grow, weeds will also be present. Your RealWorld and Eagle Soybeans are Roundup Ready. When the weeds reach approximately 4", you should spray your soybean field with Roundup. This will kill the weeds and will not hurt the soybeans. NOTE: Make sure your Roundup is mixed properly (Roundup to water solution ratio).