



## Payday Returns Higher Dividends

Recent forage data from Michigan and Kentucky confirm Payday as a profitable investment. As shown in this Kentucky data, Payday has both impressive stand and yield performance. Payday is ideal for dairy, beef, and other high demand forage needs. See and learn more at [SmithSeed.com](http://SmithSeed.com) under our Forage Seed section, or by clicking the logo.



### University of Kentucky Lexington, KY 2012-15

Variety	Percent Stand	Yield
	10/29/15	3-Year Total
<b>Payday</b>	<b>71*</b>	<b>8.10*</b>
Crave	71*	7.63
Power	70*	8.39*
Calibra	69*	8.25*
Boost	65*	8.27*
TetraGain	54*	8.90*
BG34	50*	7.04*
Impressario	47*	7.43
Elena DS	45*	8.83*
LHT-102	40	9.20*
Grand Daddy	34	6.89
Verseka	27	6.03
Linn	25	6.42
TetraMag	20	8.89*
lsd, 0.05	38	1.81

\*Not significantly different from the highest numerical value in the column, based on the 0.05 LSD.  
Seeded Sept 7, 2012



## Titan Ultra's Cool Performance

While most are very familiar with our Titan Rx tall fescue and its popularity amongst homeowners and professionals, we may have neglected to give sufficient attention to another terrific variety - Titan Ultra.

This variety should not be overlooked, especially for those needing a variety that performs well in climates which experience colder winters. Trial data shows that with Titan Ultra, cold climate lawns are significantly less susceptible to both winter kill and pink snow mold damage. Learn more at [TitanFescue.com](http://TitanFescue.com) or by requesting a tech sheet.

### Winter Performance 2007-10 NTEP

Variety	Pink Snow Mold		Winter Kill %
	WI '08	MI '10	WI '09
Highest score	8.0	5.7	8.3
<b>Titan Ultra</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>15.0</b>
Shenandoah III	6.7	3.0	50.0
Rhambler SRP	5.0	2.7	38.3
Falcon V	5.0	3.3	25.0
Firecracker LS	4.3	2.3	36.7
Lowest score	3.0	1.3	70.0
Lsd value	2.1	2.3	29.4

Complete results available at [www.ntep.org](http://www.ntep.org)

## Are You Ready to Renovate?

Last month we introduced you to Renovation white clover, our newest forage solution. As mentioned, we have limited quantities of available until next winter and are currently taking bookings for the remainder of this spring, as well as for fall. If you have an interest in Renovation, we encourage you to book your order now. Renovation is ideal for livestock and wildlife. Use it straight as well as in mixtures.

Learn more about Renovation by visiting [RenovationClover.com](http://RenovationClover.com) or by requesting a tech sheet.



## \$1 Billion+ Loss

That's the number forage experts including Don Ball, Gary Lacefield, and many others, are sharing at forage and seed conferences this year. It's the economic cost to the cattle industry from toxic endophyte fescue. The good news is that our industry can help recapture these losses.

Products like our endophyte-free Cajun II tall fescue, Persist Orchardgrass, and Renovation clover are very tangible solutions that will put more money in producer's pockets. Learn more about these products at [www.SmithSeed.com](http://www.SmithSeed.com) or by contacting us directly.

