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**Number of Fields and Acres Signed up
In 2025
By Crop Kind and Generation**

May 1, 2025

Oregon Certification Acreage Sign-up Status for 2025

The Oregon Seed Certification Service prepares a status of sign-ups for Oregon certification each year.

We are reporting this year's acreage sign-up for Oregon certification, as of May 1, 2025; Totals are 150,965 acres representing 3,348 fields (decrease of 5.9 %, or 9,437 acres over last year) this compares to the previous sign-up acreage as follows:

May 1, 2024 was 160,402 acres
May 1, 2023 was 164,441 acres
May 2, 2022 was 188,754 acres
May 2, 2021 was 206,356 acres
May 1, 2020 was 207,722 acres
May 1, 2019 was 192,779 acres
May 3, 2018 was 222,992 acres
May 1, 2017 was 190,439 acres
May 2, 2016 was 217,187 acres
May 2, 2015 was 231,073 acres
May 1, 2014 was 229,878 acres
May 1, 2013 was 215,532 acres
May 1, 2012 was 211,271 acres
May 2, 2011 was 191,233 acres
April 30, 2010 was 176,738 acres

Crops showing an **increase of more than 1,000 acres** in acreage signed up for Oregon certification over 2024 figures are: Kentucky bluegrass (Increase 27.4%, or 1,899 acres over last year).

Crops showing a **decrease of more than 1,000 acres** in acreage signed up for Oregon certification over 2024 figures are: Tall fescue, (decreased 16.1%, or -13,878 acres over last year).

Overall acreage totals will change as additional and late sign-ups come in, also where fields are withdrawn prior to inspection. Reviewing this year's response from seed growers, the acres reported for Oregon Certification inspection are as follows:

77.33% of the acreage has been signed up for inspection, 5.21% of the acreage is not to be certified this year, and 17.46% of the acreage has been removed. As of May 1, 2025, there are 16,558 acres yet to be accounted for and could be signed up for 2025 inspection.

Oregon certification is not complete until all record checks, field evaluations, and seed testing meets all standards and Oregon certification tags are issued and attached to individual bags of seed. Certification bulk shipping certificates can also be used with bulk or bag cereal grain.

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Crop Kind	Foundation		Registered		Certified		Total	
	Fields	Acres	Fields	Acres	Fields	Acres	Fields	Acres
Annual ryegrass	4	32	11	116	170	10,493	185	10,641
Bermudagrass	1	20			3	50	4	70
Blue flax					2	66	2	66
Blue tufted fescue	1	7					1	7
Camelina	4	109			4	111	8	220
Chewings fescue	2	9	6	48	114	5,167	122	5,224
Chicory					8	182	8	182
Colonial bentgrass			1	7	20	937	21	944
Creeping bentgrass	4	23			138	3,696	142	3,719
Crimson clover					14	1,046	14	1,046
Festulolium	1	1			2	90	3	91
Hard fescue	3	10	1	4	19	1,206	23	1,220
Intermediate ryegrass					6	317	6	317
Kentucky bluegrass	7	24	2	17	178	8,798	187	8,839
Ladino clover					1	120	1	120
Mountain brome					2	73	2	73
Oat					2	107	2	107
Orchardgrass	3	10	2	9	108	3,794	113	3,813
Perennial ryegrass	34	253	20	242	539	24,923	593	25,418
Radish					15	829	15	829
Red clover	3	56	2	35	78	3,916	83	4,007
Red fescue	2	6	3	13	89	4,006	94	4,025
Rocky Mountain penstemon			1	2			1	2
Rough bluegrass	2	11	1	9	18	747	21	767
Sheep fescue	1	3			12	582	13	585
Slender wheatgrass					3	139	3	139
Tall fescue	25	117	13	162	1,535	71,973	1,573	72,252
Thickspike wheatgrass					1	62	1	62
Timothy	2	10			2	11	4	21
Triticale					1	30	1	30
Turnip			1	13	10	359	11	372
Utah sweetvetch					1	7	1	7
Velvet bentgrass					1	18	1	18
Wheat	3	267	4	76	69	4,839	76	5,182
White clover	2	42			11	508	13	550
Total	104	1,010	68	753	3,176	149,202	3,348	150,965