

## ALFALFA WAFER



100% ALFALFA GROWN AND PROCESSED IN ITALY



Alfalfa belongs to Legumes specie and is appreciated as source of protein, minerals, lipids, vitamins, pro-vitamins e polyunsaturated fats (omega-3 and omega-6), besides sugar, organic acid and carotene.

Thanks to its high feeding value, it is suggested as fodder for beef cattle, dairy cows, sheep and goats, horses, rabbits and other livestock animals. Using local selected seeds, Gruppo Carli grows alfalfa only on Italian fields, characterized by fertile soil and climate conditions optimal for forage cultivation, where no chemical fertilizers, pesticides and irrigation are needed.

Alfalfa produced by Gruppo Carli is completely natural and mechanically processed only: the cutting, the dehydration, the chopping and the compression into cubes involves no additives or other substances.

### ORIGIN

Italy (Emilia Romagna, Lazio regions)

### COMPOSITION

100% alfalfa (*Medicago sativa*) GMO FREE

### SHAPE AND PACKAGING

Cubes cm 3x3

Available in:

- bulk
- 1000/1500 kg jumbo bags with or without pallet
- 500/600 kg jumbo bags on pallet pallet
- 18 kg bags on pallet of 70 bags



#### Sustainable forage

*Thanks to the biological nitrogen fixation, alfalfa provides its own fertilizer and releases nutrients in the soil.*





## GRADING

	STANDARD	GOOD	PREMIUM
CUT	1 - 2 cut	3 - 4 cut	5 - 6 cut
HARVESTING PERIOD	April - May	June - July	August - October
PROTEIN o.d.m.	14% - 16%	17 - 19%	>20%
MOISTURE	<12%	<12%	<12%
RFV	120 - 140	140 - 160	150 - 175

## SUGGESTED FOR



- lactation
- growing



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- gestation
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- performance



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- egg layers



- lactation
- growing



- fattening

## BENEFITS

Thanks to its content of high quality protein and the fiber digestibility, alfalfa is a key component of the feed ration.

Harvesting alfalfa at early ripening age and subsequently dehydrating it allow to preserve the green plant digestible nutrients, therefore to increase forage nutritional intake.

Feeding Gruppo Carli alfalfa wafer effects multiple benefits both for the animal and the farmer:

- guarantee of GMO free protein in the feed ration
- guarantee of a safe and healthy forage, sanitized during dehydration
- absence of undesirable bodies, of mold and fermentation
- palatability and uniform quality during long time period
- time saving in the TMR preparation
- 100% exploitable feed, 0% waste

A ration based on alfalfa is indispensable for the growth of healthy and long-living animals and guarantees quality milk, meat and eggs.

## USE

Alfalfa is the forage crop par excellence, employed in the nutrition of all types of livestock animals: dairy and beef cattle, sheep and goat, camels and buffaloes, horses, poultry, rabbits and fish.

Alfalfa wafer can be administered as a ready feed combined with other components of the animal diet, or crushed and added as ingredient in mixed feeds.

The daily dosage depends on the animal to be fed and its life stage, and it is calibrated on the overall content of the diet.

For optimal results we advise to follow the veterinarians' suggestions.