Cover Crops in Low-Rainfall Eastern Washington

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Why Cover Crops?

Site: 005-16-SP 72 Days

Site: 021-16-SP 51 Days

Site: 021-16-SP (55 D. Term) 75 D. Photo
Think Outside the Box

Site: 017-16-SP 78 Days

Site: 006-16 Fall Trit & NitroRadish
Control Weeds

Site: 018-16-SP (Term. 40 D) Photo 117 Days

Site: 015-16-SP (Term. 40 D) Photo 110 Days
Talk to Others

Field Day: July 14, 2016

In the field at Cavadini’s with NRCS PMC
Know What You’re Planting

Site: 015-16-SU 49 Days

Site: 008-16-SP 73 Days
Calibrate!

Site: 022-16-SU 49 D. tot. growth

Site: 022-16-SU 43 Days
Check the Field

Site: 004-15-FA 156 Days

Site: 015-16-SP 54 D.
Take Pictures

Site: 004-16-SU 41 Days

Site: 020-16-SP 35 D.
Quantify Results

Site: 010-16-SU 34 Days

Site: 020-16-SU 69 Days
Keep Trying

Site: 004-15-Eltan SWW

SP - 42.91 Bu/a

SU - 33.93 Bu/a

CO - 42.60 Bu/a

Site: 011-15-Otto/Zerpha SWW

SP - 83.13 Bu/a

SU - 82.60 Bu/a

CO - 86.54 Bu/a
Make it Work for You

Site: 004-16-SU 42 D. Grazed 15 hrs

Site: 008-15-SU 52 Days
Species

- **Spring**
  - Spring Pea
  - Triticale
  - Oats
  - Lentils
  - NitroRadish
  - Clover (YSB)

- **Summer**
  - Sunflower
  - Millet
  - Sudan grass
  - Fava beans
  - Sun hemp
  - Cowpeas

- **Fall**
  - Barley
  - Triticale
  - Aust. Peas
  - NitroRadish
  - Lentils
What Next?