**BIOTECH CROP**

**ANNUAL UPDATES**

**Alfalfa**

**BIOTECH ALFALFA** was planted on **1.28 MILLION HECTARES** in 2019, an increase of **32%** from 2018

**BIOTECH ALFALFA** was first approved for commercial planting in the USA in 2005

**BIOTECH ALFALFA** was planted in Argentina for the first time in 2019

**USA, CANADA, and ARGENTINA** planted biotech alfalfa in 2019

**HARVXTRA™** was first planted in 2016 with high demand from farmers because it contains **LOW LIGNIN**, has **HIGHER DIGESTIBILITY**, and offers **15-20% YIELD INCREASE**

**BIOTECH ALFALFA** adoption rates are likely to increase as more farmers realize the benefits of the technology in livestock production and farm management

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