

Northeastern Wyoming

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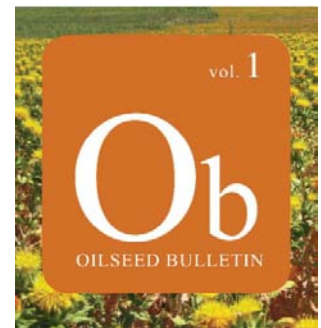
Promoting biofuel production, availability and value-added agriculture.



Oilseed Opportunities for Wyoming

Wyoming has traditionally grown small grains and forages. Research by the RC&D and producers have illustrated that oilseed crops can be productive and beneficial in the traditional forage crop rotation.

Goto: www.newrcd.org/projects.htm for a copy of our Oilseed Bulletin



Safflower – *The hardy alternative*

Safflower produces one of the most versatile and valuable oils. This oilseed performed well on heavy, medium and light soils in Northeast Wyoming. Safflower is easy to plant and combine, reducing machinery and management costs.

Growing oilseeds helps farms and ranches be innovative. Northeastern Wyoming RC&D is assisting producers and cooperatives with agronomic assistance and financial planning as they look to produce value-added products such as vegetable oils, livestock feed and biodiesel.



Canola – *Beneficial rotation crop*

Field trials of Canola under irrigation yielded over 1 ton/acre. Roundup ready varieties produced clean seedbeds in the following year. Producers found these to be some of the cleanest new alfalfa fields they had ever planted.

**Wyoming Value-Added Agriculture
Oilseed Field Trials**

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