FACTS ABOUT Grasscycling
FREE FERTILIZER - FREE WATER - FREE COMPOST

REduce
Yard Waste Fertilizer Costs Fuel Labor

Recycle
Grass clippings put nutrients back in the soil.

REuse
Water Nutrients Organic Content

50%
Up to 50% of your lawns total fertilizer needs are supplied by clippings left on the lawn.*

75%
Grass clippings account for 75% of all needless yard waste.

80-85%
Grass clippings contain 80 to 85% water and decompose quickly.

50% Savings
Grass clippings left on the lawn will save about 50 percent of your annual fertilizer costs.

One U.S. ton of fresh grass clippings contain approximately 15 pounds of nitrogen, 2 pounds of phosphorus and 10 pounds of potassium — the three major nutrients for sustaining plant life.

One ton of grass clippings contains more than 1,700 pounds of water.

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Sources:
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