



Sorghum

FORAGE SORGHUM Z 1220 BMR

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HYBRID CHARACTERISTICS

Use	Silage or grazing
Days to 50% flower	77
Days to maturity	130
Average height in inches	100
Tillering	Medium
Head type	Semi-open
Grain Color	Bronze
Condensed tannins	Low

DISEASE RESISTANCE

Tolerance to root rot	High
Tolerance to Downy Mildew	Medium
Tolerance to MDMV	High
Tolerance to leaf diseases	High

MANAGEMENT

Plant density at harvest (plants/acre)	
• Areas of high yield potential	200,000
• Areas of low yield potential	100,000

Characteristics

Excellent yield potential. Plants have a mid-sized panicle, with fine stems, long narrow leaves, and the brown mid-rib trait. With the BMR trait, the plants have both better palatability and digestibility, resulting in improved animal performance. Drought tolerance provides high yields even when water is limiting to other forage crops.

Management Recommendations

Plant to achieve a final plant density of 100,000 to 200,000 plants per acre depending on your conditions and final use. Monitor for weeds, disease, and pest to control if necessary. Graze or cut when plants reach 4 feet tall. It is important after grazing to mow to a uniform height to assist managing the following harvest.

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