



Sweet Jumbo LPA

LPA = Lower Prussic Acid.

EVERYTHING YOU'VE COME TO EXPECT FROM SWEET JUMBO, WITH LOWER PRUSSIC ACID

ULTRA LATE FLOWERING SORGHUM X SUDAN HYBRID

Key features

In terms of its plant type Sweet Jumbo LPA is similar to Sweet Jumbo. Sweet Jumbo LPA has been selected for a lower level of prussic acid. Laboratory results have shown the prussic acid potential of this new hybrid to be well below that of Sweet Jumbo.

Sweet Jumbo LPA has been bred and selected for:

- ▶ Very high leaf production
- ▶ High sugar levels for good palatability
- ▶ A lower level of prussic acid (HCN)
- ▶ High dry matter yield.

The combination of these features should result in very good utilisation under all grazing conditions.

Full season forage hybrid

Like Jumbo and Sweet Jumbo, Sweet Jumbo LPA has the ultra late flowering characteristic, which means plants produce more leaf throughout the season. This results in better feed quality and improved animal performance. In South-East Queensland trials, sown in mid October, Sweet Jumbo LPA took 155 days to flower. This late flowering nature makes management easier, but it is still preferable to use the forage when it is around 1m tall. Under favourable conditions, regrowth is rapid with potential for a number of grazings throughout the season.

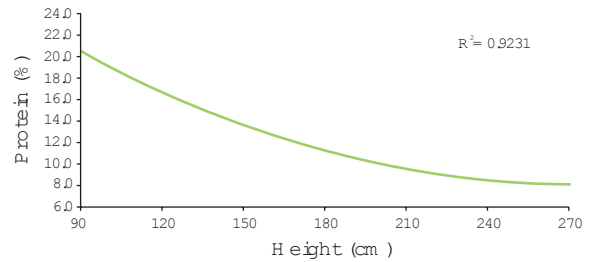
Good vigour in cool soils

Pacific Seeds recommends sowing after the soil temperature reaches 16°C or higher. However, many growers base their time of sowing more on when spring

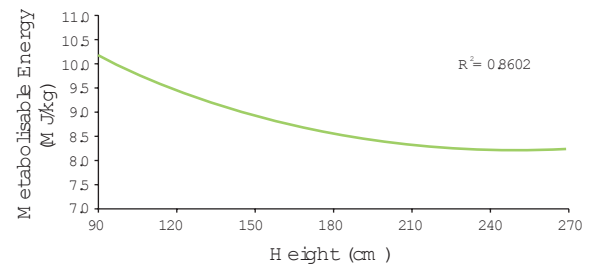


VARIETY INFORMATION TECHNICAL NOTE

Sweet Jumbo LPA Protein v's Height



Sweet Jumbo LPA Metabolisable Energy v's Height



The above should be taken as a guide only as environmental conditions will affect variety performance.

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Grazing management

Sweet Jumbo LPA is ultra late flowering but this does not mean grazing should be unnecessarily delayed. It is still recommended to use the crop when it is around 1m tall. Under favourable conditions this height should be reached approximately six weeks after sowing.

Ideal for grazing, greenchop or hay

Sweet Jumbo LPA is a versatile hybrid, ideally suited to either intensive or range grazing. It can also be used for greenchop or for making hay, round bale or pit silage.

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