

JUMBO

SUMMER FORAGE

Jumbo is an ultra-late flowering sorghum x Sudan forage hybrid. Jumbo combines good productivity with ease of management, resulting in more useable feed and less wastage. Ideally suited for all grazing situations, hay, or green chop.

- Highly digestible
- Widely adaptable due to the ultra-late flowering nature
- High leaf to stem ratio
- Suppression of root-knot nematodes
- Excellent quality hay

CHARACTERISTICS & RATINGS

- Ultra-late flowering photoperiod sensitive will not flower until daylight drops below approx. 12hr 30mins
- 30,000 – 35,000 seeds/kg

Palatability	8
Digestibility	8
Speed of regrowth	7
Stalk sweetness	7
Standability	8
Leaf disease resistance	7
Suitability to finish cattle	8
Pit silage	7
Round bale silage	7
Milk production	7
Hay	6
Sheep	4
Autumn/winter standover	5
Quick spring feed	7
Ideal height to commence grazing (m)	1

KEY: Rating Scale 1-9
1 - Poor
9 - Excellent
** - not recommended

SOWING RATES & SOIL TEMPERATURE

Soil temperature for sowing	16° C and rising
Marginal dryland (kg/ha)	3 - 5
Favourable dryland (kg/ha)	5 - 10
Irrigation or high rainfall (kg/ha)	10 - 20

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