

# TECHNICAL SHEET FORAGE SORGHUM – LUSH

RELIABLE, PROVEN, PRODUCTIVE

Lush is one of the most popular forage sorghums in Australia – it is a fine stemmed, leafy, highly productive, quick forage, that responds to intensive management.

## WHO SHOULD GROW LUSH ?

Any livestock producers looking for quick feed, and a lot of it. Lush lends itself to intensive grazing, and high inputs. It is reliable and proven across all summer forage areas of Australia.

- Sudan grass x sorghum type
- Low prussic acid levels
- Suits intensive grazing and highest stocking rates
- Fine stemmed, especially at higher planting rates
- Very leafy forage with excellent leaf to stem ratio
- Ideal for early grazing
- Makes excellent hay due to high leaf content and regrowth ability

<b>GENETIC TYPE:</b>	Sorghum by Sudan Grass
<b>PLANTING TIME:</b>	Spring to Summer
<b>SOIL TEMP. AT PLANTING:</b>	15 degrees C and rising
<b>SEED SIZE / KG:</b>	28,000 – 40,000
<b>PLANTING RATE (KG / HA):</b>	
<b>MARGINAL DRYLAND:</b>	4 to 7
<b>GOOD DRYLAND:</b>	8 to 12
<b>IRRIGATION:</b>	15 to 25
<b>EARLY GRAZING:</b>	Excellent
<b>STAND OVER:</b>	Useful
<b>HAY MAKING:</b>	Excellent
<b>GREEN CHOP:</b>	Good
<b>SILAGE – PIT</b>	Not Recommended
<b>SILAGE – PLASTIC WRAP</b>	Good

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