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VARIETY INFORMATION TECHNOTE

**IDEAL FOR HAY, ROUND BALE SILAGE
OR INTENSIVE GRAZING IN THE SHORT
SUMMERS OF SOUTHERN AUSTRALIA**

NEW SUDAN X SUDAN HYBRID

Key features

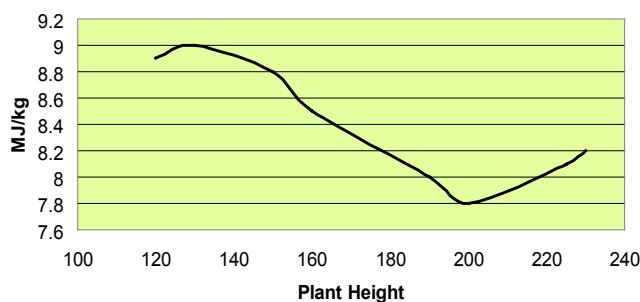
- ▶ Quick flowering in 66 days (Superdan 2 flowers in 90 days and Speedfeed in 67 days on a mid October plant).
- ▶ Very fine stems, with prolific tillering (finer stems than Superdan 2).
- ▶ Rapid growth and regrowth, the fastest of all our varieties.
- ▶ Good cold soil emergence
- ▶ Very high dry matter production (see table below).

PAC F841 I is the only quick flowering sudan x sudan hybrid commercially available. All other quick flowering varieties are sudan x sorghum hybrids with thicker stems. Because of this quick flowering characteristic it is ideally suited to the shorter growing season of Southern Australia and New Zealand or in situations where it can be well managed i.e. hay making or intensive grazing.

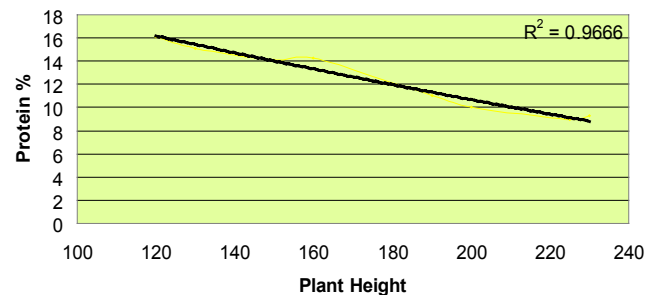
PACIFIC SEEDS RESEARCH TRIALS

HYBRID	CUT 1	CUT 2	CUT 3	TOTAL DM YIELD (t/ha)	INITIAL GROWTH FLOWERING TIME (days)
Sprint	3.7	6.5	5.1	15.4	66
Speedfeed 2	2.8	5.3	4.8	12.9	67
Bettergraze	2.9	5.2	4.5	12.6	67

SPRINT - Metabolisable Energy v's Height

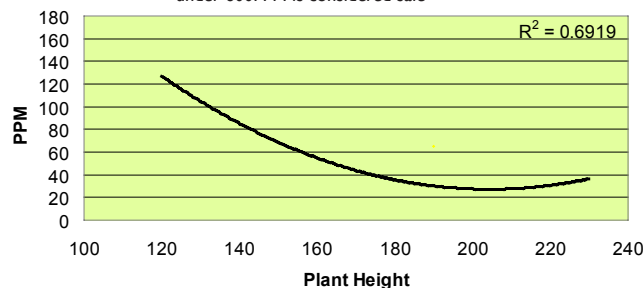


SPRINT - Protein v's Height



SPRINT - Prussic Acid v's Height

under 600PPM is considered safe



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