



Chomper Forage Sorghum

Sorghum x sudan grass hybrid

Seeding Rate	kg/ha
Dryland	4-8
High Rainfall/Irrigation	15-20
Soil temp for optimal establishment	15°C↑

Seed Treatment Enhanced or Standard

Description

Chomper is a mid-maturing sorghum x sudan forage

Market Segment/Target

Suitable for grazing, hay, haylage and greenchop

Features

- Large seed size
- Good early season vigour and quick regrowth after cutting or grazing
- High leaf to stem ratio

Benefits

- Quick to first cut or grazing due to growth rate
- Potential to obtain multiple cuts or grazing even with later season plantings
- Flexibility of Chomper allows the use for grazing, hay and greenchop with either sheep or cattle

Harvest Height

Grazing	initial graze/cut 1m re-graze/re-cut 0.5m
Hay/Haylage	1-2m
Greenchop	1.5m
Days to first cut/graze	approx 50

- Chomper is a versatile hybrid sorghum x sudan grass that can meet most summer forage needs
- It is well suited for use as an emergency feed because of its options for use in grazing, hay, greenchop and haylage
- Chomper has good leaf to stem ratio that helps provide good quality feed with proper management
- Sowing rate and row spacing can affect stem thickness, consider intended use and moisture availability when selecting sowing rate

Hay



Digestibility



Palatability



Standability



Early seedling vigour



Cattle grazing



Dairy



Sheep grazing



Carry over feed



Pit silage



Round bale silage



Rating scale: 1-9

- 1 - not recommended
9 - excellent

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