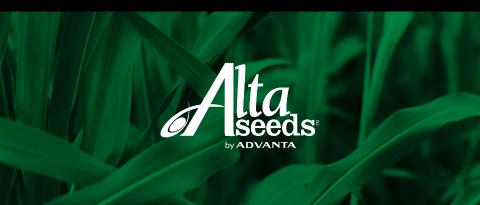
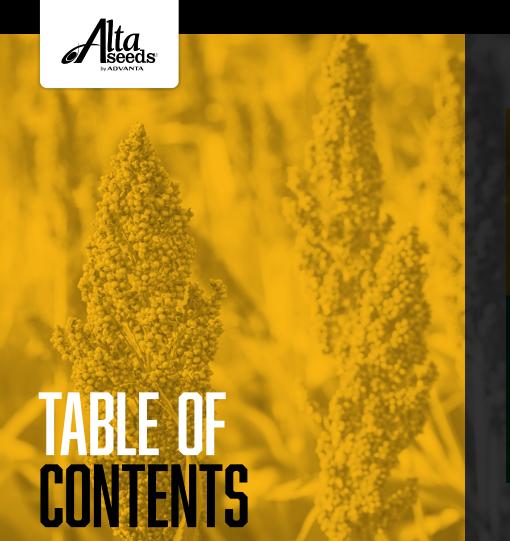


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A CUTTING-EDGE, CLIMATE-SMART SUPER CROP

Sorghum is a versatile crop that can be grown as a grain, forage or sweet crop. It was originally domesticated in Africa and has since spread throughout the globe to be one of the top five cereals in the world.

- » The "new super grain" Sorghum is an incredible nutrient source and is a non-GMO gluten-free cereal.
- » Nutrition for animals Sorghum is used in the beef, swine, dairy and poultry industries, as well as an ingredient in pet food. Due to its high nutritional value, starch and good tolerance to mycotoxins, sorghum offers a safeguard for animal nutrition.
- » Bioenergy Sorghum, rich in fiber, is used in the production of biofuel, biogas and ethanol.
- » Biomaterials Sorghum is an excellent fibrous raw material to produce industrial pulp that is used for biomass-based materials like bio-plastic and paper.

Sorghum is one the most efficient crops in conversion of solar energy and use of water, and is known as a high-energy, drought-tolerant, resource-conserving grain.



Efficient water use Thanks to its CO₂ absorption mechanism and complex root system, sorghum extracts and uses water and nutrients from the soil more efficiently than other crops. It can adapt to heat and drought, requiring 30% less water than other grains.



Limited fertilization Sorghum can use fertilizers from the soil efficiently, requiring no additional fertilization. In addition, it is rarely exposed to diseases and pests so requires little phytosanitary treatment.



Improved soil health Sorghum increases organic matter, recycles nutrients, captures and retains moisture and reduces soil erosion.



Reduced carbon footprint Sorghum no-tillage practices and nitrogen-use efficiency help to reduce the carbon footprint. Sorghum's high sequestration ability helps remove harmful carbon from the atmosphere.



HYBRIDS FOR EVERY ENVIRONMENT AND OPERATION

AT ALTA SEEDS, WE DON'T JUST PROVIDE QUALITY HYBRIDS.
WE PROVIDE INNOVATIVE SOLUTIONS.

Our carefully developed, high-performing hybrids are designed to meet your individual challenges. From the full lineup of grain and forage sorghum to sorghum-sudangrass, sudangrass and pearl millet, our portfolio offers top-producing seeds with cutting-edge characteristics — all to enhance and streamline your operation from planting to harvest.

In the groundbreaking Global Biotechnology Center in Texas and across the world, our breeders are setting the standards for herbicide tolerance, seed treatments and aphid, drought and other stress tolerance while developing new solutions to tackle tough challenges on the farm. Our global pipeline allows us to more efficiently meet your needs, and our expansive team of sorghum experts is always at the ready to offer assistance and help you make the best choices for your acreage and environment.

With a wide range of products to suit the needs of a variety of growers, Alta Seeds can help you realize the full potential of your sorghum acres. igrowth*, the world's first commercially available herbicide-tolerant non-GMO technology specifically designed for grain sorghum, is designed to pair with the powerful companion herbicide IMIFLEX* from UPL to allow your crop to flourish. We also offer Aphix* elite sugarcane aphid tolerance, Vertix* seed treatments and a line of top-performing hybrids with the EMPYR* Premiere Forages that include the world's first herbicide-tolerant forage sorghum, EMPYR ADV F8484IG.

Regardless of your needs, our products offer an array of traits that give you the flexibility to choose just the variety to suit your growing environment — and make the most of your seed investment.

EVER-ADVANCING PERFORMANCE

BECAUSE AGRICULTURE IS CONSTANTLY CHANGING, ALTA SEEDS IS CONSTANTLY INNOVATING.

We are always working to develop and introduce new grain hybrids with trial-topping yields, outstanding yield for maturity and excellent uniformity so you can be sure your crop will perform at the highest standard. Choose hybrids with traits ranging from drought tolerance, improved seedling vigor and enhanced standability to suit even the toughest growing conditions. And with options like **Aphix** elite sugarcane aphid tolerance, **Vertix** seed treatments and **igrowth** herbicide tolerance, you have even more opportunity to select from top seed hybrids that will give you growth, flexibility and convenience while preventing crop losses.





TAKENIEL CONTROL TO THE NEXT EVE

igrowth is the first commercially available non-GMO, herbicide-tolerant innovation for grain sorghum in the world. The technology allows for pre-emergent or post-emergent control of broadleaf and grass weeds without causing damage to the crop, helping growers improve crop production and achieve better returns on their investments. The igrowth companion herbicide from UPL called IMIFLEX® (imazamox) is the only imazamox herbicide registered for use with igrowth. In 2021, Alta Seeds introduced EMPYR ADV F8484IG, the first herbicide-tolerant forage commercially available in the U.S.

Advanta Seeds was the first to discover the technology in 2007, and since then, **igrowth** has been successfully introduced in Argentina, Australia and multiple other countries. Through its premium seed brand Alta Seeds, the company was the first to commercialize herbicidetolerant sorghum in the United States.







To provide flexibility for growers, our **igrowth** hybrids are well-adapted to the the broad U.S. sorghum growing areas. While additional hybrids are in development, the grain sorghum **igrowth** varieties we currently offer provide weed control benefits that will appeal to growers of both high- and low-input acres. To determine which are best suited for your area, refer to the hybrid overviews in this guide.

Non-GMO

To ensure **igrowth** is a non-GMO product, there was no DNA insertion from other species or plants into the sorghum genome. As it is a naturally occurring tolerance that was discovered by screening many lines of germplasm, **igrowth** has earned global market acceptance without export or other restrictions.

Purchasing igrowth

Growers wanting to purchase **igrowth** seed for the upcoming growing season will need to register and sign the **igrowth** WEED CONTROL SORGHUM GROWER AGREEMENT at **AgCelerate.com**. After signing, visit **SorghumPotential.com** for guidance on purchasing **igrowth** and **IMIFLEX herbicide** for your operation. Alta Seeds will provide registered **igrowth** users with additional stewardship documents in the future.





igrowth HYBRID SUMMARY

Meet the **igrowth** lineup of non-GMO, herbicide-tolerant grain sorghum hybrids. Each hybrid offers outstanding flexibility and weed control benefits for growers. These hybrids are well-adapted to broad sorghum growing areas in the U.S., so you can rest assured you'll get the most out of your investment no matter what the growing conditions.

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	TRAIT RATINGS SCALE 1 = EXCELLENT 10 = POOR	M/E = Medium Early S/O = Semi-Open M/L = Medium Late S/C = Semi-Compact MED = Medium	HS = Highly Suitable MA = Manage Appropriately S = Suitable HT = High Tolerance X = Poor Suitability MT = Medium Tolerance

	Relative Maturity	Yield for Maturity	Grain Color	Head Type	Approx Seeds per Bag	Plant Height	Head Exertion	Plant Uniformity	Plant Color
ADV G1120IG	M/E	2	RED	s/c	600K	45-55"	3	2	RED
ADV G2168IG	M/E	2	RED	s/c	600K	38-44"	1	2	PPL
ADV G2193IG	MED	2	RED	s/o	600K	40-48"	1	2	PPL

Seedling Vigor	Root Lodging	Drought Tolerance	Test Weight	Threshability	Sugarcane Aphid*	Tough Dryland	High Yield Dryland	Limited Irrigation	Full Irrigation	Early Planting/ Cold Soils	Poorly Drained Soils	No-Till
2	3	2	2	2	МТ	HS	s	нѕ	s	MA	MA	HS
3	3	3	2	2	HT ∂phi	HS	HS	HS	s	MA	MA	HS
3	3	3	2	2	HT aphix	S	нѕ	нѕ	s	MA	MA	HS

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conditions. Please see your Alta Seeds retailer for

MEDIUM-EARLY RED GRAIN SORGHUM

CHARACTERISTICS

MEDIUM-EARLY RELATIVE MATURITY 600,000 RED **GRAIN COLOR** SEMI-COMPACT HEAD TYPE 45-55" RED

- » Drought-hardy producer
- » Great head exertion for efficient harvest
- » Responds to rainfall and irrigation
- » Travels into western environments

FIELD POSITIONING

local recommendations.



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RATINGS	POOR EXCELLENT 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1	Hs	
YIELD FOR MATURITY	2	EARLY PLANTING/ COLD SOILS	N
HEAD EXERTION	3	COLD SOILS	
PLANT UNIFORMITY	2		Ι.
SEEDLING VIGOR	2	Ma	
ROOT LODGING	3		
DROUGHT TOLERANCE	2		
TEST WEIGHT	2	Hs = Highly Suitable	S = Sui
THRESHABILITY	2		Ht = High

TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH YIELD DRYLAND	LIMITED IRRIGATION	FULL IRRIGATION
Hs	S	Hs	S
EARLY PLANTING/ COLD SOILS	NO-TILL	POORLY DRAINED SOILS	SUGARCANE APHID







MEDIUM RED GRAIN SORGHUM

CHARACTERISTICS

MEDIUM-EARLY 600,000 RED **GRAIN COLOR** SEMI-COMPACT HEAD TYPE 38-44" PURPLE PLANT COLOR

- » Combining Aphix elite SCA tolerance and igrowth
- » High top-end yield potential
- » Superior drought tolerance
- » Responds to rainfall and irrigation
- » Head exertion for efficient harvest

RECOMMENDED SEEDING RATES

Seeding rates may vary depending on local growing conditions. Please see your Alta Seeds retailer for local recommendations.



TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH YIELD DRYLAND	LIMITED IRRIGATION	FULL IRRIGATION
Hs	S	Hs	S
EARLY PLANTING/ COLD SOILS	NO-TILL	POORLY DRAINED SOILS	SUGARCANE APHID
Ма	Hs	Ма	aphix sca tolerance
Hs = Highly Suitable		Manage Appropriately	X = Poor Suitability

RATINGS	POOR 10 9 8	3 7	6	5	4	3-41	ELLI 2	ENT 1
YIELD FOR MATURITY							2	
HEAD EXERTION								1
PLANT UNIFORMITY							2	200
SEEDLING VIGOR						3		
ROOT LODGING						3		
DROUGHT TOLERANCE						3		
TEST WEIGHT							2	
THRESHABILITY							2	





MEDIUM RED GRAIN SORGHUM

CHARACTERISTICS

MEDIUM 600,000 RED **GRAIN COLOR** HEAD TYPE SEMI-OPEN 40-48" PURPLE PLANT COLOR

- » Good aphid tolerance
- » Strong yield performance
- » Ideal for rainfed production
- » Strong disease ratings
- » Good uniformity
- » Aphix-level elite sugarcane aphid tolerance

DATINGS	POOR								EXC	ELLE	ENT
RATINGS		10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
YIELD FOR MATURITY										2	
HEAD EXERTION											1
PLANT UNIFORMITY										2	
SEEDLING VIGOR									3		
ROOT LODGING									3		
DROUGHT TOLERANCE									3		
TEST WEIGHT										2	
THRESHABILITY										2	

RECOMMENDED SEEDING RATES

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TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH YIELD DRYLAND	LIMITED IRRIGATION	FULL IRRIGATION								
S	Hs	S	Hs								
EARLY PLANTING/ COLD SOILS	NO-TILL	POORLY DRAINED SOILS	SUGARCANE APHID								
Ма	Hs	Ma	aphix sca tolerance								
Hs = Highly Suitable S = Suitable Ma = Manage Appropriately X = Poor Suitability											



MORE SORGHUM, FEWER WEEDS

Sorghum growers now have an easy way to get the most value from their sorghum acres. IMIFLEX** herbicide is the only IMI herbicide certified for use in the innovative, non-GMO igrowth** sorghum production system. Broad-spectrum and residual IMIFLEX herbicide controls even the toughest grass and broadleaf weeds in igrowth sorghum, helping realize the full potential of your sorghum acres. IMIFLEX herbicide is also flexible, as it can be used pre- or post-emergence in conservation and in conventional tillage production systems.

IMIFLEX Herbicide Product Benefits

- » Broad-spectrum systemic herbicide for use in sorghum containing the Alta Seeds igrowth tolerance technology.
- » Excellent crop safety with igrowth sorghum.
- » Consistent performance across geographical regions.
- » Flexible application timing can be used pre- or post-emergence.
- » Long-lasting control of hard-to-kill grassy weeds including Texas panicum, crabgrass and foxtail.
- » Compatibility with traditional sorghum herbicide programs.

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GRAIN SORGHUM HYBRID SUMMARY

Alta Seeds offers several Aphix grain sorghum hybrids with high tolerance to sugarcane aphids.* These hybrids offer outstanding performance with the added confidence of proven pest tolerance. Select from hybrids with top yield potential, drought tolerance, excellent standability and seed treatment options to meet your needs.

*Sugarcane aphid tolerance rating conducted by the Agricultural Research Division of the USDA.

CHARACTERISTIC RATINGS KEY

CROP USE & ADAPTATION KEY

TRAIT RATINGS SCALE 1 = EXCELLENT 10 = POOR

M/E = Medium Early S/M/L = Medium Late S/M/L =

MED = Medium

S/O = Semi-Open S/C = Semi-Compact

E = Early

HS = Highly Suitable MA = Manage Appropriately

S = Suitable HT = High Tolerance
X = Poor Suitability MT = Medium Tolerance

HYBRID	Relative Maturity	Yield for Maturity	Grain Color	Head Type	Approx Seeds/Lb 1,000	Plant Height	Head Exertion	Plant Uniformity	Plant Color	Seedling Vigor	Root Lodging	Drought Tolerance
ADV G1329 Ophie sca talerance	E	1	CRM	s/o	14-16	30-36"	2	1	RED	3	1	1
AG1101	E	3	BRZ	s/o	13-15	28-34"	4	2	RED	3	1	1
AG1201 Ophi	E	2	BRZ	s/o	13-15	30-36"	4	2	RED	3	2	1
AG1203 Ophik	M/E	1	BRZ	s/o	12-14	34-40"	3	-	RED	2	2	2
AG1301 Ophim	M/E	2	CRM	s/c	17-18	40-46"	3	1	RED	1	1	1
ADV G2106	MED	1	RED	s/o	12-14	44-48"	1	2	PPL	1	2	2
ADV G2165 Ophik	MED	1	RED	OPEN	14-16	38-46"	2	1	PPL	2	1	2
ADV G3127	M/L	1	RED	s/o	13-15	38-47"	3	3	PPL	2	1	2

Test Weight	Threshability	Charcoal Rot	Downy Mildew Race 3	Head Smut	MDMV	Sugarcane Aphid* SCA	Tough Dryland	High Yield Dryland	Limited Irrigation	Full Irrigation	Early Planting/Cold Soils	Poorly Drained Soils	Anthracnose Prone Areas	Downy Mildew Area	Head Smut Prone Area	No-Till
2	2	-	5	-	-	нт	HS	HS	HS	s	s	s	s	MA	MA	нѕ
4	2	-	-	-	-	МА	HS	s	s	s	х	s	-	-	-	s
4	2	4	6	4	5	нт	нѕ	s	s	s	х	s	s	х	МА	s
2	2	-	-	-	-	нт	нѕ	HS	HS	нѕ	s	s	-	-	-	s
3	3	-	-	-	-	нт	нѕ	HS	нѕ	s	х	s	-	-	-	МА
3	2	4	5	4	4	мт	s	HS	нѕ	s	s	s	HS	-	-	s
1	1	-	-	-	-	нт	s	нѕ	нѕ	нѕ	s	МА	-	-	-	s
2	1	-	-	-	-	мт	МА	нѕ	нѕ	нѕ	s	МА	-	-	-	нѕ

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EARLY CREAM GRAIN SORGHUM

CHARACTERISTICS

EARLY 14-16 CHECK SEED BAG

CREAM SEMI-OPEN 30-36" RED

- » Very uniform with excellent standability
- » Performs well in dryland conditions
- » Performs well in high pH soils
- >> Drought tolerant
- » Sugarcane aphid tolerance

RATINGS	POC 10	OR 9	8	7	6	5	4	3500	ELLE 2	ENT
YIELD FOR MATURITY			6.000							1
HEAD EXERTION									2	
PLANT UNIFORMITY										1
SEEDLING VIGOR								3		
ROOT LODGING										1
DROUGHT TOLERANCE										1
TEST WEIGHT									2	
THRESHABILITY									2	
DOWNY MILDEW (RACE 3)						5				



RECOMMENDED SEEDING RATES

Please see your Alta Seeds retailer for local recommendations.

PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

FIELD POSITIONING

TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH YIELD DRYLAND	LIMITED IRRIGATION	FULL IRRIGATION	HIGH PH SOILS IRON CHLOROSIS	EARLY PLANTING	
Hs	Hs	Hs	S	Hs	S	
NO-TILL	POORLY DRAINED SOILS	ANTHRACNOSE PRONE AREA	DOWNY MILDEW AREA	HEAD SMUT PRONE AREA	SUGARCANE APHID	
Hs	S	S	Ма	Ма	Ht	

Hs = Highly Suitable S = Suitable Ma = Manage Appropriately X = Poor Suitability Ht = High Tolerance Mt = Medium Tolerance



EARLIEST BRONZE GRAIN SORGHUM

CHARACTERISTICS

EARLY 13-15

CHECK SEED BAG

BRONZE SEMI-OPEN 28-34" RED

- » Excellent yield for maturity
- » Very uniform
- » Strong drought tolerance
- » Excellent for areas needing early maturity or for double cropping situations
- » Intense bronze-colored grain

DATINICS	POOR					EXC	EXCELLENT			
RATINGS	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
YIELD FOR MATURITY								3		
HEAD EXERTION							4			
PLANT UNIFORMITY									2	
SEEDLING VIGOR								3		
ROOT LODGING										1
DROUGHT TOLERANCE										1
TEST WEIGHT							4			
THRESHABILITY									2	



RECOMMENDED SEEDING RATES

Please see your Alta Seeds retailer for local recommendations.

PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

FIELD POSITIONING

TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH YIELD DRYLAND	LIMITED IRRIGATION	FULL IRRIGATION
Hs	S	S	S
EARLY PLANTING/ COLD SOILS	NO-TILL	POORLY DRAINED SOILS	SUGARCANE APHID•
X	S	S	Ma

Mt = Medium Tolerance Ht = High Tolerance





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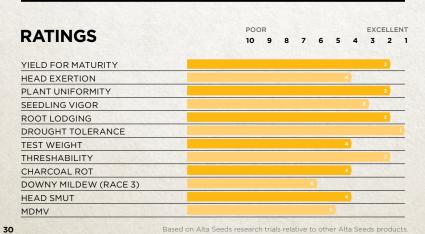
EARLY BRONZE GRAIN SORGHUM

CHARACTERISTICS

EARLY 13-15 CHECK SEED BAG

BRONZE SEMI-OPEN 30-36" RED

- » Very uniform
- » Excellent yield for maturity
- » Strong drought tolerance
- » Adaptable across a wide range of growing conditions
- » Aphix-level sugarcane aphid tolerance





FIELD POSITIONING

TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH YIELD DRYLAND	LIMITED IRRIGATION	FULL IRRIGATION	EARLY PLANTING/ COLD SOILS	NO-TILL
Hs	S	S	S	X	S
POORLY DRAINED SOILS	ANTHRACNOSE PRONE AREA	DOWNY MILDEW (RACE 3) AREA	HEAD SMUT PRONE AREA	SUGARCANE APHID*	
	S		Ma	Ht	

Ht = High Tolerance Mt = Medium Tolerance





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MEDIUM-EARLY BRONZE GRAIN SORGHUM

CHARACTERISTICS

MEDIUM-EARLY RELATIVE MATURITY 12-14 CHECK SEED BAG

BRONZE SEMI-OPEN 34-40" RED

- » Outstanding yield for maturity
- » Excellent drought tolerance and dryland option
- » Widely adaptable
- » Sugarcane aphid tolerance

EXCELLENT **RATINGS** YIELD FOR MATURITY **HEAD EXERTION** SEEDLING VIGOR **ROOT LODGING** DROUGHT TOLERANCE **TEST WEIGHT THRESHABILITY**



RECOMMENDED **SEEDING RATES**

Seeding rates may vary depending on local growing conditions. Please see your Alta Seeds retailer for local recommendations.

PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH YIELD DRYLAND	LIMITED IRRIGATION	FULL IRRIGATION		
Hs	Hs	Hs	Hs		
EARLY PLANTING/ COLD SOILS	NO-TILL	POORLY DRAINED SOILS	SUGARCANE APHID•		

Hs = Highly Suitable **S** = Suitable Ma = Manage Appropriately X = Poor Suitability Ht = High Tolerance Mt = Medium Tolerance





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MEDIUM-EARLY CREAM GRAIN SORGHUM

CHARACTERISTICS

MEDIUM-EARLY RELATIVE MATURITY 17-18

CHECK SEED BAG CREAM SEMI-COMPACT 40-46" RED

- » Performs well in dryland conditions and responds very favorably to irrigation
- » Excellent staygreen
- >> Very good plant uniformity
- » Widely adaptable
- » Elite sugarcane aphid tolerance

DATINICC		POC	DR						EXC	ELLE	ENT
RATINGS		10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
YIELD FOR MATURITY										2	
HEAD EXERTION									3		
PLANT UNIFORMITY											1
SEEDLING VIGOR											
ROOT LODGING											1
DROUGHT TOLERANCE										2	8
TEST WEIGHT	8									2	
THRESHABILITY										2	



RECOMMENDED SEEDING RATES

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PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

FIELD POSITIONING

TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH YIELD DRYLAND				
Hs	Hs	Hs	S		
EARLY PLANTING/ COLD SOILS	NO-TILL	POORLY DRAINED SOILS	SUGARCANE APHID*		
X	S	S	Ht		

Ht = High Tolerance Mt = Medium Tolerance

Ma = Manage Appropriately



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VIVID RED GRAIN SORGHUM

CHARACTERISTICS

MEDIUM 12-14 CHECK SEED BAG

RED SEMI-OPEN 44-48" PLANT COLOR **PURPLE**

- » Good plant uniformity
- » Highly adaptable
- » Responds well to irrigation

RATINGS	POOR EXCELLEI
IV TINGS	10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2
YIELD FOR MATURITY	
HEAD EXERTION	
PLANT UNIFORMITY	2
SEEDLING VIGOR	
ROOT LODGING	2
DROUGHT TOLERANCE	
TEST WEIGHT	3
THRESHABILITY	2
CHARCOAL ROT	4
DOWNY MILDEW (RACE 3)	5
HEAD SMUT	4
MDMV	4



RECOMMENDED **SEEDING RATES**

Seeding rates may vary depending on local growing conditions. Please see your Alta Seeds retailer for local recommendations.

PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

FIELD POSITIONING

TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH YIELD IRRIGATION	LIMITED IRRIGATION	FULL IRRIGATION	EARLY PLANTING, COLD SOILS
S	Hs	Hs	S	S
NO-TILL	POORLY DRAINED SOILS	ANTHRACNOSE	SUGARCANE	
	SUILS	PRONE AREA	APHID*	

Ht = High Tolerance

Mt = Medium Tolerance



SCA Tolerance

MEDIUM RED GRAIN SORGHUM

CHARACTERISTICS

MEDIUM SEEDS/LB (1,000) 14-16 CHECK SEED BAG RED

OPEN 38-46" PURPLE

- » Strong agronomics blended with top-tier yield potential
- » Great disease package to handle a wide range of environments
- » Thrives in high-yield, rainfed environments

RATINGS	POC	DR						EXC	ELLE	ENT
RATINGS	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
YIELD FOR MATURITY			88/69							1
HEAD EXERTION									2	
PLANT UNIFORMITY										1
SEEDLING VIGOR										
ROOT LODGING										1
DROUGHT TOLERANCE										
TEST WEIGHT										1
THRESHABILITY										1



RECOMMENDED SEEDING RATES

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PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

FIELD POSITIONING

TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH YIELD DRYLAND	LIMITED IRRIGATION	FULL IRRIGATION
S	Hs	Hs	Hs
EARLY PLANTING/ COLD SOILS	NO-TILL	POORLY DRAINED SOILS	SUGARCANE APHID*
S	S	Ма	Ht

Ht = High Tolerance

Mt = Medium Tolerance



MEDIUM-LATE RED GRAIN SORGHUM

CHARACTERISTICS

MEDIUM-LATE RELATIVE MATURITY 13-15 CHECK SEED BAG

RED SEMI-OPEN 38-47" PURPLE

- » Big yield South Texas hybrid
- » Top standability and solid agronomics
- » Exceptional plant health and disease scores
- » Strong performance in highly productive, rainfed environments

RATINGS	PO0 10	OR 9	8	7	6	5	4	3 4 1	ELLE 2	NT 1
YIELD FOR MATURITY										1
HEAD EXERTION								3		
PLANT UNIFORMITY								3		Y
SEEDLING VIGOR									2	
ROOT LODGING										1
DROUGHT TOLERANCE										
TEST WEIGHT									2	
THRESHABILITY										1



RECOMMENDED SEEDING RATES

Seeding rates may vary depending on local growing conditions. Please see your Alta Seeds retailer for local recommendations.

PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

FIELD POSITIONING

TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH YIELD DRYLAND	LIMITED IRRIGATION	FULL IRRIGATION			
Ma	Hs	Hs	Hs			
EARLY PLANTING/ COLD SOILS	NO-TILL	POORLY DRAINED	SUGARCANE			
		SOILS	APHID*			
S	Hs	Ma	Mt			

Ht = High Tolerance Mt = Medium Tolerance



GRAIN SORGHUM SELECTION AND STAND

Selection of grain sorghum hybrids begins with geography or field location and water resources. Growth and development is driven by heat unit accumulation; sorghum flowering shows little effect of heat up to 100 °F.

Yield potential can increase by 18–20% from early to medium and to late maturities. Planting date should be 2 weeks AFTER last average frost date IF the 5-day average soil temperatures are 60 °F at 2" depth. Check the last recommended planting date for grain sorghum in your area when determining the best maturity to fit your field and timing.

CONSIDERATIONS INCLUDE:

- >> Relative maturity and days to half bloom based on your growing environment; our full line offers early maturing hybrids with mid bloom in 55 days or less to medium-late maturing with mid bloom expected at about 69 days.
- >> Timing of water peak water use is just prior to boot stage. When sharing irrigation water, consider minimizing the overlap of peak water demand for two crops.

PLANT STAND FOR SORGHUM BY SEEDS/POUND

POPULATION SEEDS/LB	30,000	40,000	50,000	60,000	70,000	80,000
11,000	2.7	3.8	4.6	5.5	6.4	7.3
11,500	2.6	3.6	4.4	5.2	6.1	7.0
12,000	2.5	3.3	4.2	5.0	5.8	6.7
12,500	2.4	3.2	4.0	4.8	5.6	6.4
13,000	2.3	3.1	3.9	4.6	5.4	6.2
13,500	2.2	3.0	3.7	4.4	5.2	5.9
14,000	2.1	2.8	3.6	4.3	5.0	5.7
14,500	2.0	2.7	3.5	4.1	4.8	5.5
15,000	2.0	2.6	3.4	4.0	4.7	5.3
15,500	1.9	2.6	3.3	3.9	4.5	5.2
16,000	1.9	2.5	3.2	3.8	4.4	5.0
16,500	1.8	2.4	3.1	3.6	4.2	4.8
17,000	1.7	2.3	3.0	3.5	4.1	4.7
17,500	1.6	2.1	2.8	3.2	3.8	4.3
18,000	1.5	2.0	2.7	3.1	3.6	4.1
18,500	1.4	1.9	2.5	2.9	3.4	3.9
19,000	1.4	1.7	2.4	2.8	3.2	3.7
19,500	1.3	1.6	2.3	2.6	3.0	3.5
20,000	1.2	1.5	2.1	2.4	2.9	3.2

90,000	100,000	110,000	120,000	130,000	140,000	150,000
8.2	9.1	10.0	10.9	11.8	12.7	13.6
7.8	8.7	9.6	10.4	11.3	12.2	13.0
7.5	8.3	9.2	10.0	10.8	11.7	12.5
7.2	8.0	8.8	9.6	10.4	11.2	12.0
6.9	7.7	8.5	9.3	10.0	10.8	11.6
6.7	7.4	8.1	8.9	9.6	10.3	11.1
6.4	7.1	7.9	8.6	9.3	10.0	10.7
6.2	6.9	7.6	8.3	9.0	9.7	10.4
6.0	6.7	7.3	8.0	8.7	9.3	10.0
5.8	6.5	7.1	7.8	8.4	9.1	9.7
5.6	6.3	6.9	7.5	8.1	8.8	9.4
5.5	6.1	6.7	7.3	7.9	8.5	9.1
5.3	5.9	6.5	7.1	7.7	8.3	8.9
4.9	5.5	6.0	6.5	7.1	7.6	8.2
4.7	5.2	5.7	6.2	6.8	7.3	7.8
4.4	5.0	5.4	5.9	6.4	6.9	7.4
4.2	4.7	5.1	5.6	6.1	6.5	7.0
3.9	4.4	4.8	5.3	5.7	6.2	6.6
3.7	4.2	4.5	5.0	5.4	5.8	6.2



SORGHUM FOR FORAGE

Alta Seeds offers a wide variety of forage sorghum hybrids that deliver high tonnage, digestibility and palatability. Choose from a number of traits that enhance feed qualities, from BMR-6 to brachytic dwarf to dry stalk and photoperiod sensitivity.

Our forage sorghum hybrids also offer a cost-effective alternative to corn silage. With lower overall input costs and the ability to thrive in dry climates with no irrigation, these hybrids are the ideal and economical way to replace corn silage in your operation.

Alta Seeds offers a world-class lineup of forages that consistently outperform their peers. EMPYR Premier Forages are our top-of-the-line hybrids that offer the best feed qualities along with excellent standability and climate versatility. Choose from this exclusive product line to see the best possible results both in your field and in feed.

FORAGE SORGHUM

Forage sorghums are generally taller, produce more leaves and are later maturing than typical grain sorghum hybrids. Their high biomass yields and limited regrowth potential make forage sorghums excellent choices for singlecut silage and standing green-chop production. For optimum forage with grain, harvest should begin when 80% or more of heading has occurred and 50% of the grain reaches the soft dough stage.

In addition to their production advantages, forage sorghums also function as an excellent alternative to corn silage. They perform even in dry climates with little to no irrigation, require lower input costs and provide comparable nutrition to corn, making forages a highly cost-effective silage.

SORGHUM-SUDANGRASS

Sorghum-sudangrass hybrids characteristically have smaller stalks than forage sorghum and strong tillering, and produce more tonnage than sudangrass. They have excellent regrowth potential, but less than sudangrass. The regrowth ability of sorghum-sudangrass hybrids make them well-suited for multiple harvest systems.

SUDANGRASS

Sudangrass has finer stalks and produces more leaves and tillers than typical forage sorghum. It possesses excellent regrowth, plus quick recovery following cutting or grazing. Total biomass tonnage for a single harvest is typically less than yields of forage sorghum, making sundgrass ideal for grazing and hay production, in addition to serving as an excellent cover crop.

For the best quality and yield under a multicut program (including sorghum sudangrass), harvest at 40 days or when it reaches 40" of growth. Mechanical harvesters should be set to leave two nodes and 4" for brachytic or 6" of stubble for non-brachytic, whichever is higher. Harvesting at this height will promote more rapid regrowth. At the latest, harvest when 50% of the plants have reached the flag-leaf stage for a one-cut program. Under a one-cut program, cutting height can be lowered to maximize yields. Opening the swather for a wide windrow promotes drying. When using sundgrass for grazing, cattle should be turned in at approximately 24" of growth. To promote rapid and adequate regrowth, grazing should be stopped when its height is reduced to 6".

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SORGHUM FOR FORAGE



FORAGE CHARACTERISTICS

BRACHYTIC DWARF

Four dwarfing genes in sorghum control height. These brachytic dwarfism genes reduce the length of the internodes without affecting other plant characteristics such as leaf number, leaf size, maturity or yield/biomass production. Brachytic dwarf sorghums have very high leaf-to-stalk ratios, prolific tillering, superior standability and comparable tonnage to normal height sorghums.

For the best quality and yield under a one-cut program, cutting height can be lowered to maximize yields. Opening the swather for a wide windrow promotes drying.

Under a multicut program, harvest sorghum-sudangrass or sudangrass at 40 days or 40" of growth. Due to the compressed internode lengths, mechanical harvesters should be set to leave two nodes or 4" of stubble, whichever is higher. Harvesting at this height will promote more rapid regrowth. At the latest, harvest when 50% of the plants have reached the flag-leaf stage for a one-cut program.

Begin grazing brachytic dwarf sorghum-sudangrass and sudangrass at about 18" of growth, and stop when height is reduced to 4" to promote regrowth.

BMR-6

BMR-6 sorghums have less lignin than conventional sorghums and are extremely palatable. The high digestibility rivals corn silage as the choice for improved animal performance.

DRY STALK

Dry stalk hybrids allow growers to ensile or bale at reduced moisture levels with less opportunity for spoilage. When harvested at the soft dough stage, dry stalk forage sorghums have approximately 8% to 10% less moisture at harvest. Dry stalk sudangrass hybrids can be stored much sooner as baleage or haylage than non-dry stalk types and can be harvested as dry hay.

PHOTOPERIOD SENSITIVE (PS)

PS sorghums have a wide window for harvest. The PS sorghums initiate flowering in response to day length and will remain vegetative from mid-March through September, adding new leaves and maintaining very high-quality forage. The flexible harvest window of PS sorghum helps growers manage weather or custom harvest scheduling.



WORLD-CLASS FORAGE SORGHUM LINEUP

Not all forage sorghum seeds are equal in their performance. But with EMPYR Premier Forages from Alta Seeds, you can have confidence that your choice of forage will deliver excellent results year after year.

EMPYR Premier Forages are our top-of-the-line, carefully selected hybrids that consistently outperform and outproduce others in both feed and the field. Our team continually evaluates the performance of these products against others in our global pipeline to ensure that only the best of the best are included in the EMPYR group. These forages offer high yield, excellent standability and strong performance even in extreme environments.







The EMPYR line is built on a wide variety of hybrid types that provide solutions for specific grazing or silage needs:

Aphix SCA Tolerance, the best-in-class option for combating pressure from sugarcane aphids

BMR-6 for increased palatability and digestibility, supporting more weight gain and milk production

Brachytic Dwarf for superior standability and high leaf-to-stalk ratios

Photoperiod Sensitivity (PS) for a wide harvest window

Dry Stalk for reduced moisture levels, earlier baling and storage

ADV F8484IG

MID-SEASON BRACHYTIC DWARF SILAGE WITH GRAIN



Ideal selection for producers looking for nextgeneration technology and superior yield potential. Conventional midrib with brachytic dwarf characteristic brings great standability and harvest performance for those looking to feed silage. **igrowth** herbicide-tolerant technology allows for a clean stand establishment for maximum early season growth and weed suppression.

ADV F8322 MID-SEASON APHIX FORAGE SORGHUM



An excellent forage sorghum with Aphix-level, elite sugarcane aphid tolerance and a high degree of versatility in various climates.

ADV F7103

EARLY-SEASON BMR-6 FORAGE SORGHUM

Fast, efficient and innovative. Early maturity combined with dry-stalk technology provides an option for short-season regions. Available in BMR-6, so no sacrificing on late plantings or double crop situations.

ADV F7232

MID-SEASON BMR-6 BRACHYTIC DWARF FORAGE SORGHUM

An earlier option BMR-6 brachytic dwarf with excellent nutritional value and palatability; matures quickly while still maintaining quality and yield; suitable for irrigated and dryland areas.

ADV F7424 FULL-SEASON BMR-6

FULL-SEASON BMR-6
WITH SCA TOLERANCE



ADV F7424 brings a jump in yield potential while maintaining everything we loved about its predecessor, AF7401. Excellent standability, top-notch quality feed, and now featuring our Aphix™ SCA tolerance. This is the benchmark of all high-yielding forage sorghum products in the lineup.

ADV S6404

FULL-SEASON BRACHYTIC DWARF BMR-6 SORGHUM-SUDANGRASS

High-powered and compact sorghumsudangrass with brachytic dwarf. Next-level tonnage, great feed quality and strong standability. Top performer in multicut scenarios, silage, hay or grazing. Cattle producers' best friend for versatility and production.

ADV S6520

FULL-SEASON BMR-6 SORGHUM-SUDANGRASS



Game-changing combination of agronomics and yield. High digestibility, great palatability, and strong disease package for overall good producibility. First-in-class sugarcane aphid tolerance. Agronomics and maturity make it a strong hybrid for an extended harvest window for silade, hay production and grazing.

ADV S6525

PHOTOPERIOD SENSITIVE BMR-6 SORGHUM-SUDANGRASS



Game-changing combination of agronomics and yield. High digestibility, great palatability, and strong disease package for overall good producibility. First-in-class sugarcane aphid tolerance. Agronomics and maturity make it a strong hybrid for an extended harvest window for silage, hay production and grazing.

AS9301

MID-SEASON BMR-6 DRY STALK SUDANGRASS

Exceptional palatability and digestibility, dry stalk for quick dry-down and fast recovery after cutting with rapid regrowth; performs well in a wide range of challenging growing conditions.

AS9302

BRACHYTIC DWARF BMR-6 DRY STALK SUDANGRASS

The first BMR-6 brachytic dwarf hybrid sudangrass, with tremendous regrowth, dry stalk for quick dry-down, high palatability and digestibility and adaptability to various climates; risk mitigation due to superior standability.

in the lineup.



FORAGE SELECTION GUIDE

EMPYR Premier Forages hybrids offer versatility to fit your needs and provide a quality feed option equal to or better than corn silage. With a variety of types, characteristics and harvest times, you can choose the seed that best suits your environment and planting.



BD = Brachytic Dwarf

DS = Dry Stalk FS = Full-Season **∂phi**SCA Tolerance

= Highest tolerance rating to sugarcane aphid



= Non-GMO herbicide-tolerant technology that allows you to apply companion herbicide IMIFLEX⁻ for pre- or postemergence control

NITROGEN FERTILIZATION RECOMMENDATION: 1 TO 1.25 LBS N PER GROWING DAY

HYBRID	ТҮРЕ	BMR-6	TRAITS	EARLY SEASON SILAGE	MID- SEASON SILAGE	FULL- SEASON SILAGE	SINGLE CUT, GRAZE REGROWTH	DOUBLE CROP	MULTIPLE CUTS	SINGLE CUT, HIGH YIELD	MULTIPLE CUT, RAPID DRY- DOWN
ADV F8484IG	Forage Sorghum		BD &		•					•	
ADV F8322	Forage Sorghum		∂phi i SCA Tolerance		•					•	
ADV F7103	Forage Sorghum	•	DS	•				•		•	
ADV F7232	Forage Sorghum	•	BD		•					•	
ADV F7424	Forage Sorghum	•	BD & Ophix SCA Tolerance			•				•	
ADV S6404	Sorghum-Sudangrass	•	BD				•		•		•
ADV \$6520	Sorghum-Sudangrass	•	FS & Ophix SCA Tolerance			•	•		•	•	•
ADV \$6525	Sorghum-Sudangrass	•	PS & Ophie SCA TOLOGOGO			•	•		•	•	•
AS9301	Sudangrass	•	DS				•	•	•		•
AS9302	Sudangrass	•	BD & DS				•	•	•		• 51





MEDIUM-LATE 110 DAYS NON-BMR CONVENTIONAL BRACHYTIC DWARF

13-15 CHECK SEED BAG

CROP USE









SILAGE DIRECT CHOP / HAYLAGE / BALEAGE

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ROTATIONAL GRAZING

DRY HAY



Ideal selection for producers looking for next-generation technology and superior yield potential. Conventional midrib with brachytic dwarf characteristic brings great standability and harvest performance for those looking to feed silage. igrowth' herbicide-tolerant technology allows for a clean stand establishment for maximum early season growth and weed suppression.

MEDIUM-LATE SEASON SILAGE WITH GRAIN

- » Strong-yielding hybrid with excellent season-long standability
- » igrowth herbicide tolerance provides first-ever grass weed control
- » Strong agronomics for those looking to push production with new technology

RATINGS	POOR 10 9 8 7 6 5	EXCELLENT 4 3 2 1
YIELD FOR MATURITY		1
FORAGE QUALITY POTENTIAL		2
PALATABILITY		2
DIGESTIBILITY		2
SEEDLING VIGOR		1
RECOVERY AFTER CUTTING		3
PLANT UNIFORMITY		1
STANDABILITY		1
DOWNY MILDEW		3
ANTHRACNOSE		2





N/A



RECOMMENDED **SEEDING RATES**

Seeding rates may vary depending on local growing conditions. Please see vour Alta Seeds retailer for local recommendations.

PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH-YI DRYLA		_	MITED IGATION	FULL IRRIGATION			
S	Hs	5		Hs	Hs			
EARLY PLANTING COLD SOILS	NO-TILL	POO DRAINE		ANTHRACNO PRONE ARE		FUSARIUM PRONE AREA		
S	Hs	M	1a Hs			S		
Hs = Highly Suitable S = Suitable Ma = Manage Appropriately X = Poor Suitability Ht = High Tolerance								





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CROP USE









MEDIUM SEASON SILAGE WITH GRAIN

SILAGE DIRECT CHOP/HAYLAGE/BALEAGE

DIRECT CHOP

DRY HAY

N/A

CONTINUOUS

N/A

ROTATIONAL GRAZING



STANDARD NON-BMR-6

MEDIUM 105 DAYS

12-14

ADV F8322 was the first forage sorghum with Aphix-level sugarcane aphid tolerance. It provides excellent seedling vigor and plant uniformity. The hybrid also offers excellent standability and is an exceptional producer in a wide range of growing conditions, consistently outyielding competitors in the same class by up to 20%.

- » High sugarcane aphid tolerance
- » Excellent yield, standability and silage choice
- » 105 days to harvest

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RECOMMENDED **SEEDING RATES**

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PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION



TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH-Y		LIMITED IRRIGATION			FULL IRRIGATION		
Hs	H	Hs				Hs		
HIGH PH SOILS IRON CHLOROSIS	NO-TILL	POO DRAINEI		ANTHRACNO PRONE ARE		SUGARCANE APHID*		
S	Hs	M	а	Hs		Ht		
Hs = Highly Suitable S = Suitable Ma = Manage Appropriately X = Poor Suitability Ht = High Tolerance								

RATINGS	POOR EXCELLENT								
RATINGS	10 9 8 7	6 5	4	3	2	1			
YIELD FOR MATURITY						-1			
FORAGE QUALITY POTENTIAL				3					
PALATABILITY			4						
DIGESTIBILITY				3					
SEEDLING VIGOR					2				
RECOVERY AFTER CUTTING			4						
PLANT UNIFORMITY					2				
STANDABILITY						1			
DOWNY MILDEW				3	81				
ANTHRACNOSE					2				



EARLY 85-90 DAYS BMR-6 14-16 ADV

RELATIVE MATURITY
TO SOFT DOUGH STAGE
MIDRIB
SEEDS/LB (1,000)
CHECK SEED BAG

F7103

CROP USE





DRY HAY





SILAGE DIRECT CHOP / HAYLAGE / BALEAGE

CONTINUOUS GRAZING

ROTATIONAL GRAZING

EARLY-SEASON FORAGE SORGHUM

A faster maturity allows for placement in many different cropping systems, including double cropping, late planting and short growing seasons. ADV F7103 will excel in northern climates when planted at appropriate times, providing a reliable silage crop without concerns about early freezes. As a conventional height, ADV F7103 has good standability and harvestability. Overall grain yield on this hybrid provides excellent starch production and adds to the solid nutritional value.

- » Earliest forage sorghum in the EMPYR lineup
- » Dry stalk provides a desirable moisture level for ideal harvest conditions
- » Great nutritional performance with BMR-6
- » Maturity is ideal for double cropping or short season conditions

RATINGS	POO							1	ELLE	
KATINGS	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
YIELD FOR MATURITY										- 1
FORAGE QUALITY POTENTIAL										- 1
PALATABILITY									2	
DIGESTIBILITY										- 1
SEEDLING VIGOR									2	
RECOVERY AFTER CUTTING								3		
PLANT UNIFORMITY									2	
STANDABILITY									2	
DOWNY MILDEW								3		
ANTHRACNOSE								3		
FUSARIUM WILT								3	2	

DIRECT CHOP

N/A

N/A

N/A



RECOMMENDED SEEDING RATES

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PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH-YIELD DRYLAND	LIMITED IRRIGATION	FULL IRRIGATION						
Hs	Hs	S	S						
NO-TILL	POORLY DRAINED SOILS	ANTHRACNOSE PRONE AREA	FUSARIUM PRONE AREA						
Hs	S	S	S						
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MEDIUM

BMR-6 14-18



105-110 DAYS CHECK SEED BAG

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MEDIUM BRACHYTIC DWARF

SILAGE DIRECT CHOP / HAYLAGE / BALEAGE

CONTINUOUS

ROTATIONAL GRAZING

ADV F7232 is a medium season forage sorghum with excellent yield for maturity and superior forage quality potential. This BMR-6 forage sorghum provides exceptional nutritional value, while its brachytic dwarf trait adds a much tighter distance between internodes and allows for better standability. ADV F7232 is adaptable and well-suited for full or limited irrigation or high-yield dryland.

- » Brachytic dwarf genetics provide stout stalks for excellent standability
- » Exceptional digestibility from BMR-6
- » Great yield for maturity
- » Excellent silage choice

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RATINGS	POO	R						EXC	ELLE	NT
KAIIIOS	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
YIELD FOR MATURITY										-1
FORAGE QUALITY POTENTIAL										- 1
PALATABILITY										- 1
DIGESTIBILITY										
SEEDLING VIGOR									2	
RECOVERY AFTER CUTTING								3		
PLANT UNIFORMITY								3		
STANDABILITY										
DOWNY MILDEW							4	83		
ANTHRACNOSE									2	
FUSARIUM WILT										- 1



N/A

DRY HAY

N/A



RECOMMENDED **SEEDING RATES**

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PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH-YIELD DRYLAND	LIMITED IRRIGATION	FULL IRRIGATION						
Ма	Hs	Hs	Hs						
NO-TILL	POORLY DRAINED SOILS	ANTHRACNOSE PRONE AREA	FUSARIUM PRONE AREA						
Hs	S	Hs	S						
Hs = Highly Suitable S = Suitable Ma = Manage Appropriately X = Poor Suitability									



CHECK SEED BAG

CROP USE









FULL-SEASON BMR-6 WITH SCA TOLERANCE

SILAGE DIRECT CHOP / HAYLAGE / BALEAGE

DRY HAY

CONTINUOUS GRAZING

ROTATIONAL GRAZING



LATE **120 DAYS** BMR-6 18-20

An improvement on the legendary AF7401. ADV F7424 brings a jump in yield potential while maintaining everything we loved about its predecessor. Excellent standability, top-notch quality feed, and now featuring our Aphix™ SCA tolerance. This is the benchmark of all high-yielding forage sorghum products in the lineup. If you need a product to push the limits of yield and provide superb agronomics, this is the one to try.

- » The top-yielding hybrid in high quality classification
- » Combines BMR-6 and Aphix™ for game-changing management options
- » Brachytic dwarf to maximize standability

DIRECT CHOP	





RECOMMENDED **SEEDING RATES**

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PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

TOUGH DRYLAND		HIGH-YI DRYLA					FULL IRRIGATION	
S		S			Hs		Hs	
EARLY PLANTING COLD SOILS		NO-TILL		ORLY D SOILS	ANTHRACNO PRONE ARE		FUSARIUM PRONE AREA	
Hs		Hs	M	la	Hs		S	
Hs = Highly Suitable S = Suitable Ma = Manage Appropriately X = Poor Suitability Ht = High Tolerance								

DATINGS	POOR EXCELLEN									
RATINGS	10 9 8 7 6	5 4	3	2	1					
YIELD FOR MATURITY					1					
FORAGE QUALITY POTENTIAL					1					
PALATABILITY					1					
DIGESTIBILITY					1					
SEEDLING VIGOR					1					
RECOVERY AFTER CUTTING			3							
PLANT UNIFORMITY					1					
STANDABILITY					1					
DOWNY MILDEW			3							
ANTHRACNOSE			3							



MEDIUM-LATE 70 DAYS BMR-6 14-16



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MEDIUM-LATE SORGHUM-SUDANGRASS

SILAGE DIRECT CHOP / HAYLAGE / BALEAGE DRY HAY GRAZING GRAZING GRAZING

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HAYLAGE/BALEAGE BEGIN 24" STOP 6" STOP 6"

ADV S6404 is a high-level sorghum-sudangrass with brachytic dwarf that provides versatility to a producer's forage operation. It has the ability to fill a bunk or a hay bale to meet feed requirements with fewer inputs. A high-quality plant with improved palatability, this elite multicut hybrid will make excellent dry hay.

» High-yielding multicut sorghum-sudangrass

CHECK SEED BAG

- » Strong nutritional value for feed quality
- » Broad adaptability for more uniform acres
- » Responds to increased resources
- >> Brachytic dwarf trait provides stout stalks for excellent standability

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RECOMMENDED SEEDING RATES

Seeding rates may vary depending on local growing conditions. Please see your Alta Seeds retailer for local recommendations.

PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

RATINGS	POO)R						EXC	ELLE	NT
RATINGS	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
YIELD FOR MATURITY										-1
FORAGE QUALITY POTENTIAL										- 1
PALATABILITY										- 1
DIGESTIBILITY										-1
SEEDLING VIGOR										1
RECOVERY AFTER CUTTING										
PLANT UNIFORMITY									2	
STANDABILITY									2	
DOWNY MILDEW								3		
ANTHRACNOSE										1
FUSARIUM WILT								3	200	

TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH-YIELD DRYLAND	LIMITED IRRIGATION	FULL IRRIGATION					
S	Hs	Hs	S					
NO-TILL	POORLY DRAINED SOILS	ANTHRACNOSE PRONE AREA	FUSARIUM PRONE AREA					
Hs	S	Hs	S					
Hs = Highly Suitable S = Suitable Ma = Manage Appropriately X = Poor Suitability								





CROP USE









FULL-SEASON SORGHUM-SUDANGRASS

SILAGE DIRECT CHOP/HAYLAGE/BALEAGE

DRY HAY

CONTINUOUS GRAZING

ROTATIONAL GRAZING

aphix SCA Tolerance

LATE VARIED DAYS BMR-6 14-16

ADV \$6520 is an all-around elite hybrid. Place this hybrid in high-production environments. In systems that focus

on single-cut management, this product is an excellent tonnage producer and can provide some flexibility in harvest timing. Areas with previous SCA pressure will benefit from elite tolerance levels.

- » Industry-leading Aphix™ sugarcane aphid tolerance
- » BMR-6 for top-end nutrition
- » Quick regrowth for multiple cuttings

RATINGS	POO	POOR						EXC	ELLE	ENT
RAIINGS	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
YIELD FOR MATURITY										1
FORAGE QUALITY POTENTIAL										1
PALATABILITY										1
DIGESTIBILITY										1
SEEDLING VIGOR									2	
RECOVERY AFTER CUTTING									2	
PLANT UNIFORMITY										1
STANDABILITY									2	
DOWNY MILDEW									2	
ANTHRACNOSE									2	
FUSARIUM WILT								3	1	
										_





BEGIN 24" STOP 6"

BEGIN **24**" STOP **6**"



RECOMMENDED SEEDING RATES

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PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

TOUGH DRYLAND		IIGH-YIELD DRYLAND		LIMITED IRRIGATION	FULL IRRIGATION
S		Hs		Hs	Hs
NO-TILL	DR	POORLY AINED SOILS		ANTHRACNOSE PRONE AREA	FUSARIUM PRONE AREA
Hs		S		S	Hs
Hs = Highly Sui	table S =	Suitable Ma	= 1	Manage Appropriately	X = Poor Suitability





CROP USE









PHOTOPERIOD SENSITIVE SORGHUM-SUDANGRASS

SILAGE DIRECT CHOP/HAYLAGE/BALEAGE

DRY HAY

CONTINUOUS GRAZING

ROTATIONAL GRAZING



VARIED DAYS BMR-6 14-16

> ADV S6525 is an all-around elite hybrid. Place this hybrid in high-production environments. The photoperiod sensitive maturity allows for excellent multicut management without the risk of having grain production.

In systems that focus on single-cut management, this product is an excellent tonnage producer and can provide some flexibility in harvest timing. Areas with previous SCA pressure will benefit from elite tolerance levels.

- » Industry-leading Aphix™ sugarcane aphid tolerance
- » BMR-6 for top-end nutrition
- » Quick regrowth for multiple cuttings
- » Photoperiod sensitive maturity for maximum harvest flexibility

DATINICS	POO	R						EXC	ELLE	ENT
RATINGS	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
YIELD FOR MATURITY										- 1
FORAGE QUALITY POTENTIAL										- 1
PALATABILITY										- 1
DIGESTIBILITY										- 1
SEEDLING VIGOR									2	
RECOVERY AFTER CUTTING									2	40
PLANT UNIFORMITY										- 1
STANDABILITY									2	13
DOWNY MILDEW									2	8
ANTHRACNOSE									2	
FUSARIUM WILT								3	1	



BEGIN 24" STOP 6"

BEGIN 24" STOP 6"



RECOMMENDED **SEEDING RATES**

Seeding rates may vary depending on local growing conditions. Please see vour Alta Seeds retailer for local recommendations.

PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH-YIELD DRYLAND	LIMITED IRRIGATION	FULL IRRIGATION					
S	Hs	Hs	Hs					
NO-TILL	POORLY DRAINED SOILS	ANTHRACNOSE PRONE AREA	FUSARIUM PRONE AREA					
Hs	S	S	Hs					
Hs = Highly Suitable S = Suitable Ma = Manage Appropriately X = Poor Suitability								



MEDIUM 60 DAYS BMR-6 21-24

CHECK SEED BAG



EXCELLENT

CROP USE





DRY HAY





ROTATIONAL GRAZING

MEDIUM MATURITY SUDANGRASS

AS9301 is a BMR-6 hybrid sudangrass. The BMR-6 characteristic adds high quality to a plant that has fine stems and quick regrowth. This hybrid will dry down fast so it can be used in areas where putting up dry sudangrass hay is difficult.

- » Dry stalk for quick dry-down
- » Excellent regrowth after harvest
- » Exceptional drought tolerance
- » BMR-6 for high digestibility

DOWNY MILDEW ANTHRACNOSE

2	
HAYLAGE/BALEAGE	

DIRECT CHOP / HAYLAGE / BALEAGE

BEGIN 24" STOP 6"

CONTINUOUS

BEGIN 24" STOP 6"



RECOMMENDED **SEEDING RATES**

Seeding rates may vary depending on local growing conditions. Please see vour Alta Seeds retailer for local recommendations.

PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

RATINGS 4 3 2 1 YIELD FOR MATURITY FORAGE QUALITY POTENTIAL PALATABILITY DIGESTIBILITY SEEDLING VIGOR RECOVERY AFTER CUTTING PLANT UNIFORMITY STANDABILITY

TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH-YIELD DRYLAND	LIMITED IRRIGATION	FULL IRRIGATION				
S	Hs	Hs	Hs				
NO-TILL	POORLY DRAINED SOILS	ANTHRACNOSE PRONE AREA	FUSARIUM PRONE AREA				
S	S	S	X				
Hs = Highly Suitable S = Suitable Ma = Manage Appropriately X = Poor Suitability							



MEDIUM 55-65 DAYS BMR-6 22-25

CHECK SEED BAG



CROP USE



HAYLAGE/BALEAGE



DRY HAY





ROTATIONAL GRAZING

MEDIUM MATURITY SUDANGRASS

SILAGE DIRECT CHOP/HAYLAGE/BALEAGE

BEGIN 24" STOP 6"

CONTINUOUS GRAZING

BEGIN 24" STOP 6"

AS9302 is the first BMR-6, brachytic dwarf hybrid sudangrass to hit the market. The BMR-6 gene adds high digestibility to a plant that has very fine stems and tremendous regrowth. The brachytic dwarf trait adds a much tighter distance between internodes, allowing for a lower cutting/grazing height and better standability. The dry stalk trait allows for quick dry-down, making this one of the most versatile forage products on the market.

- » Brachytic dwarf trait provides stout stalks for excellent standability
- » Excellent for dry hay and rotational grazing
- » Dry stalk for quick dry-down
- » Exceptional regrowth and BMR-6 for high digestibility



RECOMMENDED **SEEDING RATES**

Seeding rates may vary depending on local growing conditions. Please see vour Alta Seeds retailer for local recommendations.

PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

DATINGS		POC	R						EXC	ELLE	NT
RATINGS		10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
YIELD FOR MATURITY											1
FORAGE QUALITY POTENTIAL											1
PALATABILITY											1
DIGESTIBILITY											1
SEEDLING VIGOR										2	
RECOVERY AFTER CUTTING											1
PLANT UNIFORMITY											1
STANDABILITY											1
DOWNY MILDEW								4	87		
ANTHRACNOSE								4		84	
WET SOIL TOLERANCE							5		333	27	
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TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH-YIELD DRYLAND	LIMITED IRRIGATION	FULL IRRIGATION				
S	Hs	Hs					
NO-TILL	POORLY DRAINED SOILS	ANTHRACNOSE PRONE AREA	FUSARIUM PRONE AREA				
S	S	S	X				
Hs = Highly Suitable S = Suitable Ma = Manage Appropriately X = Poor Suitability							



FORAGE SELECTION GUIDE

Alta Seeds hybrids offer versatility to fit your needs and provide a quality feed option equal to or better than corn silage. With a variety of types, characteristics and harvest times, you can choose the seed that best suits your environment and planting processes. Our forage selection includes forage sorghum, sorghumsudangrass and pearl millet — all offering superior quality and tonnage so you can lower input costs and exceed production goals.



BD = Brachytic Dwarf

DS = Dry Stalk

PS = Photoperiod Sensitive

MS = Male Sterile

Nitrogen Fertilization Recommendation:

1 to 1.25 Lbs N per Growing Day

HYBRID	ТҮРЕ	BMR-6	TRAITS	EARLY SEASON SILAGE	MID- SEASON SILAGE	FULL- SEASON SILAGE	SINGLE CUT, GRAZE REGROWTH	DOUBLE CROP	MULTIPLE CUTS	SINGLE CUT, HIGH YIELD	MULTIPLE CUT, RAPID DRY-DOWN
AF8301	Forage Sorghum				•					•	
AF7102	Forage Sorghum	•		•				•		•	
AF7401	Forage Sorghum	•	BD			•				•	
AF7301	Forage Sorghum	•	MS		•						
ADV F8330	Forage Sorghum		MS							•	
GREEN GRAZE	Sorghum-Sudangrass		MS, BMR-12				•	•	•	•	
ADV S5501	Sorghum-Sudangrass		PS						•		
ADV S6218	Sorghum-Sudangrass	•	DS		•		•	•	•	•	•
AS6401	Sorghum-Sudangrass	•					•	•	•	•	
AS6501	Sorghum-Sudangrass	•						_	•		
AS6504	Sorghum-Sudangrass	•	PS			•	•		•	•	
Wonderleaf	Pearl Millet						•	•	•		•
							:	:	:		:



MEDIUM 100 DAYS TO SOFT DOUGH STAGE STANDARD NON-BMR-6 **MIDRIB**

14-16 SEEDS/LB (1.000) CHECK SEED BAG

CROP USE









SILAGE DIRECT CHOP / HAYLAGE / BALEAGE

CONTINUOUS **DRY HAY**

ROTATIONAL GRAZING

DO NOT **GRAZE**

DO NOT **GRAZE**

MEDIUM NON-BMR SILAGE WITH GRAIN

AF8301 is a non-BMR hybrid with outstanding yield potential. This hybrid has a short plant structure for good standability and ranges from 72" to 84" in plant height. This hybrid is drought tolerant and great for dryland conditions. AF8301 features good nutritional quality for a standard midrib hybrid and will produce a white grain head with high grain yields.

- » Harvest 100 days after emergence
- » Tremendous drought tolerance and yield potential
- » Good nutritional quality for standard midrib hybrid
- » Excellent plant uniformity

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RECOMMENDED **SEEDING RATES**

Seeding rates may vary depending on local growing conditions. Please see vour Alta Seeds retailer for local recommendations.

PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

DATINGS	POOR EXCELLENT
RATINGS	10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1
YIELD FOR MATURITY	2
FORAGE QUALITY POTENTIAL	3
PALATABILITY	4
DIGESTIBILITY	
SEEDLING VIGOR	2
RECOVERY AFTER CUTTING	5
PLANT UNIFORMITY	
STANDABILITY	
DOWNY MILDEW	4)(3)(4)(3)(3)
ANTHRACNOSE	4

TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH-YIELD DRYLAND	LIMITED IRRIGATION	FULL IRRIGATION
Hs	Hs	Hs	Hs
NO-TILL	POORLY DRAINED SOILS	ANTHRACNOSE PRONE AREA	FUSARIUM PRONE AREA
S	S	Hs	Hs
Hs = Highly Suitable	X = Poor Suitability		



EARLY 85-89 DAYS BMR-6 17-19

RELATIVE MATURITY TO SOFT DOUGH **MIDRIB** SEEDS/LB (1.000) CHECK SEED BAG

CROP USE





DRY HAY





SILAGE DIRECT CHOP / HAYLAGE / BALEAGE

CONTINUOUS

ROTATIONAL GRAZING

DIRECT CHOP

N/A

N/A

AF7102 is an early BMR-6 forage sorghum with great standability. Northern producers are able to reach high yield potential with tremendous forage quality of a BMR-6 without the issues of lodging. This hybrid works best in areas north of I-70 where humidity and the shorter growing season tend to be a challenge. AF7102 can be used in southern states for late planting or early harvest situations. The tillering capabilities of this hybrid are unsurpassed, allowing for increased yields and ground cover.

EARLY MATURITY FORAGE SORGHUM

- » Harvest 85-89 days after emergence
- >> Short stature genetics provide stout stalks for excellent standability
- » Excellent for silage
- » Double crop silage option

RATINGS	POOR							EXCELLENT				
RATINGS	10 9 8 7				6	5	4	3	2	1		
YIELD FOR MATURITY									2			
FORAGE QUALITY POTENTIAL										1		
PALATABILITY										- 1		
DIGESTIBILITY									2			
SEEDLING VIGOR									2			
RECOVERY AFTER CUTTING							4					
PLANT UNIFORMITY									2			
STANDABILITY									2			
DOWNY MILDEW										- 1		
ANTHRACNOSE									2			

RECOMMENDED **SEEDING RATES**

Seeding rates may vary depending on local growing conditions. Please see vour Alta Seeds retailer for local recommendations.

PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH-YIELD DRYLAND	LIMITED IRRIGATION	FULL IRRIGATION
S	Hs	Hs	Hs
NO-TILL	POORLY DRAINED SOILS	ANTHRACNOSE PRONE AREA	FUSARIUM PRONE AREA
Hs	Ma	S	N/A
Hs = Highly Suitable	X = Poor Suitability		



LATE 115 DAYS BMR-6 15-20 RELATIVE MATURITY
TO SOFT DOUGH STAGE
MIDRIB
SEEDS/LB (1,000)
CHECK SEED BAG

AF7401

CROP USE





DRY HAY





SILAGE DIRECT CHOP / HAYLAGE / BALEAGE

CONTINUOUS GRAZING

ROTATIONAL GRAZING

1

DIRECT CHOP

N/A

N/A

N/A

AF7401 features a genetic combination of BMR-6 and brachytic dwarf that enhances both productivity and efficiency. **AF7401** has a reduced internode length that creates a compact, leafy and prolific plant. However, it yields with taller sorghums due to the standability and tillering attributes of the brachytic dwarf characteristic. Producers get the best of both worlds: excellent forage qualities and a dependable high-yielding feedstock.

ALL-STAR FULL SEASON SILAGE WITH GRAIN

- » High-yielding performance
- » BMR-6 for superior forage quality
- » Brachytic dwarf genetics provide stout stalks for excellent standability
- » Economical performance and efficiency

RECOMMENDED SEEDING RATES

Seeding rates may vary depending on local growing conditions. Please see your Alta Seeds retailer for local recommendations.

PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

RATINGS	POOR EXCE								
KAIIIIOS	10 9 8 7	6 5	4 3 2 1						
YIELD FOR MATURITY			2						
FORAGE QUALITY POTENTIAL									
PALATABILITY			1						
DIGESTIBILITY									
SEEDLING VIGOR			4						
RECOVERY AFTER CUTTING									
PLANT UNIFORMITY			1						
STANDABILITY									
DOWNY MILDEW			3						
ANTHRACNOSE			2						

TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH-YIELD DRYLAND	LIMITED IRRIGATION	FULL IRRIGATION					
Ма	Hs	Hs	Hs					
NO-TILL	POORLY DRAINED SOILS	ANTHRACNOSE PRONE AREA	FUSARIUM PRONE AREA					
Hs	S	Hs	Hs					
Hs = Highly Suitable S = Suitable Ma = Manage Appropriately X = Poor Suitability								



MEDIUM 100 DAYS BMR-6 12-14 RELATIVE MATURITY
TO SOFT DOUGH STAGE
MIDRIB
SEEDS/LB (1,000)
CHECK SEED BAG

AF7301

CROP USE









SILAGE DIRECT CHOP / HAYLAGE / BALEAGE DRY HAY

CONTINUOUS GRAZING

ROTATIONAL GRAZING

1

DIRECT CHOP

N/A

N/A

N/A

AF7301 is a male sterile hybrid with the nutritional benefits of the BMR-6 characteristic. It will not produce grain unless a foreign pollen source is available. Male sterile sorghums such as **AF7301** have high levels of sugar and protein due to a lack of grain development. This hybrid offers excellent digestibility and high yield potential.

HYBRID WITH NUTRITIONAL BENEFITS OF THE BMR-6

- » High energy feed source
- » Strong agronomics
- » BMR-6 for superior nutrition

RECOMMENDED SEEDING RATES

Seeding rates may vary depending on local growing conditions. Please see your Alta Seeds retailer for local recommendations.

PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

RATINGS	POOR							EXC	ELLE	ENT
RATINGS	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
YIELD FOR MATURITY									2	
FORAGE QUALITY POTENTIAL										
PALATABILITY										
DIGESTIBILITY										
SEEDLING VIGOR									2	
RECOVERY AFTER CUTTING							4		3	
PLANT UNIFORMITY									2	
STANDABILITY										
ANTHRACNOSE									2	

	TOUGH PRYLAND	HIGH-YI DRYLA			MITED IGATION		FULL IRRIGATION			
	Ma		S		l	Hs	Hs			
	PH SOILS/ HLOROSIS		NO-TILL	POC DRAINE	RLY D SOILS	ANTHRACNO		FUSARIUM PRONE AREA		
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Hs =	Hs = Highly Suitable S = Suitable Ma = Manage Appropriately X = Poor Suitability									



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12-14

95-100 DAYS CONVENTIONAL



CROP USE









MALE STERILE HYBRID

SILAGE DIRECT CHOP / HAYLAGE / BALEAGE CONTINUOUS GRAZING ROTATIONAL GRAZING **DRY HAY** N/A DIRECT CHOP

F8330 is a male sterile hybrid. It will not produce grain unless a foreign pollen source is available. Male sterile sorghums such as F8330 have high levels of sugar and protein due to a lack of grain development. This hybrid offers excellent digestibility and high yield potential.

- » Economic workhorse
- » Male sterile for improved sugar content
- » No pollen flow for seed production regions

CHECK SEED BAG

A Him of	RECOMMENDED SEEDING RATES
	Seeding rates may vary depending on local growing conditions. Please see your Alta Seeds retailer for local recommendations.
	PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

COMMENDED EDING RATES

RATINGS	POOR						EXCELLE				
KATINGS	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	
YIELD FOR MATURITY									2		
FORAGE QUALITY POTENTIAL											
PALATABILITY									2		
DIGESTIBILITY								3			
SEEDLING VIGOR									2		
RECOVERY AFTER CUTTING							4		3		
PLANT UNIFORMITY										- 1	
STANDABILITY											
ANTHRACNOSE									2		

TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH-YI DRYLA			MITED IGATION		FULL IRRIGATION
Hs	Hs	5		Hs		Hs
HIGH PH SOILS/ IRON CHLOROSIS	NO-TILL	POO DRAINE		ANTHRACNO PRONE ARE		SUGARCANE APHID
Ма	S	М	a	Ма		Ма
Hs = Highly Suita	able S = Suitable	e Ma = 1	Manage A	ppropriately	x =	Poor Suitability



MEDIUM N 65 / S 100 DAYS **BMR-12** 14-16

TO BOOT STAGE SEEDS/LB (1.000) CHECK SEED BAG

CROP USE



SILAGE

DIRECT CHOP / HAYLAGE / BALEAGE







ROTATIONAL GRAZING

HAYLAGE/BALEAGE

DRY HAY

STOP 6"

CONTINUOUS GRAZING

BEGIN 24" STOP 6"

and good medium-season seedling vigor. This hybrid can be grown throughout the United States and will be ready for harvest at 40 days or 40 inches, whichever comes first. It has good drought tolerance and heat stress resistance to weather's hot, dry conditions. Green Graze has a very uniform stand. This hybrid features BMR-12 genetics for excellent digestibility and palatability, in addition to a solid disease resistance profile. Green Graze is an excellent economic choice for producers wanting a good quality feed.

Green Graze is a sorghum-sudangrass hybrid with excellent yield potential

MEDIUM MATURITY SORGHUM-SUDANGRASS

- » Excellent yield potential
- » Good early seedling vigor
- » BMR-12 for excellent digestability
- » Good drought tolerance and heat stress resistance

RATINGS	POOR						EXCELLEN			
RATINGS	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
YIELD FOR MATURITY									2	
FORAGE QUALITY POTENTIAL									2	
PALATABILITY									2	
DIGESTIBILITY									2	
SEEDLING VIGOR								3		
RECOVERY AFTER CUTTING									2	
PLANT UNIFORMITY								3	3	
STANDABILITY										- 1
DOWNY MILDEW									2	
ANTHRACNOSE									2	1
FUSARIUM WILT									2	

RECOMMENDED SEEDING RATES

Seeding rates may vary depending on local growing conditions. Please see vour Alta Seeds retailer for local recommendations.

PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH-YIELD DRYLAND	LIMITED IRRIGATION	FULL IRRIGATION
Hs	S	S	S
EARLY PLANTING / COLD SOILS	NO-TILL	POORLY DRAINED SOILS	SUGARCANE APHID*
S	S	Ma	X



PHOTOPERIOD SENSITIVE

STANDARD NON-BMR-6

VARIABLE

15-17



RELATIVE MATURITY TO BOOT STAGE MIDRIB SEEDS/LB (1,000) CHECK SEED BAG



CROP USE







CONTINUOUS GRAZING



ROTATIONAL GRAZING

MEDIUM-EARLY MATURITY SORGHUM-SUDANGRASS

ADV \$5501 is our highest yielding photoperiod sensitive sorghumsudangrass. This increases the harvest window, allowing quality to remain unchanged for a longer period of time. It also adds to its drought tolerance and total yield potential.

- » Significant increase in drought tolerance
- » Significant increase in yield
- » Photoperiod sensitive
- » Wide harvest window

RATINGS	POO	R						EXC	ELLE	ENT
KAIIIOS	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
YIELD FOR MATURITY										1
FORAGE QUALITY POTENTIAL								3		
PALATABILITY									2	
DIGESTIBILITY								3		
SEEDLING VIGOR								3		
RECOVERY AFTER CUTTING										1
PLANT UNIFORMITY										1
STANDABILITY										1
DOWNY MILDEW									2	
ANTHRACNOSE									2	

Based on Alta Seeds research trials relative to other Alta Seeds products.

SILAGE **DRY HAY** DIRECT CHOP / HAYLAGE / BALEAGE HAYLAGE/BALEAGE



RECOMMENDED **SEEDING RATES**

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PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH-YI DRYLA			IMITED IGATION	FULL IRRIGATION		
S	Hs	5		Hs	S		
EARLY PLANTING / COLD SOILS	NO-TILL	POO DRAINE					FUSARIUM PRONE AREA
S	S	M	a	Hs	Ma		



MEDIUM-EARLY 65 DAYS

BMR-6

15-17

MIDRIB

RELATIVE MATURITY

TO BOOT STAGE

SEEDS/LB (1,000) CHECK SEED BAG

CROP USE









MEDIUM-EARLY MATURITY SORGHUM-SUDANGRASS

ADV S6218 brings a new approach to the sorghum-sudangrass lineup, with dry stalk for less moisture, a shorter maturity to help shorten the season and the yield potential to fit every geography. Southern environments will benefit from the advantages of dry stalk and the versatility of a grazing option as well as dry hay production. Northern and short season scenarios will find an advantage as a haylage and baleage option for high-quality, high-moisture feed.

- » Dry stalk for less moisture and spoilage
- » Game-changing blend of maturity and yield advantages
- » Excellent multicut regrowth potential
- » Season-long high tonnage production

RATINGS	POOR					CELLI	ENT
KAIIIIOS	10 9	8 7	6	5	4 3	2	1
YIELD FOR MATURITY							- 1
FORAGE QUALITY POTENTIAL							1
PALATABILITY							- 1
DIGESTIBILITY							- 1
SEEDLING VIGOR						2	VII.
RECOVERY AFTER CUTTING							
PLANT UNIFORMITY							1
STANDABILITY							
DOWNY MILDEW						2	
ANTHRACNOSE						2	

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SILAGE DIRECT CHOP/HAYLAGE/BALEAGE	DRY HAY	CONTINUOUS GRAZING	ROTATIONAL GRAZING
2 HAYLAGE/BALEAGE	1	1	2



RECOMMENDED SEEDING RATES

Seeding rates may vary depending on local growing conditions. Please see vour Alta Seeds retailer for local recommendations.

PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

NO-TII	TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH-YI DRYLA			IMITED IGATION		FULL IRRIGATION
	S	Hs	5		Hs		S
		NO-TILL					FUSARIUM PRONE AREA
Hs S Ma Hs Ma	Hs	S	M	a	Hs		Ma



MEDIUM-LATE N 65 / S 100 DAYS BMR-6 14-16

TO BOOT STAGE MIDRIB SEEDS/LB (1.000) CHECK SEED BAG



CROP USE









SILAGE DIRECT CHOP / HAYLAGE / BALEAGE **DRY HAY**

CONTINUOUS GRAZING

ROTATIONAL GRAZING

HAYLAGE/BALEAGE

BEGIN 24" STOP 6"

BEGIN 24" STOP 6"

MEDIUM-LATE MATURITY SORGHUM-SUDANGRASS

AS6401 has a long season in the South (100 days to bloom). This extends the harvest window and allows AS6401 to be used where photoperiod sensitive hybrids are not effective. In northern regions, AS6401 will bloom at approximately 65 days. Due to its tropical genetics, AS6401 has better regrowth in wet or humid conditions.

- » Versatile hybrid for hay, silage or grazing
- » Highly disease resistant
- >> Superior forage quality with high palatability and forage fiber digestibility

RECOMMENDED **SEEDING RATES**

Seeding rates may vary depending on local growing conditions. Please see vour Alta Seeds retailer for local recommendations.

PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

RATINGS	PC					EXC	ELLE	NT		
RAIINGS	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
YIELD FOR MATURITY										-1
FORAGE QUALITY POTENTIAL										-1
PALATABILITY										-1
DIGESTIBILITY										-1
SEEDLING VIGOR								3		
RECOVERY AFTER CUTTING										-1
PLANT UNIFORMITY								3		
STANDABILITY								3		
DOWNY MILDEW									2	
ANTHRACNOSE									2	
FUSARIUM WILT									2	

TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH-YIELD DRYLAND	FULL IRRIGATION	
Ма	S	S	S
NO-TILL	POORLY DRAINED SOILS	ANTHRACNOSE PRONE AREA	FUSARIUM PRONE AREA
S	S	Hs	Hs
Hs = Highly Suitable	S = Suitable Ma =	Manage Appropriately	X = Poor Suitability



LATE **VARIED DAYS** BMR-6 13-15

TO BOOT STAGE MIDRIB SEEDS/LB (1.000) CHECK SEED BAG



CROP USE





DRY HAY





SILAGE DIRECT CHOP / HAYLAGE / BALEAGE

CONTINUOUS GRAZING

ROTATIONAL GRAZING

HAYLAGE/BALEAGE

STOP 6"

BEGIN 24" STOP 6"

LATE MATURITY SORGHUM-SUDANGRASS

AS6501 is an excellent choice for tough and high-yield dryland conditions. This hybrid has outstanding recovery after cutting and is a great option for rotational grazing. The BMR-6 characteristic of AS6501 increases feedstock utilization and efficiency.

- >> Excellent regrowth after harvest
- » Exceptional drought tolerance
- » BMR-6 provides high-quality nutrition

RECOMMENDED **SEEDING RATES**

Seeding rates may vary depending on local growing conditions. Please see vour Alta Seeds retailer for local recommendations.

PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

RATINGS	POOR					EXCELLENT					
RATINGS	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	
YIELD FOR MATURITY									2		
FORAGE QUALITY POTENTIAL										- 1	
PALATABILITY										- 1	
DIGESTIBILITY										- 1	
SEEDLING VIGOR							4				
RECOVERY AFTER CUTTING										- 1	
PLANT UNIFORMITY								3			
STANDABILITY								3			
DOWNY MILDEW								3			
ANTHRACNOSE					6						
FUSARIUM WILT					6				200		

TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH-YIELD DRYLAND	LIMITED IRRIGATION	FULL IRRIGATION
Hs	Hs	S	S
NO-TILL	POORLY DRAINED SOILS	ANTHRACNOSE PRONE AREA	FUSARIUM PRONE AREA
S	S	Hs	S
Hs = Highly Suitable	S = Suitable Ma =	Manage Appropriately	X = Poor Suitability



PHOTOPERIOD SENSITIVE REL. MATURITY

VARIED DAYS

BMR-6

13-15



MIDRIB

TO BOOT STAGE

SEEDS/LB (1.000) CHECK SEED BAG

CROP USE









PHOTOPERIOD SENSITIVE SORGHUM-SUDANGRASS

ADV \$6504 has excellent yield for maturity and standability. The BMR-6 characteristic offers exceptional nutrition for high-quality forage that is also highly digestible. The photoperiod sensitive characteristic provides an extended window of harvest and consistent quality in the growing season. Plus, outstanding regrowth makes this hybrid a top selection for rotational grazing.

- » Exceptional regrowth after harvest
- » Superb yield potential
- >> Extended harvest window
- » BMR-6 provides high-quality nutrition
- » High sugar content

RATINGS	POO				EXCELLENT			
RAIINGS	10	9 8	7	6 5	4	3	2	1
YIELD FOR MATURITY								1
FORAGE QUALITY POTENTIAL								1
PALATABILITY								1
DIGESTIBILITY								1
SEEDLING VIGOR						3		
RECOVERY AFTER CUTTING							2	
PLANT UNIFORMITY								1
STANDABILITY								1
DOWNY MILDEW							2	
ANTHRACNOSE							2	
FUSARIUM WILT					4		23	3

SILAGE CONTINUOUS GRAZING ROTATIONAL GRAZING **DRY HAY** DIRECT CHOP / HAYLAGE / BALEAGE BEGIN 24" STOP 6" STOP 6"



RECOMMENDED **SEEDING RATES**

Seeding rates may vary depending on local growing conditions. Please see vour Alta Seeds retailer for local recommendations.

PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH-YIELD DRYLAND	FULL IRRIGATION			
S	Hs	Hs	Hs		
NO-TILL	POORLY DRAINED SOILS	ANTHRACNOSE PRONE AREA	FUSARIUM PRONE AREA		
Hs	S	Hs	S		
Hs = Highly Suitable	Hs = Highly Suitable S = Suitable Ma = Manage Appropriately				



EARLY 62 DAYS DRY 80-110

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DRY HAY



CONTINUOUS GRAZING



ROTATIONAL GRAZING

HYBRID PEARL MILLET

Wonderleaf is a bush-type hybrid pearl millet with high yield potential. It grows quickly, reaching the boot stage in 62 days. Wonderleaf has a high level of tolerance to many pathogens and high humidity, but cannot tolerate standing surface water. Wonderleaf can be grown on as little as 16" of water; however, greater tonnage will be produced with greater water availability.

- » Bush-type hybrid with high yield potential
- » Tall, upright and heavy tillering
- » Excellent for warm-season pasture or hay
- » Widely adapted to many diverse geographic regions
- » No prussic acid concerns

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PRIMARY AREA OF ADAPTATION

TOUGH DRYLAND	HIGH-YIELD DRYLAND	LIMITED IRRIGATION	FULL IRRIGATION	
Hs	Hs	S	S	
NO-TILL	POORLY DRAINED SOILS	ANTHRACNOSE PRONE AREA	FUSARIUM PRONE AREA	
S	S	N/A	N/A	
Hs = Highly Suitable	Hs = Highly Suitable S = Suitable Ma = Manage Appropriately			

DATINGS	POOR					EXCELLENT					
RATINGS	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	
YIELD FOR MATURITY									2		
FORAGE QUALITY POTENTIAL							4				
PALATABILITY							4				
DIGESTIBILITY							4				
SEEDLING VIGOR									2		
RECOVERY AFTER CUTTING										- 1	
PLANT UNIFORMITY								3	84		
STANDABILITY						5	70			3	



GIVE SORGHUM AN EXCEPTIONAL START WITH VERTIX SEED TREATMENTS

Sorghum hybrids from Alta Seeds are designed for resilience. To fully secure your seed investment, it's vital to guard against disease and pests during germination and stand establishment. Vertix™ seed treatments give you the protection you need to combat threats to stand establishment so your sorghum gets off to an exceptional start and reaches its genetic potential.

With industry-leading protection against seed- and soil-borne diseases and early season insects. Vertix seed treatments create a protective barrier against pathogens and pests that begins in the bag and extends to the field. The innovative solution lineup also includes herbicide safening to increase selectivity to Group 15 herbicides like MOCCASIN™ II PLUS S-metolachlor. Vertix seed treatments allow you to maximize your seed investment and have confidence in knowing that your seed is safeguarded from the very beginning.

Vertix seed treatments are available in three different options to meet your unique environmental conditions and growing practices >













ALL VERTIX SEED TREATMENTS PROVIDE:

- » Protection from bag to field
- » Proven, reliable active ingredients
- » Uniform coverage and low dust levels
- » Increased stand, uniformity and plant vigor







VERTIX CORE uses a unique combination of ipconazole and metalaxyl fungicides to control a variety of diseases including seed rots like *Aspergillus* spp. and seedling blights such as *Fusarium* spp. and *Rhizoctonia solani*.

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS: IPCONAZOLE + METALAXYL (fungicides)

DISEASE PROTECTION: Fusarium spp., Rhizoctonia solani, Pythium spp., early season Phytophthora, Aspergillus spp., and Penicillium spp.

VERTIX SELECT builds on Vertix CORE by adding flurazole as a safener to allow pre-emergent Group 15 herbicides to be safely applied without damaging the seed.

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS: IPCONAZOLE + METALAXYL (fungicides)

FLURAZOLE (herbicide safener)

DISEASE PROTECTION: Fusarium spp., Rhizoctonia solani, Pythium spp., early season

Phytophthora, Aspergillus spp., and Penicillium spp.

CROP PROTECTION: Crop safening from Group 15 herbicides such as MOCCASIN™ II PLUS,

S-metolachlor, acetochlor and dimethenamid

VERTIX PREMIER contains all the ingredients found in Vertix SELECT along with imidacloprid insecticide to combat early season aphids, chinch bugs, imported fire ants and wireworms.

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FLURAZOLE (herbicide safener)

IMIDACLOPRID (insecticide)

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Phytophthora, Aspergillus spp., and Penicillium spp.

CROP PROTECTION: Crop safening from Group 15 herbicides such as MOCCASIN™ II PLUS,

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INSECT PROTECTION: Early season aphids, chinch bugs, imported fire ants and wireworms





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