

BASTER VOER PEREL MANNA

SPEEDFEED SUPER (*Pennisetum glaucum*)

VIR WEIDING EN KUILVOER PRODUKSIE GEBRUIK

SPEEDFEED SUPER sal langer groei as SPEEDFEED wat dit beter geskik maak vir kuilvoer. SPEEDFEED het beter hergroei vir weiding gebruik.

Die plant is robuust met 'n duur van 80-85 dae. Die plant groei tot 'n hoogte van 20-21 duim en het 3-4 halms. Dit is gepigmenteer in 'n donker groen met silindriese en hoogs kompakte aar met 'n diameter van 3,8 tot 4 cm. Hulle is gewoonlik 28-30cm in lengte met geen hare.

Die helmknop word gesien as liggeel van kleur wat bruin word. Die graan is donkergrys en groot. Na 53-55 dae bereik die plant 50% blom. Dit het 'n mate van weerstand teen Donsige Skimmel.

Die sleutel kenmerk wat voer perel manna verskil van voersorghums, is dat perel manna 'n hoër gehalte in proteiene en verteerbaarheid het. Data oor die basters dui aan dat ru-proteïenwaardes tussen 16-20% haalbaar is.

As 'n reël is dit onder dieselfde toestande 50% hoër as voersorghums.

PLANTTYD

SPEEDFEED SUPER moet geplant word sodra die grondtemperatuur om 9vm 18 °C bereik en hoër.



- Robuuste plantsoort
- Duur: 80-85 dae
- Dae tot 50% blom: 53-55
- Planthoogte: 200-210cm



HYBRID FORAGE PEARL MILLET

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FOR GRAZING AND SILAGE USE

SPEEDFEED SUPER will grow taller than Speedfeed making it better suited for silage. Speedfeed has better regrowth for grazing purposes.

The plant is robust with a duration of 80-85 days. The plant grows to a height of 200-210cm and has 3-4 tillers. It is pigmented a dark green with cylindrical and highly compact earheads that are 3.8-4cm in diameter. They are usually 28-30cm in length with no bristles.

The anther is noted as being light yellow in colour that turns brown. Its grain is dark grey and large. The plant is noted to reach 50% flower after 53-55 days. It has some resistance to downey mildew.

The key feature that sets forage pearl millet apart from forage sorghums is pearl millets higher quality in terms of protein and digestibility. Data on the hybrids indicated crude protein values between 16-20% being achievable.

As a rule of thumb they are 50% higher than forage sorghums under the same conditions.

PLANTING

Speedfeed Super must be planted once the soil temperature reaches 18°C at 9am and are rising at the sowing depth.

- Robust plant type
- Duration: 80-85 days
- Days to 50% flowering: 53-55
- Plant height: 200-210cm

