



# LIMAGRAIN FIELD SEEDS


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**Welcome to the 2024 Limagrain Field Seeds product catalogue.  
We invite you to discover more about our company and our LG, K2  
and SC branded products.**







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The African Seed Company

# FOREWORD

## A COMPETITIVE MULTI-CROP OFFERING

Limagrain Field Seeds (LGSA) is a joint venture that provides a competitive field crop and forage seed offering to farmers in South Africa, Lesotho, Eswatini (Swaziland), Namibia, Mauritius, and Madagascar.

## WHO IS LIMAGRAIN SOUTH AFRICA?

Limagrain Field Seeds (LGSA) was born in 2020. LGSA is a joint venture between:

- **Limagrain**
  - A French cooperative that previously operated in South Africa as Link Seed.
  - All Limagrain products within LGSA is sold under Limagrain's LG brand.
- **Zaad**
  - An agriculture investment group in South Africa that is part of PSG.
  - LGSA is now the exclusive channel to market for the K2 brand (previously distributed by Klein Karoo Saad Bemarking) within the LGSA territory.
- **Seed Co**
  - The leading seed company on the African continent.
  - LGSA distributes the Seed Co brand (previously distributed by Seed Co SA) within the LGSA territory.

We anticipate that this joint venture will become a significant player in South Africa, proposing a specific multi-crop approach and benefiting from critical mass in an already highly consolidated field seed market. We intend to ultimately service at least 10% of the hybrid maize market and 15% of the End Point Royalty (EPR) markets using our own genetics, whilst maintaining a 20% market share in forage/pasture crops. LGSA employs around 250 staff spread across our sites to ensure we serve our customers, the vast majority of whom are farmers.

## PERSEVERING THROUGH CHALLENGING TIMES WHILST CONTRIBUTING TO OUR FARMERS

Limagrain Field Seeds (LGSA) provides a competitive field crop and forage seed offering to farmers in South Africa, Lesotho, Eswatini (Swaziland), Namibia, Mauritius, and Madagascar.

Our technology-driven approach and significant investment into local research and development yield a **competitive multi-crop offering** for farmers throughout all farming segments. We distribute three distinctive seed brands (LG, K2 and Seed Co) to market proprietary maize, wheat, sunflower, and soybean genetics, as well as a full range of exclusive field- and forage crop varieties.

LGSA, as part of Limagrain Field Seeds, clearly understand the needs of farmers. Our controlling shareholder, Limagrain, is a French Cooperative, which suggests the group ultimately gets its direction from farmers and has intimate knowledge and understanding of what farmers truly need. In a sense, you could say the business is owned and directed **by farmers for farmers.**

We want to make a meaningful contribution to food security in the territory we operate in and to contribute towards the sustainability of our farmers who in turn play their part in securing food for all. We do this through the supply of **quality seed, sound and practical advice, and professional service.** Our contribution is to supply **optimal genetics** to contribute to our farmers' businesses in minimising risk while optimising yield and quality.

Optimally performing and well adapted genetics is therefore at the center of this business and is the key to future sustainability for farmers. LGSA is heavily invested in local Research and Development (R&D) through its Potchefstroom and Bapsfontein research stations to make this a reality, and throughout Limagrain more than **15% of global turnover from seed sales is ploughed back into R&D.** Ethics (including the quality of seed) is also part of who we are.



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Therefore, we focus on the quality of seeds we supply and subscribe to Excellence Through Stewardship® (ETS), which suggests we clearly understand the value of genetics and what is acceptable or not.

Providing a complete and competitive multi-crop offering to the market, suggests that we do not only focus on our own genetics, but continue to source, produce, process, and distribute a comprehensive portfolio of products that includes all agronomic and pasture seeds commonly used in the region.

**Relationships with our partners and suppliers** are critical to the success of our business and we have long-standing relationships with Suppliers of seeds for crops that we do not breed ourselves. These relationships ensure that we can continue to provide a complete portfolio of products, and therefore **CHOICE, to our clients.** We cherish these relationships and intend to grow with our partners.

We also have strong relationships with agricultural cooperatives and other distributors across South Africa, which is an essential aspect of our overall distribution network and ensures seed are provided to our clients on time.

In addition to offering competitive and relevant genetics, we also have a **solid technical team with centuries of know-how** to provide advice on crops, varieties, and farming practices. When used in collaboration with our farmers (as partners), we trust that this will contribute towards sustainability on the farm and bring our farmers peace of mind.

I believe that farmers are very special people. They think differently about life, because they understand that a large part of their success is not a direct result of what they do. They can do all the things that they should do as best they can, but beyond that it takes faith/trust as they rely on good weather conditions and grace amongst others to produce a good crop.

With that in mind, we intend to drive our business in a way that has the customer's needs top of mind. Since 2011, the government has declared eight national states of disasters. All but two have been since 2020, according to Government Gazettes and the annual reports from the national disaster management center. Two were declared because of droughts, four because of floods and one, which lasted for more than a year, was the pandemic. The electricity crisis is the first "human-made" disaster.

As we continue to face significant challenges, let us remind ourselves that **growth comes from perseverance and turning challenges into opportunities** – with LGSA working hard at being part of the solution and making a difference on the farm!



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**EUGENE MULLER**  
*Managing Director*  
Limagrain Field Seeds

# LIMAGRAIN FIELD SEEDS' STRATEGIC PILLARS

## FARMER OWNED, FARMER LED



Everything that we do has farmers at the heart of it. We are a company created and owned by farmers and Limagrain Field Seeds (which LGSA is a part of) exists to supply farmers with the best genetics so they can be as successful and sustainably profitable as possible growing the crops the markets request. The story of Limagrain is truly remarkable. How a group of relatively small farmers in the centre of France cooperated to create the world's 4th largest seed company.

The farmer shareholders of Limagrain have a daily proximity to all levels of our business and are genuine leaders with a long-term vision. Limagrain Field Seeds is unique among global seed companies to have this model of farmer ownership and leadership and it is something, for which we are incredibly proud and that we want to highlight as a key factor of differentiation.

## MULTI-CROP OFFERING



No farmer grows only one crop and no global seed business can be successful with a single crop. Limagrain Field Seeds focus is a portfolio of multi-crops, which corresponds to the needs of farmers on all continents.

LGSA has 4 strategic crops: Maize, Wheat, Sunflower, and Soybean. Other key crops for LGSA would include Lucerne and some forage crops for which we have exclusive distribution rights.

## INTERNATIONAL PRESENCE



The ambition of Limagrain Field Seeds is to provide farmers with the best genetics wherever they are, whether they are large or small. Today, through perseverance, Limagrain Field Seeds has a global presence, composed of 6 business units covering 6 continents with subsidiaries in over 31 countries and sales in 74 countries. Likewise LGSA intends to supply seed to farmers across all segments within our territory.

## STRONG GLOBAL BRAND



The LG brand is the strategic global brand of Limagrain Field Seeds. Limagrain has been serving farmers with premium seeds for over 50 years and is present across 6 continents and all major crops. We want to maximise the visibility of the LG brand and make it even better known.

The LG logo is also the main corporate symbol for the Limagrain Field Seeds activity, endorsed by the Group Limagrain logo. The combination of the LG logo, endorsed by the Limagrain logo says that we are Limagrain, and that farmers around the world can benefit from the performance of LG branded seeds across a wide range of crop species. In the LGSA territory, our offering is enhanced through the addition of varieties available from the K2 and Seed Co offerings.

## TECHNOLOGY DRIVEN



Progress is a core value for Limagrain. The roots of the Group were founded in solid scientific technology, which allowed us to innovate and grow our business. We are committed to investing in the best proven technologies for breeding, traits and digital solutions.

This, coupled with a large team of research experts ensures we can deliver high performance seeds and services to all farmers.

## MULTIPLE PARTNERSHIPS



Cooperation is in our DNA. By working in partnerships based on respect and common values, Limagrain Field Seeds has been able to achieve our global ambitions through the creation of multiple partnerships across all continents, via our 13 joint ventures in Europe, the USA and Canada, Africa, China and Australia. These partnerships cover both business and research activities.





# MAIZE CULTIVARS





# MAIZE SILAGE CHARACTERISTICS

Characteristics	KKS 4410	KKS 8408R*	KKS 8410	KKS 8410B2*	KKS 8410B2R*	SC 506	Afric Red	SC 701	SC 719	SC 727	Afric 1
Grain colour	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	White	White	White	White
Biomass	7	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	8
Grain-to-plant ratio	9	9	9	9	9	9	8	8	9	8	9
Standability	9	9	9	9	9	8	7	7	7	7	7
Prolificacy	7	8	8	8	8	2	6	6	7	7	7
Resistance to Common Rust	6	9	9	9	9	6	6	8	9	8	6
Resistance to Northern Corn Leaf Blight	6	9	9	9	9	8	6	9	9	8	6
Resistance to Ear Rot	6	9	9	9	9	8	6	5	9	8	6
Resistance to Grey Leaf Spot	5	7	7	7	7	5	5	5	9	9	5
▲ Number of days to 50% flower	62-80	65-83	65-83	65-83	65-83	68-87	65-80	67-88	70-88	75-90	65-80
▲ Number of days to physiological maturity	119-140	123-144	123-144	123-144	123-144	129-152	123-144	127-170	148-165	155-168	123-144
CRM (Comparative Relative Maturity)	120	123	123	123	123	129	123	140	142	145	123

9 = Excellent/Quick    1 = Poor/Slow

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# YELLOW MAIZE CULTIVARS

LG 31.546BR

NEW

KKS 8410B2R

LG 31.700BR

NEW

LG 31.660BR

NEW

LG 30.701BR

NEW

KKS 4520

LG 31.648BR

LG 31.752BR

NEW

KKS 4410

LG 31.750

KKS 4474R

LG 31.750R

KKS 8410

LG 31.750BR

KKS 8408R

SC 506

KKS 8410B2

Afric Red



YieldGard  
MAIZE 2



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# YELLOW MAIZE REGIONS

	Arid West	Water Tables West	Temperate East	Cool East	KwaZulu-Natal	Short season irrigation	Silage
LG 31.546BR <b>NEW</b>						✓	
LG31.700BR <b>NEW</b>						✓	
LG30.701BR <b>NEW</b>						✓	
LG 31.648BR		✓	✓	✓		✓	
KKS 4410	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓
KKS 4474R	✓		✓	✓	✓		
KKS 8410	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓
KKS 8408R	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓
KKS 8410B2	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓
KKS 8410B2R	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓
LG31.660BR <b>NEW</b>			✓	✓	✓		
KKS 4520					✓		
LG31.752BR <b>NEW</b>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
LG 31.750	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
LG 31.750R	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
LG 31.750BR	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
SC 506			✓	✓	✓		✓
Afric Red	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓

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## Ultra-Short Season

LG 31.546BR

NEW



### Ultra-Short Season

High yielding high irrigation hybrid with excellent yield and standability.

## Short Season

LG 31.700BR

NEW



### Short season

High yielding yellow irrigation hybrid with excellent yield and standability.

LG 30.701BR

NEW



### Short season

High yielding yellow irrigation hybrid with excellent yield and standability.

LG 31.648BR



### Short season

High yield potential. Suited for irrigation and high potential dryland conditions. Quick dry-down, good standability with an average tolerance to diseases.

## Medium Season

KKS 4410

### Medium season

Excellent standability, good prolificacy, good disease tolerance.

KKS 4474R



### Medium season

Excellent standability, good prolificacy, good disease tolerance.

KKS 8408R



### Medium season

Excellent standability, good prolificacy, good disease tolerance. Best for silage (quality and quantity).

KKS 8410

### Medium season

Excellent standability, good prolificacy, good disease tolerance. Best for silage (quality and quantity).

KKS 8410B2



### Medium season

Excellent standability, good prolificacy, good disease tolerance. Best for silage (quality and quantity).

KKS 8410B2R



### Medium season

Excellent standability, good prolificacy, good disease tolerance. Best for silage (quality and quantity)

LG 31.660BR

NEW



### Medium season

Yellow hybrid for the eastern production regions. Excellent yield and standability with quick dry down.

LG 31.752BR

NEW



### Medium season

Yellow hybrid suited to all production regions. Excellent yield potential combined with excellent standability.

## Medium-Long Season

KKS 4520

### Medium-long season

Good prolificacy, good disease tolerance.

LG 31.750

### Medium-long season

Excellent grain yield, good disease tolerance, very good standability.

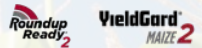
LG 31.750R



### Medium-long season

Excellent grain yield, good disease tolerance, very good standability.

LG 31.750BR



### Medium-long season

Excellent grain yield, good disease tolerance, very good standability.

Afric Red

### Medium-long season

Open pollinated.

Very prolific with good standability, performs across all yield potentials, widely adapted with good general disease tolerance. Suited to small scale farmers.

## Long Season

SC 506

### Long season

Excellent tolerance to heat and drought stress. A good silage variety in the growing regions listed. The variety has had success in the traditional grain markets especially in the mechanised maize areas.

# YELLOW MAIZE CHARACTERISTICS



	NEW LG 31.546BR	NEW LG31.700BR	NEW LG30.701BR	LG 31.648BR	KKS 4410	KKS 4474R	KKS 8410	KKS 8408R	KKS 8410B2	KKS 8410B2R	NEW LG31.660BR	KKS 4520	NEW LG31.752BR	LG 31.750	LG 31.750R	LG 31.750BR	SC 506	Afric Red Open pollinated
Standability	9	8	8	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	8	7
Prolificacy	1	1	1	7	7	7	8	8	8	8	6	7	7	5	5	5	2	6
Drying rate	8	8	8	9	7	8	7	7	7	7	6	6	5	5	5	5	4	6
Resistance to Common Rust	4	5	5	4	6	7	9	9	9	9	6	7	7	6	6	6	6	6
Resistance to Northern Corn Leaf Blight	5	6	6	4	6	7	9	9	9	9	6	7	7	6	6	6	8	6
Resistance to Ear Rot	8	8	8	6	6	8	9	9	9	9	8	7	8	6	6	6	8	6
Resistance to Grey Leaf Spot	4	4	4	4	5	6	7	7	7	7	3	6	3	5	5	5	5	5
▲ Number of days to 50% flower	55-63	54-74	54-74	54-74	62-80	62-80	65-83	65-83	65-83	65-83	65-83	67-89	67-89	66-85	66-85	66-85	68-87	65-80
▲ Number of days to physiological maturity	107-128	111-132	111-132	113-135	119-140	119-140	123-144	123-144	123-144	123-144	123-144	126-147	126-147	127-150	127-150	127-150	129-152	123-144
CRM	112	115	115	115	120	120	123	123	123	123	123	125	125	127	127	127	129	123

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# WHITE MAIZE CULTIVARS

**LG 31.747R**

**LG 31.747BR**

**LG 31.749BR**

**NEW**

**LG 31.751BR**

**NEW**

**LG 31.753BR**

**NEW**

**LG 31.743**

**LG 31.743B**

**LG 31.743R**

**SC 701**

**SC 719**

**SC 727**

**Afric 1**



**YieldGard<sup>®</sup>**  
**MAIZE 2**



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# WHITE MAIZE REGIONS

	Arid West	Water Tables West	Temperate East	Cool East	KwaZulu-Natal	Short season irrigation	Silage	Green mealie
LG 31.747R	✓	✓						
LG 31.747BR	✓	✓						
LG 31.749BR <b>NEW</b>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			
LG 31.751BR <b>NEW</b>	✓	✓						
LG 31.753BR <b>NEW</b>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			
LG 31.743	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			
LG 31.743B	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			
LG 31.743R	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			
SC 701 Green mealie							✓	✓
SC 719							✓	
SC 727							✓	
Afric 1 Open Polinated	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	

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## Medium Maturity

**LG 31.747R**



### Medium Maturity

Brand new! Exceptional yield potential, excellent standability, very prolific, good disease tolerance. Very stable.

**LG 31.747BR**



### Medium Maturity

Brand new! Exceptional yield potential, excellent standability, very prolific, good disease tolerance. Very stable.

**LG 31.749BR**

**NEW**



### Medium Maturity

Widely adapted white maize hybrid with good disease tolerance. A very prolific hybrid with excellent yield and standability.

**LG 31.751BR**

**NEW**



### Medium Maturity

A very prolific white hybrid with excellent yield and standability.

**LG 31.753BR**

**NEW**



### Medium Maturity

White hybrid adapted to all growing regions. Excellent agronomic characteristics.

**LG 31.743**

### Medium season

Excellent standability, good prolificacy, good disease tolerance, excellent grain quality.

**LG 31.743B**



### Medium season

Excellent standability, good prolificacy, good disease tolerance.

**LG 31.743R**



### Medium season

Excellent standability, good prolificacy, good disease tolerance, excellent grain quality.

## Medium-long season

**Afric 1**

### Medium-long season

Very prolific with good standability, performs across all yield potential levels, widely adapted with good general disease tolerance. Suited to small scale farmers.

## Late season

**SC 701 ( Green mealie)**

### Late season

The only "real" green mealie on the market. Excellent cob size, taste and braai characteristics. It can also be planted as a silage maize.

**SC 719**

### Late season

Consistently high yielder with a wide regional adaptation. First choice maize hybrid for silage with a high grain to chaff ratio.

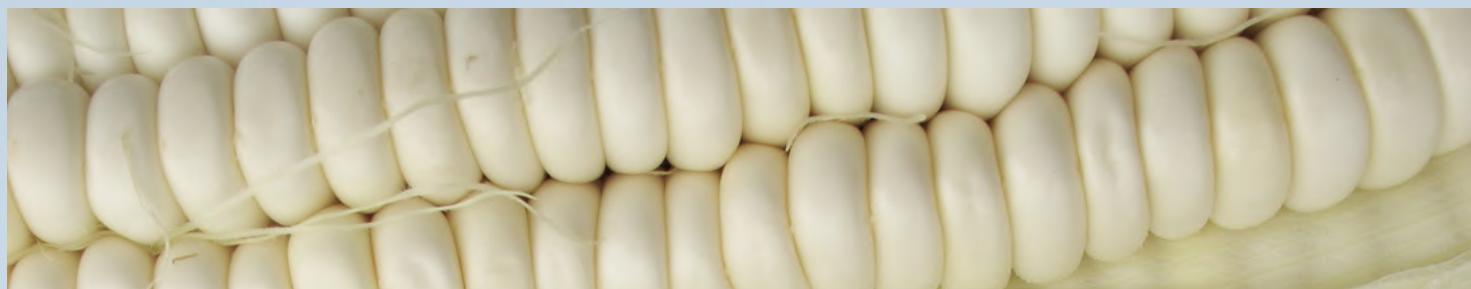
**SC 727**

### Late season

Highest yielding conventional hybrid in Africa, very long cob  $\geq 32$ cm with up to 900 kernels per cob and very white grain. Recommended for silage.

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# WHITE MAIZE CHARACTERISTICS



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NEW

NEW

	LG 31.747R	LG 31.747BR	LG 31.749BR	LG 31.751BR	LG 31.753BR	LG 31.743	LG 31.743B	LG 31.743R	SC 701 Green mealie	SC 719 Silage	SC 727 Silage	Afric 1 Open Pollinated
Standability	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	7	7	7	7
Prolificacy	9	9	9	9	8	6	6	6	6	7	7	7
Drying rate	8	8	5	5	7	8	8	8	3	4	4	6
Resistance to Common Rust	7	7	7	7	7	5	5	5	8	9	8	6
Resistance to Northern Corn Leaf Blight	7	7	7	8	6	6	6	6	8	9	8	6
Resistance to Ear Rot	7	7	6	6	6	8	8	8	5	9	8	6
Resistance to Grey Leaf Spot	7	7	8	8	8	4	4	4	5	9	9	5
▲ Number of days to 50% flower	55-70	55-70	55-70	57-72	55-70	60-75	60-75	60-75	67-88	70-88	75-90	65-80
▲ Number of days to physiological maturity	125-133	125-133	126-147	126-147	126-147	127-135	127-135	127-135	127-170	148-165	155-168	123-144
CRM	125	125	125	126	125	127	127	127	140	142	145	123

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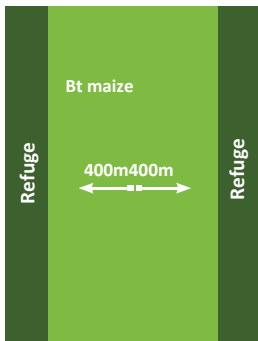
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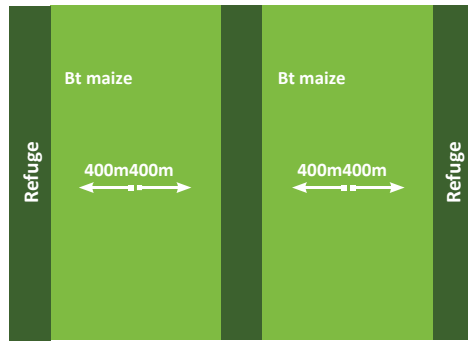


# REFUGE AREAS LAYOUT FOR YIELDGUARD® AND YIELDGUARD® MAIZE 2 MAIZE

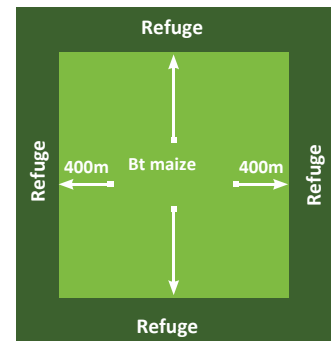
## BLOCK LAYOUT



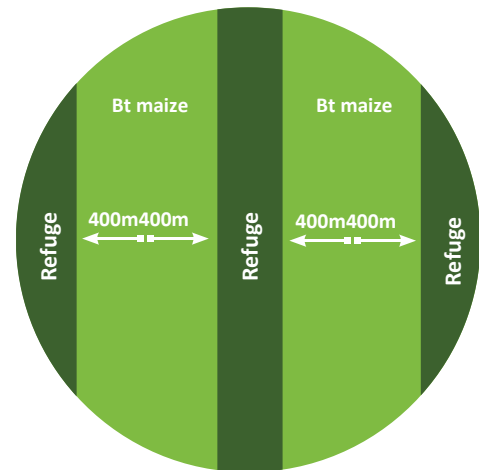
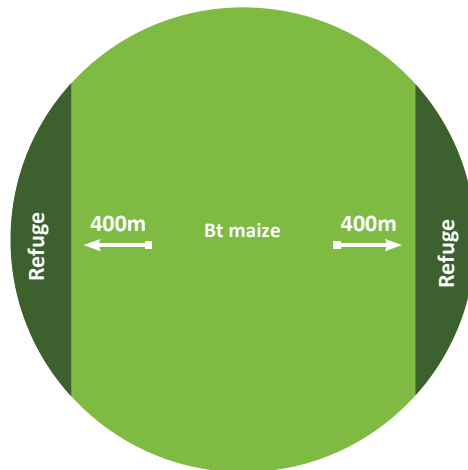
## STRIP LAYOUT



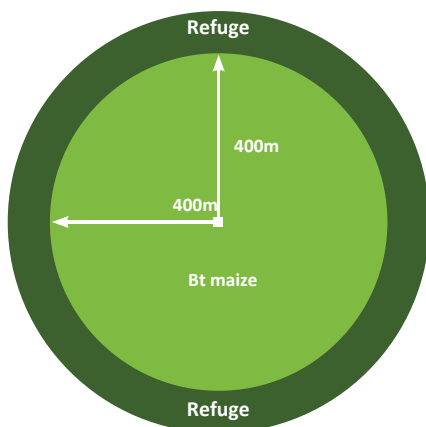
## PERIMETER LAYOUT



## PIVOT LAYOUT



## SURROUND LAYOUT

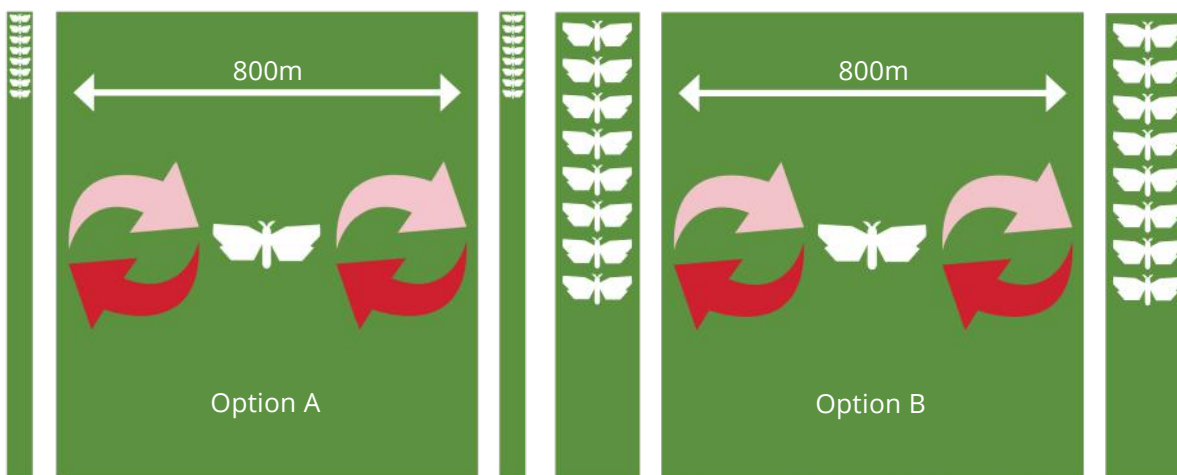


Size of pivot	Number of rows required for planting (5% refuge)							
	Radius (m)	Ha	0.60m	0.75m	0.91m	1.00m	1.20m	1.50m
178	10	8	6	6	6	6	6	6
252	20	11	9	7	6	6	6	6
309	30	13	10	9	8	7	6	6
357	40	15	12	10	9	8	6	6
*399	50	17	13	11	10	8	7	7
*437	60	18	15	12	11	9	7	7
*472	70	20	16	13	12	10	8	8
*505	80	21	17	14	13	11	9	9
*535	90	23	18	15	14	11	9	9
*564	100	24	19	16	14	12	10	10
*592	110	25	20	16	15	12	10	10
*618	120	26	21	17	16	13	10	10

\*User must also plant at least six rows in the centre of the pivot, in addition to the rows on the outside.

## REFUGE AREAS LAYOUT FOR YIELDGUARD® AND YIELDGUARD® MAIZE 2 MAIZE

### STEP 1: CHOOSE THE OPTION BEST SUITED TO YOUR CIRCUMSTANCES



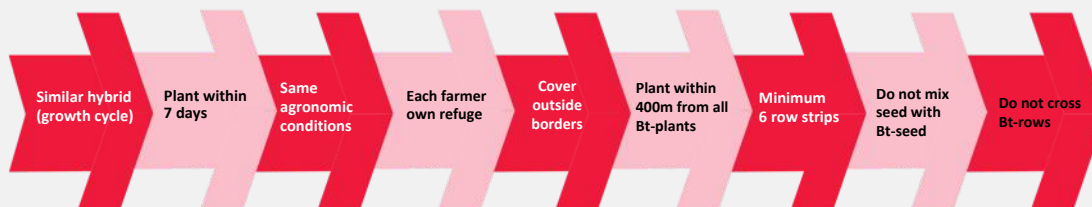
#### OPTION A

95% Bt, 5% non-Bt  
No chemical control of stalkborer in refuge

#### OPTION B

80% Bt, 20% non-Bt  
Chemical control of stalkborer allowed in refuge

### STEP 2: PLANT YOUR REFUGE ACCORDING TO THE OPTION CHOSEN AS FOLLOWS:



### STEP 3: MONITOR AND SCOUT FIELDS REGULARLY. CONTACT YOUR SEED REPRESENTATIVE IF MORE THAN 5% DAMAGE ON YIELDGARD 2 OR 10% DAMAGE ON YIELDGARD 1 IS DETECTED.

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# SOYBEAN CULTIVARS

LS 6240R

NS 5909R

LS 6146R

LG 60259R **NEW**

NS 5258R

LG 60260IPR

LS 6248R

LG 60261IPR

LS 6851R

LS 6161R

LS 6860R

LS 6164R

LS 6868R

NS 6448R



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## Short Growth Class

**LS 6240R**



### Short Growth Class

Excellent standability, adapted to wide and narrow rows, good pod height for an early variety, excellent yield potential.

**LS 6146R**



### Short Growth Class

Widely adapted with excellent yield ability, well adapted to cool and moderate areas, an indeterminate cultivar with excellent standability.

## Medium-Short Growing Class

**NS 5258R**



### Medium Short Class

Widely adaptable, excellent yield, well adapted to cool and moderate areas, good standability and pod height.

**LS 6248R**



### Medium-short Growth Class

Medium to early cultivar, widely adaptable, well adapted to cool and moderate areas, good standability and pod height.

## Medium Growth Class

**LS 6851R**



### Medium Growth Class

LGSA's best overall performer, widely adapted, excellent yield, a narrow leaf cultivar.

## Medium Long Growth Class

**LS 6860R**



### Medium-long Growth Class

Widely adapted with excellent yield, excellent pod height and standability.

**LS 6868R**



### Medium-long Growth Class

Widely adapted with excellent yield, excellent pod height and standability.

**NS 5909R**



### Medium-long Growth Class

Widely adaptable, excellent yield, well adapted to cool and moderate areas, good standability and pod height.

**LG 60259R**

NEW



### Medium Long Growth Class

Widely adaptable, excellent yield, well adapted to moderate to warm areas, good standability and pod height.

**LG 60260IPR**

INTACTA RR2 PRO<sup>®</sup>

### Medium Long Growth Class

Medium to late cultivar, widely adaptable, well adapted to cool and moderate areas, good standability and pod height.

**LG 60261IPR**

INTACTA RR2 PRO<sup>®</sup>

### Medium Long Growth Class

Medium to late cultivar, widely adaptable, well adapted to cool and moderate areas, good standability and pod height.

**LS 6161R**



### Medium Long Growth Class

The reliable one, a narrow leaf cultivar with excellent yield, standability and pod height. Cool to moderate areas.

**LS 6164R**



### Medium Long Growth Class

Excellent agronomic characteristics, very good pod height, more suited to moderate and warm regions.

**NS 6448R**



### Medium Long Growth Class



Widely adaptable, excellent yield, well adapted to cool and moderate areas, good standability and pod height.





# SOYBEAN MAP



-  **Cool regions**  
growth class 4/5
-  **Temperate regions**  
growth class 5/6
-  **Warm regions**  
growth class 6/7



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# SOYBEAN CHARACTERISTICS

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Characteristics	LS 6240R	LS 6146R	NS 5258R	LS 6248R	LS 6851R	NS 5909R	LG 60259R	LG 60260IPR	LG 60261IPR	LS 6161R	LS 6164R	LS 6860R	NS 6448R	LS 6868R
▲ Days to 50% flower	30-45	34-48	48-63	40-65	50-65	50-65	50-65	60-70	60-70	43-74	43-70	55-70	55-70	60-75
▲ Days to harvest	100-135	115-135	132-150	135-150	135-150	135-150	135-150	130-145	135-145	140-160	143-170	145-170	145-170	145-170
▲ Plant height (cm)	45-55	80-90	75-95	75-85	90-100	75-95	75-95	85-90	85-90	95-105	85-105	75-80	75-95	90-120
Pod height (cm)	10	8	6	10	8	10	10	9	9	10	10	9	9	9
Standability	9	9	9	9	9	9	8	8	9	9	9	9	9	9
▲▲ Resistance to shattering	8	9	8	9	9	9	9	9	9	8	9	9	9	9
Growth type	Determinate	Indeterminate	Indeterminate	Indeterminate	Determinate	Indeterminate	Indeterminate	Indeterminate	Indeterminate	Indeterminate	Indeterminate	Indeterminate	Indeterminate	Indeterminate
Growth class	4.2	4.6	4.8	4.8	5.5	5.9	5.9	6.0	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.2	6.4	6.8

9 = Excellent/Quick      1 = Poor/Slow

▲ Influenced by planting date and Heat Units during the season.

▲▲ Influenced by weather conditions and harvest rate.



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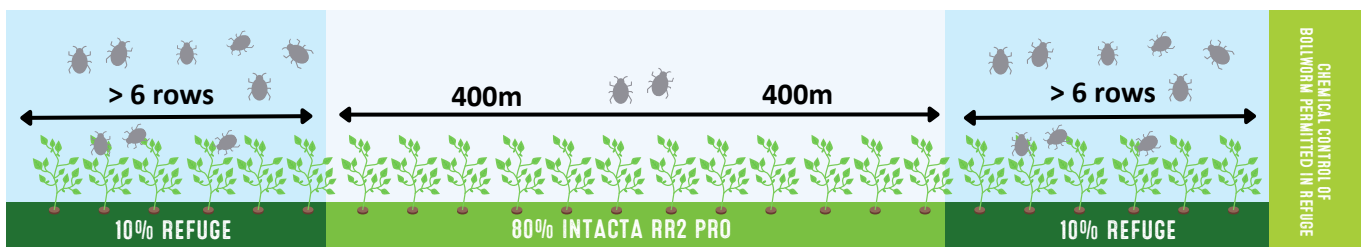
## STEP 1: CHOOSE THE OPTION BEST SUITED TO YOUR FARM:

Chemical control allowed if needed on the 20% refuge area only

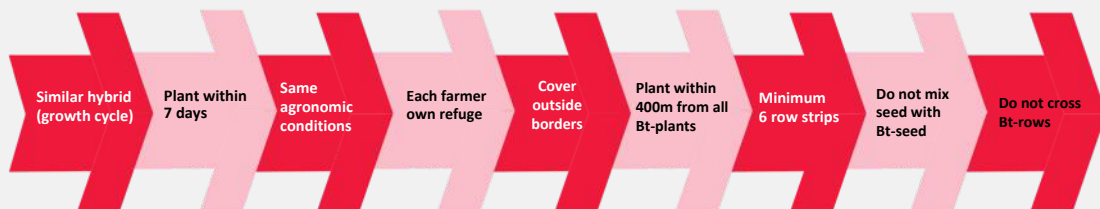
### Option 1A : field size under 400m



### Option 1B : field size over 400m



## STEP 2: PLANT YOUR REFUGE ACCORDING TO THE OPTION CHOSEN AS FOLLOWS:



## STEP 3: MONITOR AND SCOUT FIELDS REGULARLY. CONTACT YOUR SEED REPRESENTATIVE IF MORE THAN 6 BOLLWORM LARVAE OF 8MM AND BIGGER ACROSS 24 PLANTS ARE OBSERVED IN INTACTA RR2 PRO-FIELD.

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# SUNFLOWER CULTIVAR

## LG 50745

NEW

Medium-late

### LG 50745


NEW

**Medium-late**

High yielding, medium to late season,  
well adapted and good stability.



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# SUNFLOWER CHARACTERISTICS



Characteristics	LG 50745 <span style="background-color: #4CAF50; color: white; border-radius: 15px; padding: 2px 5px;">NEW</span>
Growing season	Medium-Late
Days to flower	64-67
Days to physiological maturity	120-125
Days to harvest	150-155
Yield potential	Excellent
Uniformity and stability	Good
Standability	Excellent
Plant height (cm)	150
Oil content	41-45%
Head position	Down
Downey mildew	Resistant
Phomopsis stem canker	Resistant
Common rust	Medium resistance
White blister rust	Resistant
Verticillium	Resistant



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## GRAIN SORGHUM

# MR Buster MR Taurus



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## Medium-short

### MR Buster

#### Medium-short season

A tough short plant, easy to harvest. Well adapted to most soil types. High yield potential.

### MR Taurus

#### Medium-short season

A tough medium height plant, easy to harvest. Well adapted to most soil types. High yield potential.

## GRAIN SORGHUM CHARACTERISTICS

Characteristics	MR Buster	MR Taurus
Plant height (cm)	100	120
Days to 50% flower	60-68	55-58
Days to physiological maturity	145-180	140-170
Growing period	Medium-short	Medium-short
Standability	9	9
Tillering	9	9
Grain colour	Red	Red
Tannin Level	Low (Semi-sweet)	Low (Semi-sweet)
Midge resistance	9	9

9 = Excellent/Quick 1 = Poor/Slow



# WHEAT CULTIVARS

LG Aficion **NEW**

LG Ancia **NEW**

LG Arroba **NEW**

Duzi

Koedoes


Renoster

Matlabas

Elands



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## Koedoes

Short season irrigation

Excellent yielding short season cultivar. Well adapted to both warm and cooler irrigation areas.

## Renoster

Short season irrigation

Very short straw length, with excellent yield potential.

## Duzi

Medium season irrigation

Duzi is a favourite among producers, as it has a medium growth period and consistently produces excellent yields.

## Matlabas

Summer Rainfall Dryland

Winter type cultivar. Outstanding, stable yield performance, high vernalization requirement. Planting date: Eastern Free State: 2nd week of May to 4th week in June.

## Elands

Summer Rainfall Dryland

Excellent stable yield. Planting date: Eastern Free State: 1st to 2nd week in August.

## LG Ancia

NEW

Short season Irrigation and Western Cape Winter rainfall.

Very short straw length, with excellent yield potential. Recommended for all irrigation areas and Western Cape dryland winter rainfall regions. Excellent standability.

## LG Aficion

NEW

Medium-Short season Irrigation and Western Cape Winter rainfall.

Excellent standability and yield potential. Recommended for all irrigation areas and Western Cape dryland winter rainfall regions.

## LG Arroba

NEW

Western Cape Winter rainfall.

Recommended for the high potential areas in the Southern Cape Rûens. Excellent yield and grain quality in recommended area.

# WHEAT CHARACTERISTICS

## SUMMER RAINFALL DRYLAND AND IRRIGATION



	NEW	NEW	Irrigation			Summer rainfall dryland	
	LG Ancia	LG Aficion	Duzi	Koedoes	Renoster	Matlabas	Elands
<b>Growth period</b>	Short	Medium-Short	Medium	Short	Short	Long	Medium
<b>Yield potential</b>	Very high	Very high	High	High	High	Medium to high	Medium to high
<b>Shattering resistance</b>	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good
<b>Grain quality</b>	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good
<b>Hectolitre mass</b>	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good	Excellent
<b>Straw strength</b>	Good	Excellent	Good	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Good
<b>Sprouting tolerance</b>	Tolerant	Moderate tolerance	Moderately resistant	Tolerant	Moderate tolerance	Tolerant	Tolerant
<b>Standability</b>	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
<b>Tillering capacity</b>	Good	Medium	Medium	Good	Good	Excellent	Excellent
<b>Sowing density</b>	100 - 130 kg/ha	80 - 105 kg/ha	90 - 125 kg/ha	100 - 130 kg/ha	90 - 125 kg/ha	25 - 60 kg/ha	25 - 60 kg/ha
<b>Stem rust</b>	Moderately susceptible	Moderately susceptible	Susceptible	Moderately susceptible	Susceptible	Susceptible	Moderately resistant
<b>Leaf rust</b>	Moderately susceptible	Moderately susceptible	Susceptible	Susceptible	Susceptible	Moderately resistant	Moderately susceptible
<b>Stripe rust</b>	Moderately susceptible	Moderately susceptible	Resistant	Susceptible	Moderately susceptible	Susceptible	Moderately susceptible
<b>RWASA1</b>						Resistant	Moderately Resistant
<b>RWASA2</b>						Susceptible	Susceptible
<b>RWASA3</b>						Susceptible	Susceptible
<b>RWASA4</b>						Susceptible	Susceptible



# WHEAT CHARACTERISTICS

## WESTERN CAPE WINTER RAINFALL DRYLAND



### Western Cape Winter rainfall dryland

	LG Ancia <span>NEW</span>	LG Aficion <span>NEW</span>	LG Arroba <span>NEW</span>
Growth period	Short	Medium-Short	Medium-Short
Yield potential	Very high	Very high	Very high
Shattering resistance	Good	Good	Good
Grain quality	Good	Good	Good
Hectolitre mass	Good	Good	Good
Straw strength	Good	Good	Good
Sprouting tolerance	Tolerant	Moderate tolerance	Moderate tolerance
Standability	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
Tillering capacity	Good	Medium	Medium
Sowing density	100 - 130 kg/ha	80 - 105 kg/ha	100 - 130 kg/ha
Stem rust	Moderately susceptible	Moderately susceptible	Moderately susceptible
Leaf rust	Moderately susceptible	Moderately susceptible	Moderately susceptible
Stripe rust	Moderately susceptible	Moderately susceptible	Moderately susceptible



# A-Z OF PASTURES

## SUMMER PASTURES - ANNUAL FORAGE CROPS

Crop	Variety	Planting time	***Seeding Rate Kg/Ha	Uses
<b>Forage Sorghum</b> Common Sorghum x Sudan	Sentop Plus	Oct – Jan	<b>**Dryland:</b> 12,5 – 25 kg/ha <b>Irrigation:</b> 25 – 37,5 kg/ha	Grazing, Green chop
<b>Forage Sorghum</b> Sweet Sorghum x Sweet Sorghum	Sugargraze	Oct – Jan	<b>**Dryland:</b> 2 – 8 kg/ha <b>Irrigation:</b> 8 – 10 kg/ha	Silage, Foggage
<b>Pennisetum</b> Ultra-late flowering hybrid	Nutrifeed	Nov – Jan	<b>**Dryland:</b> 3 – 8 kg/ha <b>Irrigation:</b> 8 – 15 kg/ha	Grazing, Green chop
<b>Pennisetum</b> Common	Babala	Oct – Jan	<b>**Dryland:</b> 12,5 – 25 kg/ha <b>Irrigation:</b> 25 – 37,5 kg/ha	Grazing, Green chop
<b>Teff</b>	SA Bruin, T007	Oct – Jan	<b>**Dryland:</b> 15 – 25 kg/ha <b>Irrigation:</b> 25 kg/ha	Hay, Grazing (T007)
<b>Cowpea</b>	<b>Semi-creeper:</b> Glenda <b>Creoper:</b> Bets White <b>Upright grower:</b> Dr Saunders	Oct – Jan	<b>**Dryland:</b> 25 kg/ha <b>Irrigation:</b> 25 – 37,5 kg/ha	Grazing, Hay
<b>Dolichos Bean</b>	<b>Creoper:</b> Rongai (white flower) <b>Semi-creoper:</b> Highworth (purple flower)	Oct – Jan	<b>**Dryland:</b> 25 kg/ha <b>Irrigation:</b> 25 – 37,5 kg/ha	Grazing, Hay
<b>Cover Crop Components</b>	Buckwheat	Annual flowering crop	Mainly part of customised cover crop blends.	
	Sunn Hemp	Annual legume	Mainly part of customised cover crop blends.	

## SUMMER PASTURES - PERENNIAL FORAGE CROPS

Crop	Variety	Planting Time	***Seeding Rate Kg/Ha	Uses
<b>Blue Buffalo</b>	Molopo, Gayndah	Oct – Feb	<b>#Dryland:</b> 4 – 6 kg/ha uncoated seed, 8 – 12 kg/ha coated seed <b>Irrigation:</b> 6 – 8 kg/ha uncoated seed, 12 – 16 kg/ha coated seed	Grazing, Hay, Foggage
<b>Bottle Brush grass</b>	Wollie	Oct – Feb	<b>#Dryland:</b> 4 – 8 kg/ha uncoated seed, 8 – 16 kg/ha coated seed <b>Irrigation:</b> Not recommended under irrigation	Grazing, Foggage
<b>Eragrostis curvula</b>	Ermelo, PUK E436	Oct – Mrt	<b>#Dryland:</b> 4 – 6 kg/ha uncoated seed <b>Irrigation:</b> 6 – 12 kg/ha uncoated seed	Grazing, Hay, Foggage (PUK E436)
<b>Rhodes grass</b>	Katambora	Oct – Feb	<b>#Dryland:</b> 4 – 6 kg/ha uncoated seed, 8 – 12 kg/ha coated seed <b>Irrigation:</b> 6 – 12 kg/ha uncoated seed, 12 – 16 kg/ha coated seed	Grazing, Hay, Foggage
<b>Smuts finger</b>	Irene	Oct – Feb	<b>#Dryland:</b> 4 – 6 kg/ha uncoated seed, 8 – 12 kg/ha coated seed <b>Irrigation:</b> 6 – 12 kg/ha uncoated seed, 12 – 16 kg/ha coated seed	Grazing, Hay, Foggage
<b>White Buffalo grass</b>	Gatton	Oct – Feb	<b>#Dryland:</b> 4 – 6 kg/ha uncoated seed, <b>Irrigation:</b> 6 – 12 kg/ha uncoated seed	Grazing, Hay, Foggage
<b>Lucerne</b> Moderately winter dormant	Aurora (Dormancy 6), SA Standard (Dormancy 6), SA Select (Dormancy 7), SR 7* (Dormancy 7), WL 458 HQ* (Dormancy 7) (HQ = High Quality)	Mar – May	<b>##Dryland:</b> 8 – 20 kg/ha <b>Irrigation:</b> 20 – 25 kg/ha	Hay, Grazing
<b>Lucerne</b> Non-winter dormant	WL 525 HQ (Dormancy 8) (HQ = High Quality)	Mar – May	<b>Irrigation:</b> 20 – 25 kg/ha	Hay
<b>Lucerne</b> Highly winter active	KKS 9612* (Dormancy 9), WL 711 WF (Dormancy 10), WL 1111* (Dormancy 11)	Mar – May	<b>Irrigation:</b> 20 – 25 kg/ha	Hay
<b>Other</b>	Bermuda, Kikuyu	Perennial grass	Turf grass or pasture.	

\* Experimental – Variety submitted for registration on National Variety List.

\*\* Dryland seeding rate subject to 400 – 600 mm summer rainfall (each crop has a minimum requirement).

\*\*\* Seeding rates area specific.

# Dryland seeding rate subject to 250 – 650 mm summer rainfall (each crop has a minimum requirement).

## Dryland seeding rate subject to 400 – 600 mm effectively distributed rain.





# A-Z OF PASTURES

## WINTER PASTURES - ANNUAL FORAGE CROPS

<b>Ryegrass</b> Italian	Knight, Itaka* (diploid), Elvis*, Sezina* (tetraploid)	Mar – May Spring planting can be successful if the right variety is planted in the right area.	<b>Irrigation:</b>	Tetraploid: 25 – 37,5 kg/ha Diploid: 25 kg/ha	Grazing
<b>Ryegrass</b> Westerwold	Gapfiller (tetraploid), Green Gap* (diploid)	Mar – May	<b>Irrigation:</b>	Tetraploid: 25 – 37,5 kg/ha Diploid: 25 kg/ha	Grazing
Westerwold Intermediate	Bandito 2 (tetraploid)				
<b>Oats</b> Winter Type	KKS H40	Feb – Apr	<b>**Dryland:</b> <b>Irrigation:</b>	25 – 50 kg/ha 50 – 75 kg/ha	Grazing
<b>Oats</b> Intermediate Type	SSH 423	Feb – Apr Aug – Sep	<b>**Dryland:</b> <b>Irrigation:</b>	25 – 75 kg/ha 75 – 100 kg/ha	Grazing
<b>Oats</b> Spring Type	Simonsberg, Kompasberg, Horsepower, Saddle*, Rushmore*, Saia (black oats)	Feb – Apr Aug – Sep	<b>**Dryland:</b> <b>Irrigation:</b>	25 – 75 kg/ha 75 – 100 kg/ha	Grazing, Hay, Silage
<b>Rye</b> Spring Type	AFG R1,	Mar – May	<b>**Dryland:</b> <b>Irrigation:</b>	25 – 75 kg/ha 75 – 100 kg/ha	Grazing, Hay, Silage
<b>Stooling rye</b> Winter Type	NCD Grazer	Mar – May	<b>**Dryland:</b> <b>Irrigation:</b>	25 – 50 kg/ha 50 – 100 kg/ha	Grazing, Hay, Silage
<b>Japanese radish</b> (Tubers and leaves)	Nooitgedacht	Cool areas: Dec – Feb Warm areas: Feb – Mar	<b>**Dryland:</b> <b>Irrigation:</b>	3 – 5 kg/ha 5 – 8 kg/ha	Grazing
<b>Cover Crop Components</b>	Vetch, Lupin, Forage Pea	Annual legumes	Mainly part of customised cover crop blends.		
	Turnip, Tiller Radish, Forage Rape (leaves), Mustard	Annual broadleaves	Mainly part of customised cover crop blends.		

## WINTER PASTURES - PERENNIAL FORAGE CROPS

Crop	Variety	Planting Time	***Seeding Rate Kg/Ha		Uses
<b>Cocksfoot</b>	Captur*	Mar – May	<b>#Dryland:</b> <b>Irrigation:</b>	8 – 12,5 kg/ha 12,5 – 25 kg/ha	Grazing
<b>Tall fescue</b> (Continental)	Tower*	Mar – May	<b>Irrigation:</b>	25 – 37,5 kg/ha	Grazing
<b>Perennial Ryegrass</b>	Delika, Goyave*, Trooper, Ansa (all diploids)	Mar – May	<b>Irrigation:</b>	25 kg/ha	Grazing
<b>Lolium type Festulolium</b>	Rockstar*	Mar – May	<b>Irrigation:</b>	25 – 37.5 kg/ha	Grazing
<b>Other</b>	Red clover White clover Chicory, Plantain	Perennial legumes and herbs	Components in pasture blends		

\* Experimental – Variety submitted for registration on National Variety List.

\*\* Dryland seeding rate subject to 200 – 400 mm autumn-/winter rainfall (each crop has a minimum requirement).

\*\*\* Seeding rates area specific.

# Dryland seeding rate subject to 600 – 1000 mm well distributed rain (each crop has a minimum requirement).






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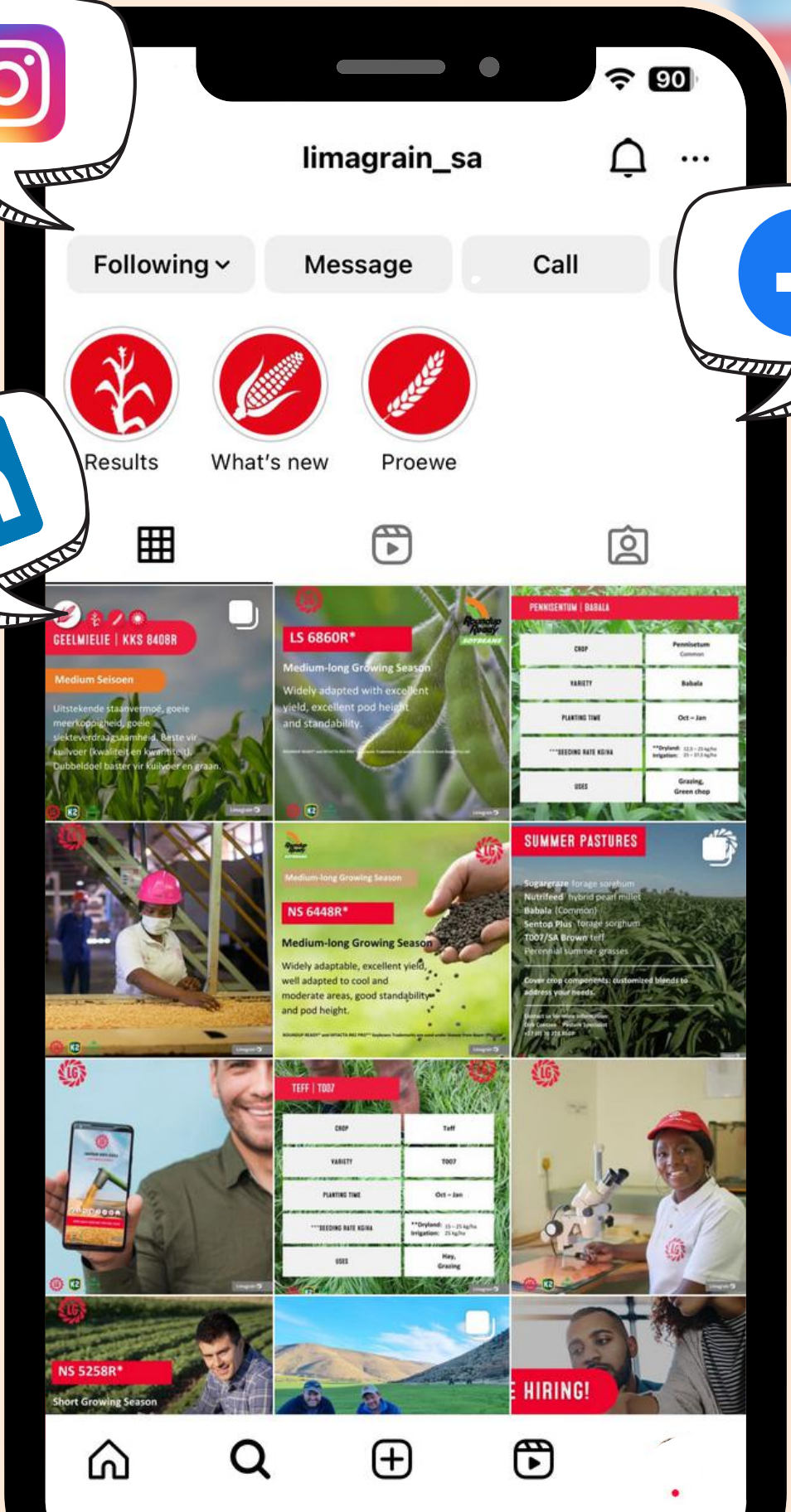
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CRDP	Perkidentum Common
VARIETY	Babala
PLANTING TIME	Oct - Jan
***SEEDING RATE KG/HA	**Dryland: 12.5 - 25 kg/ha Irrigation: 25 - 37.5 kg/ha
USES	Grating, Green chop



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PLANTING TIME	Oct - Jan
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