# **SAPHIR**

GRAIN FORAGE BMR HYBRID MONOCUTTING SILAGE MID LATE, 115-120 DAYS









BENEFITS

HIGH ALIMENTARY VALUES AND DIGESTIBILITY

BMR CHARACTER AND SUDAN MONOCUTTING TYPE

**GOOD DROUGHT TOLERANCE** 

# **DENTITY CARD**

### **YIELD COMPONENTS**

- 106,35% of average DM yield (yield DM average = 13,97 T/Ha)

  Source: 15 R&D Lidea European trials
- Green mass yield = 53,00 T/Ha

### **MORPHOLOGICAL CRITERIAS**

- Panicle: open
- Color: brown
- Height: tall
- Vegetative development: good
- Texture: 25% vitreous 75% farinaceous

# **CULTURE TIPS**

### • Recommended density / environnement:

- Stressed: 180 to 200 thsd kernels / ha
- Favorable: 200 to 220 thsd kernels / ha
- Irrigated: 220 thsd kernels / ha
- Distance between row: 50 to 75 cm
- Seeding depth: 2 to 4 cm
- Soil temperature need: > 10-12°C





## **ALIMENTARY VALUE**

**Ø** Starch content: **5,9%** 

**Ø** Sugar soluble: 24,6%

**⊘** Digestibility (OM): 63,5%

**UFL:** 110,5%

100% feed unit for milk production/kg of DM = 1700 kcal



## **FEED USES**

DAIRY COWS (>35 KG MILK/ DAY)	DAIRY COWS (≈25 KG MILK/ DAY)	HEIFERS	FATENNING YOUNG BULLS	CHEEP/ GOAT	BIOGAS







# **AGRONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS**



CLIMATE PROFILE						
Hot and dry	Medium stress	No stress	Cool and wet			
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# **MULTIPLE USES**

SAPHIR is also adapted for bioethanol and spirit.



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