

Tifleaf III



HYBRID PEARL MILLET



- ✂ Dwarf type hybrid with yield potential of 3-6 DM tons
- ✂ Widely adapted to many diverse geographic regions
- ✂ No prussic acid concerns

Tifleaf III is a compact hybrid 5' height which can produce 3-6 ton/acre DM yields. It's great for grazing and forage. Boot stage maturity is 60 days. When grazing leave 6-8" of growth. Keep it grazed low enough so you don't see any heads and it will produce all summer long. Tifleaf III has good tolerance to many pathogens and high humidity. Tifleaf III, with its short plant stature, means that the forage produced is virtually all leaves. This high leaf mass assures Tifleaf III will have good protein and high TDN values. While Hybrid Pearl Millet is a great forage and grazing product, sorghum sudangrass hybrids yield better and have more sugar.

AGRONOMIC TRAITS

Height:	40-45"
Maturity:	55-60 Days to Boot
Regrowth:	Excellent
Plant Type:	Juicy Sweet
Photoperiod Sensitive:	No
Min./Max. pH:	6.0-7.5
Downy Mildew:	Resistant
Anthrachnose:	Resistant
Leaf Spot:	Resistant
Leaf Rust:	Resistant
Sugar Cane Aphid:	Tolerant

CROP USE INFORMATION

Ease of Establishment:	Good
Double Cropping:	Excellent
Dryland / Irrigated:	Excellent on both
Min. / Max. pH:	6.0 - 7.5
Hay / Baleage Yield Potential:	3-6 DM Ton/Acre
Silage:	Good
Rotational Grazing:	Start at 15"-18". Leave 6"-9" stubble.
Continuous Grazing:	Excellent
Cover Crop:	Excellent
Digestibility:	Good TDN %
Palatability:	Sweet & leafy
Fertilizer:	1-1¼ Lbs N per growing day/acre

SEEDING RATES

Seeds Per Pound:	50,000
Soil Temperature:	65°F
Seeding Depth:	1"-1.5"

Seeding Method	Harvest Stage	Dryland Lbs./Acre	Irrigated Lbs./Acre	Dryland Seed/Acre	Irrigated Seed/Acre
Drilled	Boot	10-12	12-14	500,000-600,000	600,000-700,000*
Broadcast	Boot	15-17	17-19	750,000-850,000	850,000-950,000

HARVEST

First Cutting:	40-50 Days
Second Cutting:	20-25 Days
Third Cutting:	15-20 Days

- Tifleaf III is harvested between 40-45 inches
- Cut 6-8 inches above ground level for best regrowth
- Cutting in the boot or pre-boot stage ensures a higher quality of feed and better regrowth
- Following a freeze, extreme drought, or fertilizer application followed by stress. See our guide for how to manage Nitrates.