

Capricorn

RHODES GRASS Chloris gayana



Seeding Ratekg/haDryland5-6High Rainfall/Irrigation6-12

Seed Treatment Goldstrike XLR8®

Description

Late maturing subtropical forage Rhodes grass

Market Segment/Target

Beef, dairy and hay production

Features

Later maturing than Katambora Finer stems Vigourous regrowth from grazing and cutting for hay

Benefits

Highly palatable for grazing Quicker drying for hay cutting due to finer stems Good salt tolerance

Range

Low Bloat™ N Super N Fixer™ N XtraLeaf® N

SEED AGRONOMY TABLE

Maturity N Hard Seed Level (description) N Waterlogging Tolerance N

STRENGTHS

Capricorn Rhodes Grass is a perennial, summer growing, diploid grass that is a fine leaf Katambora type with a superb stem to leaf ratio.

PASTURE TYPE AND USE

With its aggressive growth habits, Capricorn is a highly stoloniferous variety selected for high quality forage and hay production as well as amenity, revegetation and soil conservation purposes.

WHERE IT GROWS

Rainfall: 500 millimetres+.

Soils: A salt tolerant variety, Capricorn is a broadly adapted variety performing in varying soil textures and fertility including infertile sands and loams.

Temperature: Capricorn is drought tolerant and is moderately tolerant to frosts.

