

RGT MATÉ

High winter production



- > Improved establishment
- > Greater first year yields
- > Improved persistence for better stand longevity
- > More feed when it is needed most
- > Improved survival with summer active forages

Suited to All Livestock
Types, Silage and Hay



Early-Mid
Maturity



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RGT Maté is a highly winter active phalaris bred in Argentina with excellent autumn to spring forage production

HIGH WINTER PRODUCTION

RGT Maté is about 2 weeks earlier flowering than Holdfast making it better suited to the 450–600mm mixed farming zone. It can also be sown in mixes with Landmaster or Australian for use in 600–700mm higher rainfall zone.

It can be sown as the sole perennial grass with sub clover, or in a mix with summer active cocksfoot varieties for all year round feed. It is also suited to sowing at 0.5–1kg/ha with lucerne.

RGT Maté is the fastest phalaris in establishment giving it an advantage over other varieties in beating weed competition..

SOWING RATE

Sole grass with clovers & herbs	3-4kg/ha
Pasture mixes	1-2kg/ha

The technical data in this document comes from test carried out by RAGT. The results obtained may vary according to agronomic and climatic conditions, as well as cultivation techniques. The technical data provided is for information purposes only and does not bind RAGT contractually.

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TRIAL RESULTS

FORAGE EBV'S COMPARED TO INDUSTRY STANDARDS*

VARIETY	CRESSY '13		CASTERTON '21		WANGARATTA '11		STOCKINGBINGAL '13		BLAYNEY '12		MEAN		NO SITES
	YIELD	%CNTR	YIELD	%CNTR	YIELD	%CNTR	YIELD	%CNTR	YIELD	%CNTR	YIELD	%CNTR	
RGT Maté	4,281	106	4,615	108	7,148	109	7,230	105	5,907	102	5,836	106	5
Holdfast GT	4,092	101	4,672	109	7,057	107	7,185	104	5,639	97	5,729	104	5
Advanced AT	4,067	101	4,415	103	7,486	114	6,667	97	5,841	101	5,695	103	5
Landmaster	4,065	100	4,560	106	7,277	111	6,650	97	5,738	99	5,658	103	5
Lawson	3,682	91	4,618	108	6,881	105	7,130	104	5,925	102	5,647	102	5
Atlas PG	3,836	95	4,467	104	7,124	108	6,798	99	5,708	98	5,587	101	5
Holdfast	4,046	100	4,292	100	6,568	100	6,888	100	5,799	100	5,519	100	5
Fosterville	3,729	92	4,141	96	5,434	83	6,538	95	5,456	94	5,060	92	5
Australian II			4,058	95	5,637	86	7,049	102	5,662	98	5,602	95	4
Sirosa	3,723	92	4,821	112	7,190	109			5,862	101		104	4
Australian			4,091	95					5,471	94		95	3
Maru	3,952	98	3,893	91					5,728	99		96	3
Confederate					6,581	100	7,526	109				105	2
PA13(10)							6,637	96				96	1

*Total and relative yields of phalaris at 5 independent trials run by MLA. The information above has been sourced from the MLA/PTN website.

The Pasture Trials Network (PTN) provides rigorous, independent, and free performance data on grazing forage varieties across temperate Australia, enabling livestock and dairy producers and their advisors to select the best pasture seed varieties for sowing. The PTN program is funded through partnerships with Meat and Livestock Australia (MLA), Dairy Australia, the Australian Seed Federation (ASF), and leading proprietary seed companies. Its core aim is to enhance the productivity of Australia's national temperate feedbase.



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