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## Fowler Seed Marketing

Serving Your Seed Needs Since 1995!

## **FSM Brand Cow Candy II BMR**

**FSM Brand Cow Candy II BMR** is a semi-compact, extremely sweet, type 12, brown midrib sorghum-sudan hybrid that produces excellent yields of highly digestible, high energy summer forage.

## Agronomic & Performance Characteristics

Maturity: 92 days from sowing (heading);

cut or graze forage at 45-60 days (1 ton dry matter per foot)

5'-7' tall, excellent standability BMR family: Type 12

Regrowth: Extremely rapid, profuse tillering, Development: Non-GMO variety

non-photo sensitive Seeding Rate: 35-50#/acre



## **Forage Analysis** DM Yield: NE lactation: %ADF: %NDF: %Crude Protein: 1st harvest (40-45 days): 2.7 .79 32.5 50.5 20.60 2nd harvest (+35 days): .77 33.0 51.0 18.00 3rd harvest (+35 days): 2.7 .75 34.0 53.0 15.60

Forage Yield: 18-25 tons @ 65% moisture

**FSM Brand Cow Candy II BMR** offers superior forage digestibility, drought and disease tolerance, excellent standability and very high leaf retention at harvest! **Cow Candy II BMR** is widely adaptable to most soils and once established should produce acceptable yields requiring one-third the amount of water needed by corn. **Cow Candy II BMR** has performed well hot, dry as well as cool, wet summers in Ohio. Seed alone or with Barkant turnips, T-Raptor or red clover, to increase forage protein levels. **Cow Candy II** should be drilled or broadcast into a firm seed bed once the soil temperature remains at or above 65 degrees, generally May 25 through August 1st. **Cow Candy II** can be mechanically harvested in either one large cutting, preferably just before head emergence; or in multiple cuttings, beginning at 40-50 days and continuing at 30-45 day intervals. It can generally be safely grazed once plants have reached 24 inches in height; however, caution should be used during periods of stress to avoid nitrate poisoning, especially after large applications of nitrogen fertilizer. Harvest **Cow Candy II** completely before frost to minimize the potential for prussic acid formation. If frosted, allow to completely ensile (6-9 weeks) before feeding. Do not feed to horses.

**FSM Brand Cow Candy II BMR** will benefit from **Myco-Seed Treat** inoculation before planting at a rate of 4oz per 50# of seed.

Use our **BioEnhanced Summer Annual Fertility Program** to supply balanced nutrition throughout the growing season, including, essential calcium, phosphorus, and potassium.

Untreated **FSM Brand Cow Candy II** is available, always confirm acceptability for organic production with your certifying organization.

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