

Kenland

Cultivar characteristics



BOTANICAL NAME		<i>Trifolium pratense</i>
TYPE		Temperate Legume
PRODUCTION PERIOD		Perennial, short lived, 2-3 years
MORPHOLOGICAL DESCRIPTION		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Herbaceous, erect, 0.50 m – 0.75 m tall • Strong, deep, extensive branched taproot • Flowers rose, purple or magenta • Seed kidney-shaped; yellow, brown or purple; 2 – 3 mm long; 600 000 seeds/kg
CROP	Strengths:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adapted to a wide range of climatic conditions & highly productive • Easy to establish & can be grown in a short-term pasture mix • Tolerates shading and high temperatures • Reduces soil erosion and surface water pollution
	Feeding value:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Crude protein: 16 – 20 % DM • Digestibility: 65 – 70 %
	Production potential:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dry matter production: 4 - 18 t/ha/annum.
	Uses:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Forage, hay and silage & soil conservation
	Soil requirements:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Well-drained fertile soils of moderate to heavy textures • pH range of 5.5 – 7.0
	Establishment:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plant during March – May; September – Middle October • Seeding rate of 5 kg/ha

*Variety submitted for registration (where indicated). The photo in this document only indicates the kind and not the specific variety. Technical variety information provided in this document is applicable to climatic conditions in RSA. For final cultivar recommendations in your area contact your area representative.

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