



**SF Rouse** is a midseason to late flowerng cultivar. It is a replacement for Gosse and Napier with a flowering time between them but superior field performance (ssp. yanninicum).

# Improved forage yields and regeneration

SF Rouse has higher forage yield, especially in autumn/ winter, higher seed yields and higher seedling regeneration densities than Gosse. It also has higher resistance to both Races 1 and 2 of clover scorch disease and to leaf rust than Gosse.

SF Rouse is well adapted to moderately acidic (pH CaCl<sub>2</sub> 4.5-6.5) soils prone to waterlogging and 550-900 mm annual rainfall and where the growing season extends to mid-late November.

### **FEATURES**

Sub species yanninicum (cream seeded)	High seed yields			
Mid-late flowering	Moderate hard seed levels			

### **BENEFITS**

- Tolerant of water-logging
- Well suited to flood irrigated hay production
- · Higher seedling regeneration in years 2 and beyond
- Higher autumn/winter yields from more plants
- Produces more feed in high rainfall zone
- Will re-seed in early season finishes
- Protects against seedling losses with false breaks

## **SOWING RATES**

Sole species 5-10kg/ha Pasture mixes 2-5kg/ha

Suited to all livestock types, silage and hay



Mid-late Maturity



Rainfall 550 - 900 Australian Release >2017



#### FORAGE EBV'S COMPARED TO INDUSTRY STANDARDS\*

VARIETY	AUT/ WINT YIELD %	TOTAL YIELD %	PHYTHOPHTHORA DAMAGE*		LEAF RUST*	CLOVER SCORCH	SEED YIELD	HARD SEEDEDNESS	DAYS TO FLOWERING
			RACE 1	RACE 2	%	IMPACT# %	%	%	PERTH
SF Rouse	128	111	0	1.8	0.5	11	132	24	131
Gosse	100	100	no data		2.5	12	100	16	128
Riverina	72	93	0	0.3	1.0	35	106	24	122
Trikkala	97	98	0	3.1	2.5	24	103	14	117
Monti	100	93	no data		3.5	no data	112	22	115
Napier	68	118	0	1.4	0.5	40	132	42	140

<sup>\*</sup>forage and seed yields are relative to control variety Gosse = 100



susceptibility values based on 0 = very resistant, 10 = very susceptible

<sup>#</sup> impact is % cotyledon damage to germinating plants

Yield and seed yield data from trials at Mt Barker and Manjimup, WA and Echuca and Koroit VIC