



Zulu II

Arrowleaf clover

Legumes & Herbs

Stock Type

Dairy, Sheep, Beef

Zulu II annual clover is a high energy legume for finishing animals or making silage from early spring through into summer. Where managed to reseed and regenerate, it also shows great potential to get nitrogen into hill country pastures.

Yield + quality

Zulu II can transform low-yielding dry paddocks into palatable, productive pastures growing over 10 t DM/ha, with highest growth rates through spring and early summer. Feed value is excellent, with less risk of bloat than other annual clovers.

System fit

Sow *Zulu II* in autumn as a finishing crop, or as a persistent legume in hill country pasture where it is allowed to set seed in summer, to germinate in the subsequent autumns. It has a high level of hard seed which persists in the soil for many years. *Zulu II* also partners well with spring sown chicory, feeding nitrogen into this summer crop.

Management

If sown with chicory, graze the crop according to best practice for the chicory. For persistence in hill country *Zulu II* must be managed carefully to allow reseeding in the first year. Typically these paddocks should not be grazed during flowering. After seed set, remove plant residues in late summer to open up the pasture and promote better seedling regeneration in autumn. *Zulu II* tolerates moderately acidic soils. Sow treated seed.

Sowing Zulu II

Dairy		kg/ha
Chicory/annual clover crop	501 Chicory	8
	Zulu II arrowleaf clover	8
	Total	16
Sheep, Beef, Deer		kg/ha
8-10 month pure clover sward (manage to reseed & build soil N)	Zulu II arrowleaf clover	10
Hill country oversow mix	Redefine cocksfoot	8
	Ruru white clover	2
	Apex white clover	2
	Sub clover	6
	Zulu II arrowleaf clover	4
	Total	22



High-yielding Zulu II tastes great and yields well, with excellent feed value.