

Panorama Millet (*Setaria italica*)

Panorama Millet is a type of Foxtail Millet. It is a taller, quick maturing Millet, producing 50% more than other Foxtail varieties. Primarily used for bird seed production. Adapted to a range of soil types. Panorama Millet requires 500 mm+ rainfall.

Advantages

- some tolerance to leaf and head blast
- non-shattering heads
- some tolerance of salinity
- outcompetes weeds

Limitations

- intolerant of waterlogging
- susceptible to some pests and diseases
- can become a weed in following crops

Seeding rate

6 – 10 kg/ha

Rainfall

500 mm+

Planting

Preferring soft clay soil types, Panorama is non-shattering and moderately resistant to leaf and head blast.

General fertilisation guide

Applications of 25-35 kg nitrogen are advised for grain crops. Excessive nitrogen may induce lodging.

Growing management

Can be affected by kernel smut.

Production

Averages varying based on soil type and region with average yields between 0.7-1.7 t/ha.

