

# Es MARCO









**Looking for big yields?**

**Want 2 true cobs?**

**Need a variety that's drought tolerant?**

**YOU NEED Es MARCO:**

-  **Very successfully grown under plastic for 7 years**
-  **Increased yield from 2nd mature cob**
-  **Proven tolerance to drought**
-  **Can be used for forage or left for crimping**
-  **Also suitable for Biogas production**
-  **Excellent standing power and Eyespot resistance**



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## BIG YIELDS - POTENTIAL 2 MATURE COBS

### Cob Ripeness



Very good cob ripeness for its maturity group. Potential to produce a second cob with mature grains on 70% of sites with average of an extra 208 grains on the second cob.

Cob ripening days after Picker + 10

### Maturity Group



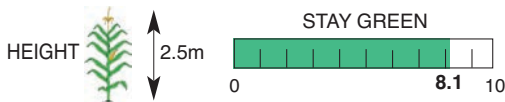
Due to very good cob ripeness, Marco reaches true maturity quicker than others in its maturity group. Shows very good level of maturity when grown under plastic.

### Quality & Digestibility



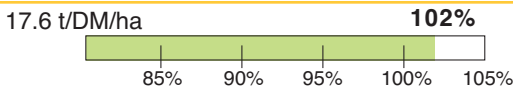
Good yield of 195,000 Mj/ha and very high starch yield. Potential to significantly increase starch and grain yields with the formation of a second cob. Typically +3% starch.

### Plant Description



Tall plant with erect leaves. Two mature cobs. Plant dry down helps plant reach maturity ensuring good levels of dry matter are clamped.

### Yield



Sow at 42,500 to 45,000 seeds per acre (105,000 to 111,000 seeds/ha) in good seedbed conditions to help increase the incidence of true double cobbing. Proven tolerance to summer drought on sands and gravel. Performs exceptionally well under plastic, top starch yielding variety in MGA trials.