



**CÓNDOR  
PERENNIAL  
BROME GRASS**



## 1 Characteristics

### **VARIETY**

Selected for persistence under grazing.

### **GERMPLASM**

Local origin, collections from the Pampas area of proven persistence in our environments.

### **DIFFERENTIAL FEATURE**

Very high persistence genotype. Outstanding summer production. Its establishment is slower than that of annual brome grasses, allowing it to be better associated with species of slower establishment (e.g. alfalfa).

### **STRUCTURE**

Semi-erect plant, ideal for combining with legumes. Very high density of tillers.

### **GROWTH CURVE**

Autumn-winter-spring cycle with good summer production under favorable weather conditions.

### **CYCLE TO FLOWERING**

Late-cycle cultivar, with low re-growth percentage, facilitating the control of flowering.

### **ESTIMATED LIFETIME**

3-4 years associated with other species, depending on the management.

### **ESTIMATED PERSISTENCE**

3-4 years, depending on the agronomic management.

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### ZONE OF ADAPTATION

Productive areas of our country.

### SEEDING RATE

- As main component or in interseeding, 25-30 kg/ha.
- In alfalfa-based associations, 5-10 kg/ha.

### FERTILIZATION

It adapts to 10-12-ppm phosphorus levels but is highly demanding of nitrogenous fertilizer-based nutrition.

### TECHNICAL APPROACH

- **Short rotation pastures:** Base species in mixes with Vulcano red clover, Goliath white clover, Panther chicory, La Esmeralda Lotus tenuis.
- **Companion crop in alfalfa-based mixes:** It is a very interesting companion crop for alfalfas with dormancy (Nobel 620, 6400 or 720), providing extra production during winter.

### PRODUCTION SEGMENT

Systems with intermediate to high animal requirements. As a companion crop for long-term pasture companion.

### USE

Fattening, complete cycle, dairy farming.

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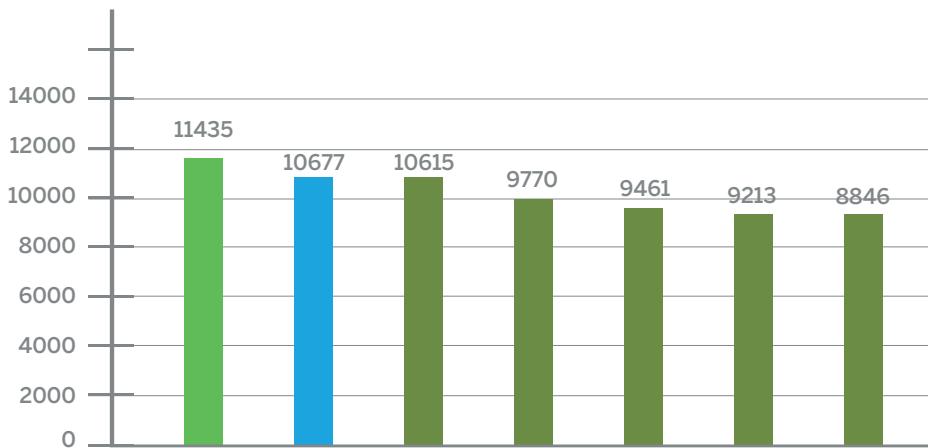
## Production

Total and summer production superior to other brome grasses.

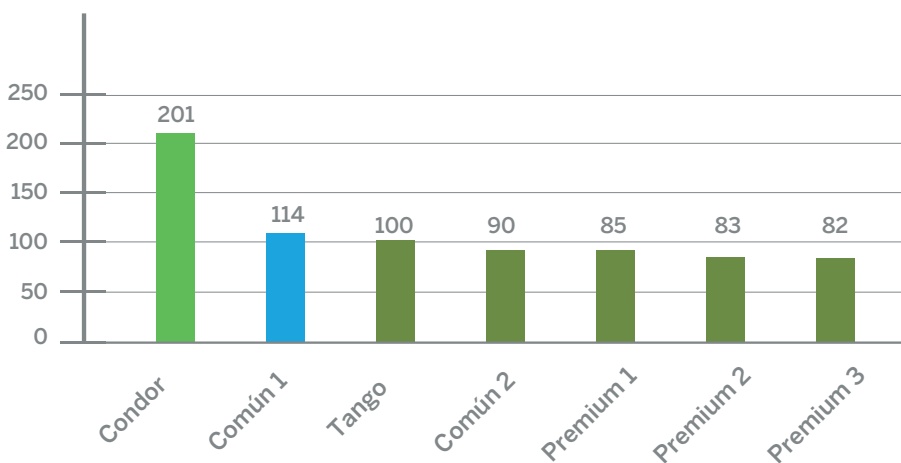
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### Cumulative production (2 years).



### Summer production rate (average=100).



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Outstanding persistence (Pergamino,  
Buenos Aires).

SPRING

Control 1

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SUMMER

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