Popany Vetch

*Vicia benghalensis / Vicia Atropurpurea*

Popany vetch is a late maturing purple vetch, used commonly in cover crops, green manuring, hay/silage or forage situations. It produces a black seed with white helium and has a dark purple pendulous flower. Popany is grown widely in mid to high rainfall areas, and is well suited to a range of soil types. It has a semi erect growth habit and forms a dense canopy, producing far greater dry matter than vicia sativa varieties. Popany is resistant to rust.

- Purple pendulous flowers
- Outstanding dry matter potential
- Best option for cover crop and green manure
- Resistant to rust

**Seed agronomy table**

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<td>Maturity</td>
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<td>Pod shatter</td>
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<td>Flower colour</td>
<td>Pendulous reddish purple with black tips</td>
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<td>Min Rainfall</td>
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Hard Seededness: Low
Seeding Rate: Kg/Ha
Dryland pure: 30-45
Dryland mix: 10-25

Enterprises this seed is being used for

Sheep
Beef Cattle
Horse
Hay & Silage

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