

Puna II

Chicory



Puna II is a New Zealand bred broad-leaved, perennial forage herb bred from true perennial chicory parents. Puna II chicory has high nutritional quality, producing high yields from spring to late autumn. Extensive animal data has been generated on chicory. Grazing evaluations and trials have confirmed Grasslands Puna II chicory's high dry matter production, improved regrowth after grazing and improved persistence.



Key Features

- **High Dry Matter Production**
- **True Perennial Chicory**
- **Multi-Graze Option w/ Quick Recovery**
- **Semi-Erect for better utilization**
- **Good Winter Activity**
- **Drought Tolerant**

Puna II chicory is cool season dormant, but with high growth rates over spring, summer and autumn. Chicory should be rotationally grazed for best performance and persistence. Hard grazing, particularly in wet conditions, may cause damage to the crown and can affect production and persistence.

Chicory combines well with most grasses and clovers and can be added to a pasture mix at 1-2 lbs/acre. Chicory stands are established at 4-6 lbs/acre, or with white and/or red clovers at 3-4 lbs/acre.