

Flex

Spring Forage Pea



Plant Statistics

Key Attributes:

- White flowered for better palatability and digestibility
- Exceptional forage growth

Yield:

- ~29.88 wet tons per acre

Growth Habit:

- Normal leaf pea

Maturity:

- Late flowering like winter pea

Plant Height:

- 3 feet

Seed Type:

- 2,929 seed per pound
- Seedling vigor more like spring pea



Variety	Seed Size Seed / lb	Flower Color	Forage Yield Wet tons / acre
<i>Flex</i>	2,929	<i>White</i>	29.88
<i>Nutrigreen</i>	2,679	<i>white</i>	25.85
<i>Magnus</i>	1,948	<i>colored</i>	22.26
<i>Journey</i>	2,454	<i>white</i>	19.15

We at ProGene Plant Research were excited to find such a unique and versatile pea like Flex in our breeding program. The unique mix of both spring and winter pea characteristics in Flex makes it particularly attractive for all three of the important markets for a high biomass yielding pea.

The late flowering of Flex, similar to a winter pea, allows it to match up with the maturity of an oat or triticale in a blend better than any other spring forage pea. Flex's white flowered characteristic brings better palatability and digestibility when compared to a colored flowered pea. Late flowering and white flowers mean better quality. Flex's stooling capability comes from its winter pea parent, and along with smaller seed size can lower seeding rate and cost per acre. Now add in high forage yield and we have a great spring forage pea.

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