

KEY BENEFITS

- ▶ Our largest statured and most robust hybrid
- ▶ Exceptional heat and drought tolerance
- ▶ Similar genetics to our 23X16 with better GLS

HYBRID OVERVIEW

24X18 combines the robust genetics of 23X16 and 24P17. This "beast" of a hybrid is designed to thrive in tough conditions, offering exceptional heat and drought tolerance. Its towering stature and full canopy make it ideal for silage production, especially in regions like California and Arizona. With its ability to withstand harsh conditions, 24X18 is a top choice for growers seeking maximum tonnage.

PERFORMANCE ATTRIBUTES

Productive Soil	9
Marginal Soil	9
Drought Tolerance	9
Yield	9
Plant Health	6
Green Snap	4
Drydown	6
Plant Population	24-32k
Primary Use	Dual Purpose

PRODUCT IMAGES



Nebraska Test Plot - Fall 2024

Placement Recommendations

Across the South in all soil types as both irrigated and dryland.

Agronomic Tips

Boasts strong roots but has moderate stalk strength. To maximize yield potential and ensure stability, adjust planting populations accordingly. Its high ear placement requires careful management to avoid brittleness and greensnap, especially in windy conditions.

Growing Regions

• AZ, FL, PA, ID, CO, UT, MO, MD, VA, DE, OK, TX, AR, LA, MS, AL, GA, FL, SC, NC, TN, KY, NM, CA

Market & Usage

Primarily a silage hybrid with exceptional tonnage potential. Its robust plant structure and high ear placement make it a standout choice for full-season silage production in both irrigated and dryland settings.

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Silking	1465
Black Layer	2840
Ear Type	Semi-Flex
Plant Height	Very Tall
Test Weight	Very Good
Corn On Corn	Fair
Early Plant Vigor	Good
Root Rating	Very Good
Stalk Rating	Average
Goss Wilt	Excellent
Gray Leaf Spot	Good
Northern Leaf Blight	Good
Stalk Anthracnose	Good
Maturity	118



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Harvest Management Tips

Due to its height and exposure, prioritize early harvest to maintain stalk integrity. Avoid leaving it in the field too long post-maturity to prevent late-season stalk health issues.

