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# **THAI GOLD BABY CORN**



## **NEW BABY CORN VARIETY FOR THE FRESH MARKET**

- Excellent uniform yellow colour cobs
- Early maturing
- Excellent grade-out
- Suitable for fresh market pre pack and processing
- Very high yielding

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Type	Baby corn variety for fresh market pre pack and processing.
Maturity	Early maturing approximately 45 - 47 days after planting. This will vary by as much as 10 days between winter and summer plantings. For accurate planning heat units should be monitored.
Plant Characteristics	Plants are very uniform, reaching a height of 2.10m, with ears positioned 140 cm above the ground.
Ear Characteristics	THAI GOLD has very high quality tender ears with excellent colour. Ears are extremely uniform that results in a very high pack out percentage.
Plant Population	Under marginal conditions a plant population of 60000 – 80000 plants/ha are planted to attain the required results. Under optimal conditions (well managed fields with adequate watering) a plant population of 55 000 plants are seen as ideal.
Climate Requirements	Baby corn can be grown under a range of climatic conditions. These conditions can vary from moderate, cool climates to more subtropical regions. It is important to note that even distribution of heat units is a key requirement for optimal production of corn.
Growing Guidelines	<p>The following program can be used as a nutrient guideline: (please note that all nutrients should be banned placed and a soil analysis should be taken into account)</p> <p>Total Requirement: (pure element)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• N - 80 kg/ha</li> <li>• P - 45 kg/ha</li> <li>• K - 45 kg/ha (if the final crop residue is to be fully removed from the land)</li> <li>• K - 25 kg/ha (if the final crop residue is ploughed back into the soil )</li> </ul> <p>Preplant:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• N - 45 kg/ha</li> <li>• P - 45 kg/ha</li> <li>• K - 45 kg/ha</li> </ul> <p>At week 3-4:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• N - 35 kg/ha</li> </ul>
Features and Benefits	THAI GOLD offers the baby corn grower the opportunity to supply various markets with produce of the highest quality. The variety stands out on uniformity, quality and has some of the highest yields.

\* Submitted for registration on the national variety list.

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