

1. PaDIL Species Factsheet



Scientific Name:

Sorghum sp --

(Magnoliophyta: Liliopsida: Cyperales: Poaceae)

Common Name

Sweet sudan grass

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2. Species Information

2.1. Details

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2.2. URL

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2.3. Facets

Fruit appendages: Sharp tip, Pedicel, Rachis

Fruit colour: Orange, Yellow

Fruit length: 3-4mm, 5-7mm

Fruit shape: Oval

Reliability: High

Seed colour: Reddish-brown

Seed length: 2.1-4mm

Seed sculpture: Roughened, Spikelet with awn

Seed shape: Ovoid

2.4. Diagnostic Notes

****Pictured:**** Spikelet and seed

****Description:****

Spikelet Appendages: Rachis and pedicel segment attached with sharp tip

Spikelet Colour: Orange, Yellow

Spikelet Length: 3 - 4mm, 5 - 7mm

Spikelet shape: Oval

Seed Colour: Reddish brown

Seed Length: 2 - 4mm

Seed Sculpture: Roughened

Seed Shape: Ovoid

Caryopsis exposed between gaping lemma and palea at maturity

3. Diagnostic Images



Australian \$2 Coin with seeds
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Seed Project
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