



# AU GRAZER®

## SERICEA LESPEDEZA

### Anti-Parasitic

For years, sericea lespedeza has been a staple in erosion control, land reclamation, and soil-building projects. Its' copious foliage covers road banks, conservation acreage, and recovered strip mines across the southeastern United States. Because it thrives on marginal soils and tolerates drought, Sericea has offered tantalizing prospects for a low-cost forage crop.

With the release of the *AU Grazer*®, sericea lespedeza became a contender in the warm season perennial forage category. It's leafiness makes it unique to common lespedeza and offers livestock producers a true forage option.

As its name implies, *AU Grazer*® was bred to withstand rigorous grazing. In successive rounds of plant selection, various areas that included many types of sericea lespedeza were subjected to extreme grazing and frequent mowing. Specimens were stressed to a point where only the hardiest endured. It's tough!

#### At A Glance

- A perennial legume sought after for its anti-parasitic impacts on small ruminants.
- Withstands heavy grazing
- Drought tolerance
- Tolerates variable soils
- Deep root structure

#### Planting Instructions

- Broadcast and cultipack into a prepared seedbed. Ensure the soil is firm before seeding. Can be drilled if kept shallow. Plant when soils are 55 degrees and rising.

**Seeding rate -**  
20-25lbs/A

**Planting depth (in) -**  
Soil surface to 0.25"

**Harvest height (in) -**  
24-36"

**Target residual height for regrowth (in)-** 4 - 6"

Southeast  
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