



SCS1018™ brand

AQUAmax

RELATIVE MATURITY: 101 Days

KEY FEATURES:

- 101 RM replacement for SCS 1017™ with 10+ bu/acre yield advantage
- Outstanding drought tolerance: Designated Optimum® AQUAmax® brand
- Excellent grain quality: food grade potential
- Exceptional plant health and staygreen

AVAILABLE TRAITS

SCS1018AMXT AMXT/LL/RR2

SCS888 Conventional

SCS10RR18 RR2

SCS1018AM AM/LL/RR2

Agronomics

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| GDU Silk | 1280 |
| GDU Maturity | 2410 |
| Emergence / Vigor | 6 |
| Stalk Strength | 6 |
| Root Strength | 8 |
| Drought Tolernace | 9 |
| Plant Height | M |
| Ear Height | M |
| Staygreen | 5 |
| Late Season Intactness | 6 |

Suggested Use

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| Grain | HR |
| Silage | R |
| High Moisture | HR |

Disease

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|-----------------------|---|
| Anthracnose Stalk Rot | - |
| Diplodia Ear Rot | - |
| Fusarium Ear Rot | 4 |
| Giberella Ear Rot | 5 |
| Goss's Wilt | 7 |
| Gray Leaf Spot | 5 |
| Northern Leaf Blight | 6 |
| Rust | - |
| Southern Leaf Blight | - |

Ear and Grain

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|-------------|------|
| Test Weight | 7 |
| Ear Flex | SEMI |
| Husk Cover | 6 |
| Drydown | - |

Crop Management

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| Seeding Rate | H |
| Nitrogen Application | 2 |
| Corn After Corn | 7 |
| Less Productive Soils | HR |
| Moderately Productive Soils | HR |
| Highly Productive Soils | R |
| Fungicide Response | M |

Silage

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| Silage Yield | 8 |
| Silage Quality | 8 |
| Fiber Digestibility | - |
| Starch | 7 |
| Crude Protein | 7 |
| IVTD | 8 |



AGRONOMIC RATINGS KEY:

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| 9 – Best | T – Tall |
| 1 – Worst | H - High |
| S – Short | -- Not Rated |
| M – Medium | |

EAR TYPE:

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| Flex – Flex Ear |
| Det – Determinant |
| Semi – Semi-Flex |

SOIL TYPE:

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| X – Recommended |
| Blank – Not Recommended |

NITROGEN CLASSIFICATION:

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| Category 1 Hybrids - | flower early for maturity, flourish in a weed and feed program; derive less benefit from side dress applications of N; do relatively well at moderate N rates. |
| Category 3 Hybrids - | flower somewhat later; longer grain fill; take up N over a longer period; and derive the most benefit from side dress applications of N as well as higher N rates |
| Category 2 Hybrids - | are somewhere in between |

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AM - Optimum® AcreMax® Insect Protection system with YGCB, HX1, LL, RR2. Contains a single-bag integrated refuge solution for above-ground insects.

AMX - Optimum® AcreMax® Xtra Insect Protection system with YGCB, HXX, LL, RR2. Contains a single-bag integrated refuge solution for above- and below-ground insects.

AMXT (Optimum® AcreMax® XTreme) - Contains a single-bag integrated refuge solution for above- and below-ground insects. The major component contains the Agrisure® RW trait, the YieldGard® Corn Borer gene, and the Herculex® XTRA genes.

In EPA-designated cotton growing countries, a 20% separate corn borer refuge must be planted with Optimum AcreMax, Optimum AcreMax Xtra and Optimum AcreMax XTreme products.

YGCB, HX1, LL, RR2 (Optimum® Intrasect®) - Contains a Bt trait and Herculex® I gene for resistance to corn borer.

Product performance in water-limited environments is variable and depends on many factors such as the severity and timing of moisture deficiency, heat stress, soil type, management practices and environmental stress as well as disease and pest pressures. All hybrids may exhibit reduced yield under water and heat stress. Individual results may vary.

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