



The KingFisher® Commitment

For more than two decades, our families at Byron Seeds and King's AgriSeeds have worked closely with farming systems that work with nature. We believe in keeping the land fertile and crops flourishing with strong crop rotation, cover crops and double cropping. With our understanding of agronomic principles and with further experimentation, yield, soil health, beneficial insects including pollinators, and water quality can always be enhanced. KingFisher® has always been, and will always be, non-GMO.

At Byron and King's AgriSeeds, we have continued to share what we know ... **farmers helping farmers**. That's the KingFisher® commitment.

The KingFisher® Partnership

Byron Seeds and King's AgriSeeds, two of the major premium forage companies in the industry, are now combining efforts to share research, varieties, crop management strategies, and worldwide seed-sourcing so that we can provide the best opportunities and benefits to the livestock farming industry. It seems only natural that the two industry leaders who share similar values and history should work together to expand and extend our shared vision and basic business model.

KingFisher® is poised to be the leader of premium livestock and cover crop seed in the industry. The KingFisher® brand is owned and managed by committed agriculturists, supported by a web of over 400 dealers networking, sharing, and learning from each other to raise the bar for livestock agriculture and cover-cropping. Our ultimate goal is to improve the level of sustainability and productivity of our agricultural community.

The KingFisher® Corn Program

We are eager to share the exciting ideas and plans we have for our new KingFisher® Corn Program. Our corn hybrids are developed intentionally with non-GMO genetics. We'll have ten KingFisher® corn varieties available in limited supply in 2018 and we are testing many more for future releases. All are selected with an emphasis on high energy and digestibility without sacrificing yield. And all are available exclusively through Byron Seeds and King's AgriSeeds dealers under the KingFisher® premium brand.

Now It's Your Turn

We need farmer feedback. You can play an important part in assessing varieties and helping us advance new hybrids. Your input is important to us and we hope that, through your involvement with the KingFisher® brand, your experience will be enriched as well.

Farmers helping farmers ... our shared KingFisher® commitment!

Samuel S. Fisher

Founder and CEO Byron Seeds **Tim Fritz**President and CEO
King's AgriSeeds



Conventional & Organic

KF 35C10

Conventional

85 Day RM

Big plant, high yielding, good stay green, dual-purpose grain or silage hybrid, good corn-on-corn option

- Excellent in Medium Soils
- Great Seedling Vigor
- Great High Population Tolerance
- Great Drought Tolerance

Recommended Pop 30-34K
Good stay green for wide harvest window
Workhorse suited for most rotations
Good for continuous corn rotation

Seedling Vigor	8
Plant Height	
Ear Height	Medium - High
Ear Flex	
Cob Color	Pink
Stalk	8
Root	8
Stay Green	6
Dry Down	

Test Weight7	
Gray Leaf Spot Tolerance8	
Northern Leaf Blight Tolerance 7	
Goss's Wilt Tolerance5	
FiberGest Rating7	
SofStarch Rating7	
Milk per Ton 8	
Milk per Acre8	

KF 42C20

Organic

92 Day RM

High yield with flex ears and impressive grain quality, outstanding silage hybrid for quantity and quality

- Excellent Seedling Vigor
- Excellent Drought Tolerance
- Excellent Ear Flex
- Excellent Milk per Acre
- Great Milk per Ton

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Recommended Pop 26-30K High yielding grain potential Best performance when kept in maturity zone Good agronomics

Seedling Vigor	9
Plant Height	Medium - Tal
Ear Height	Medium - High
Ear Flex	9
Cob Color	Pink
Stalk	7
Root	
Stay Green	7
Drv Down	

Test Weight	7
Gray Leaf Spot Tolerance	7
Northern Leaf Blight Tolerance.	7
Goss's Wilt Tolerance	5
FiberGest Rating	8
SofStarch Rating	7
Milk per Ton	8
Milk per Acre	8

KF 43C40

Conventional

93 Day RM

Very high yielding grain potential, showy canopy closes quickly, dualpurpose grain or silage plant, flex ears, good corn-on-corn option

- Excellent Northern Leaf Blight Tolerance
- Great SofStarch Rating
- Great FiberGest Rating
- Great Milk per Acre

Recommended Pop 28-32K
First rate agronomic and disease package
Quick canopy closer
Excellent heat and drought tolerance
Dual-purpose silage and grain

Seedling Vigor	
Plant Height	Medium - Tal
Ear Height	Mediun
Ear Flex	
Cob Color	Pin
Stalk	
Root	
Stay Green	
Dry Down	

Test Weight	.7
Gray Leaf Spot Tolerance	.8
Northern Leaf Blight Tolerance	.9
Goss's Wilt Tolerance	.7
FiberGest Rating	.8
SofStarch Rating	.8
Milk per Ton	.8
Milk per Acre	

KF 49C60

Conventional

99 Day RM

Medium to higher placed flex ears, showy healthy plant, strong adaptation west to east

- Great Drought Tolerance
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- Great SofStarch Rating
- Very Good FiberGest Rating
- Great Milk per Acre

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Recommended Pop 26-30K Excellent seed emergence and vigor Consistent yield with top end potential Excellent eye appeal

Seedling Vigor	8
Plant Height	Medium - Tal
Ear Height	Medium
Ear Flex	7
Cob Color	Lt. Red
Stalk	7
Root	7
Stay Green	5
Dry Down	

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Gray Leaf Spot Tolerance	.8
Northern Leaf Blight Tolerance	.6
Goss's Wilt Tolerance	.6
FiberGest Rating	.7
SofStarch Rating	.8
Milk per Ton	.8
Milk per Acre	.8

Conventional & Organic

KF 52C20

Conventional

102 Day RM

High yielding potential, good stay green, very heat and stress tolerant, dual-purpose grain or silage hybrid, big plant, white cob with medium low flex ears

- Excellent SofStarch Rating
- Excellent Milk per Ton
- Excellent FiberGest Rating
- Excellent Milk per Acre

Recommended Pop 26-30K Strong agronomics and stay green

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Tall
Medium
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Ton9
Acre9
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KF 53C60 Conventional

103 Day RM

Multi year outstanding nutritional and milk per acre ratings, strong standability, excellent silage producer, good stay green, grows well across mult. regions

- Excellent FiberGest Rating
- Excellent Milk per Ton
- Great Sofstarch Rating
- Excellent Milk per Acre

Recommended Pop 28-32K Excellent Milk per ton/acre Good regional movement across regions and soils **Medium Tall plant**

Seeding Vigor	8
Plant Height	
Ear Height	Medium
Ear Flex	7
Cob Color	Pink
Stalk	9
Root	9
Stay Green	8
Drv Down	7

Test Weight7
Gray Leaf Spot Tolerance8
Northern Corn Leaf Blight
Tolerance8
Goss's Wilt Tolerance7
NDFD 30 hr. FiberGest9
IVSD 7 Sofstarch8
Milk per Ton9
Milk per Acre9

KF 52C60

Organic

102 Day RM

Full flex, wide leaves for quick canopy, very good stalk and roots, best in a legume rotation

- Excellent SofStarch Rating
- Great Milk per Acre
- Excellent Hand Husking
- Excellent Drought Tolerance

Recommended Pop 26-30K Very good stalks and roots Wide thick leaves - Fast canopy **Great FiberGest & SofStarch Rating** Keep on better soils – better management

Seedling Vigor	8
Plant Height	
Ear Height	
Ear Flex	
Cob Color	White
Stalk	8
Root	8
Stay Green	6
Drv Down	

Test Weight	.4
Gray Leaf Spot Tolerance	. 7
Northern Leaf Blight Tolerance	. 7
Goss's Wilt Tolerance	.6
FiberGest Rating	.8
SofStarch Rating	.9
Milk per Ton	. 8
Milk per Acre	. 7
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KF 55C20

Conventional

105 Day RM

Exceptional stay green and late-season intactness, large girthy ears with deep kernels, excellent fall eye appeal

- Great Goss's Wilt Tolerance
- Great High Population Tolerance
- Excellent Continuous Corn
- Excellent Milk per Acre

Recommended Pop 26-30K Very good test weight and dry down Excellent fall appearance and eye appeal Impressive stalk and root strength

Seedling Vigor	8
Plant Height	
Ear Height	Medium
Ear Flex	8
Cob Color	Red
Stalk	8
Root	8
Stay Green	8
Dry Down	

Test Weight	7
Gray Leaf Spot Tolerance	8
Northern Leaf Blight Tolerance .	8
Goss's Wilt Tolerance	8
FiberGest Rating	7
SofStarch Rating	7
Milk per Ton	8
Milk per Acre	

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Conventional & Organic

KF 56C30

Organic

106 Day RM

Excellent emergence, great seedling vigor, very good disease package, stress and drought tolerant, semi flex ears

- Great Drought Tolerance
- Excellent Root Rating
- Excellent Stalk Rating
- Great Milk per Acre

Recommended Pop 30-34K

Excellent emergence and great seedling vigor Selected for wide range management practices Very good disease package and solid agronomics Good dual purpose, leans more toward grain

Seedling Vigor	8
Plant Height	Medium - Tall
Ear Height	Medium - High
Ear Flex	7
Cob Color	Pink
Stalk	9
Root	9
Stay Green	8
Dry Down	6

Test Weight	ó
Gray Leaf Spot Tolerance	3
Northern Leaf Blight Tolerance 7	7
Goss's Wilt Tolerance	7
FiberGest Rating	7
SofStarch Rating	7
Milk per Ton	7
Milk per Acre	3

KF 58C80

Conventional

108 Day RM

Quick canopy closer, strong stalks and roots with flexible ears, stress tolerant, very good overall plant health

- Excellent Fungicide Response
- Great SofStarch Rating
- Great FiberGest Rating
- Great Milk per Ton

Recommended Pop 26-30K Marginal to better soils Quick canopy closer

Excellent emergence and seedling vigor

Good stress tolerance

Seedling Vigor	
Plant Height	
Ear Height	
Ear Flex	
Cob Color	Pinl
Stalk	6
Root	
Stay Green	
Dry Down	

Test Weight	5
Gray Leaf Spot Tolerance	6
Northern Leaf Blight Tolerance	6
Goss's Wilt Tolerance	5
FiberGest Rating	8
SofStarch Rating	8
Milk per Ton	8
Milk per Acre	8

KF 61C40

Conventional/Organic 111 Day RM

Strong standability and stay green, moderate ear placement, natural corn borer tolerance, excellent Goss's Wilt tolerance

- Excellent Continuous Corn
- Excellent Milk per Ton
- Excellent Goss's Wilt Tolerance
- Excellent Milk per Acre

Recommended Pop 30-34K
Excellent tolerance GLS, NCLB, GW
Great choice for marginal soil
Very good natural corn borer tolerance
Excellent late season plant health

Seedling Vigor	8
Plant Height	Medium - Tall
Ear Height	Medium - High
Ear Flex	7
Cob Color	Red
Stalk	8
Root	7
Stay Green	9
Drv Down	6

Test Weight	7
Gray Leaf Spot Tolerance	8
Northern Leaf Blight Tolerance.	8
Goss's Wilt Tolerance	9
FiberGest Rating	8
SofStarch Rating	8
Milk per Ton	9
Milk per Acre	9

KF 63C10

Conventional

113 Day RM

High silage producer, both quantity and quality, good ear length and flex, deep kernels, excellent disease package (Goss's and GLS), drought and heat tolerant

- Great FiberGest Rating
- Excellent Milk per Ton

Excellent Milk per Acre

Recommended Pop 26-30K
Versatile hybrid that covers all soil types
Proven silage hybrid with very good quality
Wide harvest window
Excellent disease package

Seedling Vigor	8
Plant Height	Medium - Tall
Ear Height	Medium - High
Ear Flex	9
Cob Color	Pink
Stalk	8
Root	8
Stay Green	7
Dry Down	7

Test Weight7
Gray Leaf Spot Tolerance9
Northern Leaf Blight Tolerance $\dots 7$
Goss's Wilt Tolerance9
FiberGest Rating8
SofStarch Rating8
Milk per Ton9
Milk per Acre9

Conventional & Specialty Hybrids

KF 67C20

Conventional

117 Day RM

Consistent high yields, excellent agronomics, excellent disease ratings, broadly adapted regions

- Excellent Ear Flex
- Great Stalk Rating
- Great FiberGest Rating
- Excellent Milk per Acre

Recommended Pop 28-32K

Consistent high yields across the Midwest and South **Broadly adapted with outstanding agronomics** Great FiberGest, very good SofStarch results Very good dual-purpose hybrid

Seedling Vigor	8
	Medium - Tal
-	Medium - High
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Cob Color	Lt. Rec
Stalk	8
Root	
Stay Green	
Dry Down	

Test Weight	.8
Gray Leaf Spot Tolerance	.8
Northern Leaf BlightTolerance	.8
Goss's Wilt Tolerance	.7
FiberGest Rating	.8
SofStarch Rating	.7
Milk per Ton	.8
Milk per Acre	.9

KF 58H82

High Oil

108 Day RM

A tall plant with great flex and eye appeal. Use on better soils for silage

- Excellent Ear Flex
- Great Milk per Ton
- Great Stalk Rating
- Great Milk per Acre

Recommended Pop 26-30K Value Plus - Leafy Good regional movement across regions and soils Improved starch digestibility Silage specific

Seedling Vigor	8
Plant Height	
Ear Height	Medium - High
Ear Flex	9
Cob Color	Pink
Stalk	8
Root	7
Stay Green	7
Dry Down	7

Test Weight	7
Gray Leaf Spot Tolerance	
Northern Leaf Blight Tolerance	7
Goss's Wilt Tolerance	7
FiberGest Rating	7
SofStarch Rating	7
Milk per Ton	8
Milk per Acre	8

KF 56H91

High Oil

106 Day RM

A medium height plant with flex ears, should be used in a sidekick program mixed 25-30% with conventional corn

- Great Ear Flex
- Very Good Seedling Vigor
- Great Test Weight

Recommended Pop 26-30K **HOC - Sidekick** Good movement across regions and soils **Good grain yield potential Good management required**

Seedling Vigor	7
Plant Height	Medium
Ear Height	Medium
Ear Flex	8
Cob Color	Pink
Stalk	7
Root	7
Stay Green	7
Dry Down	7

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Test Weight	
Gray Leaf Spot Tolerance	6
Northern Leaf Blight Tolerance.	6
Goss's Wilt Tolerance	6
FiberGest Rating	7
SofStarch Rating	6
Milk per Ton	7
Milk per Acre	7

KF 59S30

Male Sterile

109 Day RN

A male sterile hybrid ideal for farms that are in niche markets that do not want grain in the diet. Appropriate for silage and grazing. The corn crop will be very high in sugar as grain is not formed. The plant will also have a red color as sugar increases over time.

Note: Isolation from standard corn is recommended.

- Excellent Gray Leaf Spot Tolerance
- Great FiberGest Rating
- Excellent Goss's Wilt Tolerance

Recommended Pop 26-32K Versatile hybrid that covers all soil types Wide harvest window **Excellent disease package**

Seedling Vigor	8
Plant Height	Medium Tall
Ear Height	
Ear Flex	
Cob Color	
Stalk	8
Root	8
Stay Green	8
Dry Down	_

8 = Great

Test Weight	
Gray Leaf Spot Tolerance	
Northern Leaf Blight Tolerance	.7
Goss's Wilt Tolerance	.9
FiberGest Rating	.8
SofStarch Rating	
Milk per Ton	.7
Milk per Acre	.7



Stalk Rating	Root Rating	Stay Green	Drought Tolerance	Gray Leaf Spot Tolerance	Northern Leaf Blight Tolerance	Goss's Wilt Tolerance	Common Rust	Fungicide Response	NDFd 30hr (FiberGest)	IVSD 7 (SofStarch)
8	8	6	8	8	7	5	7	8	7	7
7	7	7	9	7	7	5	7	8	8	7
7	7	6	8	8	9	7	7	7	8	8
7	7	5	8	8	6	6	7	8	7	8
8	9	8	8	8	8	7	8	9	9	9
8	8	6	9	7	7	6	7	9	8	9
9	9	8	8	8	8	7	8	7	9	8
8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	7	7	7
9	9	8	8	8	7	7	8	8	7	7
7	7	7	7	6	6	6	7	9	7	6
8	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	9	7	7
8	9	9	8	8	9	9	8	7	8	7
6	5	7	7	6	6	5	7	9	8	8
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The KingFisher® Program: Going Beyond Products

It's about sharing. Two major seed companies agreeing to pool resources to make KingFisher® a leading provider of premium forage and silage products for livestock farmers.

- Sourcing the top genetics and making hybrid varieties available for a variety of soil conditions and regional climate differences and concerns.
- Developing the most sensible plans through research, education, seminars and training sessions.
- Creating and sharing the most comprehensive and useful total solution program and packaging it for maximum productivity and profitability for all involved.
- Elevating premium forages, including our new corn line, to a high level of excellence in feed for farm animals.

Our goal with the KingFisher® Program is to use strong agronomics to reduce the risks inherent in farming, and to deliver a consistent and dependable supply of premium feed and forage for healthier livestock. With the efficiency of top products and smart planning we can produce healthier, more wholesome foods for the end consumers.

Farmers Helping Farmers

A 19th century poet, Edwin Markham, expressed our belief in the power of shared knowledge and experience rather well:



There is a destiny that makes us brothers.

None goes his way alone.

All that we send into the lives of others

comes back into our own.



He must have been a farmer

On-Farm Experiences Feeding High-Oil KingFisher' Corn

This is the fifth year that we've used high-oil corn on our farm in northern Indiana, and we're seeing big benefits. We mix KF 56H91 (25%) in our planter as a sidekick with conventional corn (75%)—with excellent yields. We did a feeding trial this winter/spring with our dairy herd. Our farm is organic, and we push for production. But energy can be a limiting factor.

In 2015, we harvested Masters Choice corn sidekicked with KF 56H91 high-oil corn, put it in ag bags and fed it to our herd until January. Then, for about 2.5 months, we switched to conventional MC corn only. On March 31, 2015, we scored our cows, which had lost some weight in the previous few months. On April 20, we started feeding the 25%/75% mixture again.

On June 16, 2015, two months after our cows got back on high-oil corn, Clinton Lewis, our nutritionist, returned to my farm again to score our cows. I wouldn't have been surprised if they'd stayed where they were. He then told me:

"I'm happy with the cows, which have a 3.22 average body score—in spite of the heat and heavy grazing. You have picked up some body weight. Good job!"

Clinton added;

"I got this corn sample back of 4.8% fat on high-moisture corn. I don't think I've ever seen corn with this high a fat level.

Our CPM predicts an extra 0.4 lb. of body weight per day just by feeding this corn at the same amount."

Samuel Fisher

Another farmer who was thrilled with his results, Enos Beiler, from Montezuma, IN said,

"I fed my cows high-oil corn silage— KF 58H82—for six months. During that time, they milked better than ever before! They produced at least 5 lb. more than previous years over the same time of year, with better body condition."

We also heard from Jonathan Beiler, of Montezuma, IN, who commented,

"This herd is on DHIA. We started feeding corn silage with 25% high-oil corn sidekicked with Masters Choice in October 2014.
Our rolling herd average increased by about 3,000 lb. of milk with 80 lb. fat and 70 lb. protein. I certainly believe that high-oil corn has helped us get to the next level of production without losing body condition."

Date	Milk Production (lb.)	Fat (lb.)	Protein (lb.)
October 2014	23,129	929	735
October 2015	25,971	1,050	804
June 2016	26,457	1,003	804

Samuel Fisher	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June
farm, northern Indiana, 2015-16		Feeding High Cows in excelle			Feeding Conver Checked cows' b and had los	ody condition		ding High-Oil C gained weight in warm June	



There is a lot of research going on with improving agronomics in high-oil corns. Our current line of high-oil corn does need good soil and is better suited north of 170 (180 in PA). Work with your nutritionist on your total fat content in the dairy ration.

