ICSV 400 can produce 6 to 7 t ha\(^{-1}\) of dry fodder. Leaves are 70 to 80 cm long, 8 to 11 cm wide, and semierect. The midrib is white, and the basal internodes are covered by the leaf sheath.

Panicle exsertion ranges between 6 and 15 cm, and panicles are semiloose, with slightly drooping primary branches. Mature panicles are 25 to 35 cm long, 7 to 12 cm wide, and elliptical. Awns are absent, and the glumes are free-threshing, soft, and leathery. Glumes are light red in color and cover 25% of the mature grain. The pedicellate spikelets are sterile and sometimes are persistent.

ICSV 400 is moderately susceptible to local races of anthracnose [caused by *Colletotrichum graminicola* (Ces.) G.W. Wils.], sooty stripe [caused by *Ramulispora sorghi* (Ellis & Everh.) Olive & Lefebvre in Olive et al.], and head bug (*Eurystylus immaculatus* Odh.) damage.

Grains are white and lustrous, with a thin pericarp and a white, medium-hard endosperm. The grains are of caudatum type and are tannin-free. The 1000-seed weight of ICSV 400 is about 26 to 30 g. ICSV 400 has good food quality. ICSV 400 grain showed superior levels of diastase and other malting properties; it has been used by private brewers in Nigeria for gridding and malting (4).

Seed of ICSV 400 can be obtained upon request from ICRI-SAT, BP 320, Bamako, Mali, and are also maintained at the Genetics Resources Division, ICRI-SAT Asia Center, Patancheru, AP 502 324, India.

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### Registration of ‘S-35’ Sorghum Cultivar

was observed at the Institute for Agricultural Research (IRA), BP 33, Maroua, Cameroon, during 1988 to 1992. S-35 produced an average grain yield of 2.37 and 3.23 t ha\(^{-1}\) in 1987 and 1988, respectively (5).

In tests conducted on 240 farmer herds in northern Cameroon, from 1984 to 1987, S-35 produced an average grain yield of 2.95 t ha\(^{-1}\), compared with 1.45 t ha\(^{-1}\) for the local control (which varied among farmers), although in the relatively dry year 1984, S-35 yielded 1.33 t ha\(^{-1}\) (vs. 0.72 t ha\(^{-1}\) for the local control) (2).

S-35 is a nonphotosensitive cultivar, reaching 50% anthesis between 55 to 65 d and maturing in 90 to 105 d. Plant height ranges from 150 to 205 cm. Panicles are 25 to 35 cm long, 25% of the mature grain. The pedicellate spikelets are sterile and sometimes are persistent.

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