

# SORGHUM SYRUP

A project of Old Loon Farm, in partnership with Wise Farms LLC, Palmer Farms, and the sustainable farm at the Merry Lea Environmental Learning Center of Goshen College.



## GOOD FOR LAND & FARMERS

Sorghum is open-pollinated, drought tolerant, and needs no chemical inputs to thrive.

The processing equipment is small and affordable, facilitating local processing and artisan production.

## FACTS



- Contains hard-to-find nutrients: iron, calcium and potassium
- Gluten-free food and non-GMO properties
- Environmentally sound, pest resistant & drought resistant
- Supports on-farm processing
- Community friendly- dollars stay in your community!



## STALKS TO PROFIT

Stalks to Juice: **100 lbs** of sorghum stalks can yield **45-50 lbs of raw juice**.

Juice to syrup: **6-12 gallons of raw juice** yield **one gallon** of sweet sorghum syrup.

Syrup per acre: Sorghum cane could yield **150 gallons of syrup per acre**.

Syrup to Profit: Current market prices are **\$40/gallon**.