KH600-18A (Maize)

Climatic requirements
The variety grows well in highland areas ranging from 1800-2700m asl receiving 1000-2000m annual rainfall
- **Maturity:** 155-170 days
- **Seed rate:** 25kg/ha or 10kg/acre
- **Yield:** 8.1-11.3 tons/ha or 36-50 bags/acre
- **Novelty:**
  - Resistant to root and stalk lodge
  - Good blight resistance
  - Low rots

Recommended zones
- Mt. Elgon slopes
- Trans Nzoia
- West Pokot
- Uasin Gishu
- Nandi
- Greater Kericho
- Taita
- Nyeri (High areas) Laikipia
- Lower Nyandarua

Management/Breeding Practices

Use
Used to make maize flour, mixed with beans to make *githeri* or with cow peas for *muthokoi*, can be eaten as roasted or boiled maize whole on cob, livestock feed, corn oil