



Suggested Use



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DAIRY



SHEEP



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HAY



SILAGE



MIN RAINFALL
550+ MM

Dyna-Gro[®]

MEROA

FEATURES

- An elite long-season, tetraploid Italian ryegrass
- Excellent seedling vigour and winter growth.
- Rapid establishment
- Excellent palatability
- Extremely good recovery from grazing and cutting
- Disease resistant

SCIENTIFIC NAME

Lolium multiflorum

PLANT CHARACTERISTICS

- Broadleaf tetraploid Italian
- Bred to persist for 2-3 years under suitable conditions

MATURITY

A very late flowering plant designed to produce good quality feed late into the spring. Days to flowering relative to Nui (0) = +17

AREA OF ADAPTION

Medium to High rainfall zones and irrigation. A reliable spring is essential to maximise production potential

COMPARABLE TO

- Aston, Emmerson, Feast II, Jeanne, Mona, Nourish, Thumper.

SOIL TYPE

Meroa is well adapted to a wide range of fertility levels and soil profiles, but performs best in a well-drained loam. Tetraploid annuals will cope with short-term water-logging provided the growing tip is above water.

To maximise stand productivity, soil testing is advisable. Analyse soil and neutralise deficiencies with fertiliser and/or lime.

FERTILITY

Good base rates of phosphorus are necessary for maximum DM production especially during establishment phase. DM production is directly related to nitrogen availability. Consult your Landmark agronomist for nitrogen application rates.

SOWING

Sow at 25-30kg/ha alone or 5-15kg/ha when a component of a pasture blend. Sow seed no deeper than 1cm in a fine but firm seed bed. Sow into bared ground if direct drilling. Lightly harrow and roll to improve germination. Suitable for oversowing into an established stand. Pasture productivity is directly related to successful plant establishment.

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