

Max

Lolium multiflorum



Max is a tetraploid, true Italian ryegrass variety: it has a high vernalization requirement, there is no heading in the year of seeding. Max has excellent winter hardiness, providing a large forage crop in early spring following the sowing year. Max is well adapted to the Upper Midwest and NE States and NE Canada. Proven by many satisfied farmers, for use as emergency forage and green manure crop.



Key Features

- **Fast establishment**
- **Longer growing season than annual ryegrass and cereals**
- **High forage quality in every cut**
- **Excellent disease resistance**
- **More root mass than cereals**

Usage

- Spring planted short term forage, for silage or grazing
- Overseeding pastures, interseeding alfalfa
- Green manure/plow down crop, no heading in year of seeding
- Suitable for planting as companion crop or open field seeding

Forage Quality

Italian ryegrass is known for its high feed quality. Tetraploids in general have a higher feed quality than diploids, due to lower cell wall density and higher sugar content. No heading in seeding year offers high forage quality in every cut