



**ANNUAL RYEGRASS** 

# AN IDEAL VARIETY TO PRODUCE FORAGE RAPIDELY





# ARTIGUE

#### **Characteristics:**

- Annual ryegrass
- Tetraploid

#### **Heading date:**

- 20/04

Heading date recorded in official trials performed in West Central France

#### Profile:

- Non persistent

## Persistency:

- 6 to 9 months

# Soil types:

- All types

## Sowing rate:

- 25- 30 kg/ha (10- 12 kg/ac) straight
- or in combination with white clover 2- 3 kg/ha (0.8- 1,2 kg/ac)

#### · A very fast forage production ability

- ARTIGUE is an early variety thats starts growing early in the spring for quick forage production;
- It shows excellent performance in the first cut (105% compared to references during its registration).
- It is therefore an excellent forage cover crop, especially between two springs crops).

#### Improved feed quality:

- ARTIGUE has a very good nutritional value: 78% digestibility and a soluble sugar content of 23.5% (CERIENCE trials).

# FOR WHAT USE?





#### Sowing (August-September or March-April):

- Preparè a thin seed bed;
- Sow at a depth of 1 up to 2 cm;
- Roll right after sowing.

#### Protection:

- Monitor slugs during the establishment and take action if needed;
- Remove the weeds at 3-4 leaves stage if needed (seek advice from your technician).

#### Fertilization:

- Compensate for nutrient exports (specifically 17 kg N/t D.M; 6 kg P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>/t D.M and 17 kg K<sub>2</sub>O/t D.M), especially if soil nutrient levels
- Consider the soil analysis and the manure produced by animals.



Packaging: Bag of 15 kg









Recommandations may vary according to local soil and climate conditions and local agricultural practices.