

MELMIA Italian ryegrass tetraploid

(*Lolium multiflorum*)



MELMIA is a top-variety in tetraploid Italian ryegrass.

Key features:

- x Impressive dry matter yield 105 (highest in official Belgian trial)
- x Very fast establishment
- x Good resistance to lodging
- x Excellent persistence 8.1 (rating 1-9)
- x Excellent rust resistance 8.5 (rating 1-9)

MELMIA is an ILVO variety and exclusive represented by Westyard since 2016.

In official trials in Belgium it has outstanding results in dry matter, persistence and rust tolerance. In trials in Germany MELMIA showed the same results plus the highest sugar content compared to many other varieties.

MELMIA can be used on all types of soils with good water supply. It is suitable for both spring sowing and autumn sowing and can be used for seasonal production or bi-annual forage production with 4-6 cuts.

Other features:

- x Extended green mass production
- x Fast re-growth after each cut
- x Excellent sugar content
- x Suitable to all types of soils

