

RAIDER

THE PERSISTENT PERENNIAL RYEGRASS

A very persistent and high yielding diploid perennial ryegrass which has been selected for superior persistence. It contains the NEA2 endophyte for good animal health and insect pest control, including black beetle, Argentine stem weevil and pasture mealybug. Raider is late heading with low aftermath heading.

Raider is rugged and dependable and is highly ranked for persistence in industry trials.

Cropmark
Raider
Perennial Ryegrass

Agronomic traits

- Ploidy: Diploid
- Heading date: Late
- Persistence: 5+ years*
- Sowing dates: Autumn & Spring
- Sowing depth (cms): 1-2
- Sowing rate: 18-20 (kg/ha)

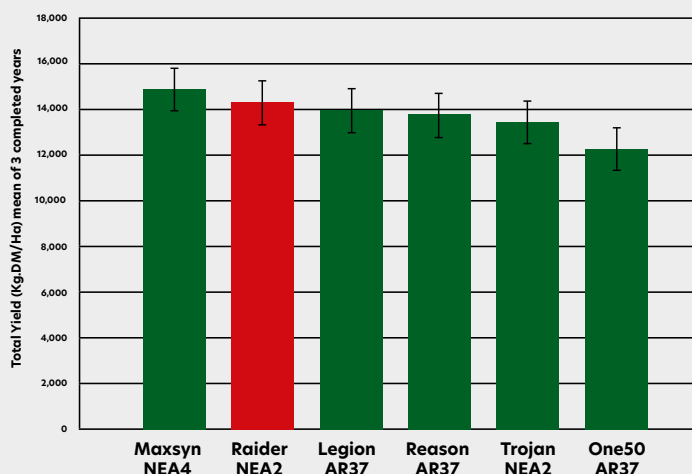
*Subject to climate, insect pest pressure and management

Benefits

- Very strong persistence relative to competitor varieties in industry trials
- Bred for improved animal safety
- Can be used anywhere throughout New Zealand
- Excellent disease resistance
- Available with NEA2 or Low endophyte

Raider is a proven diploid perennial ryegrass with NEA2 endophyte, ideal for dairy, sheep, and beef farms seeking high yields year-round, with robust cool-season growth and strong persistence against insect pressure.

Mean Annual Dry Matter Yield,
Cropmark Seeds Ltd Lolium Perenne Yield Trial,
Waikato NZ 2021-2024 CV% 4.97
Cropmark Seeds Ltd breeding lines removed from analysis.



Mean Annual Dry Matter Yield,
Cropmark Seeds Ltd Lolium Perenne Yield Trial,
Canterbury NZ 2021-2024 CV% 3.56
Cropmark Seeds Ltd breeding lines removed from analysis.

