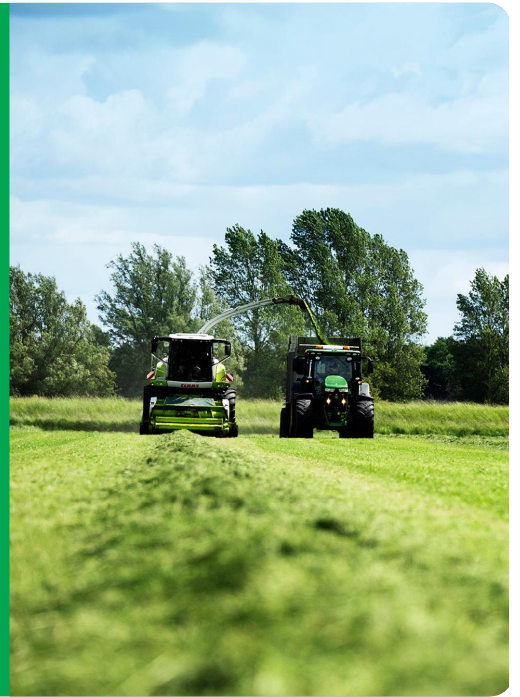


# ZORGUE

*Lolium perenne*

- Outstanding ground cover - keep the weeds out!
- Very good rust tolerance
- High forage quality in the first cuts for conservation
- Very persistent



## Outstanding ground cover

Good ground cover is appreciated in conventional farming but finds even higher value in organic farming due to better avoidance and competition with weeds. The excellent ground cover certainly explains the very good persistency of ZORGUE.

## Rust tolerance - keep the quality high

Both French and UK data confirm the good rust tolerance. It preserves the forage quality and palatability also during autumn regrowth when forage availability can be limited after a dry summer.

## High quality of conservation cuts

The high ground cover would rank ZORGUE as a variety for grazing, but the good quality (D-value) of the first two cuts in conservation management, qualifies ZORGUE as a perfect fit for mixed use.

## Technical Specifications

- Perennial ryegrass
- Outstanding ground cover through 2nd & 3rd year and Autumn ground cover
- Listed/recommended in EU FR UK

## Excellent ground cover

Source: RGCL 2022 (UK). <

NB! the autumn ground cover 1-9, 9=good is multiplied by 10.

	Average 29 diploid late varieties	ZORGUE
Ground Cover% (2nd harvest year)	70	76
Ground Cover% (3rd harvest year)	65	71
Autumn Ground Cover (rating x 10)	65	74

## Very persistent and rust tolerant

Source: Herbebook February 2022 (FR). 23 varieties heading +/- two days compared to ZORGUE.

Variety	Zorgue	Average 24 varieties
Stems in regrowth	2,2	2,2
Persistency	8,4	7,9
Rust tolerance	6,5	6,6

## Ratings

Scale 1-9, where 9 = best or most pronounced

