

# SYMPHONIE

*Medicago sativa*

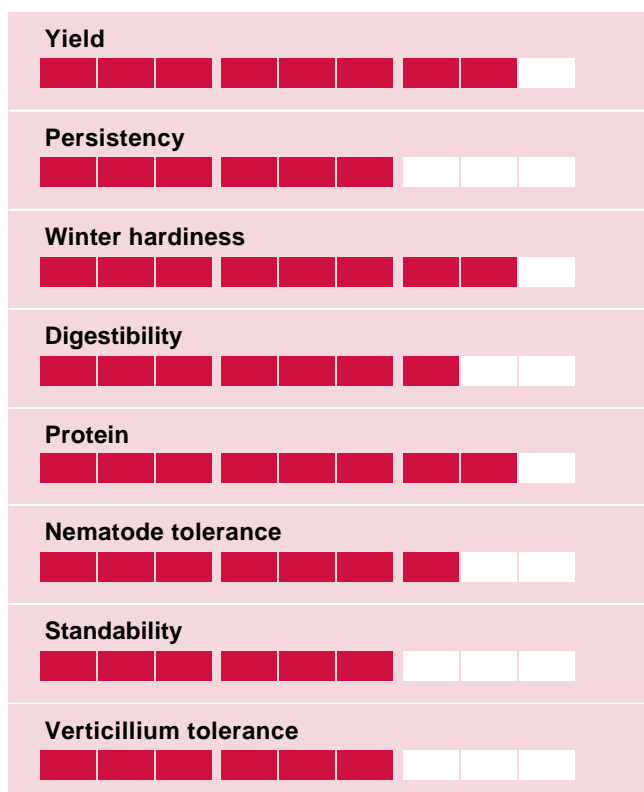


## Alfalfa/Lucerne

High dry matter yield with increased protein content

- High forage production of good quality
- Excellent resistance to nematodes and verticillium
- Good resistance to lodging
- High % protein in the dry matter
- Dormancy group 4

## Ratings



## Listed in several countries

Symphonie is on listed in France, known to put emphasis on lodging tolerance and protein content. But also in Austria, Poland and Slovakia which is a good indicator for excellent winter hardiness.

## Combined high dry matter and protein yield

The total annual dry matter yield of Symphonie equals the well-known productive variety Europe, but with a protein content of 103% of Europe, the total protein yield per ha is in favour of Symphonie.

## Better quality

The better feeding quality of Symphonie is linked to the protein content, but also to the thinner stems and more leafy forage.

## Characteristics

Source: *Semences et Progrès 2009*

	Europe	Symphonie
Lodging (9=best)	7,1	5,9
Verticillium (9=best)	5,7	6,2
Thickness of stems (9=thick)	7,2	7,0
Nematodes % tolerant	35	80
Relative protein content	100	103
Relative annual dry matter yield	100	100