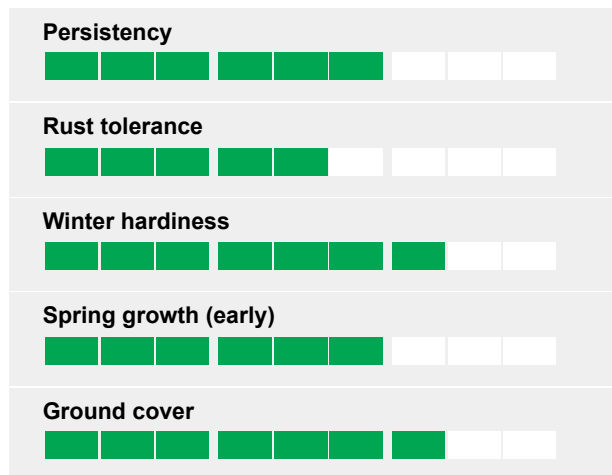




**Perennial ryegrass**  
Safe Forage Supply

- Very high 1st cut despite late end of early group heading
- High digestibility grazing and conservation management
- Good resistance to crown rust
- High ground cover for early variety

**Ratings**



**Number 1 in 1st cut DM Yield**

4 days later heading than our actual top variety SPIRA, KIMBER nevertheless shows a 5% higher yield in the 1st cut. For an early diploid this means a huge improvement in terms of flexibility of use and forage supply security. In fact going towards extremes in earliness (very early or very late heading) also increases vulnerability.

**Digestible From A to Z**

Whether cut frequently as in a grazing management or allowed to approach ear emergence, KIMBER has shown excellent digestibility figures.

**Covers the Ground and Fights the Rust**

With a score of 7 for ground cover KIMBER equals the ground cover of many much later varieties. Dual purpose exploitation is thus a realistic opportunity. General disease resistance and rust resistance in particular is good.

Quality as a tetraploid.

Year, cut or grazing	Kg drymatter/forage unit.
1st year cut 2	1.3
2nd year cut 1	1.2
1st year grazing	1.2
2nd year grazing	1.2

Source:  
Official  
variety  
testing

Denmark, 2005-6