

Variety Description

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LINA DS

Botanical name	Festulolium
Ploidy	4
Seeding rate	25-30 kg/ha
Distance between rows	similar to cereals
Sowing period	April to August
Sowing depth	1-2 cm

Agronomic figures*:

Heading	6
Development after sowing	6
Tendency to winterkilling	5
Tendency to lodging	4
Susceptibility to rust	4
Sward density	5
DM-yield total	5
DM-yield first cut	6
DM-yield in aftermath	5

Clarification of figures*:

1: very early, very low / 5: medium / 9: very late, very high



* **Source:** Cultivator classification

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LINA DS falls under the medium-late maturity group of festulolium varieties and is characterised by good yields, particularly in the first cut. Its advantages include very good winter-hardiness and high persistence. LINA DS is a highly stable variety with low susceptibility to diseases, making it an important component in many fodder mixtures.

Most important characteristics

High persistence
Good stability
Low tendency to winterkilling
Low susceptibility to rust

Usage

Festulolium is the designation given to a cross between grasses from the genera Festuca and Lolium. The objective of the hybridisation was to combine the advantages of both species. The focus was on properties like persistence, winter-hardiness and yield.

