

# Meadow fescue - *Festuca pratensis* L.

## Pasja<sup>PBR</sup>

(PBR- plant variety protected by the national Plant Breeders' Rights)



### Variety characteristics

|                                     |   |
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| Earliness, type                     | mid-early, perennial  |
| Usage                               | meadows, pastures, mixtures with small seed legumes, over-seeding |
| Seed harvest time                   | I decade of July  |
| Winter hardiness                    | very good   |
| Resistance to <i>Drechslera</i> sp. | good  |

### Best Polish meadow fescue variety in terms of agricultural and usage qualities.

A forage variety, excelling in high yields of good quality green and dry matter, up to 180 dt/ha. Pasja exhibits good yield stability over the years of usage. Seed yields are at 8-10 dt/ha.

### Agricultural and usage qualities of mid early Meadow fescue varieties (Domański 2005)

| No. | Varieties    | Point value (1-5) |   |                                       |                  |                          |             |      |
|-----|--------------|-------------------|---|---------------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------|-------------|------|
|     |              | Yielding          | Yield distribution throughout the vegetation period | Yield stability in the years of usage | Winter hardiness | Plant re-growth dynamics | Sod density | Mean |
| 1   | <b>Pasja</b> | 5                 | 5   | 5                                     | 5                | 5                        | 5           | 5,0  |
| 2   | Pradel       | 5                 | 5   | 5                                     | 5                | 5                        | 5           | 5,0  |
| 3   | Limosa       | 5                 | 5   | 5                                     | 5                | 5                        | 5           | 5,0  |
| 4   | Laura        | 5                 | 5   | 5                                     | 5                | 5                        | 5           | 5,0  |
| 5   | Lifara       | 5                 | 5   | 5                                     | 5                | 5                        | 4           | 4,8  |
| 6   | Skra         | 5                 | 5   | 4                                     | 5                | 5                        | 4           | 4,7  |

5 - agronomically most advantageous mark

We can also offer variety **Justa**