Orchard grass - *Dactylis glomerata* L. Bepro

(* trademark during the procedure registering with the Patent Office)

**Variety characteristics**

- **Earliness, type**: very early, perennial
- **Usage**: meadows, pastures, pure sowing, mixtures with small seed legumes, over-seeding
- **Seed harvest time**: I decade of July
- **Winter hardiness**: very good
- **Resistance to *Ryncosporium* sp.**: good

A forage variety, excelling in yields, good re-growth dynamics and winter hardiness. Dry mass yield 110-130 dt/ha. Seed yield 6-8 dt/ha.

### Dry mass yields (dt/ha) of Orchard grass varieties in 2003-2006

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Orchard grass - *Dactylis glomerata* L. Berta

**Variety characteristics**

- **Earliness, type**: mid-early, perennial
- **Usage**: meadows, pastures, pure-sown or in mixtures with small seed legumes, over-seeding
- **Seed harvest time**: I decade of July
- **Winter hardiness**: very good
- **Resistance to *Ryncosporium* sp.**: good

A forage variety with a distinctive, broad leaf. It excels in high sugar content and greater digestive quality than other varieties of this species. Berta also exhibits higher winter hardiness. The dry mass yield is at 100-120 dt/ha. Seed yields are between 6-8 dt/ha.

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