



EARLY INTERMEDIATE HEADING

DASCADA was developed by Barenbrug's breeders in Central- and Eastern Europe. It performed especially well at higher altitudes, where tolerance to frost and summer drought is important. This variety grows very fast after long and cold winters and can persist long periods under difficult circumstances.

The DASCADA variety is very leafy and produces few stems. This ensures feed palatability and quality – therefore giving the optimal combination between reliable forage yield and animal productivity.

DASCADA is valuable on light textured soils in dry areas due to its outstanding drought tolerance. It has good winter hardiness, although somewhat limited in the year of sowing. It is slow to establish but persistency is good under hay, silage, and proper grazing management.

DASCADA was tested and selected in areas with a Continental climate. Continental type cultivars are highly summer-active, broad leaved grasses suited to higher rainfall, growing mainly in spring/summer/autumn. They also have been developed for dairy production. Continental type cultivars are recommended for areas receiving greater than 650mm rainfall.

- Early intermediate heading cocksfoot.
- Performs well at higher altitudes.
- Above average forage digestibility.
- Excellent in yield, persistency, and diseases resistance.
- Good ability to grow as companion in swards.

