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## Perennial pasture renewal

## How to choose the right paddocks

Unlike a short term pasture, for your long term pastures you need to consider production, persistence, feed quality and environment. Here are some tips:

- Review existing paddocks to determine which ones are suitable and most in need of a perennial renewal programme
- Look for pastures where the original sown species is in decline and more weeds are creeping in
- Capital is best spent on paddocks in the poorest condition that are in areas which typically grow the most feed
- Assessing pasture quality is something to do regularly so that
  if and when conditions get tough, you'll have a good idea of
  which paddocks you can sacrifice so you can focus on the
  high performing ones

## **Grazing management**

## How to get RGT Hustle off to the best start

- Graze new pasture as soon as it can withstand pulling; early grazing encourage rapid tillering, influencing early feed production
- 2. Once established and the paddock has had its first grazing, dont graze again until it's reached the 2.5 3 leaf stage to best balance feed quality, recovery after grazing and total feed production
- 3. Don't leave it too late or dead material can build up at the base of the pasture which reduces quality and can shade out companion species



## RGT HUSTLE

## **DIPLOID PERENNIAL RYEGRASS**

RGT Hustle stands out as one of New Zealand's top performing perennial ryegrasses; purpose-bred to deliver high quality feed that persists. With a +8 heading date and excellent late-season growth, use RGT Hustle to extend production seamlessly into autumn.

#### SUITABLE FOR ALL FARM SYSTEMS NATIONWIDE

RGT Hustle is now available with a range of endophyte options, allowing for a tailored selection based on your specific requirements.

RGT18 should be used for regions dealing with Black Beetle challenges affecting pasture persistence.

AR1 is suitable for areas where Argentine Stem Weevil are present, or where grazing may include deer and horses.

#### PROVEN PERFORMANCE

RGT Hustle has been tested nationally through numerous independent trials, as well as RAGT on-farm evaluations. Since its launch RGT Hustle has continued to grow in popularity among farmers year after year, driven by shared positive experiences.

### HIGH LEVEL OF COMPATIBILITY

RGT Hustle's upright growth creates an ideal environment for legumes and other companion species to thrive. Increased legume content provides various animal and nutrient benefits.

Feed available	₩ ** **
Stock suitability	AR1, LE RGT18
Sowing rate	20kg/ha Dependant on mix, use lower rate with Greenly II cocksfoot.
Heading date	+8 days
Endophyte options	RGT18, AR1, LE

# Combine RGT Hustle with companion species for even better performance





#### Sowing rate 2 - 5 Kg/ha

as secondary grass component of permanent pasture mix

## RGT OASIS Plantain



season active, remaining vegetative

in a pasture mix

RGT QUEST

Medium-large leaf white clover



## Sowing rate 2 - 4 Kg/ha

in grass seed pasture mix

## RGT PUNTER Chicory



Sowing rate 1-2 Kg/ha

Sowing rate

10 Kg/ha

**Sowing rate** 

1-4 Kg/ha

in grass seed pasture mix

RGT ROSSI Red clover



### Sowing rate

3 - 5 Kg/ha

in grass seed pasture mix

## **SUB CLOVER**

RGT Narrikup RGT Rosabrook RGT Rouse



ensure extended production

as the sole subterranean clover, half the rate if combining varieties

## The above products are suitable for all stock types.

Clovers are economic and valuable additions as they have nitrogen fixing capability, energy and protein for stock and high production. Herbs such as chicory and plantain get into deep soil minerals which creates highly nutritional feed.



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