



SALTIRE MIXTURES

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All the grass and clover varieties used in the Saltire range have been approved by independent trials conducted by the SAC. From this data the key factors we consider in variety selection include the following attributes:

- Yield:** Annual, seasonal, cutting & grazing.
- Persistence:** Ability to compete & survive.
- Quality:** Energy value, mid season D Value and WSC content.

Winter Hardiness.

Key varieties used in the Saltire range.

Premium	Intermediate Perennial	A consistently good variety that performs well under both managements.
Bree	Intermediate Perennial	One of the best varieties for winter hardiness. Excellent mid and late season growth.
Aubisque (T)	Intermediate Perennial	Well rounded variety, with good seasonal performance. Has excellent ground cover.
Calibra (T)	Intermediate Perennial	High first cut D value. High yields under grazing management.
Foxtrot	Late Perennial	Excellent performance under both cutting or grazing regimes.
Mezquita	Late Perennial	Excellent variety for both cutting and grazing. High 1st cut D.Value.
Twymax (T)	Late Perennial	Has a very dense sward for a tetraploid. Produces excellent quality first and second cut silages.
Erecta RvP	Timothy	Good all round variety.
Crusader	Medium leaved clover	Excellent performance both early and late in the season.
Avoca	Medium leaved clover	Outstanding variety, high yielding with excellent ground cover.

SALTIRE MIXTURE	MIXTURE RECOMMENDATIONS	DURATION (YEARS)	MAINLY CUTTING	DUAL PURPOSE	INTENSIVE GRAZING	EXTENSIVE GRAZING	SOWING RATE
S1	A fast growing ley, which can be sown in the spring or autumn to produce large crops of silage.	1 - 2	✓				14
S2	Produces high yields of silage and is more persistent than S1 due to the inclusion of intermediate perennials.	2	✓				14
S3	Highly productive dual purpose mixture which will produce large cuts of silage and quality grazing.	3 – 4		✓			14
S4	Due to the inclusion of early grasses, this ley is well suited to light land and requires early grazing. Adaptable to either a cutting or grazing regime.	3 – 4		✓			14
S5	Highly versatile dual purpose mixture, which will produce two large cuts of silage and quality grazing.	3 – 6	✓	✓			14
S6	Contains persistent varieties ensuring good yields for cutting and grazing over many years.	3 – 6	✓	✓	✓		14
S7	Excellent grazing mixture for long term performance.	6 – 10			✓		14
S8	This mixture combines the benefits of intermediate and late perennial ryegrass with highly palatable timothy and white clover. It can be grown for silage and hay.	6 – 10		✓		✓	14
S9	Provides good growth for early grazing or cutting. The ley tolerates dry conditions due to the deep roots of cocksfoot .	3 – 6		✓			15
S10	A long term ley that combines perennial ryegrass with drought-resistant cocksfoot. Cocksfoot needs frequent grazing.	6 – 10				✓	15
S11	Designed to produce high D.Value silage. Has a very dense leafy sward. Contains no timothy.	5 – 7		✓	✓		15
S12	Suitable for over-seeding or direct drilling into an old sward to improve quality & productivity.	3 – 6		✓			10

Individually prescribed mixtures can also be supplied to suit specific situations.