



Tabu+ Italian Ryegrass

Pasture Grasses

Stock Type

Dairy, Sheep, Beef, Deer

Tabu+ is our record-breaker, with explosive establishment speed and superior cool season growth.

Multi-use

Tabu+ is Mr Adaptable. Sow it as an 8-12 month high performance crop; grow happy animals for 2-3 years in areas with mild summers, or undersow into run out pasture to boost winter and spring growth. For best results undersowing dense pastures, spray before drilling. Note: If you need pasture to last 2-3 years **Shogun NEA12** may be a better option.

2000% ROI

Tabu+ produced an extra 4 t DM/ha over Moata as a 12 month crop. For an extra seed cost of about \$60/ha, **Tabu+** returned over 2000% on investment! That's because this extra feed is valued at about \$0.40/kg DM or +\$1600/ha.

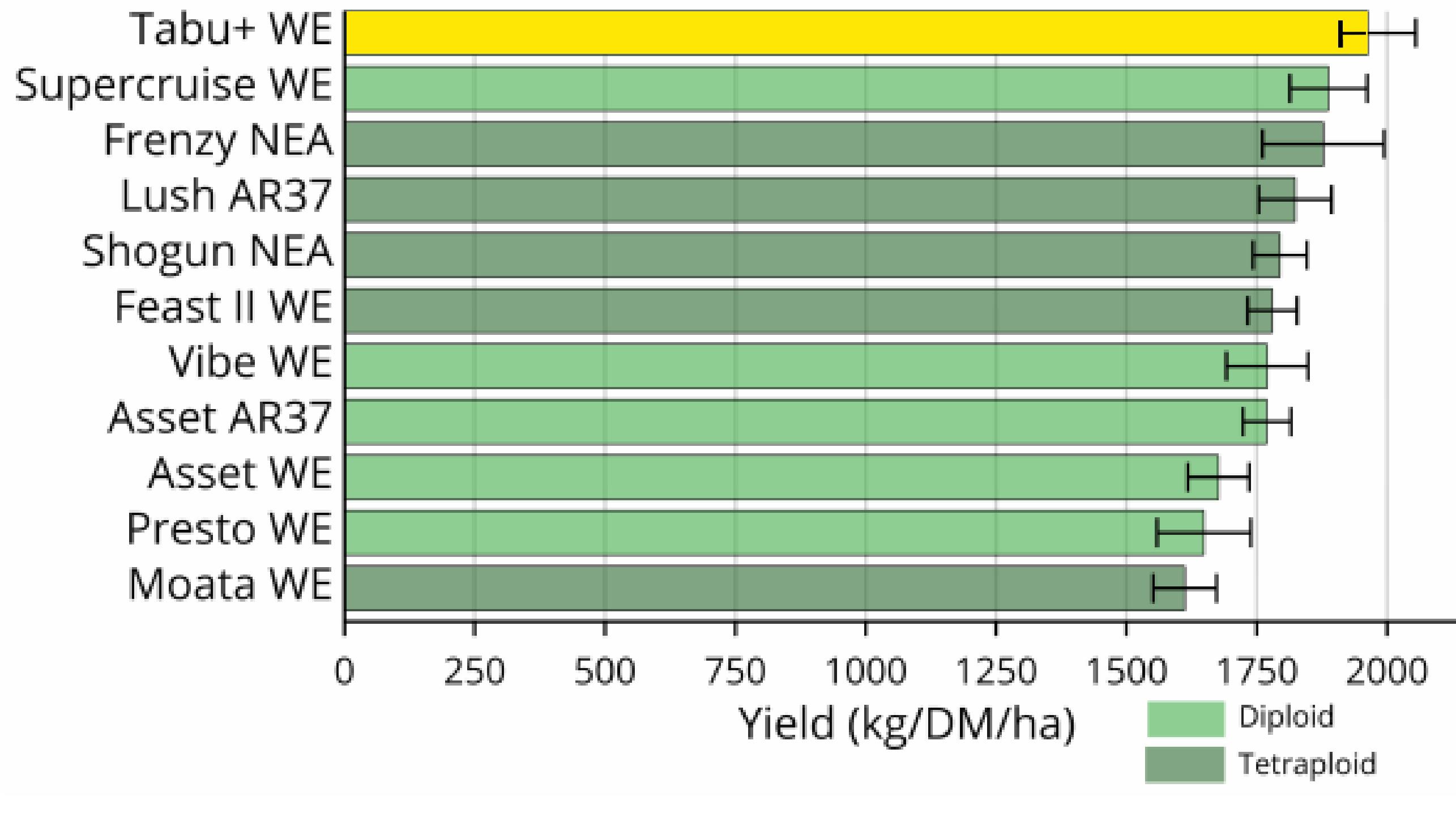
Soaks up winter N

The more winter growth on your farm, the more nitrogen you capture before it leaves the soil. **Tabu+** hits its peak in May-August, and its super-fast cool season growth pulls up more nitrogen than slower growing pastures.

Unstoppable in winter

Tabu+ is the top yielding Italian ryegrass in the National Forage Variety Trials (NFVT) 12 month pasture summary, for winter growth.

2025-26 NFVT Italian ryegrass yields: All New Zealand trials - winter yield.



Sowing Tabu+

| Winter ryegrass crop | kg/ha |
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| Tabu+ Italian ryegrass | 20-22 |
| Winter ryegrass crop with annual clovers | kg/ha |
| Tabu+ Italian ryegrass | 16-18 |
| Laser Persian clover | 8 |
| Total | 24-26 |
| 1-2 year pasture option | kg/ha |
| Tabu+ Italian ryegrass | 18-22 |
| Morrow MS red clover | 6 |
| Kotuku or Apex white clover | 2 |
| Ruru white clover | 2 |
| Total | 28-32 |
| Undersowing | kg/ha |
| Tabu+ Italian ryegrass | 10-15* |
| Kotuku or Apex white clover | 1.5 |
| Ruru white clover | 1.5 |
| Total | 13-18 |

*Sowing rate varies depending on how thin pasture to be undersown is.

