Managing Pastures - Readers’ Note

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Questions

Grazing kikuyu at the 4–41/2-leaf stage optimises quality. What is the penalty in quantity by not letting it grow longer?

If there is a high residue of ryegrass after grazing (well in excess of 5cm) for whatever reason, is it better to regraze or to wait for a full regrowth cycle?

Many ryegrass plants are lost through sod-pulling. What can be done to reduce this?

Is there any benefit in using nitrogen fertiliser on white clover to increase dry matter yields and take advantage of the high-quality herbage?

Is there any advantage in harrowing pastures to prevent dung pads, especially when short grazing rotations are being used?

When feed is in short supply, what value does concentrate have relative to silage?