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*Poa pratensis* subsp. *angustifolia*

[Synonyms : *Poa angustifolia*, *Poa setacea*, *Poa strigosa*]

**NARROW-LEAVED MEADOWGRASS** is a perennial grass. Native to Europe (including Britain) and to south-western Asia, it has purplish or green flower spikelets.

It is also known as *Hoikkanurmikka* (Finnish), *Schmalblättriges Rispengras* (German), *Skogsgröe* (Swedish), *Smalbladigt ängsgröe* (Swedish), *Smalgröe* (Swedish), and *Sumpf-Rispengras* (German).

*Pratensis* is derived from Latin *pratium* (meadow) meaning ‘of or from meadows’. *Angustifolia* is derived from Latin *angusti-* (narrow) and *-folia* (leaved) components.