

TECH SHEET



FINE BLADED



HEAT TOLERANT



LESS FERTILIZER



WEAR TOLERANT



DISEASE RESISTANT



Perennial Ryegrass

QUICK FACTS

DERBY SUPREME is a second generation improved perennial ryegrass that exhibits all of the characteristics the turf industry expects from an elite fine-leaved perennial ryegrass: a dark green turf color, a dense and upright turf with a fine leaf texture, moderate endophyte enhancement, and rapid ground cover establishment. Derby Supreme also exhibits good seeding vigor, excellent traffic tolerance, and improved heat tolerance, good winter activity and strong recover from divot and traffic pressures. It is the ideal choice for homes, parks, golf courses and other locations where quality turf is demanded.



ADAPTATION

DERBY SUPREME was developed for permanent polypspecies turfgrass blends and mixtures containing improved perennial ryegrass; Kentucky bluegrass; chewings, slender creeping and strong creeping red fescue; colonial bentgrass and turf type tall fescue. Derby Supreme is also used extensively in winter overseeding blends and mixtures on greens, tees and fairways where rapid transitional qualities are desired.

- DARK GREEN COLOR
- GOOD HEAT TOLERANCE
- HIGH WEAR TOLERANCE
- EXCELLENT TURF QUALITY
- HIGH DISEASE RESISTANCE

TRIAL DATA

SEEDING RATE

7-10 lbs per 1,000 sq ft

Growth Habit	Estab. Rate Days	LHC Tol. to 1/2"	Mowing Frequency	Traffic Tol. (Brinkman)	Thatch Production	Comp. Mix	Nitrogen Required	Shade Tolerance	Cold Tolerance	Drought Tolerance	ET Rate mm/day	Endophyte	Salinity Tol. mmhos
Bunch	Fast 7-10	Very Good	2x week	Very Good	None	Fair-Good	Med-High	Med-High	Fair-Good	Fair	High 9-10	Yes >40%	<11 Good