

# Cool Season Turf-grass Species Quick Reference Sheet

| Specie                | Water Requirements | Fertilizer Requirements | Drought Tolerance | Disease Tolerance | Insect Tolerance | Leaf Texture | Traffic Tolerance | Cold Tolerance | ROOTING DEPTH |
|-----------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------|
| Kentucky Bluegrass    | HIGH               | HIGH                    | MEDIUM            | MEDIUM            | LOW              | FINE         | HIGH              | HIGH           | 16 INCHES     |
| Perennial Ryegrass    | MEDIUM             | MEDIUM                  | LOW               | HIGH              | HIGH             | FINE         | MEDIUM            | MED            | 24 INCHES     |
| Turf Type Tall Fescue | MEDIUM             | MEDIUM                  | HIGH              | HIGH              | HIGH             | MEDIUM       | HIGH              | LOW            | 48 INCHES     |
| Fine Fescue           | LOW                | LOW                     | HIGH              | HIGH              | LOW              | VERY FINE    | LOW               | HIGH           | 24 INCHES     |

| Specie                | Bare Ground<br>LBS / 1,000 Sq. Ft. | Inter-seeding<br>LBS / 1,000 Sq. Ft. | Seeding<br>Date       | Germination<br>Times |
|-----------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| Kentucky Bluegrass    | 4                                  | 2                                    | April-May, Aug.-Sept. | 10-21 Days           |
| Perennial Ryegrass    | 6                                  | 3                                    | April-May, Aug.-Sept. | 4-7 Days             |
| Turf Type Tall Fescue | 10                                 | 5                                    | April-May, Aug.-Sept. | 5-10 Days            |
| Fine Fescue           | 6                                  | 3                                    | April-May, Aug.-Sept. | 7-10 Days            |



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