

# Sure Shot R

## Bluegrass/Ryegrass Mix

Contains: 90% 4-Season, [Everglade](#), Rush, [Nu Destiny](#) and [Solar Eclipse](#) Kentucky Bluegrasses and 10% [La Quinta](#) Perennial Ryegrass

### Characteristics

- Rich, dark green color
- Superior disease resistance
- Reduced nitrogen requirements
- Vigorous rhizome development
- Tolerant to 1/2" to 5/8" height of cut
- High density at fairway mowing heights

### Seeding Information

#### Seeding Rates:

New Seeding: 3 Lbs per 1,000 Sq. Ft.  
 Over-seeding: 2 Lbs per 1,000 Sq. Ft.  
 Over-seeding High Use Areas: 4 Lbs per 1,000 Sq. Ft. at weekly/monthly intervals as needed

**Seeding Dates:** March – May, August – October      **Dormant Seed:** December – March

**Germination Times:** Perennial Ryegrass – 4-7 Days, Kentucky Bluegrasses - 10-21 Days


### Uses


This bluegrass/ryegrass mixture incorporates the same varieties of bluegrasses that are in the Sure Shot Bluegrass Blend along with 10% fine leaf perennial ryegrass. The ryegrass is added for quick cover to help the bluegrass establish. The amount used, however, is not enough to compete with the establishment of the Kentucky Bluegrasses, provided a mowing height of 3/4 " is maintained during establishment. The close mowing program will shock the ryegrass and open the leaf canopy a little longer enabling the smaller bluegrass plants to establish.

This Certified Interagency Blue Tag is your guarantee of variety and superior quality

## CERTIFIED SEED

Sure Shot R		Kentucky Blue-Perennial Rye Mix		Lot Number: SSR-12
Interagency Certified Seed				
Variety & Kind	Purity	Germ	Origin	Lot Number
4 Season Kentucky Bluegrass	17.64%	90%	WA	75.3709C
Everglade Kentucky Bluegrass	17.64%	90%	WA	74.108.08B
Rush Kentucky Bluegrass	17.64%	90%	WA	75.42.09A
Nu Destiny Kentucky Bluegrass	17.64%	90%	WA	73.37.07J
Solar Eclipse Kentucky Bluegrass	17.64%	90%	WA	74.98.08C-1
La Quinta Perennial Ryegrass	9.80%	90%	OR	M100-1-B31A
Total Pure: 98.00%	Crop: 0.00%	Inert: 2.00%	Weeds: 0.00%	AMS: 127
Net Weight: 50.0 Lbs. 22.68 Kgs.	Tested: JAN-12	Excess Noxious Weeds: None		





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Components and/or percentages of the above blend may vary

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## General Seeding Guidelines

### A. SEED TIMING

- a. Seed from April 15 to June 15 or
- b. August 10 to October 15
- c. Dormant seeding after November 15 will germinate the following Spring

### B. SITE PREPARATION

- a. Conduct soil test to determine soil additives needed
- b. Ensure soil pH is between 6.0 and 7.0
- c. Eliminate existing vegetation
  - i. Spray with non-selective herbicide
  - ii. Remove dead vegetation through mechanical means
- d. Add recommended soil amendments, pH adjustment materials, and fertilizer
- e. Till soil to a 4-6 inch depth
- f. Remove rocks and debris larger than one inch diameter
- g. Pulverize and lightly roll soil
- h. Apply 1 lb phosphorous (P) (2.27 lbs P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>) / 1000 ft<sup>2</sup> to soil surface

### C. SEEDING METHOD

- a. Seeding method is based on slope and soil at site
- b. Broadcast-, drop-, slit-, or drill-seed flat areas where erosion is not a concern
  - i. Seed should be planted 0.125 to 0.25 inches below soil surface
  - ii. Plant two directions putting ½ of seed down each direction
  - iii. Gently roll or rake seeded area to ensure good soil-to-seed contact
- c. Hydro-seed steep slopes where erosion is a concern
  - i. When hydro-seeding, broadcast ½ of the seed before hydro-seed mixture is applied and place ½ of the seed in hydro-seed mixture

### D. WATERING REQUIREMENTS

- a. Water to field capacity immediately after seeding
  - b. The first three weeks after seeding, keep top 1.5 inches of soil moist\*
  - c. Weeks four through six after seeding, water 3-4 times per week
  - d. After six weeks water when grass begins to show draught stress
- \*Number of times to water per day depends on temperature, humidity, wind, and rainfall

### E. FERTILIZING & MOWING

- a. Fertilize seeded area with 0.5 lbs nitrogen (N) / 1000 ft<sup>2</sup> 1, 2, and 3 months after initial seeding, then begin a regular fertilizer schedule
- b. Mow when grass is one inch longer than desired grass height but do not remove more than 1/3 of grass blade (i.e. mow when grass is 4 inches tall if desired height is 3 inches)