

Tillinghast

SEEDS & SCIENCE



Creeping Bentgrass

Description

Tillinghast (DLFPS-AP-3084) creeping bentgrass (Agrostis stolonifera) demonstrates excellent turf quality under both putting green and fairway management in the 2023 NTEP trials. It is fine textured with a medium-dark green color. Tillinghast shows superior resistance to dollar spot (caused by Clarireedia jacksonii), brown patch (caused by Rhizoctonia solani) and pink snow mold (Microdochium nivale). In addition, it shows excellent resistance to anthracnose (Colletotrichum cereale) and pythium root rot. Tillinghast has high density without bentgrass bloat that makes it more resistant to Poa annua invasion and easier to manage thatch. The early spring greenup also helps it resist annual bluegrass.

Key Features

- Excellent performance in both putting green and fairway conditions
- Fine texture with a medium-dark green hue
- Strong disease
 resistance
- Maintains high turf density without bentgrass bloat
- Early spring green-up

Ratings

Scale 1-9, where 9 = best or most pronounced

Color	
Density	
Diseases/Insects	
Drought Tolerance	
Frost Tolerance/Winter Kill	
Turfgrass Quality	
Spring Greenup	
Leaf Texture	
Seedling Vigor/Establishment	



Super Bents[™] are advanced creeping bentgrass varieties developed for over 40 years, featuring fine leaf texture, high density, and exceptional disease resistance. Ideal for golf courses, they require fewer inputs, recover quickly, and are recognized for environmental sustainability.

Additional Specs

Segment	Turfgrass	Category	Bentgrass
Species	Creeping Bentgrass	Sci. Name	Agrostis stolonifera
Approx. Seeds/Kg.	13200000	Approx. Seeds/Lb.	6000000
Seeding Depth (cm)	0.3175-0.635	Seeding Depth (Inches)	1/8-1/4
Seeding Rate - Alone/New (Kg./Hectare)	50-75	Seeding Rate - Alone/New (Lbs./Acre)	45-65
Seeding Rate - Golf Green Interseed (Lbs./1000 sq. ft.)	2-3	Seeding Rate - Golf Green Overseed (Lbs./1000 sq. ft.)	2-3



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Seeding Rate - Interseed (Kg./100 sq. meters)	1-1.5	Seeding Rate - Interseed (Lbs./1000 sq. ft.)	2-3
Seeding Rate - New (Kg./100 sq. meters)	0.5-0.7	Seeding Rate - New (Lbs./1000 sq. ft.)	1-1.5
Seeding Rate - Overseed (Kg./100 sq. meters)	1-1.5	Seeding Rate - Overseed (Lbs./1000 sq. ft.)	2-3
Endophyte + (Yes, No)	No	Establishment (Days)	7-14
First Mowing (Days)	21	Germination (Days)	3-5
Nitrogen Requirement (Low, Med, High)	Low		