

SOS 211™

Golf, Multi-Use Sports Fields, Parks, & Lawns



Extended Persistence



Mid 40° F Germination



Very Fast Establishing



Competes with Poa Annua

Key features

- 50/50 turf-annual/perennial ryegrass
- Fast germination and establishment
- Extremely traffic tolerant
- Competitive economically versus perennial and intermediate ryegrass
- Germination at low temperatures
- Dark genetic color

Specifications

Seeding Rate:	10-15lbs./M*
Mowing (Recommendation)	1.5-2.0"
Mowing (Down to)	0.500"

*M=1,000 square feet

Other SOS Products

SOS MAXX™

SOS 400™

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SOS 211 specializes in super-fast turf recovery at low temperatures and competes with annual bluegrass to extend playing hours safely.

SOS 211 is a ryegrass mixture consisting of 50% turf-annual and 50% perennial for extremely fast germination and establishment. This mixture will persist and stand up to heavy traffic. Repeated overseeding events in cold weather keep the playing surface full and ready for continued play.

Technical Information

Uses

This product can be utilized in cool-season and warm-season areas as an overseed. In cool-season applications, SOS 211 repairs fields during the worst of conditions, germinating with soil temperatures in the mid-40's (Fahrenheit), to increase player use hours and maintain a safe environment with the threat of diminished turf density and annual bluegrass invasion always present. Warm-season areas often overseed with SOS 211 to achieve a look and feel of perennial ryegrass with more of the turf-annual cost. During transition this blend will still require chemical removal due to the perennial components.

Establishment

SOS products should be seeded at comparable to traditional perennial ryegrass overseeding rates which often range between 10-15 pounds per thousand square feet; sometimes as high as 20 pounds. Seeding and establishment should be done in the fall when bermudagrass color and cover declines (warm-season) or throughout the coldest months when sports continue late season play (cool-season).

After spreading seed, keep seedbed moist throughout germination, with extra care during the early stages to prevent seed from drying out after initial seed imbibition. Germination should begin within 3 to 5 days and be complete in just over a week.

The improved genetics in SOS won't require nearly the amount of excessive mowing compared to 'Gulf' annual ryegrass. A more typical mowing program can be utilized, as well as fertility program.

