



BARLEXAS II

turf-type tall fescue



For beautiful dark green turf that has the toughness to withstand Mother Nature's wrath, Barlexas II turf-type tall fescue is the ideal choice. Its excellent rooting ability enhances drought and heat resistance. Barlexas II has been bred to form a strong, vigorous and dense turf that exhibits remarkable disease and insect resistance.

Why Barlexas II?

- ▶ Highly rated tall fescue variety
- ▶ Tolerates low mowing height
- ▶ Very good traffic and shade tolerance
- ▶ Very dark green color
- ▶ Excellent drought tolerance
- ▶ Very fine leaf texture
- ▶ Dense dwarf-type variety
- ▶ Very quick establishment
- ▶ Adapted for low or high pH

TRANSITION to the best.

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Festuca arundinacea

PLANT CHARACTERISTICS

Barlexas II is a turf-type tall fescue with dwarf-type growing characteristics. It shows quick germination and rapid establishment. Barlexas II has a wide range of adaptation and great performance under low input turf systems. With its dark green color, excellent traffic and shade tolerance, Barlexas II is an outstanding choice sports fields, playgrounds, parks, commercial properties, lawns and sod production.

SEEDING AND MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS

- ▶ **SEEDING RATE:**
 - ▶ Overseeding Existing Turf: 4 to 5 lbs. per 1,000 sq. ft.
 - ▶ Roughs: 7 to 10 lbs. per 1,000 sq. ft.
 - ▶ Lawns, Parks & Other Areas: 7 to 10 lbs. per 1,000 sq. ft.
 - ▶ Sod Production: 300 to 600 lbs. per acre
- ▶ **GERMINATION & ESTABLISHMENT:** Keep seedbed moist to enhance germination. Under ideal conditions, germination should begin within 7 to 14 days and be complete within 21 days. The stand will be fully established in 30 days.
- ▶ **FERTILIZATION:** For optimum results apply .50 to .75 lbs. of N/1,000 sq. ft. per application during the growing season. Requires 3 to 5 lbs. of N/1,000 sq. ft. per year. Rates may vary due to geographical differences and agronomic preferences.
- ▶ **MOWING:** 1 to 3 inches, depending on use. Ideally maintain at 1½ to 2½ inch height of cut. Do not remove more than 1/3 of total plant height with each mowing. The more traffic the less likely to recover swiftly when mowed below 1½ inches.
- ▶ **WATERING:** After establishment, a deep watering program is recommended to improve root depth. Irrigate according to turfgrass needs for your geographical area.



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TRIAL DATA

TURF QUALITY - 1.6-2.0" MOWING HT.

PLANTATION	6.8
BARLEXAS II	6.6
MASTERPIECE	6.6
DYNASTY	6.5
TAR HEEL	6.4
PIXIE E+	5.3
LSD (0.05)	0.3

TRAFFIC STRESS

PLANTATION	6.6
BARLEXAS II	6.2
FALCON III	6.2
MASTERPIECE	6.1
REMBRANDT	6.0
CORONADO GOLD	5.6
LSD (0.05)	0.6

LEAF TEXTURE

GAZELLE	6.6
BARLEXAS II	6.4
REMBRANDT	6.4
REBEL SENTRY	6.0
WOLFPACK	5.9
PIXIE E+	5.7
LSD (0.05)	0.2

GENETIC COLOR

TRACER	7.1
BARLEXAS II	6.8
MILLENNIUM	6.8
REMBRANDT	6.7
MASTERPIECE	6.6
TAR HEEL	6.4
LSD (0.05)	0.1

ESTABLISHMENT DENSITY

SAFARI	8.7
BARLEXAS II	7.3
REMBRANDT	6.3
DYNASTY	5.0
WOLFPACK	4.7
MASTERPIECE	3.0
LSD (0.05)	2.5

DROUGHT TOLERANCE - DORMANCY

LION	5.9
BARLEXAS II	5.6
REBEL SENTRY	5.1
PLANTATION	5.0
MASTERPIECE	4.9
BONSAI	4.4
LSD (0.05)	1.0

Comparisons between commercially available varieties from 1996 NTEP, 1997-2000 data, Final Report. Tables contain a select number of entries.

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