

LANDSCAPER SEED MIXTURE

Budget Seed Mixture



Landscaper Seed Mix*

40% Shining Star Perennial Ryegrass
25% Gulf Annual Ryegrass
20% Action Kentucky Bluegrass
15% Cumberland Tall Fescue

*Or equivalent depending on availability...

KEY FEATURES

- Excellent wear tolerance
- Rapid Recovery
- Rapid Establishment
- Greater Seedling vigor
- Great Erosion Seed Mix
- Low Cost

Landscaper Seed Mix is designed for situations where cost is a primary factor. It is a very economical mix which includes Kentucky Bluegrass, Creeping Red Fescue, fine-leaf Perennial Ryegrass and Annual Ryegrass. Kentucky Bluegrass is included in this mixture to lend broad adaptation characteristics. The Creeping Red Fescue will adapt to shaded conditions as well as sandy soils where drought conditions may exist. Both of the ryegrasses germinate and establish quickly to provide soil stabilization and protection for the slower germinating grasses. This combination of grasses makes this mixture ideal for area where utility is more important than overall long-term turf quality. Speed of establishment and economy are the primary considerations used to design this mixture.

Recommended Use

Landscaper Seed Mix is designed for areas that require quick cover at an economical cost. It should not be used in situations where high maintenance will exist and high quality performance is expected. It can be used successfully on a variety of soils existing on most sites and will function nicely for erosion control and turf cover where budgets dictate economical establishment. It is best used for turf areas receiving low maintenance with low quality expectations.

Suggested Maintenance

Best results are achieved with one or two fertilizations per growing season and irrigation as needed to prevent plant dormancy. The recommended mowing height is 2 – 3 inches with mowing frequency being timed so that no more than approximately 1/3 of the leaf blade is removed with each mowing.

Seeding Rates

- New turf: 5 - 9 lbs./1000 sq. ft. (225-400 lbs/acre)
- Overseed Rate: 4 - 7 lbs/1000 sq. ft. (175-300 lbs/acre)

Establishment

- Germination: 4 – 6 days under ideal conditions