

## FEATURES

- Early spring green-up and excellent fall color
- Moderate winter dormancy
- High degree of heat, stress and drought tolerance
- Fine leaf texture and high shoot density
- Uses: Golf courses, sports fields and home lawns

## BENEFITS

- Strong uniform sod with superior wear tolerance
- Superior turf in varied climate zones and conditions
- Adapted to a wide range of mowing heights and management levels
- Excellent performance under moisture stress

## SEEDING RATES

- Seeds/lb: 850,000
- Seeds/kg: 1,800,000
- New Turf:  
3-5 lbs/1000 sq ft  
15-25 grams/sq m  
125-205 lbs/acre  
150-250 kg/ha
- Overseed Rate:  
2-3 lbs/1000 sq ft  
10-15 grams/sq m  
90-125 lbs/acre  
100-150 kg/ha
- Sports field Repair  
6-8 lbs/1000 sq ft  
30-40 grams/sq m

## ESTABLISHMENT

- Germination: 7-14 days under ideal conditions
- First limited use: 3-6 weeks

## WORLD CUP RYE

BLUEGRASS/RYEGRASS MIXTURE

**World Cup Rye** - Kentucky Bluegrass/Ryegrass Mixture is a select blend of three to five of the top performing bluegrass varieties with 20% superior ryegrass variety. This mixture is designed to maximize turfgrass performance with superior genetics.

### Genetic Diversity & Apomixis

The advantages of blending Kentucky bluegrasses are well known among turfgrass professionals and university researchers. Simply blending bluegrasses by name accomplishes little, if there is no genetic diversity. Unlike most other cool season grasses, Kentucky bluegrasses reproduce by apomixis (asexually). Planting a single Kentucky bluegrass variety (sometimes referred to as a “monostand”) means that you are planting seeds with all of the same growth habits and characteristics. Even though this sounds like the road to a uniform turf, those seedlings also have all of the same inherent weakness for diseases and susceptibilities to environmental stresses.

Fortunately, research has led us to understand better the nature of the different “families” of Kentucky bluegrasses. Some are shorter growing and more compact. Others are finer in texture and darker. Some are faster to germinate and have better disease and stress tolerances. Choosing a blend of Kentucky bluegrasses gives the turf manager the assurance agronomists have combined a number of different varieties which is stronger than the sum of its components. The addition of superior ryegrass leads to quicker establishment and more diversity.

### The Very Best Components Available

World Cup Rye Mixture developed for superior turfgrass performance and improved disease resistance. Whether planted on a golf course, sports field, or home lawn, World Cup Rye is an excellent choice where only the best will do.

