

MAESTRO

TURF TYPE TALL FESCUE

(EXP# T31)

DESCRIPTION

MAESTRO Turf Type Tall Fescue is a new release, selected for improved turf quality and brown patch resistance. MAESTRO'S strong performance includes improved brown patch and other disease tolerance, and excellent turf quality. MAESTRO retains a faster growth characteristic, a trait missing from many breeding programs that focus on dwarf genetics. This faster growth rate equates to resiliency and the ability to "grow through" tough conditions as demonstrated in MAESTRO'S high ratings in tough southern conditions.

APPLICATIONS

Sod production, Sports turf, Lawn & Landscape, Golf Course roughs, parks, and other areas requiring a resilient turf.

GEOGRAPHICAL ADAPTATION.

Selected to perform and persist in extreme conditions of the transition zone and other areas that limit the summer performance and persistence of cool season turf.

FEATURES & BENEFITS

- Southern and Transition Zone Performance
- Heat & Drought Tolerant
- Improved Disease Resistance including Brown Patch & Pythium - reduces or eliminates fungicide applications.
- Faster Recovery
- Excellent summer performance & cool season color retention
- Contains Endophytes

SEEDS PER POUND (APPROXIMATE)

~235,000

RATE*

Overseeding 5-7 lbs./1,000 ft².

New Seeding 8-10 lbs./1,000 ft².

*local conditions vary and dictate rates



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TABLE 3. MEAN TURFGRASS QUALITY RATINGS OF TALL FESCUE
CULTIVARS IN THE TRANSITION ZONE
2013 DATA

TURFGRASS QUALITY RATINGS 1-9; 9=IDEAL TURF 2/

NAME	AR1	KY1	MO1	NC1	TN1	MEAN
U43	7.6	6.8	7.0	6.0	7.8	7.0
REGENERATE	7.6	6.8	6.7	5.0	7.6	6.7
MAESTRO (T31)	7.5	6.8	6.3	5.5	7.5	6.7
RHAMBLER 2 SRP (LSD)	7.3	6.8	6.0	5.6	7.9	6.7
HEMI	7.4	6.7	6.4	5.2	7.5	6.7
FALCON V	7.3	6.5	5.8	6.0	7.5	6.6
FAITH	7.2	6.3	6.3	5.4	7.6	6.6
FALCON IV	7.2	6.3	6.3	5.3	7.5	6.5
FIREBIRD 2	7.4	6.3	6.0	5.0	7.7	6.5
INSPIRATION (PST-R5NW)	7.0	6.0	6.2	5.2	7.6	6.4
ANNIHILATOR LEDEBOER	7.2	5.8	6.0	4.8	7.4	6.3
AQUADUCT	6.7	5.9	5.6	5.5	7.4	6.2
KY-31	4.8	4.0	4.3	3.4	6.4	4.6
LSD VALUE	0.6	0.4	0.7	1.0	0.3	0.3

1/ TO DETERMINE STATISTICAL DIFFERENCES AMONG ENTRIES,
SUBTRACT ONE ENTRY'S MEAN FROM ANOTHER ENTRY'S MEAN.
STATISTICAL DIFFERENCES OCCUR WHEN THIS VALUE IS LARGER
THAN THE CORRESPONDING LSD VALUE (LSD 0.05).

This summary table reports data on named commercial cultivars only.
highest rated entry mean = 7.0, lowest rated entry mean = 4.6.
For complete data set refer to 2012 National Tall Fescue Test
2013 Data Progress Report NTEP No. 14-1 www.ntep.org



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