

TALL FESCUE VARIETIES

Eligible for

MARYLAND CERTIFIED SOD PRODUCTION

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VARIETY	RECOM-MENDED	PROM-ISING	VARIETY	RECOM-MENDED	PROM-ISING
4 TH MILLENNIUM SRP		X	GOLD MEDALLION	X	
ANNAPOLIS	X		GRANDE 3		X
AMITY		X	GTO	X	
AST 7003		X	GUARDIAN 41	X ⁽⁴⁾	
AST 9003		X	HEMI	X	
AVENGER II	X		HOT ROD	X	
BIRMINGHAM		X	HOUNDOG 8	X	
BLACK TAIL	X		HOVER		X
BLADERUNNER II	X ⁽⁴⁾		INFERNO	X ⁽³⁾	
BLOOD HOUND		X	INTEGRITY	X	
BULLSEYE	X		JUSTICE	X	
CAESAR		X	KINGDOM		X
CATALYST	X		LEONARDO	X	
CROSSFIRE 4		X	LIFEGUARD		X
DIABLO		X	MAESTRO	X	
DOUBLE TAKE		X	MERIDAN		X
EMBRACE	X		MICHELANGELO	X	
FALCON V	X		MOONDANCE		X
FANTASIA	X		MUSTANG 4	X	
FAYETTE	X		NIGHT CRAWLER		X
FESNOVA		X	PARAMOUNT		X
FIREBIRD 2	X		PENN RK4	X	
FIRECRACKER SLS	X		PRO GOLD		X
FIREWALL		X	RAPTOR III	X	
FOXHOUND		X	REBEL IV	X	
GAZELLE II	X		REBEL V	X	

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VARIETY	RECOM- MENDED	PROM- -ISING	VARIETY	RECOM- MENDED	PROM- ISING
REBOUNDER	X		SWAGGER		X
REFLECTION	X		TECHNIQUE	X	
REGENERATE	X		TEMPLE	X	
RENDITION RX	X		TERRANO		X
RHAMBLER 2SRP		X	THOR	X	
RHIZING MOON		X	TITANIUM 2LS	X	
ROCKWELL	X		TRAVERSE 2SRP		X
ROWDY	X		TRENDING		X
SALTILLO	X		TURFWAY		X
SCREAMER LS	X		TRINITY	X	
SPEEDWAY	X ⁽⁴⁾		TURBO	X	
SPYDER LS	X		VALKYRIE LS		X
SR-8650	X ⁽⁴⁾		VERT		X
STANDOUT		X	WICHITA		X
SUNSET GOLD	X		XTENDER	X	
SUPERSONIC	X		XTREME GREEN	X ⁽³⁾	

MARYLAND CERTIFIED SOD MIXTURES:

NOTE: TALL FESCUE MUST BE 90-100% OF THE MIXTURE.

VARIETIES MAY BE SEEDED INDIVIDUALLY OR AS BLENDS.

IF SEEDED INDIVIDUALLY, MUST BE TESTED & APPROVED BY MDA/T&S.

SEE LISTING OF KENTUCKY BLUEGRASS VARIETIES ELIGIBLE FOR MIXING WITH TALL FESCUE AT A RATE OF 0-10%.

FOOTNOTE KEY

⁽¹⁾ Indicates varieties to be considered for removal in 2019 due to **declining performance relative to other varieties.**

⁽²⁾ Indicates varieties to be considered for removal in 2019 due to **declining seed quality.**

⁽³⁾ Indicates varieties to be considered for removal in 2019 due to **no recent testing of certified seed in MD or VA.**

⁽⁴⁾ Indicates varieties to be considered for removal due to lack of **current testing in specific category.** Must be included in next available test.

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VARIETY	RECOMMENDED	PROMIS- ING	VARIETY	RECOMMENDED	PROMIS- ING
APOLLO H20		X	FULLBACK	X	
ARIES	X		HAMPTON	X	
BARSERATI		X	KEENELAND		X
BARVETTE		X	LEGEND	X ⁽⁴⁾	
BLUE BANK	X		MERCURY		X
BLUE COAT	X ⁽⁴⁾		MIDNIGHT	X	
BLUE NOTE	X		MYSTERE H20		X
BOLT	X ⁽⁴⁾		NOBLE	X	
CONQUISTADOR		X	SHANNON		X
CREST		X	SKYE	X	
DELTA BLUE		X	SOMBRERO		X
DEJA BLUE		X	SPF 30		X
ENDURANCE	X ⁽⁴⁾		TEJAS		X

KENTUCKY BLUEGRASS VARIETY SELECTION REQUIREMENTS FOR MARYLAND CERTIFIED SOD PRODUCTION

NOTE:

NO ONE VARIETY MAY BE MORE THAN 35%, BY WEIGHT, OF THE MIXTURE.

EACH VARIETY MUST BE 10%, BY WEIGHT, OF THE MIXTURE EXCEPT WHEN MIXED WITH TALL FESCUE.

PROMISING VARIETIES MAY NOT COMPOSE MORE THAN 35%, BY WEIGHT, OF THE TOTAL MIXTURE.

VARIETIES MIXED WITH TALL FESCUE MAY NOT COMPOSE MORE THAN 10%, BY WEIGHT, OF THE TOTAL MIXTURE.

RIDGELINE, VOLT AND WILDHORSE KENTUCKY BLUEGRASS ARE ELIGIBLE TO BE MIXED WITH RECOMMENDED TALL FESCUE VARIETIES OF UP TO 10% OF THE MIX. RIDGELAND, VOLT AND WILDHORSE ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO BE MIXED WITH OTHER KENTUCKY BLUEGRASS VARIETIES IN A KENTUCKY BLUEGRASS BLEND.

PERENNIAL RYEGRASS VARIETIES
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VARIETY	RECOM- MENDED	PROM- ISING		VARIETY	RECOM- MENDED	PROM- ISING
APPLE GL	X ⁽³⁾			INFUSION		X
APPLE SGL	X			INTEGRA SUPREME		X
ASPIRE		X		JETFIRE		X
BANDALORE		X		KARMA	X	
BANFIELD	X			LINE DRIVE GLS	X	
BENCHMARK	X			SOPRANO	X	
DILLIGENT		X		SOPRANO II		X
FIESTA 4	X ⁽¹⁾			STAMINA		X
GRAND SLAM GLD	X			STELLAR 3GL	X	
GREENLAND		X		THRIVE		X
HOMERUN	X			TRANS GLOBAL		X

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FINE FESCUE VARIETIES
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VARIETY	KIND	RECOMMENDED	PROMISING
BEACON	HARD	X	
COMPASS II	CHEWINGS		X
GLADIATOR	HARD		X
JETTY	HARD	X	
MINIMUS	HARD	X	
RADAR	CHEWINGS	X	
RESOLUTE	HARD		X
SEAMIST	CREEPING RED		X
SWORD	HARD	X	

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VEGETATIVE BERMUDAGRASS VARIETIESEligible for
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VARIETY	RECOMMENDED	PROMISING
LATITUDE 36	X	
NORTHBRIDGE	X	
PATRIOT	X	
PREMIER	X	
TAHOMA 31		X
TIFTUF		X

SEEDED BERMUDAGRASS VARIETIESEligible for
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VARIETY	RECOMMENDED	PROMISING
RIVIERA	X ⁽³⁾	
YUKON	X ⁽³⁾	
MONACO		X

VEGETATIVE ZOYSIAGRASS VARIETIESEligible for
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VARIETY	RECOMMENDED	PROMISING
MEYER	X	
ZEON	X	

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VARIETY	RECOMMENDED	PROMISING
ZENITH	X	

