HAMPTON  KENTUCKY BLUEGRASS

Poa pratensis

DESCRIPTION

Hampton Kentucky bluegrass is A-LIST quality and has been nicknamed "The Root Monster" due to its standout deep and fibrous root production. This variety is a favorite Super Elite of turfgrass sod producers and rated near the top in shear strength across multiple blends, mixtures, and species at Cornell University. Hampton also adds terrific winter color, excellent spring green up and seedling vigor, drought tolerance, and traffic performance with the highest rated horizontal shoot-leaf growth habit to sports, golf and showcase lawns as well. Additionally, Hampton Kentucky bluegrass is ranked #1 under Saline irrigation in New Mexico. Hampton is adapted to cool season and transition zones.

APPLICATIONS

Sports turf, sod production, golf and lawn turf

GEOGRAPHICAL ADAPTATION

Cool-season and transition zones

PRODUCTION AREAS

Pacific Northwest

NTEP RESULTS

Rated #1 for Saline Irrigation, Summer Stress (8.3)

Rated #2 for Rust Disease (7.0), Winter Color (7.6)

FEATURES & BENEFITS

Wear tolerant

Excellent heat and drought performance

Low mowing height

Improved resistance to summer patch, dollar spot, and red thread diseases

Salt tolerant

SEEDING RATE (pounds/1,000 ft²) *

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*Local conditions vary and dictate rates

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ALLIANCE FOR LOW INPUT SUSTAINABLE TURF

A-LIST