CREEPING BENTGRASS

*Agrostis palustris*

**DESCRIPTION**

Creeping bentgrass is a stoloniferous, somewhat rhizomatous, cool-season, perennial grass. It is typically used for putting greens, bowling lawns and erosion control. Of the cool-season grasses, it is the finest-bladed, lowest-growing, and highest-maintenance. Establishment for this soft, dense grass is slow to normal and it requires a well-prepared seed bed with good drainage. Creeping bentgrass spreads laterally requiring more controlled management and making its use in home lawns and parks limited. This long-lived turf grass performs great when closely mowed at 1/8 to ½ inch, fertilized, and mowed consistently. Creeping bentgrass grows best in full sun but will survive in light shade.

**APPLICATIONS**

- Golf greens and tees, croquet, lawn bowling, lawn tennis, divot repair on golf course fairways

**GEORGAPHICAL ADAPTATION**

- Cool-season zone

**FEATURES & BENEFITS**

- High quality, attractive turf
- Spreads laterally
- Finest bladed and lowest growing cool-season turf grass

**SEEDS PER POUND (approximate)**

6,000,000

**SEEDING RATE (pounds/1,000 ft²)** *

1-1.5

*local conditions vary and dictate rates