





# BIG LEAGUE PERENNIAL RYEGRASS

- RAPID GERMINATION
- FAST ESTABLISHMENT
- EXCELLENT TURF QUALITY
- **O DARK GREEN**
- SELECTED FOR OVERSEEDING

## THE LEAGUE LEADER IN ESTABLISHMENT

**Big League** is a leading perennial ryegrass in a number of important turfgrass categories. **Big League** was specifically selected for overseeding due to its rapid germination and fast establishment. **Big League** provides cover quickly allowing for use sooner than other varieties. **Big League** is also a very attractive turf, scoring high in turfgrass color, quality and leaf texture and ranking second in overall quality at the recent NC State trial. In addition, once **Big League** has completely established, it will grow slower resulting in fewer mowings and less clippings.





#### **7-DAY % TURFGRASS COVER**

HIGH BIG LEAGUE	43.75 <b>36.25</b>	0	
LOW LSD	6.25 7.1		

Big League germinates and establishes very fast, ranking near the top in the recent NC State trial.

2016/2017 NC State Winter Overseeding Trials on Athletic Fields/Fairway Height Bermudagrass

### **TURFGRASS QUALITY - MEAN**

HIGH BIG LEAGUE	7.89 <b>7.78</b>	0
LOW LSD	2.72 0.24	

Big League has excellent turf quality, ranking second in overall quality in the recent NC State trial.

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#### TURFGRASS COLOR - MEAN

TOTAL CILITIES		
HIGH BIG LEAGUE	8.25 <b>7.70</b>	0
LOW LSD	2.78 0.23	

Big League has excellent color, maintaining its dark green hue all season long.

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#### **AREAS OF USE**

- LANDSCAPED AREAS
- SPORTS TURF
- FAIRWAYS
- WARM-SEASON OVERSEEDING
- RESIDENTIAL LAWNS

### ARIZONA DATA

VARIETY	CANOPY HEIGHT 10/16/2015	TURFGRASS COLOR GRAND MEAN	TURFGRASS TEXTURE GRAND MEAN
BIG LEAGUE (PR)	2.0	6.5	7.6
NOMAD 4 (PR)	3.3	6.1	7.0
CARLY (PR)	2.8	6.0	6.5
RODEO 3 (PR)	3.3	6.3	7.1
CANDIDAME (AR)	3.5	5.1	5.8
LSD VALUE	1.1	0.7	0.8

2015-2016 UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA OVERSEED FAIRWAY TRIALS

**SEEDING AND OVERSEEDING** Big League readily establishes on loosened bare soil or after verticutting existing turf for renovation and overseeding. For typical new seeding applications, apply at a rate of 5-7 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. Periodic reseeding at 3-5 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. maintains density for visual appearance and durability. For overseeding dormant warm season grasses, a rate of 30-40 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. is suggested for golf course greens. And 7-10 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. (300-450 lbs. per acre) for tees, fairways and roughs.

**MAINTENANCE** Big League will form a tight knit turf under a broad range of soil types and environmental conditions, from full sun to medium shade. It will mow cleanly at heights of 1/2" and above. Big League can be maintained at fairway cutting heights when appropriate management practices are observed.



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