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TURF PRODUCT GUIDE



KENTUCKY BLUEGRASS

ACOUSTIC	A top performer in the NTEP overall mean quality. Proven to be exceptional in the Northeast and Transition Region for Turfgrass Quality! And with top ratings on summer density and dark green genetic color, Acoustic comes through loud and clear as the next Kentucky Bluegrass standout!
ARROWHEAD	Top NTEP performer that has a deep, dark green color with moderate density and texture. Strong northern performance, including shade. Very good sod strength. Excellent overall disease resistance.
BLUE NOTE	Elite, compact America-type that is #1 in the NTEP. Broad-spectrum disease and insect resistance, drought tolerance and excellent winter color. High sod strength. Increased shade tolerance.
BOLT	Improved Washington/Jefferson type from Eurasia. Ranked first in seedling vigor and % establishment. Its rapid germination and fast establishment allows it to crowd out weeds, suppress poa and form a dense sward.
LEGEND	Aggressive Midnight-type, dark green. Ideal for use in both high and low maintenance applications. Very fine leaf texture and aggressive. Ideal for sports fields, tees, and sod production. Improved disease resistance.
NAVY	Great versatility and performance at an economical price. An early maturing KBG that exhibits excellent spring greenup and improved disease resistance. Medium-dark color which blends well with a wide range of cool season mixes.
SHADOW HAWK	A well-rounded, strong performing Shamrock type Kentucky Bluegrass. Key highlights of this cultivar include quick spring greenup, shade tolerance, density, and traffic stress. Shadow Hawk is adapted for multiple climates; performing especially well in the Northeast and Transition zones.
VOLT	Improved Shamrock-type performs well including the transition zone. Fast-establishing, rich green color, low cut density retention, wear tolerance and excellent sod strength. Outstanding disease resistance.
365ss PREMIUM BLEND	A revolutionary bluegrass blend that offers the best of what sports turf professionals demand. 365ss is extremely fast to germinate and establish creating a dense sward that offers superior sod strength. Its dark green color and excellent turf quality provide a beautiful field that looks as good on television as it does in person. 365ss also holds up to extreme wear and traffic, recovering quickly between games and allowing for more use with fewer days in between.

FAHRENHEIT 90

A new "poa" species that promises improved drought and heat tolerance as well as better disease resistance in more humid environments, typical of the transition zone and south. Good color and texture—sun into shade.



Any variety with the A-LIST logo next to it denotes a variety that has been approved by the Alliance for Low Input Sustainable Turf. These varieties have shown the ability to maintain excellent turf quality under the harshest conditions, requiring less water, fertilizer, and chemicals to do so. A-LIST products have been independently tested by the country's most respected turfgrass science universities.



Any variety with the LS logo next to it designates it as a variety that has our patented Lateral Spread Technology. These varieties were bred specifically to excel under the intense wear found on sports fields and golf courses. They spread by tillers to form a dense, wear tolerant, self-repairing turf.



WaterGard NP® (the NP stands for Nutrient Package) when used on seed can reduce irrigation costs and overall environmental impacts. WaterGard NP® captures and slowly releases just the right amount of moisture to the seed as needed during the germination period. This process ensures more seeds establish and germinate leading to a thicker lawn with less weed pressure and a better overall condition.

RYEGRASS APPLE 3GL PERENNIAL Apple 3GL is a high performing variety in the recent NTEP trial. Apple 3GL has extreme salt and cold tolerance, making it a great choice in northern climates where salt and snowmelt are used.

BIG LEAGUE PERENNIAL	Specifically selected for overseeding due to its rapid germination and quick establishment. Big League is a very attractive turf, scoring high in turfgrass color, quality, and leaf texture.
BLACKCAT II PERENNIAL	Bred for both cool-season and overseeding performance. Very dark green color and quick establishment and fill-in. Mows cleanly and recovers well from traffic and heavy wear.
BLACKSTONE PERENNIAL	Blackstone has excellent turf quality, ranking third in the latest NC State winter overseeding trial. Blackstone exhibits a very dark green color and retains its color throughout the season.
BLACK PEARL PERENNIAL	A very dark green, ranking in the top 3 entries of the recent NC State overseeding trial. In addition, Black Pearl scored in the top group for turf quality, having fine blades and excellent density.
BLACK SPARROW PERENNIAL	Selected for aggressive tillering, good growth during cooler temperatures, darker green color and improved resistance to winter leaf spot. An excellent choice for both overseeding and permanent turf situations. Highly rated for fine leaf texture and mowing quality.
FASTBALL 3GL	A triple threat for the proven Fastball line! Fastball 3GL has excellent turf quality and is a top NTEP performer in all categories. Excellent gray leaf spot resistance and rated in the top statistical group in the recent NTEP trial, and excels in Northern climates with first-rate cold tolerance.
HOME RUN LS	Home Run LS has excellent overall turf quality and wear tolerance thanks to its LS characteristics. Home Run LS also has excellent overall disease resistance, ranking at the top of the NTEP.
SLIDER LS PERENNIAL	Slider LS combines high turf quality with an improved Lateral SpreadTM ability to deliver an outstanding perennial ryegrass variety with top rated wear tolerance.
SLUGGER 3GL	Slugger 3GL has excellent color and leaf texture, producing a dense attractive turf. Slugger 3GL has excellent gray leaf spot resistance, excellent winter-hardiness, and grows quickly in the spring.
STELLAR 4GL	4th gen Gray Leaf Spot resistant entry! Excels in NTEP traffic stress trials and beats Crown Rust and Pink Snow Mold handily. Combines elite turf quality and some of the fastest Divot Recovery around!
SUPERSTAR GL PERENNIAL	Gray Leaf resistance and NTEP proven for great Northeast Turf Quality. Superstar GL is proven to handle cold, drought stress, and reduced irrigation. With some of our earliest Spring Green-Up, and dark green genetic color, make Superstar GL your 1st Perennial Ryegrass choice!
TORSION PERENNIAL	Selected for improved turf quality and strong lateral spread ability. Torsion has excellent wear tolerance and a beautiful dark green color making it an ideal choice for sports turf applications.
LATERAL SPREAD BLEND	Our all-LS blend of elite grass varieties bred specifically to excel under wear. Self-repairing lateral spread tillers fill in bare spots in heavy traffic areas. Gray Leaf Spot resistant, dark green color, fine leaf texture and lateral spread ability create a dense sward.
BREAKOUT II TURF-TYPE ANNUAL	The next generation of Smooth Transition Technology! Breakout combines Perennial Ryegrass-like quality and color with the easy transition and lowered inputs of an Italian ryegrass.

SOLSTICE IIBred for ease of transition as well as improved overseeding performance in value-oriented,INTERMEDIATElower-maintenance situations. Great color and density. Excellent tolerance to traffic and wear.

TALL FESCUE	
AVENGER III	Adapted to both high heat and extreme cold climates. Avenger III pushes the tall fescue boundaries. Excels with Brown Patch resistance and is one of the highest NTEP scores under Drought Stress.
DYNAMITE G-LS	Produces rapidly, establishing quick tillering plants that are perfect for shade and sod production. It stands up to tough diseases like Pythium blight and maintains high turf quality.
FIRECRACKER 🚯 🙆	Lateral Spread toughness with the first NTEP-proven resistance to Gray Leaf Spot! A new standard for durability thanks to aggressive recovery and density, it shines in summer's heat.
RAPTOR LS	Combines top Turf Quality at NTEP Northeast & Transition Zone locations with selective breeding for tough Lateral Spread™ parents. Raptor LS is dark green with excellent seedling vigor, wear tolerance, and compact growth for low mowing heights.
SPYDER 2LS	Excellent NTEP scores across all US test locations. Spyder 2LS pairs fine leaf blades with Lateral Spread tillering, recovery, and disease resistance to crowd out weeds for a pure turfgrass stand.
STEALTH	Quick, aggressive establishment, recovery from summer heat and disease plus the ability to be low-mowed. It has fine texture, and performs well for turf quality in the Northeast and Transition.
SUPERSONIC	Ranked at the top of the NTEP in all categories with improved drought resistance and excellent performance in the southeast region. Fine leaf texture, early spring green-up, high seedling vigor.
TITANIUM G-LS	Gray Leaf and Lateral Spread, the ultimate combo! The newest Titanium follows the family lineage of heat and drought tolerance, outstanding NTEP turf quality, sod strength and robust disease resistance.
VALKYRIE LS	A stalwart cultivar in the LS line, Valkyrie LS is a top NTEP performer. It has excellent wear tolerance and holds up to traffic very well. In addition, its fine leaf texture and dark green color make it an ideal choice for premier turf needs. High seedling vigor allows it to out-compete weeds.
OPTIMUM BLEND	Top-rated tall fescue varieties to create a premium blend of tall fescue. This blend performs exceptionally well across multiple US climatic zones. NTEP top group rated for Gray Leaf Spot and Brown Patch resistance, shade tolerance, traffic stress, drought tolerance, and density.
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LASER	Laser germinates quickly and can be cut immediately after overseeding, making it a natural choice for winter overseeding in the south.	
STARLITE II	Rich, dark color, compact and dense, uniform texture. For smoother overseeding transitions and moist shaded sites.	
COSMIC BLEND	This blend combines the unique traits available in both Starlite II and Laser for a poa triv solution that offers great color and leaf texture along with the ability to tolerate a low height of cut.	

WARM-SEASON	
RIO ELITE BERMUDAGRASS	Rio exhibits excellent cold and frost tolerance as well as early spring greenup. Rio germinates quickly, has excellent turf quality and good wear tolerance. Rio is dark green, fine bladed and dense.
PROFESSIONAL'S CHOICE BERMUDAGRASS BLEND	A premium blend of two highly-rated turf-type bermudagrass varieties—North Shore SLT and Highlander. These two varieties offer superior turf quality, and rank high in the NTEP.
HERITAGE COLD TOLERANT BERMUDAGRASS	A great workhorse variety with several key characteristics; excellent cold tolerance, fine leaf texture, improved density, and nice genetic color. This cultivar is a great option for the landscape market.

FINE FESCUE	
BEACON II HARD	A use-anywhere selection when soil and fertility are lacking, and irrigation is absent. Year-round dense sward, aggressive establishment, and drought tolerance that is 2nd to none in the latest NTEP trials.
JETTY HARD	Jetty ranked highest in the NTEP for shade tolerance. It can withstand low mowing and is one of the darkest hard fescues available. In addition, it has excellent disease resistance and drought tolerance.
CARDINAL II CREEPING RED	Cardinal II scored high in all turf-quality ratings of the NTEP including color. It is a dark green cultivar with improved salt tolerance that can withstand lower mowing heights.
HARBOR MR CREEPING RED	Performs well with little to no plant injury when Mesotrione is applied during establishment. Excels in shade and drought tolerance, and rated well for spring green-up, summer and fall density.
NAVIGATOR III CREEPING RED	Performs in shaded and poorly irrigated areas where fertility and pesticide inputs are lacking. Continues its excellence in turf quality and drought stress while improving traffic stress and shade tolerance.
SEAMIST SLENDER CREEPER	SeaMist is a revolutionary slender creeping red fescue that can germinate in water that is up to 40% as saline as sea water. SeaMist an ideal choice in areas where effluent water is used to irrigate.
COMPASS II CHEWINGS	Compass II has excellent shade tolerance. It ranked at the top of the NTEP turf quality ratings under low mow conditions. Compass II has great disease resistance and improved salt tolerance.
RADAR II CHEWINGS	At the top of its class in drought resistance and summer density. It's no surprise that it also ranked highest for establishment and traffic stress. Widely adapted from the transition zone northward.
BLUE HORNET SHEEP	Germinates rapidly but grows extremely slow under little or no inputs. Blue Hornet has improved adaptability to heat and marginal soils while also exhibiting better persistence in drought.

BENTGRASS	
AU VICTORY CREEPING	A creeping Bentgrass cultivar that stands up to the harshest conditions. Superior color, shoot density and root length in heat stress environments when compared to industry benchmark varieties.
BARRACUDA CREEPING	Upright and aggressive growth with improved dollar spot resistance. Top-quality ranking in current NTEP green and fairway trials with leading scores in texture, green-up and frost tolerance.
OAKLEY CREEPING	Performs excellent as a versatile creeping Bentgrass; turf quality rates in the top NTEP group for both greens and fairways. This is the next generation of outstanding genetics that is sure to leave a legacy!
PIPER CREEPING	Piper is a top-rated turf quality Bentgrass for both greens and fairways. The latest generation of top tier Bentgrass has arrived! Just as Dr. Charles Piper left a lasting impact, Piper creeping Bentgrass is sure to leave a legacy!
PIRANHA CREEPING	High turf quality, excellent choice for greens. Performs well on fairways and tees as well. Good resistance to dollar spot and tolerates heat and high humidity.
SHARK CREEPING	Aggressive, bright, dark green color, with high shoot density. Improved summer performance and disease resistance, particularly to dollar spot and take-all patch. Tiger Shark in EU countries.
MUSKET COLONIAL	Quick to recover in the spring, greening up faster than most other varieties. Musket was developed from germplasm that combined early spring green-up with improved summer performance.
CENTENNIAL BLEND	Centennial blends Piper and Oakley to create the ultimate bentgrass for superior tee to green use. Disease resistance combined with high turf quality make this blend one for the ages.

We Believe in Better.

They say competition brings out the best in you; nowhere is that more relevant than in turfgrass breeding. From beginning to end, Mountain View Seeds varieties are put through rigorous testing. Only the strongest will survive and make their way into a bag of premium grass seed from MVS. But the testing and evaluation doesn't end there. Additionally, Mountain View Seeds varieties are constantly University-tested for regional adaptability and the biggest test of all comes on the field.

Many varieties perform well under ideal conditions. But the true test of a variety is how it performs in the real world. Any shortcoming will reveal itself on the field, where our varieties consistently outperform.

Mountain View Seeds is committed to promoting sustainable turfgrass cultivars and has partnered with the A-LIST program. The A-LIST (Alliance for Low Input Sustainable Turf) seeks to define and promote turfgrass varieties that continue to exhibit good turf quality in less-than-ideal conditions.

RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT

We're devoted to developing and acquiring grass seed of the highest genetic quality. We continually look for varieties with improved resistance to disease and pests. You'll find our varieties on the front page of the NTEP. We work closely with the research programs at Rutgers and other universities. With a full spectrum of turf varieties, we can fulfill all your seed needs.



Pinnacle Ag Research Center (PARC) specializes in variety testing,

management practices, and environmental impact studies. Located in the heart of the transition zone where plants are exposed to hot summers and cold winters. These extremes allow us to perform trials designed to alleviate stress and the pests associated with it.



PEAK Plant Genetics is responsible for releasing more new turfgrass and forage varieties than any other private company in the USA. Every year over 150,000 individual plants and

1,500 turf plots are planted on the 80-acre research farm located in the Willamette Valley.

PRODUCTION & CONDITIONING

Our growers rotate the full-spectrum of grasses with more than 50 other crops. Crop rotation preserves the soil fertility and produces the clean, high-quality seed the Willamette Valley is famous for. We are proud of the guality seed our growers produce. Need 100 tons of turf seed in a hurry? Our state-of-the-art conditioning facility cleans up to 200,000 pounds a day.

BLENDING & PACKAGING

We have seven blending and packaging lines that can produce up to 750,000 pounds a day. We can create attractive packages that look good on the shelf with seed that performs well in the field.

SERVICE & DELIVERY

You'll always talk to a real person when you call Mountain View Seeds, someone who'll answer the guestions you have. Our expanded warehouse and loading docks help allow us to ship more product sooner. Always delivering the right seed, in the right package, to the right place—on time.

