



Piranha is a new creeping bentgrass variety developed specifically to tolerate heat and a number of other stressors that destroy tees and greens resulting in costly repairs. Piranha was bred to excel in high heat conditions that so easily destroy other lesser varieties. Progeny tests were conducted across multiple sites and locations to identify deep rooted, stress resistance germplasm. Piranha was then selected for improved turf quality and seed yield. In addition Piranha has also shown excellent disease resistance to dollar spot and brown patch.

TOLERATES HIGH HEAT CONDITIONS

DEEP ROOTED

DROUGHT TOLERANT

BROWN PATCH AND DOLLAR SPOT RESISTANCE

EXCELLENT TURF QUALITY

AREAS OF USE

- Golf Course Greens, Tees, and Fairways
- Athletic Turf
- Sod Production
- Professional Landscape

NTEP DATA

Variety	Turf Quality Overall	Dollar Spot Resistance	Fall Density	Brown Patch Resistance	Turf Quality Drought
Piranha	6.6	7.6	9.0	9.0	6.0
L-93XD	6.4	7.7	8.0	8.8	5.9
007	6.3	7.1	7.3	8.8	6.2
V8	6.3	7.1	5.7	8.7	5.7
Crystal Bluelinks	6.0	6.0	6.0	8.7	5.6
Kingdom	5.9	6.1	5.0	9.0	5.9
LSD	0.3	1.4	1.3	0.7	1.1

2014 National Bentgrass Fairway or Tee Trial, 2016 Report Mean Data, Drought Ratings UC Riverside, CA. Turfgrass Quality and Other Ratings 1-9; 9=Best

SEEDING

New Seeding: at a rate of ¾-1¼ lbs per 1000 sq ft, in two directions, and with soil temperatures ideally above 65°F. An extender like granular corn meal may improve uniformity. Insure solid seed to soil contact. Interseeding: aerify or verticut to open up canopy. Topdress to fill open areas to create a favorable seed bed. Broadcast, slitseed, or drop seed at ¼ to ½ lbs per 1000 sq ft. Roll to establish good seed to soil contact. Water enough to start the germination process. Enjoy.

