

DARLINGTON II

TURF TYPE TALL FESCUE

Darlington II Turf Type Tall Fescue is an improved turf variety that offers better performance in today's marketplace. It has improved resistance to crown stem rust, drought, and brown patch. **Darlington II** is better than Darlington for improved brown patch, its darker green color and improved density during the growing season. It has excellent seedling vigor and a narrow to middle blade width.

Darlington II blends very well with other high-quality turf type tall fescue varieties, Kentucky bluegrass, and perennial ryegrass varieties offered by Columbia River Seed. If you are looking for cutting-edge technology in turf tall fescue, **Darlington II** is the perfect choice.

VARIETY	2015 TURF QUALITY		2015 GENETIC COLOR		2015 LEAF TEXTURE	
	OR	PA	OR	PA	OR	PA
Darlington II (CS-D2)	7.1	6.8	7.4	7.2	7.8	7.9
Integrity	6.8	6.7	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.5
Mustang 4	5.8	5.4	5.7	5.0	6.3	6.1
Crossfire3	5.0	4.9	4.7	4.2	5.4	4.6
Bonsai	5.8	4.8	5.3	4.6	6.2	4.6
Rebel II	4.3	4.2	3.7	3.8	4.1	4.2
Silverado	4.9	4.1	4.2	3.6	4.1	4.0
Bonanza	4.1	3.8	5.1	3.5	4.0	3.5
Ky-31	2.3	2.4	2.0	1.9	1.7	2.6
Grand Mean	6.6	6.4	6.5	6.2	6.5	6.2
Highest Rated Entry	7.9	7.8	7.8	7.8	8.2	8.0
Lowest Rated Entry	2.3	2.4	2.0	1.9	1.7	2.6
LSD @ 0.05	0.8	0.7	0.7	1.0	1.1	1.0
CV (%)	7.7	7.1	7.6	9.7	10.2	10.1

Table 3. Turf trials were established in late August 2014 at Verboort, Oregon and September 2014 at Pipersville, Pennsylvania. Experimental design was randomized complete block with three replications for both locations. Cutting height at both locations was 1.5 inches. Both trials received 6 pounds of actual Nitrogen from the fall of 2014 through the summer of 2015. Irrigation was applied to prevent stress. The total number of entries at each trial location was 68. The turf performance data is from 2015. Ratings were made using a 1-9 scale for each trait as follows: Turfgrass quality where 9 = ideal turf, Color where 9 = darkest green, Density where 9 = most dense and Leaf texture where 9 = very fine.

FACTS:

- Dark Green Color
- Drought Tolerance
- Improved Disease Resistance
- Seedling Vigor

APPLICATIONS:

- Residential Lawns
- Commercial Properties
- Parks
- Golf Course Roughs
- Sod Production

SEEDING RATES:

- New Establishment:
8-10 LBS/1000 sq. ft.
- Overseeding:
4-5 LBS/1000 sq. ft.

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