



MONTEREY 3

PERENNIAL RYEGRASS

ATTRIBUTES

★'s 5 = Outstanding, 4 = Very Good, 3 = Good, 2 = Moderate, 1 = Poor

★★★★★	Seedling Vigor	★★★★★	Leaf Spot Resistance
★★★★★	Brown Patch Resistance	★★★★★	Pink Snow Mold Resistance
★★★★★	Winter Color	★★★★★	Red Thread Resistance
★★★★★	Traffic Tolerance	★★★★★	Pythium Blight Resistance
★★★★★	Cold Tolerance	★★★★★	Genetic Color

PERFORMANCE HIGHLIGHTS

SEEDLING VIGOR: Monterey 3 is one of our fastest germinating ryegrasses with its excellent seedling vigor. You get a jump on establishment making Monterey 3 a splendid addition to projects that need to be up quick.

WINTER PERFORMANCE: Even during winter months, Monterey 3 shows great color retention making it a wonderful choice for winter overseeding. In Northern climates, Monterey 3 has good winterhardiness, reduced damage and low temperature injury.

EXCELLENT DISEASE & PEST PACKAGE: Monterey 3 has a superior pest and disease profile showing high resistance to brown patch, *Bipolaris* and *Drechslera* leaf spot, pink snow mold, and red thread. Monterey 3 also has good resistance to pythium blight and many other common turf pests.

WEAR TOLERANCE: Monterey 3 performs like a champ even under heavy traffic conditions and demonstrated good tolerance in university trials in Michigan, Nebraska, and New York that use wear machines.

BROAD ADAPTATION: Monterey 3's dark color and good density enhance its wide adaptation. Monterey 3 has stand-out

performance under diverse weather conditions where they have hot/humid summers and cold winters, and it performs well throughout the Transition zone.

LOWER MOWING HEIGHTS: Monterey 3 performs well under various mowing heights including lower fairway cuts. Proven performance at 7/16" (11 mm) on golf course fairways yet adaptable to the higher cutting heights of 1½" to 2" (37.5 to 50 mm) favored by parks and homeowners.

OVERSEEDING: With improvements over the popular Monterey II, Monterey 3 is a natural for winter overseeding on dormant bermudagrass and can be taken down to putting green heights. Tested at 7/16" mowing height at Toscana Country Club in Indian Wells, California, Monterey 3 had great quality and was the darkest variety in the trial.

BLENDS WELL: Monterey 3 performs well alone or in mixtures with Kentucky bluegrass or fine fescues for permanent turf in temperate and transition zone climates. Plant at 4-7 lb. per 1000 sq. ft. (20-35 g/m²). Monterey 3 is adapted to use on golf course fairways, roughs, and tees, sports turf, home lawns, parks, and industrial and school sites.



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