



## ATTRIBUTES

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

★★★★★	Close Mowing	★★★★★	Establishment
★★★★★	Genetic Color	★★★★★	Rust
★★★★★	Turf Density	★★★★★	Summer Patch
★★★★★	Traffic Tolerance	★★★★★	Dollar Spot

- A new variety that has eclipsed the competition, **Solar Eclipse** Kentucky bluegrass (*Poa pratensis*) tied for #1 in overall turf quality in the latest NTEP (published 2008 Final Report) for Kentucky bluegrasses maintained at 1-2" with scheduled maintenance.
- **Jacklin Seed's darkest green bluegrass, Solar Eclipse exhibits premium quality turf and exceptional color** under any maintenance schedule, from closely mowed fairways to home lawn protocols.
- Exceptionally quick to establish, **Solar Eclipse** will maintain its concentrated density throughout the year.
- **With outstanding** adaptation to all areas of Kentucky bluegrass use, Solar Eclipse is a 'must use' component for all Kentucky bluegrass sod blends and mixes and ideal for all bluegrass sports and recreational turf.

## PERFORMANCE HIGHLIGHTS

**TENACIOUS GROUND COVERAGE:** Few bluegrasses equal **Solar Eclipse's** ability to crowd the ground with dense, dark green foliage throughout the growing season. In university trials, it surpassed most available bluegrass varieties in spring, summer, and fall shoot density and ground coverage. Put **Solar Eclipse** to work for you.

**TOUGH TO WEAR OUT:** In vigorous wear trials in both Wisconsin and New Jersey, **Solar Eclipse** scored among the toughest, most resilient varieties in wear tolerance. For sports and recreational turf, this means more green grass, less bare ground, safer fields, and better play.

**A TRUE FAIRWAY BLUEGRASS:** Every bluegrass fairway mixture should include **Solar Eclipse**. It's unsurpassed in close-cut tolerance down to ½ inch (12 mm) mowing height and its uniform density affords better lies.

**TOPS IN TRANSITION ZONE:** **Solar Eclipse** ranked in the top statistical group in the 2007 NTEP data for transition locations. With its strong performance in summer's heat and humidity, it will be a favorite of Transition Zone turf managers.

**DISEASE RESISTANCE:** **Solar Eclipse** fights the browning caused by many common lawn diseases with its natural disease resistance. In North American university trials, **Solar Eclipse** ranked high against summer patch, stem rust, and dollar spot. Improved resistance means fewer fungicides and a greener turf all year long.

**BLENDS WELL:** **Solar Eclipse's** rich, very dark green color and improved performance compliments all Jacklin grasses. Seed at 2-3 lbs./1000 ft<sup>2</sup> (10-15 g/m<sup>2</sup>) with other bluegrasses. With perennial ryegrass mix at 80% **Solar Eclipse** or with turf-type tall fescue at 10% **Solar Eclipse**.

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