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## Technical Data Sheet

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# Creeping Red Fescue Fine Fescue

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### Description

Introduced from Europe and adapted to most climates of North America. Creeping red fescue is medium to dark green in color and reproduces by tillers and very short rhizomes. This grass performs well in open sun and moderate shade. It exhibits a very fine almost wiry texture and when left unmowed grows to 15 inches high giving a 'meadow' effect.

### Characteristics

#### FEATURES:

- Very fine texture
- Germinates quickly
- Gray-green to Blue-green color
- Shade tolerance
- Long slender leaf blades

#### BENEFITS:

- Uniform Growth habit
- Rapid establishment
- Low fertilizer requirements
- Useful in shade mixtures
- Attractive as slope or ground cover

### Uses:

Turfgrass mixtures for sun or shade.  
Ground cover or slope mixtures for erosion control as an unmowed grass.  
Can be mixed with wildflowers.

### Specifications:

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400,000 – 500,000 Seeds per pound

98% Minimum Purity

90% Minimum germination

### Seeding Rates:

New turf or ground cover: 5-7 pounds per 1000 square feet



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## Creeping Red Fescue

### **Establishment:**

Emergence: 10-14 days with proper irrigation.

Establishment: 6-8 weeks. Best seeded in Fall, winter and spring.

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### **Adaptability and Care:**

Growing region: A cool season preferably on well drained soils.

pH Range: Will tolerate slightly acid conditions.

Salinity: slightly tolerant of saline conditions

### **Quality Assurance:**

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