

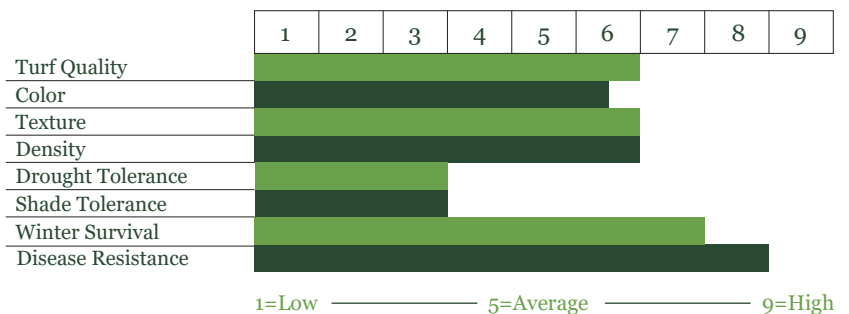
Turf

# NuSprint

COMMON NAME: Turf Type Annual Ryegrass

SPECIES: *Lolium multiflorum*

NuSprint turf type annual ryegrass was developed by OreGro Research for those who need a cost effective, disease resistant variety that transitions quick from cool-season to warm-season turf in the spring. With turf professionals in mind, NuSprint is an alternative for overseeding warm season grasses and goes well as a component in fine turf seed mixtures that include perennial ryegrass, fine fescue, and Kentucky bluegrass.



## MEDIUM MATURITY

USAGE
Mixtures with perennial ryegrass, fine fescues, tall fescues, and Kentucky bluegrass
Quick temporary cover
Overseeding warm season grasses

## SEEDING RATES

Mixtures: 1-5 lb per 1,000 sqft

Quick Cover: 10 lb per 1,000 sqft

Overseed: 10 lb per 1,000 sqft  
450 lb per acre



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SEED COUNT:  
220,000 seeds/lb



## FERTILIZER MANAGEMENT

- Always take a soil test and consult your local extension service or fertilizer dealer for specific recommendations.
- Correct soil acidity, best between 5.5 and 7.
- Sowing: depending on the results of the soil test, a complete fertilizer such as 16-16-16 at 5 lb per 1000 sqft, is helpful for establishment.
- Applying 1 lb of nitrogen per 1000 sqft four times per year will keep the turf a pleasant green color. One of the applications should be made in the late fall.

## CLIMATE

## MONTHS OF SOWING

### ZONES

	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
2A, 2B			●	●						●	●	●
3A, 3B			●	●						●	●	●
4A, 4B				●	●				●	●		
5A, 5B					●	●			●	●		
6A, 6B					●	●						

## SOIL TYPE

Adapted to a wide range of soils from clay loam to sandy loam. Soil should have adequate surface drainage.

## IRRIGATION MANAGEMENT

- Sowing: Keep soil uniformly moist until grass has emerged. Reduce watering, depending on weather conditions.
- Maintenance: Depending on weather conditions, irrigate as needed to prevent wilting and dormancy. Irrigating deeply and infrequently will force deeper rooting and enhance drought tolerance.

## MOWING MANAGEMENT

- Healthiest mowing height is between 3 and 4.5 inches. Mow when no more than 1/3 of the leaf blade is removed.
- Sports fields may be mowed shorter for short periods of time.
- Roadsides/low maintenance: mow once per year up to once a month. Mow higher for better turf resilience.

