

## TALL FESCUE

## **Bladerunner**



## Bladerunner II - Turf-Type Tall Fescue

demonstrates superior summer performance coupled with rapid tillering and the production of underground rhizomes. It is a persistent endophyte enhanced variety that is well adapted to hot summers, lower fertility soils, high salt conditions, shade, and tough use.

Bladerunner II is a spreading turf-type tall fescue. It was developed at the DLF Pickseed research station, and originated form tillers taken from elite selections of spreading (rhizomatous) turf-type tall fescues that also exhibited superior summer performance.

Bladerunner II has excellent summer performance. It posted top scores in the 2007 to 2011 NTEP trials for drought tolerance. It placed in the top 10 in the four location trial.

SEEDING RATE	ESTAB. RATE	MOWING FREQ.	NITROGEN REQ.	ENDOPHYTE +
8-10	9-13	1.0	LOW	YES
LBS PER 1000 SQ. FT.	DAYS	PER WEEK		



TURF QUALITY

GENETIC COLOR

TRAFFIC TOLERANCE

SHADE TOLERANCE

DROUGHT TOLERANCE

(Rating: 1-9, 1: Poor; 9: Excellent)								
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9

NTEP 2011 FALL DENSIT	ſΥ	NTEP 20 TURF QUA @3 Southeast L	LITY
Honky Tonk	7.7	Bladerunnei	II 5.8
Bladerunner II	7.0	Falcon V	5.6
Guardian 41	6.2	Faith	5.4
Faith	6.0	Falcon IV	5.4
Falcon IV	6.0	Sunset Gold	5.3
Catalyst	5.3	Biltmore	5.1
Falcon V	5.3	Reunion	4.9
K-31	2.7	K-31	3.5
LSD	0.5	LSD	0.9

NTEP 2011  DROUGHT TOLERANCE Wilting		NTEP 2011 SUMMER DENSITY		
Catalyst	7.0	Catalyst	7.2	
Bladerunner II	6.8	Bladerunner II	7.0	
Mustang 4	6.7	Mustang 4	6.7	
Essential	6.4	Falcon V	6.7	
Faith	6.2	Falcon IV	6.6	
Silverado	6.2	Rembrandt	6.1	
Falcon IV	6.1	Gold Medallion	5.8	
Rebel IV	5.9	K-31	4.9	
LSD	8.0	LSD	8.0	