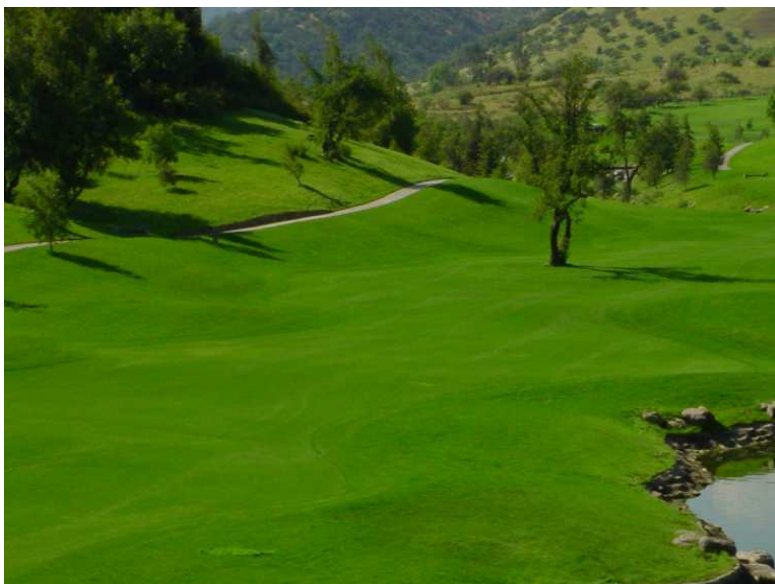


GATOR 3

Turf-type Perennial Ryegrass



- Dark green color
- Good heat tolerance
- High wear tolerance
- Excellent turf quality
- High disease resistance

QUICK FACTS: *Gator 3* is highly recommended for areas where heat and humidity are establishment factors. Fine bladed and very dark green, *Gator 3* was tied for best variety in overall turf quality in the 1999 NTEP Perennial Ryegrass Test. Added value includes excellent marks for traffic recovery. *Gator 3* has a high rating for brown spot and leaf spot resistance and excellent overall resistance to common turf diseases.

ADAPTATION: *Gator 3* was developed for use as a permanent turf either as a straight, or in mixtures or blends where perennial ryegrass is an accepted component. *Gator 3* is an excellent choice for cool season regions where heat and humidity are problematic for establishing perennial ryegrasses.

SEEDING RATE: 7-10 lbs. p/1000 sq. ft.

Top 10 in 1999 NTEP for:

- Leaf Texture
- Fall Density
- Leaf Spot & Brown Patch Disease
- Fall Color
- % Living Ground Cover after Traffic
- Mean Quality after Traffic

1999 Perennial Ryegrass NTEP
Final Results All Locations

Mean Quality under Traffic

Gator 3	5.4
Blazer IV	5.4
Manhattan	5.1
Buccaneer	4.8

LSD = 0.6

Maximum in Top 25%

Gator 3	78.6
Blazer IV	53.6
Manhattan	17.9
Buccaneer	3.6

Growth Habit	Estab. Rate Days	Mowing Frequency	Traffic Tol. (Brinkman)	Nitrogen Required	Shade Tolerance	Cold Tolerance	Drought Tolerance	Endophyte Enhanced	Salinity Tolerance
Bunch	Fast 7-10	2x week	Very Good	Med-High	Average	Average	Average	Yes >80%	Average