



# POA TRIVIALIS

## Quasar



### Quasar - *Poa Trivialis* (PTI-94)

was developed for winter overseeding of dormant bermudagrass golf course greens, tees, and fairways in southern climates. It was bred to have a darker green color than other rough bluegrass cultivars while retaining the fine texture and quick establishment traditionally found in this species. In northern latitudes, Quasar is an important component in grass seed mixtures intended for moist shady areas or for repair of *Poa annua* greens.

This *Poa trivialis* is one of the finest textured, and has one of the highest density ratings of this species when used for winter overseeding. Quasar establishes quickly into a dark green, compact putting surface, resulting in faster, truer putts. Quasar can be cut close soon after overseeding for minimal interruption of play.

Quasar is tolerant to cold weather that could discolor perennial ryegrass. As soon as the weather warms in the spring, Quasar will transition out smoothly, unlike many heat tolerant perennial ryegrasses, and not compete as aggressively with bermudagrass regrowth. Quasar has demonstrated this superior performance in overseeding trials at Universities and on golf courses in the southern United States.

Quasar makes an excellent monostand but is best blended with other rough bluegrass cultivars or mixed with other species such as bentgrass, fine fescue or perennial ryegrass.

( Rating: 1- 9, 1: Poor; 9: Excellent )



#### OVERSEEDING TRIAL 1998 TURF QUALITY @Mississippi State University

Quasar	5.9
Darkhorse	5.3
Fuzzy	5.3
Colt	5.0
Danish Common	4.1
LSD	0.6

#### OVERSEEDING TRIAL 1998 TURF QUALITY @Mississippi State University

Darkhorse	7.0
Quasar	6.9
Fuzzy	6.9
Colt	6.8
Danish Common	6.4
LSD	0.3

SEEDING RATE	ESTAB. RATE	MOWING FREQ.	NITROGEN REQ.	ENDOPHYTE +
1-3	5-8	3-7	MED	NO
LBS PER 1000 SQ. FT.	DAYS	PER WEEK		



#### TRIAL 2015-2018 4 YR. MEAN @Southern Norway

Sabre III	3.5
Quasar	3.5
Darkhorse	3.4
Winterway	3.4

#### TRIAL 2015-2018 MICRODOCHIUM (%) @Southern Norway

Quasar	3.9
Sabre III	4.2
Darkhorse	5.0
Winterway	5.6