



Cardinal II is a top-rated creeping red fescue. Cardinal II exhibits very high turf quality under a number of different conditions. Cardinal II has excellent color and maintains its quality when mowed at fairway height as well as under no-mow and shady conditions. Cardinal II has unparalleled disease resistance, scoring high against Dollar Spot, Red Thread and Summer Patch. Cardinal II is highly wear-tolerant, making it a great fit for most turf applications where a shade tolerant, high-quality turf is desired.

HIGH TURF QUALITY

EXCELLENT DISEASE RESISTANCE

DARK GREEN COLOR

WEAR-TOLERANT

NO-MOW SOLUTION

GROWS WELL UNDER SHADE

AREAS OF USE

- Fairways & No-Mow
- Works Well in Mixtures
- Parks & Reclamation
- Home Lawns
- Shady Areas

NTEP DATA

Variety	Summer Patch Resistance	Dollar Spot Resistance	Turf Quality Under Traffic	Turf Quality No-Mow	Turf Quality Fairway Height
Cardinal II	6.5	6.1	5.1	5.5	5.2
Marvel	3.3	4.4	4.0	5.4	4.5
Kent	2.7	4.5	4.1	4.9	4.4
Boreal	2.5	5.0	3.0	4.7	3.7
LSD	1.0	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.5

2014 NTEP Data, All Mean Data Used. Turfgrass Quality and Other Ratings 1-9; 9=Best

SEEDING

Broadcast seed at 3-5 lbs. per 1,000 sq. ft. for most applications. Erosion control and reclamation areas and ski slopes should be seeded at 150-200 lbs. per acre depending on the turf density desired. Seed golf course roughs at 200 lbs. per acre.

MAINTENANCE

Cardinal II quickly establishes over a broad range of growing and environmental conditions in most soils, particularly when initial irrigation is available. On sensitive areas and slopes, levels of maintenance can be minimal with no fertilization and one mowing per season. In other turf areas, whether used alone or in combination with other grasses, maintain a stand at 1.5" to 3" in height. A starter type fertilizer, applied at time of seeding, will greatly enhance establishment and "fill-in".

