

TECH SHEET



FINE LEAF TEXTURE



ENDOPHYTE ENHANCED



HEAT TOLERANT



SHADE TOLERANT



TRAFFIC TOLERANT

QUICK FACTS

LONGFELLOW 3 chewings fescue is an elite variety with improvements in overall turf quality and especially high marks for disease resistance. It will perform well in traffic, heat and shade. With high levels of naturally occurring endophyte, Longfellow 3 will repel surface feeding insects, thereby reducing stress and vulnerability to disease.



ADAPTATION

LONGFELLOW 3 is designed to be used in mixtures, typically with perennial ryegrass and Kentucky bluegrass or other mixes where chewing fescue is a desirable component. It has a bright dark green color that blends well and will add factors of increased disease resistance and wear tolerance to the mix.

Longfellow 3
CHEWING FESCUE

Chewings Fescue

- BRIGHT DARK GREEN COLOR
- DISEASE RESISTANT
- ENDOPHYTE ENHANCED
- TOLERATES POORER SOILS
- GOOD SHADE TOLERANCE

TRIAL DATA

2008 Fine Leaf Fescue
NTEP Evaluation - 2010 Data

Mean Turf Quality (RI)

Longfellow 3	8.2
Fairmont	7.9
Radar	7.4
Treasure II	7.2

Mean Red Thread (PA)

Longfellow 3	9.0
Treasure II	9.0
Radar	8.7
Fairmont	8.3

Mean Dollar Spot (NJ)

Longfellow 3	8.7
Treasure II	8.3
Fairmont	7.7
Radar	7.7

SEEDING RATE

New Lawn:
4-5 lbs per 1,000 sq ft

Growth Habit	Estab. Rate Days	Mowing Frequency	Traffic Tol. (Brinkman)	Nitrogen Required	Shade Tolerance	Cold Tolerance	Drought Tolerance	Endophyte Enhanced	Salinity Tolerance
Bunch	Med 18-21	2x month	Fair-Good	Low-Medium	Very Good	Very Good	Good	Yes >85%	Average

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