



## **Northeast Nursery, Inc.**

**Supplying Fine Plant Material & Landscape Supplier \* Golf & Turf Division**

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### **Rugby 90 / 10 WCM (water conservation mix)**

A turfgrass seed mixture for residential or commercial lawns which feature little to no irrigation or extreme hot conditions; can also tolerate shade and performs well in low maintenance areas – Lebanon proprietary seed varieties are featured in this mix and are highly rated in the NTEP trials for drought and heat situations, varieties are also highly disease resistant

- 30% Picasso Turf Type Tall Fescue
- 30% Masterpiece Turf Type Tall Fescue
- 20% DaVinci Turf Type Tall Fescue
- 10% Cezanne Rz Turf Type Tall Fescue
- 10% Zinfandel Kentucky Bluegrass

**Uses:** Residential or Commercial Lawns, Passive Parks, low water and maintenance Campus Lawns, Cemeteries, Athletic fields, slopes and roadside areas

**Adaptation, Growth Characteristics & Features:** Outstanding drought, heat and good shade adaptation and requires little irrigation during severe dry conditions and exhibits excellent recovery. Resists disease such as snow mold and brown patch and features good cold winter survival. Excellent establishment, medium leaf texture, good early spring green-up and fall color. Varieties complement each other and produce an outstanding turf. DaVinci Tall Fescue is Lebanon's most advanced Turf Type Tall Fescue variety to date, featuring dark green genetic color, medium low growth habit and fine leaf texture. It was tied for #2 for overall turf quality in the new 2005 NTEP trials. It was selected for its very high endophyte content resulting in good insect resistance, improved disease resistance, including brown patch and it is extremely heat and drought tolerant. Picasso Tall Fescue is a new elite turf-type tall fescue that is statistically top ranked for overall turf quality in the 2005 NTEP trials. Picasso is a dark green, fine leafed, low growing variety with excellent disease resistance and is 100% endophyte enhanced for improved insect resistance; has excellent brown patch resistance. It is extremely heat, drought and traffic tolerant. Masterpiece Tall Fescue is a leafy, medium-low growing turf-type tall fescue with an attractive dark green color. It is a very disease resistant variety that has high endophyte enhancement - providing improved insect resistance. Masterpiece is very heat and drought tolerant. Cezanne Rz Tall fescue exhibits rhizomatous traits and ranked #1 for sod strength overall of 113 varieties. It was also highly ranked for drought tolerance and Brown Patch resistance, Zinfandel Kentucky Bluegrass is a dark green aggressive establishing, drought and heat tolerant Mid -Atlantic type Kentucky bluegrass. It exhibits excellent traffic tolerance, winter color, and spring green-up. It also has excellent disease resistance, seedling vigor, and very good shade tolerance.

**Establishment / Maintenance:** 10 – 14 days for 80% establishment when adequate, consistent moisture is provided. Apply Starter fertilizer at seeding and again three weeks following; for best establishment, apply a sea kelp based soil amendment / fertilizer at seeding and three – four weeks following. Germination is best when soil pH is 5.0 – 6.5. New lawns should be fertilized with kelp starter every three – four weeks until well established; at very lower rates. First mowing should be at 3” when new plants reach 4”. Performs best in very low fertility programs in the Northeast 1.5 – 2.5# N per 1000 per season and test soil every two years to monitor conditions

**Packaging:** Heavy duty poly woven bags  
Item# 34-2143, 50 lb. / 20 per pallet

**Seeding Rates:**

New Seeding: 4 – 6 lbs. per 1000 square feet

Overseeding: 3 – 5 lbs. per 1000 square feet