



Outperforms other grasses with less maintenance, excellent wear recovery and requires less water during restricted water use.

MORPHOLOGY:

PLANT	Growth:	Stolons and rhizomes	Vigour:	Strong to very strong
STOLON	Stolon length:	Long to very long	Stolon diameter of node:	Medium to broad
	Internode length:	Long (35mm)	Internode thickness:	Broad
	Internode colour:	Greyed-purple (RHS 183B)		
LEAF BLADE	Shape:	Ligulate	Length:	Very long (120-140mm)
	Width:	Medium (2-2.3mm)	Colour:	Green (RHS 137B)

PERFORMANCE:

MOWING	About 2-4 mows per year for civil/projects to maintain a dense sward and for erosion control for drainage works.
MAXIMUM UNMOWN HEIGHT	100-150mm
RECOMMENDED MOWING HEIGHT	25-50mm
WATER REQUIREMENTS	Required for establishment, then can exist on rainfall due to deep root system (<i>far less than Couch and Kikuyu</i>).
COLOUR	Vibrant in summer and, although dormant in winter, it maintains colour well.
FERTILISER	Recommended 1 a year (<i>far less than Couch and Kikuyu</i>).
DROUGHT TOLERANCE	High
SALT TOLERANCE	High (<i>higher tolerance than Buffalo and Couch</i>).
WEED RESISTANCE	Out competes weeds due to its dense sward when maintained.
WEAR AND TEAR RECOVERY	High (<i>based on silica content</i>).
SEED HEAD	In early spring, EZ grass produces a non-fertile purple seed head. At other times this is an indication of stress, poor soil, polluted water etc...
COLD TOLERANCE	Tolerates to -12°C. Following frost, regenerates well after first mow.
HUMIDITY TOLERANCE	High
SHADE TOLERANCE	Med 40%-50% shade tolerance (<i>higher tolerance than Couch and Kikuyu</i>).
THATCHING	Low (<i>no need for vertimowing when less maintenance is required</i>).
USAGE	Roadwork's across Australia for erosion control. Windy coastal areas due to tolerance of higher salt levels. High density domestic housing developments. Shopping centres and large landscaping projects.

LICENSING & COMMERCIAL ENQUIRIES:

State-based Business Development Managers are available to support turf growers by offering the latest information on the availability of turf varieties for your project, ensuring you receive certified options. They can also suggest previous commercial projects in your area for you to visit.

Additionally, Business Development Managers are knowledgeable about biosecurity regulations and the legal implications of moving turf between regions.

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