

# ODYSSEY

## Kentucky Bluegrass

### FEATURES

Broad adaptation and top quality performance set 'Odyssey' Kentucky bluegrass (*Poa pratensis*) apart from other bluegrasses. **Odyssey** adapts from the frosty North clear into the steamy Transition Zone, exhibiting top flight performance in virtually every location.

- Top-flight quality performance
- Excels country-wide, from Maine to Washington State
- Statistically tied for #1 in NTEP (according to *Isd* value)
- Tops in disease resistance
- Performs at low to high maintenance
- A rich, dark green color

### AGRONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS



**TOPS IN TURF QUALITY PERFORMANCE:** **Odyssey** consistently ranked among the top 6 entries (out of 103) in the National test, and was statistically tied for #1. If you're searching for a top-performing bluegrass, this is it.

**YOU CAN HAVE CONFIDENCE IN ODYSSEY:** You can't go wrong with **Odyssey**. It pulled in top honors at locations from coast to coast in recent National tests.

**TOLERATES A WIDE RANGE OF MANAGEMENT:** No matter how you manage it, **Odyssey** performs. **Odyssey** was among the top handful of varieties under high fertility rates, *and* under low-to-mid rates. It excelled at close mowing heights *and* was ranked 3<sup>rd</sup> above 2 inches. It was tops in the arid zone, humid zone, *and* Transition Zone.

**WITHSTANDS WHAT NATURE DISHES OUT:** **Odyssey** displays excellent drought tolerance, tenaciously avoiding drought dormancy better than its competitors. Its dense growth habit helps to naturally crowd out *Poa annua* and other weeds. **Odyssey** delivers a top quality playing surface whether winter, summer or fall.

### PEST TOLERANCE

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| • <i>Leaf spot</i>    | Superior resistance  | • <i>Dollar spot</i>        | Good resistance     |
| • <i>Melting out</i>  | Superior resistance  | • <i>Stem rust</i>          | Moderate resistance |
| • <i>Stripe smut</i>  | #1-rated resistance  | • <i>Leaf rust</i>          | Superior resistance |
| • <i>Brown patch</i>  | Very good resistance | • <i>Necrotic ring spot</i> | #1-rated resistance |
| • <i>Summer patch</i> | Superior resistance  | • <i>Bluegrass billbug</i>  | Good resistance     |

### SUGGESTED SEEDING RATE

2-3 lbs. per 1000 ft<sup>2</sup> (10-15 g/m<sup>2</sup>)

