

TECH SHEET



RAPID ESTABLISH.



COLD TOLERANT



LESS FERTILIZER



FINE TEXTURE



DISEASE RESISTANT



QUICK FACTS

**SABRE 4** is Sabre 4 is the latest generation of improved Poa trivialis. It has greatly improved shoot density, leaf texture and color, as well as resistance to leaf spot diseases. It performs better under cold, wet conditions than the previous improved Poa trivialis varieties did, including Sabre II, Winterplay and Fuzzy. Sabre 4 was specific bred for overseeding, and out-performs other overseeding products with quick establishment, cover and frost tolerance. Its erect growth habit, fine leaf texture and tolerance of close mowing makes it ideally suited for overseeding on golf courses.

It can also be used in mixtures for shady areas, as Poa trivialis is one of the most shade tolerant species available. When used in mixtures, it should be incorporated at 10-15% of the mixture.



ADAPTATION

**SABRE 4** was developed for elite, rapid to establish, easy transitioning winter overseeding turfgrass mixtures. It's also recommended in mixes designed for cool season, shade tolerant, mild climatic zones. In winter overseeding benefits include: rapid transition, LHC and low temperature tolerance at establishment. It has excellent shade tolerance.

Poa Trivialis

- ✓ DARK GREEN COLOR
- ✓ QUICK ESTABLISHMENT
- ✓ VERY FINE TEXTURE
- ✓ GOOD COLD TOLERANCE
- ✓ DISEASE RESISTANT

TRIAL DATA

TURF QUALITY

2007-08 DLF Research Farm

	AVE.
<b>SABRE 4</b>	<b>7.2</b>
SABRE II	6.3
WINTERPLAY	5.8
FUZZY	5.6

LSD @ .05  
Ave: 1-9; 9= Ideal

SEEDING RATES

**New Lawn:**

3 lbs per 1,000 sq ft

**Overseeding Greens:**

2 lbs per 1,000 sq ft

**Overseeding Fairways/Tees:**

2 lb per 1,000 sq ft

Growth Habit	Estab. Rate Days	1/2"cut Tolerance	Mowing Frequency	Traffic Tol. (Brinkman)	Thatch Production	Comp. Mix	Nitrogen Required	Shade Tolerance	Cold Tolerance	Drought Tolerance	ET Rate mm/day	Endophyte	Salinity Tol. mmhos
Stolons	Med 14-18	Excellent	3x week	Poor-fair	Med-High	Poor-Fair	Low	Excellent	Good	Poor	High 9-10	No	<3 Poor

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