



# **Turfgrass Performance**

	Cover	Color	Density
Ridgeline	7.89	7.64	7.17
Diva	7.39	6.61	6.89
Midnight II	7.64	7.53	6.81
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Eagleton	6.95	6.14	6.56
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**Turfgrass Quality** Ridgeline Midnight Bedazzled Brooklawn Eagleton 0 2 6 8

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See the difference?



# Photographs taken 7 weeks after water was withheld!

2015 Data

Albany, OR

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## **OPTIMAL ADAPTATION AREAS:**



# **Seeding Rates:**

2-3 lb/1000 sqft

## **Establish**ment:

- Soil: Well drained to clay; pH of 5.5-8
- Sowing Time: Spring or early Fall
- Planting Depth: 1/16-1/8 inch
- Fertilizer: 0.5-0.9 lb Nitrogen/1000 sqft
- Germination: 21-28 days
- Water: Keep soil moist until turfgrass is 3
- First Mowing: Turfgrass is 3 inches tall

### **Maintenance:**

- Height: 1.5-3 inches
  - -Fairway Height: 1/2 inch (increases management requirements)
- Fertilizer: 3-5 lb Nitrogen/1000 sq ft a year. Apply during periods of active growth (March-June and October-December)
- Mowing Frequency: 2 times a week during active growth and remove no more than 1/3 of the leaf per mowing

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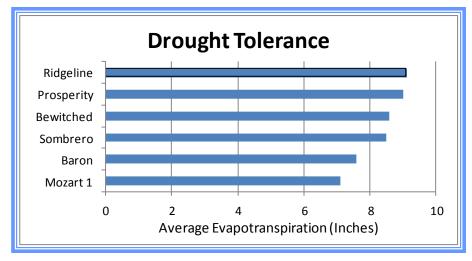


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# Ridgeline

Turfgrass performance with a low irrigation requirement make it one of the most desirable bluegrass varieties available! Good color retention and turf quality during the winter months!





2011 Data

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Evapotranspiration refers to the amount of water leaving the soil (evaporation) and the plant (transpiration). The higher the value, the more drought tolerant a variety is. The graph shows the average evapotranspiration to reach 25% green cover.

# Kentucky Bluegrass

## **Primary Benefits:**

- Drought Tolerant
  - Qualified by the Turfgrass Water Conservation Alliance® (www.tgwca.org)
- ◆ Turfgrass Performance Uniform cover, dark color and top quality

### **Additional Benefits:**

- Disease Resistant Leaf Spot
- Winter Performance
- Quick Establishment

### **Recommended Use:**

- Home Lawns
- Parks and Athletic Fields
- Sod Farms
- Golf Courses

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