

CHALLENGER

PREMIUM TURF SEED



MP ECOSPORT

Sportsfield Ryegrass Blend

DESCRIPTION

MP ECOSPORT is developed for the turf professional in both cool and warm season applications. It is the hard-wearing premium ryegrass blend for use on sportsfields, tees and or amenity turf areas. MP ECOSPORT is a blend of the highest quality varieties available in New Zealand.

Fast germinating and quick establishing, MP ECOSPORT delivers a mid-dark, fine leafed surface every time and it can cope with lower nutritional situations.

An economical and versatile choice that delivers dense coverage, excellent wear tolerance on high traffic areas and the ability to germinate at low soil temperatures. MP ECOSPORT performs consistently whether used as the primary oversow blend, a quick repair or a permanent ryegrass surface.

UNIQUE FEATURES

- Fast germination and establishment for all year-round seeding
- Value for money on council sportsfields
- Dense coverage with wear tolerance to handle all situations
- Suitable for winter overseeding or permanent use
- Mid-dark green colour

SEEDING RATES

Initial sowing: 250 to 450 kg/ha

In season top-up: 150 to 300 kg/ha



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ESTABLISHMENT AND GROW-IN TIPS

To ensure full realisation of the seed genetics, it is critical to supply suitable nutrition to the germinating and establishing seedling. Consider these steps and ask your Technical Representative for more details.

1. Apply **MP ROOTS + MP REINFORCE + TriCure AD** directly over the top of newly sown seed
 2. Apply **MP TURF STARTER** 7 to 10 days later
- **MP ROOTS** delivers an accessible balanced nutrition package in combination with rhizosphere stimulating bacteria and VAM (Vesicular Arbuscular Mycorrhizas).
 - **MP REINFORCE** delivers readily available silica for deposition in early roots and leaves, encouraging seedling strength and vitality.
 - **TriCure AD** increases water uptake for faster germination, while promoting uniform water distribution in the germination zone to ensure the seedling has unincumbered access to water and nutrients. Increased root mass and length has been documented (Rutgers University, 2001).
 - **MP TURF STARTER** is perfect as the nutritional base in the soil to set the seedlings up for the entire growing season.



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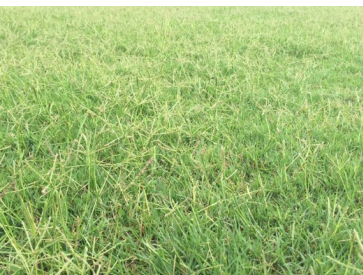
Treated - MP ROOTS + MP REINFORCE

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Blacktown, Sydney, Australia. 6 Days after seeding with MP ROOTS, MP REINFORCE, TriCure AD



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