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## An affordable alternative to novel-endophyte fescue.

**Cajun II** endophyte-free forage tall fescue is an affordable alternative to both toxic KY-31 and novel-endophyte tall fescues. With high yields and extended longevity, Cajun II produces an abundance of non-toxic forage for many years, providing a fresh option to combat productivity and profit losses caused by fescue toxicosis.

**Hot & Cold Tolerant - Cajun II** is a special crossing of European-type and Mediterranean-type fescue resulting in a greater range of adaptation and the ability to perform well in hot, humid climates, as well as colder climates.

**High Yielding, Early Maturing - Cajun II** is bred for high yields. In addition to high first cutting yields and early spring growth, Cajun II provides extended fall production. Cajun II is eleven days earlier than Kentucky-31. Matching grazing/cutting dates to this early maturity characteristic means higher yields, increased stocking rates, and greater gains.

**Endophyte-Free, Horse Safe - Cajun II** is endophyte-free, meaning it is safe for all livestock including horses. Enjoy the benefits of tall fescue without worrying about the health of your horses or for that matter any of your livestock. Endophyte-free also means grazing animals will spend more time grazing and less time in the shade or in the ponds. Additionally, increased cattle reproductively can be expected when grazing Cajun II as compared to toxic KY-31 tall fescue.

**Persistent - Cajun II** has been extensively tested under both hay and grazing. In managed grazing and hay production, Cajun II has demonstrated excellent persistence comparable to both novel endophyte and KY-31 fescues.

Mississippi State has shown Cajun II with better to equal yields over KY-31 as well as leading novel endophyte varieties. In Tennessee, 3-year hay trial totals for Cajun II were equal to that of both Jesup MaxQ and Texoma MaxQ II.

### Mississippi State University 2015-17 Hay Trials (2-yr ave DM/ac)

Variety	Starkville	Newton	Holly Springs	3-location average
<b>Cajun II</b>	<b>5848</b>	<b>2613</b>	<b>3921</b>	<b>4127</b>
Dominate	5419	2023	4439	3960
Tower Protek	4725	2649	3971	3782
Texoma MaxQ	4798	2046	3907	3584
KY-31	4304	2550	3533	3462
Martin2 Protek	3625	2838	3911	3458

Planted October 1-5, 2015

In addition to the data shown here, Penn State University reported over 95% stands after 3 years of hay production.

**Seeding Rate - Cajun II** can be seeded at a rate of 30-40 lbs/acre depending on the mix or purpose. For best results, plant in the early spring and fall. Ideal seeding depth: 1/8-3/8 inches.

### University of Kentucky 2013-16 HAY TRIAL

Variety	3-year Total
<b>Cajun II</b>	<b>8.94*</b>
Goliath	8.85*
KY-31	8.75*
BarOptima PLUS E34	8.66*
Bronson	8.43*
Lacefield MaxQ II	8.21*
Select	7.91*
Jesup MaxQ	7.91*
LSD 0.05	1.58

Planted Sept 5, 2013.

### University of Kentucky 2014-17 GRAZING TRIAL

Variety	3-year Stand
BarOptima PLUS E34	100%*
KY-31	100%*
Jesup MaxQ	100%*
Select	100%*
Lacefield MaxQ II	99%*
<b>Cajun II</b>	<b>98%*</b>
LSD 0.05	3%

Planted Sept 9, 2014.

### Univ. of Tennessee 2009-11 HAY TRIAL (3-yr total) Tons Dry Matter / Acre

Variety	Milan
Goliath	8.23*
<b>Cajun II</b>	<b>8.08*</b>
Texoma MaxQ II	8.03*
Select	7.98*
Jesup MaxQ	7.44*
Cowgirl	7.38*
LSD 0.05	1.02

Planted September 29, 2008

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