SMITH SEED SERVICES

Technical Report

GRO-PRO
turf-type tall fescue

"With solid disease resistance, rich green color, and consistent turf performance, Gro-Pro is an easy choice for both turf professionals and homeowners alike."

Improved Genetics
Gro-Pro has the breeding background and performance to match the demands of today's professional turf applicators, boasting beautiful color, fine density, and exceptional disease resistance and solid turfgrass performance.

Seed With Confidence
Gro-Pro delivers excellent color, uniform stand, tolerance to traffic and shade, and medium-fine leaf texture. Its broad performance spectrum makes it an ideal candidate for blending with other tall fescues as well as mixing with other cool season species and use throughout the entire cool-season region.

Solid Disease Resistance
Many older tall fescues suffer from susceptibility to patch diseases which can cause unsightly thinning and lead to extensive weed infiltration. Not so with Gro-Pro. Extensive breeding work has provided Gro-Pro with the genetics to naturally combat brown patch, Pythium, pink snow mold and other diseases.

Top for High Traffic and Drought Tolerance
Gro-Pro is our top variety for high-traffic areas as well as drought prone areas. These are common, real-life issues for both professionals and homeowners. Use Gro-Pro with confidence for front yards, back yards and athletic fields.

PLANTING INSTRUCTIONS
For ideal turf, plant GroO-Pro on fertile, neutral pH soils during the cooler seasons of the year, such as spring and fall. If needing to plant during other times, plan on additional overseeding.

For a thick, lush turf, seed at these rates:

Seeding Rate in lbs./1000 sq. ft.
New Lawns: 7-10
Existing Lawns: 4-6

WHERE TO PURCHASE

Gro-Pro at UNL, Lincoln, NE

Traffic Tolerance
2018-23 NTEP - Ames, IA

Variety	Turf Quality
highest score	6.5
Gro-Pro	**6.4**
Titan GLX	6.4
Titan Max	6.3
Fairfield	6.3
Galactic	6.3
lowest score	5.9
lsd	*0.3*

Ratings Apr-Nov, 1-9; 9=best quality
Complete trials at ntep.org


Gro-Pro at NC State, Raleigh, NC

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