

Variety Description

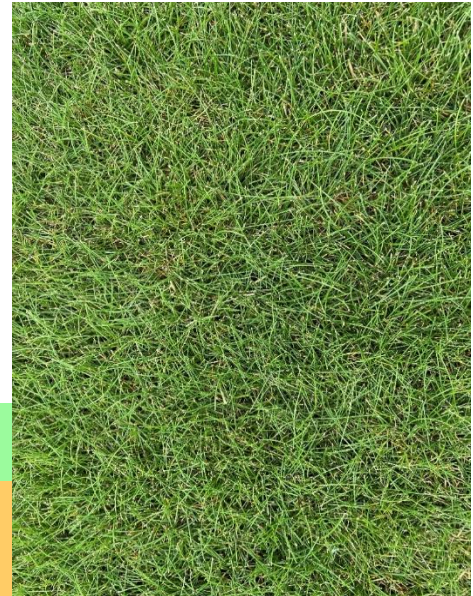
Variety

VERFINE

Species	Slender creeping red fescue
Botanical name	Festuca rubra trichophylla
Ploidy	Diploid
Seeding rate	25 g/m ²
Distance between rows	Broadcast seeding
Sowing period	March to September
Sowing depth	Superficial

Agronomic figures*:

Resistance to red thread	6
Resistance to rot	6
RL sward colour	6
RL leaf fineness	8
RL winter appearance	6
RL vegetation appearance	6
Free from weeds in RL	8
RL sward density (SD)	7
RL SD within the variety	6
Suitability for ornamental lawns	5
Suitability for recreational lawns (RL)	6
Suitability for landscape lawns	7



Clarification of figures:

* 1: very early, very low / 5: medium / 9: very late, very high

Sources: * Cultivator classification

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VERFINE is a variety of slender creeping red fescue, which is universally suitable for use in ornamental, recreational and landscape lawns, as well as lawns that are cut short. One decisive advantage of the variety is its very fine leaves with medium- to dark-green colouration. Its high sward density makes it highly effective at suppressing weeds. The variety tolerates low cutting very well. Its overall good winter and vegetation appearance make VERFINE a valuable component in mixtures, especially ones for ornamental and landscape lawns.

Most important characteristics

High regeneration ability
Medium- to dark-green colouration
Can be planted nearly anywhere

Usage

With its short stolons, slender creeping red fescue shares several characteristics with Cheving's fescue; though its better drought resistance, ability to tolerate being cut short and somewhat better salt tolerance make it stand out from the rest.

