## **DESCRIPTION**

Patagonia goes where most turfs do not — braving super salty soils and growing with very little maintenance. Patagonia held its own in a 2008-2011 saline irrigation trial and has a low growth habit which means that it requires less mowing! Not to mention, this adventurous turf looks great with its distinguished leaf texture and very dark green color!

### **PERFORMANCE DATA**

#### **GENETIC COLOR**

Genetic color ratings of Tall Fescue cultivars NTEP 2007-11 data: 1-9, where 9 is ideal (LSD=0.3)

SUNSET GOLD		7.5
PATAGONIA		7.2
SHENANDOAH III		6.7
FALCON IV		6.4
KY31	4.0	

### **SALT TOLERANCE**

Turf quality ratings of Tall Fescue cultivars grown under saline irrigation at Las Cruces, NM 2008-11:1-9, where 9 is ideal (LSD=0.8)

SPYDER		6.9
PATAGONIA		6.6
REMBRANDT		6.4
SUNSET GOLD		6.3
KY31	4.4	

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### PERCENT ESTABLISHMENT

Percent establishment ratings of Tall Fescue cultivars in Knoxville, TN 2007-11: 0-100, where 100 is ideal (LSD= 10.0)

REBEL IV	75.9
PATAGONIA	73.0
TITAN RX	69.3
SUNSET GOLD	69.0
FAITH	66.3





Patagonia is a uniquely beneficial turfgrass because of its:

- EXCELLENT PERFORMANCE ON SALINE SOILS
- HIGH DENSITY
- DISTINGUISHED LEAF TEXTURE
- LOW GROWTH HABIT
- EXCEPTIONAL DARK GREEN COLOR











TRAFFIC TOLERANT



HEAT TOLERANT



SHADE TOLERANT







## **PLANTING INFO**

Tall fescue in general should be seeded at 6 to 8 pounds per 1,000 sq. ft. or 350 pounds per acre. Cover seed with no more than .25 inches of soil, taking care to establish good seed to soil contact. If possible, roll the planting area. Keep seeds moist throughout the establishment period—28 to 32 days after planting or when grass blades reach about 3 inches. Optimum mowing height is 2 inches, but it can be mown higher or lower based on your maintenance practices. Turf should be ready for use in about 6 to 8 weeks. Low to moderate fertility should be applied throughout the year; 2-3 pounds of NPK appropriate for your growing area should be adequate.

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