



## \*NEW\* Slender Creeping Red Fescue

5★ = Outstanding, 4 = Very Good, 3 = Good, 2 = Moderate, 1 = Poor

★★★★	Salt Tolerance	★★★	Dark Green Color
★★★★★	Shade Tolerance	★★★★	Establishment
★★★	Mowing Quality	★★★	Drought Tolerant

- ✓ Shines brightly in salty coastal areas
- ✓ Excellent spring green-up
- ✓ Rich green color, fine leaf texture, good turf density



Top: Lighthouse production field in Oregon  
Above: Mature plant  
Right: Mow height 1 in (2.5 cm)

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**Lighthouse** Slender creeping red fescue (*Festuca rubra trichophylla*) shines in salt regions such as coastal areas. Along with its rich green color, fine leaf texture and good turf density, **Lighthouse** also has excellent spring greenup and drought resistance to enhance your landscape.

**Shade Adaptation:** **Lighthouse** tolerates shade better than many fine fescues and outcompeted other slender creeping red fescues in a company shade trial in North Idaho. **Lighthouse** is an excellent choice for maritime turf in areas where shade is an issue.

**Salt Tolerance:** **Lighthouse** tolerates salt like other slender creeping red fescues, making it a natural choice for areas with salt issues.

**Rhizomatous:** **Lighthouse** has short rhizomes, which allows it the ability to repair itself after injury. This feature also increases **Lighthouse's** ability to keep weeds at bay.

**Wide range of Adaptation:** **Lighthouse** has good performance in turf and has been tested in variable environments including Maryland and Idaho. In company turf trials **Lighthouse** has shown improved adaption compared to other varieties of its kind.

**Non-Mown Low Maintenance Areas:** **Lighthouse** is an excellent choice for non-mown areas. **Lighthouse's** breeding stock was shown to have superb aesthetic appeal. In a company trial meant to evaluate seed head appearance, **Lighthouse** had one of the highest ratings for aesthetic appeal over other fescues.

**Excellent Turf Quality:** **Lighthouse** was the darkest variety in company turf trials when compared to competitor slender creeping red fescues. Darker color means more photosynthetic punch, giving **Lighthouse** an advantage over the competition.

**Seeding Rate:** Maintained at turf heights: 4-6 lb/1,000 ft<sup>2</sup> (20-30 g/m<sup>2</sup>)  
Unmown areas: 20-40 lb/acre (25-45 kgs/ha)  
Overseeding into existing turf: 6-10 lb/1,000 ft<sup>2</sup> (30-50 g/m<sup>2</sup>)



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