

# SEED RESEARCH OF OREGON

The germination of ideas

## FEATURES

- 30% Providence creeping bentgrass / 70% Chewings Fescue
- Quick establishment
- Quick repair of divots
- Rapid repair of damaged areas on greens

## BENEFITS

- Reduced *Poa annua* invasion
- Less down time resulting in more revenue
- Uniform, high quality surface
- Happier golfers

## SEEDING RATES

- Greens repair  
3–5 lbs/1,000 sq ft  
15–25 gr/m<sup>2</sup>
- Mix with sand or soil for divot repair

## ESTABLISHMENT

- Germination: 4–8 days under ideal conditions
- Mowing on regular schedule – delay of mowing improves establishment

## EMERGENCC

CHEWINGS FINE FESCUE &  
PROVIDENCE CREEPING BENTGRASS

**EmergenCC** is a mixture of Chewings fescue and Providence creeping bentgrass designed to repair creeping bentgrass fairways, tees and greens. Whether your damage comes from winter or summer stress or everyday divots, EmergenCC can repair the surface quickly with less opportunity for *Poa annua* invasion.



Use of a Chewings fescue and creeping bentgrass mixture to repair creeping bentgrass fairway divots is an important part of the battle against *Poa annua*. Multiple studies have shown that repair of divots using just a sand or sand/soil mix can take weeks, during which time the open ground is susceptible to *Poa annua* invasion. Using creeping bentgrass seed alone in this mix decreases the time for repair but the best option for rapid repair is a mix of Chewings fescue and creeping bentgrass. The Chewings fescue germinates quickly to fill the hole while the bentgrass fills in. In addition, the Chewings fescue blends well with the creeping bentgrass so the appearance and quality of the surface is enhanced.

EmergenCC can also be used to repair bentgrass or *Poa annua* greens that have suffered loss of stand due to winter damage, summer stress or other causes. The combination of Chewings fescue and creeping bentgrass enables golfers to be playing on a great surface very rapidly while the bentgrass finishes growing and filling in. Rapid repair improves the bottom line. The playability and appearance to the golfer is great so you do not need to explain your choice.

Chewings fescue germinates rapidly, even with low soil temperatures enabling you to repair divots all year long. This also enables you to initiate repairs on damaged greens sooner.