

TIFWAY419 Bermuda

TOUGH & BEAUTIFUL

Tifway 419 Bermuda is the most widely used turfgrass and has been an industry standard for residential and commercial lawns, athletic fields and golf courses for over 50 years. Its dense, rapid spreading, fine-bladed growth habit makes it quickly able to recover from injury, making it one of the most durable bermuda grass choices. It tolerates close mowing and is highly disease resistant. Full sun is required, a minimum of 8 hours daily. It performs exceptionally well in heat and drought conditions by slightly going into dormancy to protect itself and recovers quickly when conditions improve. With its deep, dark green color, it was designed for durability and beauty.

INSTALLATION & MAINTENANCE

ESTABLISHMENT WATERING

(10-14 days) It's important to water new turf immediately upon

installation. Apply about ½ to 1 inch of water daily, during growing months, so that the soil beneath the turf is very wet, and dampness should be present below the surface for 3-4 inches. (Pick up a corner of the sod to determine the dampness of the soil beneath.)

For the next two weeks, keep the below-turf soil moist with daily watering. Moisture is critical to establishing your sod's root system. Avoid watering between the hours of 6pm – 3am.

MOW

Mow weekly to a height of ½ inch – 2 inches with a reel or rotary mower. Best at ¾ - 2 inches with a reel mower. Mow more frequently, at a 3-6 day interval for a tighter, denser lawn with no bare spots. Remove excess clippings. Mow no more than 1/3 of leafblade off at one mowing.

FERTILIZER

Provide nutrients with annual fertilization of a complete fertilizer in a 16-4-8 ratio applied at a rate of 5 to 10 pounds per 1000 square feet. For additional density or color, apply every 4-6 weeks until desired results have been obtained.

WEED CONTROL

- Early spring – Pre-emerge for grass weeds
- Spring – Post-emerge for broadleaf weeds
- Mid-summer – Post-emerge for broadleaf weeds
- Fall – Pre-emerge for grassy weeds

	Characteristics	TIFWAY 419 Bermuda
Aesthetics	Leaf Blade	Fine
	Color	Green
	Feel	Soft
Function	Wear Tolerance	Good
	Shade Tolerance	Poor: Full Sun Only
	Wear Recovery	Excellent
	Disease/Insect Resistance	Excellent
	Weeds Resistance	Good
Climate	Drought Tolerance	Good
	Drought Recovery	Excellent
	Cold Tolerance	Good
	Heat Tolerance	Excellent
Care	Mow Height	½ - 1½"
	Maintenance Requirements	High