

# Variety Description

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## VERDARK

<b>Species</b>	Tall fescue
<b>Botanical name</b>	Festuca arundinacea
<b>Seeding rate</b>	30 g/m <sup>2</sup>
<b>Sowing period</b>	March to September
<b>Sowing</b>	Superficial depositing Broadcast seeding

### Key figures\*:

Stand	8
Persistence	8
Resistance to red thread disease	8
Resistance to decay	6
Resistance to drought stress	7
Sward colour	7
Leaf fineness	2
Free from weeds	7
RL sward density (SD)	7
RL SD within the variety	6
Winter appearance	6
Vegetation appearance	6
Suitability for recreational lawns	6
Suitability for hard-wearing lawns	6



### Clarification of figures:

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

**Sources:** \* Cultivator classification

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VERDARK is a new tall fescue variety, characterised in particular by its dark green leaves and robustness. In addition, VERDARK exhibits very high disease tolerance, successfully fighting off both red thread disease and decay. VERDARK is also highly tolerant of shade and drought, which makes the variety a true all-rounder. VERDARK is suitable for both recreational and hard-wearing lawns. Its high sward density and hardness underscore the variety's excellent quality characteristics.

### Most important characteristics

Ideally suited for recreational and hard-wearing lawns  
Immense disease resistance  
Excellent quality characteristics  
High shade and drought tolerance

