

Gibraltar is a new Strong Creeping Red Fescue released from Rutgers University through Ampac Seed Company. Gibraltar was selected for its disease resistance, low-prostrate growth, dark green color, and high shoot density. Its high endophyte levels allow it to perform better under heat and drought.

Gibraltar ranked 4th out of 32 Strong Creeping varieties for Turf Quality at the Rutgers University Adelphia, NJ turf evaluation trial, established in 1998.

Gibraltar is primarily recommended as a component in mixtures that include Perennial Ryegrass, Kentucky Bluegrass, and other Fine Fescues.

Agronomic Characteristics:

- Excellent Turf Quality
- High Shoot Density
- High Endophyte
- ❖ Fine Leaf Texture
- Medium-Dark Green Color
- Improved Disease Resistance
- Low, Prostrate Growth Habit
- Aggressive Tillering

North Brunswick, NJ Strong Creepers

	Turf Quality		
	1999-2001	Red Thread	Color
Variety	avg.	May 2001	Sept. 2001
Jasper II	6.4	6.0	7.0
Gibraltar	6.2	7.3	6.7
Navigator	6.1	8.3	6.3
Pathfinder	5.0	3.7	5.3
Shademaster II	4.7	3.7	4.3
Common Creeper	3.1	4.3	3.3

For complete trial information, refer to Rutgers 2001 Turfgrass Proceedings.

Seeding Rate

New Lawn: 4-6 lbs. per 1,000 sq. feet Established Lawn: 2-4 lbs. per 1,000 sq. feet

