# COMBINATION **GRASS SEED & MULCH**

# CENTIPEDE Grass Seed & Mulch

### **NEW SEEDING METHOD 1**

Prepare your lawn for seeding by tilling then smoothing and raking the lawn to the point of having a smooth firm seed bed. Plant one bag of Pennington's Centipede Grass Seed & Mulch mixture with Bio-170™ Granules per 2,000 sq. ft. The seed and mulch are blended to give the correct seeding rate for each of the two components.

Lightly rake the seed bed to cover the seed and the Bio-170™ Granules no deeper than 1/4 inch. Mulch the seeded area lightly with wheat straw or pine straw. Water daily for 30 days keeping the seed bed moist at all times. The Centipede plants will emerge, and over a period of one growing season should form a sod. On poor soils or in unfavorable growing conditions, it may take two growing seasons to completely form a sod.

### **NEW SEEDING METHOD 2**

Spray the existing grass with a non-selective herbicide labeled for lawn use. Wait approximately 7 days to make certain all grass is killed. On spots not completely dead, re-spray with herbicide. Wait approximately 7 days after the final spraying and plant Pennington's Centipede Grass Seed & Mulch mixture with Bio-170" Granules at the rate of one bag per 2,000 sq. ft., making certain the seed and the Bio-170™ Granules are spread evenly across the area. Aerate the area thoroughly using a checkerboard type pattern. Using a standard lawn mower, mow the dead grass close to the ground allowing the clippings to remain on the ground as a mulch covering the seed. Water daily for 30 days keeping the seed bed moist at all times.

## **OVERSEEDING METHOD**

An alternate method of seeding is to mow the lawn closely then aerate the lawn well with a spike aerator or similar tool. Plant the seed as directed in Methods 1 or 2, then aerate or rake lightly to cover the seed no deeper than 1/4" deep. Water daily for 30 days, keeping the seed moist at all times.

Pennington Centipede Grass Seed & Mulch is a sun-loving, low maintenance warm season grass that develops a dense, weed resistant turf. The Centipede seed are mixed with Bio-170\*\*\* granules for improved spreadability and more accurate application. And Penkoted® seed ensures better root growth and faster establishment.

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If you, the consumer, are not satisfied with this product
after use in accordance with packaging instructions ane use in accordance with passaging instructions, you may be eligible for a refund. Send original receipt, empty packaging and a brief explanation within sixty days of purchase. Upon verification, we

This special coating controls damping-off and seed are easier to handle and distribute due to the heavier coating. The coating also attracts moisture which could promote faster germination.

> Questions/Comments/ Additional Information:

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# CENTREDE

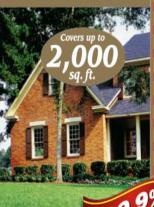
Grass Seed & Mulch

Contains Centipede Seed + BIO-170 Organic Mulch

Spreading, sun-loving, sod-producing grass with a medium texture and beautiful green color

- Creates a low maintenance lawn requiring less fertilizer and fewer mowings
- BIO-170™ mulch granules are 100% biodegradable and retain moisture to help promote seed germination









Seeding Rate: 5 lbs./2,000 sq. ft. Best Planting Dates: April - July

Shade Tolerance: Good

Traffic Tolerance: Excellent Planting Depth: 1/4"

Recommended Mowing Height: 1"

Care & Maintenance: Fertilize in early spring with a Centipede fertilizer. Centipede lawns prefer a pH between 5.0 - 6.0. Water weekly for best appearance when established.





Penkoted\* Seed Treatment: This seed has been treated with Mefenoxa commonly known as Apron XLLS. Do not use for food, feed or oil purposes.

NOTICE: The color green as applied to grass seed is a registered trademark that is registered in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office by Pennington Seed, Inc.\*

CAUTION: This seed has been treated with Cytokinin (as kinetin), gibberellic acid and indole-3-butyric acid commonly known as Stimulate "Yield Enhancer. Do not use for food, feed or oil purpose



**NET WT 5 LBS (2.27 kg)**