

Santa Ana Couch

Drought Tolerance



Shade Tolerance



Durability



Blade Width

Fine

RRP: \$11.60 - \$12.60 per m2

To purchase, enquire at info@paulmunnsinstant.com.au, call us on 8298 0555, or visit us at 356 Brighton Rd, Hove.

Santa Ana couch is the original USA hybrid bermuda grass made famous in South Australia by Brian Munn during the 1970s. Santa Ana is a fine textured turf, extremely hard-wearing, drought tolerant, and can tolerate pet traffic very well. Santa Ana is a fast-spreading grass suitable for high wear, full sun areas

Proven suitability to South Australia's climate

Proven reputation - Still as popular as ever

Proven value for money

Performance

Santa Ana is best described in one word; tough. When it comes to extensive traffic and the rigours of South Australian summers, Santa Ana will thrive in the most adverse of conditions and regenerate quickly. It loves the hot, dry conditions that cause grief to many other grass varieties and handles high levels of traffic well. Santa Ana is suited to both residential and commercial use, where a drought-tolerant, hard-wearing turf is desired, and full sun conditions are present.



Specifications

Drought Tolerance	Excellent
Durability	Excellent. Very hardwearing. Fast repairing.
Colour	Excellent in the spring, summer and autumn. Will fade slightly during the winter.
Salt Tolerance	Excellent. Will tolerate up to 5000ppm.
Mowing Height	10-15mm
Maintenance	High
Use	For full sun, high traffic areas in both sporting and residential situations.
Texture	Fine, carpet-like appearance.

Characteristics

Low Water Use

Santa Ana is extremely drought tolerant, surviving in the hottest and driest of conditions. It can get by on South Australia's natural rainfall, however, watering once a week during the warmer weather is recommended to achieve a greener, more uniform look. The underground rhizomes Santa Ana has are what make it so tolerant, as they are able to store water for future use.

Self-repairing

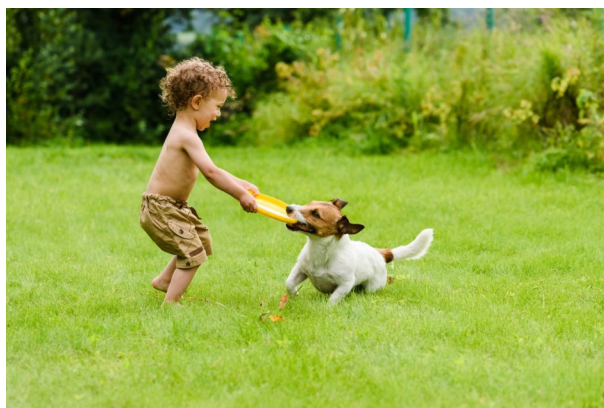
Santa Ana has underground rhizomes and above-ground stolons that allow it to repair quickly. It will spread into bare patches and form a dense cover, especially when kept short. Additionally, it has a short dormancy period over winter, so it will continue repairing itself further into the cooler weather than some other grass varieties.

Hard-Wearing

Santa Ana is an all-round tough grass. Its rapid growth rate allows it to withstand higher levels of traffic, including use in some sporting facilities such as ovals, golf courses and cricket pitches. The higher level of thatch Santa Ana produces also helps it tolerate traffic better than slower growing grass varieties.

Fine Appearance

Santa Ana has a fine leaf blade. When kept at 10-15mm high, it has a carpet-like appearance that can be further encouraged by regular watering and fertilising.



Low Seed Head Production

Santa Ana is a hybrid between two couch varieties, one of which produces very little by way of seed heads. Some creeping and spreading may occur by the runners, but the seeds themselves will not cause spreading.

Maintenance

Mowing

Santa Ana will require mowing around every 7-14 days during the warmer months and not at all during Winter. Typically, it is mown short, both for appearance and to minimise a build-up of thatch. A height of 10-15mm in full sun is best.



Watering

Santa Ana is truly drought tolerant and will survive on Adelaide's natural rainfall! Having said that, for optimal performance and colour, a once-a-week watering during the warmer months is recommended.

Fertilising

Paul Munns has a fertiliser program suitable for all our turf varieties. Access it on our Fertilisers page online.

Dimensions and Delivery Information

Standard size rolls: 1m² (400mm x 2.5m).

Santa Ana is also available in maxi rolls. Maxi rolls are great for open areas with easy access such as parks, schools and golf courses. These rolls are 1.05m wide and can be cut to lengths of up to 25m.

Delivery Information:

Delivery Days: Tuesday through to Saturday.

Order Deadline: Order before 10am for next day delivery.

FREE DELIVERY for orders over 30m² (in the Adelaide Metro Area)



Visit us:

356 Brighton Rd, Hove SA

Open 8:30-17:00 Monday-Saturday

Contact us:

info@paulmunnsinstantlawn.com.au

8298 0555