

COST COMPARISON: ORDINARY GRASS VS ARTIFICIAL TURF

500 sf yard	Ordinary Grass		Artificial Grass		Money Saved w/ Artificial
	<u>Installation Cost</u>	<u>Annual Costs</u>	<u>Installation Cost</u>	<u>Annual Costs</u>	
Sprinkler system	\$1,000		\$0		
Ground prep and sod	\$750		\$4,250		
Rodent control	\$250		\$0		
Installation Subtotal	<u>\$2,000</u>		\$4,250		
Mowing 24x		\$240		\$0	
Fertilizing 3x		\$90		\$0	
Weed killer 3x		\$85		\$0	
Aeration 1x		\$50		\$0	
Sprinkler maintenance & repair		\$100		\$0	
Patching, seeding, repairing		\$50		\$0	
Lawn portion of water bill		\$0		\$0	
Raking or brushing		\$50		\$50	
Maintenance Subtotal		\$665		\$0	
Year 1	\$2,000	\$2,665	\$4,250		-\$1,585
Year 2		\$665		\$50	\$615
Year 3		\$665		\$50	\$615
Year 4		\$665		\$50	Break Even \$615
Year 5		\$665		\$50	\$615
Year 6		\$665		\$50	\$615
Year 7		\$665		\$50	\$615
Year 8		\$665		\$50	\$615
Year 9		\$665		\$50	\$615
Year 10		\$665		\$50	\$615

