AQUA-GRO FAIRWAY PROGRAM

STOMA-SEAL PROGRAM
Spray 16-oz. 10% PMA plus 22-oz. Aqua-GRO in 50 gals. water per acre weekly or bi-weekly for 6 to 8 applications. Start sprays as early in season as weather permits. Retreatments should not be necessary until the following season. On real trouble areas continue weekly sprays as long as necessary. There is no danger of accumulating a toxic level.

AQUA-GRO PROGRAM (Weekly)
Spray 44-oz. Aqua-GRO in 50 gals. water per acre weekly or bi-weekly for 6 to 8 weeks. Start sprays as early in season as weather permits. Retreatments should not be necessary until the following season. On real trouble areas continue weekly sprays as long as necessary. There is no danger of accumulating a toxic level.

AQUA-GRO PROGRAM (One Shot)
Spray 8 to 10 quarts of Aqua-GRO in 80 to 100 gals. water per acre. Water treatment into profile IMMEDIATELY with 10 to 15 minutes irrigation. Do not make application to stressed grass. If necessary irrigate area for 5 minutes to “freshen” grass before spraying — or spray during a steady rain. The ONE-SHOT application affords a quick and efficient means to treat fairways that are not up to par during the height of the golfing season.

COMBINED AQUA-GRO & STOMA-SEAL PROGRAM

(A) Spray 44-oz. Aqua-GRO in 50-gals. water per acre weekly for 3 to 4 weeks as early in the season as weather permits. In mid-June add 16-oz. 10% PMA plus 22-oz. Aqua-GRO in 50-gals. water per acre. Continue this spray for 3 to 4 more weeks. Then finish season with weekly sprays of 16-oz. 10% PMA plus 22-oz. Aqua-GRO in 50-gals. water per acre.

(B) Make a ONE-SHOT Aqua-GRO application in Spring, and start normal Stoma-seal program in mid-June. It season has started and Stoma-Seal is being applied, make a ONE-SHOT application in mid-week when the irrigation can be done — or during steady rain.

SPREADER
Use 2-oz. Aqua-GRO per 100 gals. spray solution for improved effectiveness. For superior wetting use 16-oz. Aqua-GRO per 100 gals. spray.

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Golfomat takes up the financial slack during inclement weather and when properly managed produces an enormous net income when the outdoor course is closed. Golfomat added to your club not only counteracts deficit months due to disease, climate or stress. But now we seem to have a similar situation developing within turf-type perennial ryegrasses. Are the ryegrasses being recommended as blends the same as are the bluegrasses? (Maryland)

A—Yes. There are ryegrass blends on the market. One that came to my attention last year at the Tifton conference was Medalist II, which is used for overseeding dormant warm season turf. Regrettfully no one could tell me anything about the varieties that made up the blend. Another that has become very popular both in the North and in the South is PaLaMoRa. It is a blend of Pelo (from Holland), Manhattan (bred and released by Rutgers University) and Pennfine (bred and released by Penn State). Each one is superior in its own right. Combined they provide excellent diversity to overcome temporary weaknesses due to disease, climate or stress.