Hitting Your Numbers

By the Numbers
With the help of financially savvy superintendents, Golfdom offers tips to help keep your maintenance budgets in line.
By Larry Aylward

Make the Connection
Long-term strategic plans are vital to superintendents' jobs, and they can streamline the budget process.
By Frank H. Andorka Jr.

Real-Life Solutions
The Proof Is in the Pond
Golfers often see a healthy pond as a reflection of your operation. Here's how to manage ponds using different solutions.
By Peter Blais
cover story
We picked the mathematical sides of the brains of many veteran superintendents to get their takes on forming a budget. Here's what we found out.

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About the cover
Artist Colin Anderson of Brand X Pictures painted the picture of a perfect tee shot. Dan Beedy added the dollar sign on the ball to capture our theme.

Seed Availability at a Glance
Adequate and stable. Those are the two words that best describe the availability and price of most cultivars of bentgrass for golf courses.

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