

and the seed can then be removed. This year after swathing there was almost 6 straight weeks of rain. As a result the earlier varieties began to rot and in some cases sprouted in the fields. The types of grasses affected are mostly the ryegrasses and fescues (both fine leafed and turf-type tall varieties.)

The prices on these types are sure to rise after last years excess inventory is depleted. It is an estimated \$75 million loss for the seed industry in Oregon. Later seeding grasses like bentgrass, bluegrass, and Elka ryegrass as of now have not been affected.

If you anticipate a large need for seed next spring or early summer, it would be wise to secure a source as soon as possible. That way you can insure both price and availability.

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Can you match the common name?

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| 1. Agrostis | a. Ryegrass |
| 2. Lolium | b. Bluegrass |
| 3. Poa pratensis | c. Tall Fescue |
| 4. Cynodon dactylon | d. Bentgrass |
| 5. Festuca arundinacea | e. Bermuda |

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ANSWERS -- 1-d; 2-a; 3-b; 4-e; 5-c

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