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4-5 Maryland Turfgrass Conference & Trade Show, Timonium, MD; 301/345-4199.
4-6 Ontario Turfgrass Symposium, Toronto, Canada; 519/767-0758; www.open.uoguelph.ca/OTS
5-7 Mid-Atlantic Nursery Trade Show, Baltimore, MD; 410/882-5300; www.mants.com
5-7 Minnesota Nursery & Landscape Association Convention & Trade Show, Minneapolis, MN; 651/633-4987
6 New York State Turfgrass Association Northeast Regional Conference, Albany, NY; 800/873-3873
7-9 Greatest Show on Turf, Cobb Galleria Centre, Marietta, GA; 770/975-4123.
7 California Grounds and Landscape Seminar, Long Beach, CA; 909/656-3431
8 Western Nursery & Landscape Association Trade Show, Kansas City, MO; 202/789-5980; ext. 3006.
10-12 Nebraska Turfgrass Conference, Omaha, NB; 402/463-5418.
10-13 North Carolina Turfgrass Conference & Show, Charlotte, NC; 910/695-1333
10-14 Cornell Turfgrass Management Short Course, Ithaca, NY; 607/255-1792
11-13 Eastern PA Turf Conference & Trade Show, King of Prussia, PA; 814/863-3475; www.paturf.org
11-13 Kentucky Landscape Industries Winter Conference/Trade Show, Lexington, KY; 502/899-3622
12 Connecticut Nurseryman’s Association Winter Meeting, Waterbury, CT; 202/789-5980, ext. 3006.
12-13 University of Pennsylvania Naturalistic Landscape Design Symposium, Philadelphia, PA; 215/247-2857
12-14 Illinois Landscape Contractors Association’s Design Seminar, Hoffman Estates, IL; 847/429-2851
12-16 Sports Turf Managers Association Conference & Exhibition, St. Louis, MO; 314/333-3837
13 Green ‘N Grovin’ Show, Winston-Salem, NC; 202/789-5980, ext. 3006.
13-15 Winter Convention, Seattle, WA; Sponsored by Washington State Nursery & Landscape Association; 253/863-4482
14 Western Tree Management Symposium Arcadia, CA; 714/991-1900
15-16 University of Pennsylvania Naturalistic Landscape Design Symposium, New London, CT; 860/439-5060
15-20 Washington Association of Landscape Professionals and Oregon Landscape Contractors Association’s Leadership Conference, Kauai, Hawaii; 503/253-9091
17-20 Michigan Turfgrass Conference, Lansing, MI; 517/321-1660; michiganturfgrass.org
18-20 Midwest Turf Expo, Indianapolis; Sponsored by Midwest Regional Turf Foundation; 765/494-8039
18-20 Mid-America Green Industry Convention, Kansas City, MO; 816/561-5323
19-21 Mid-Am Horticultural Trade Show, Chicago; 847/526-2010; www.midam.org
20 Idaho Horticulture Show, Boise, ID; 800/462-4769
20 American Nursery & Landscape Association’s 125th Anniversary Gala Dinner, Chicago; 202/789-2900; www.ana.org
20-22 Tropical Plant Industry Exhibition, Ft. Lauderdale, FL; 800/375-3642
20-22 WinterGreen 2000, Atlanta; Sponsored by the Georgia Green Industry Association; 706/632-0100.
24-26 Central Environmental Nursery Trade Show (CENTS) 2000, Columbus, OH; Sponsored by Ohio Nursery & Landscape Association; 614/899-1195
24-28 Professional Horticulture Conference of Virginia, Virginia Beach, VA; 757/523-4734; www.pvhc.org
24-28 Cornell Turfgrass Management to Preserve Water Quality Short Course, Ithaca, NY; 607/255-1792
25-27 Virginia Turf & Landscape Conference & Trade Show, Richmond, Va; Sponsored by Virginia Turfgrass Council; 540/942-8873
27 Northeastern PA Turf School & Trade Show Wilkes-Barre, PA; 814/863-3475; www.paturf.org
28 New England Grows, Boston; Sponsored by Associated Landscape Contractors of Massachusetts, Massachusetts Arborist Association, Massachusetts Nursery and landscape Association, and New England Nursery Association; 202/789-5980; ext. 3006.
28 Illinois Landscape Contractors Association’s Annual Excellence in Landscape Awards Program, Oak Brook, IL; 630/472-2851
29 Gulf States Hort Expo, Mobile, AL; 202/789-5980, ext. 3006
31-Feb. 1 Illinois Landscape Contractors Association’s Foremanship Training, Willowbrook, IL; 630/472-2851

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1-3 Trees & Utilities National Conference, Nebraska City, NE; 402/474-5655
2-4 Illinois Landscape Contractors Association’s Effective Landscape Selling Seminar, Willowbrook, IL; 630/472-2851
2-6 Northwest Flower and Garden Show, Seattle, WA; 206/789-5333
3-6 ANLA 2000 Management Clinic, Louisville, KY; 202/789-2900; www.anla.org
4-6 PLCAA Management Conference, Tampa, FL; 800/458-3466
5 Landscape Management Skills Development Series, (during PLCAA Management Conference); 800/458-3466
6-9 Associated Landscape Contractors of America Executive Forum, Las Vegas, NV; 800/395-2522; www.alca.org
9 Nevada Landscape Association Trade Show and Conference, Reno, NV; 775/673-0404; www.nevadania.com
9-11 Western PA Turf Conference & Trade Show Monroeville, PA; 814/863-3475; www.paturf.org
10-12 Turfgrass Producers International Conference & Expo San Antonio, TX; 800/405-8873
15-17 Illinois Landscape Contractors Association’s Winter Seminar Lisle, IL; 630/472-2851
16-17 Landscape Industry Show, Long Beach, CA; Sponsored by California Landscape Contractors Association; 916/448-2522
16-18 Landscape Architecture Association Winter Workshop Bethesda, MD; 301/948-8010
21-23 Michigan Forestry and Park Association Winter Conference Lansing, MI; 517/482-5530
21-25 Virginia Tech Turfgrass Ecology and Management Short Course Blacksburg, VA; 540/231-5182
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26-3/ Southern Spring Show Charlotte, NC; 704/376-6594
28 New York State Turfgrass Association Southeast Regional Conference Suffern, NY; 800/873-8873

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1 The Nassau Suffolk Landscape Gardeners Association Annual Professional Turf & Plant Conference, Huntington, NY; 516/665-2250
2-5 Wichita Lawn, Flower and Garden Show, Wichita, KS; 316/721-8740
6-9 New England Regional Turf Conference & Show, Providence; Sponsored by New England Turf Association; 401/848-0004
9-10 Ohio State University Sports Turf Short Course, Strongsville, OH; 414/292-4230
9-12 Associated Landscape Contractors of America Student Career Days Starkville, MS; 800/395-2522; www.alca.org
11 Illinois Landscape Contractors Association’s Semianual Landscape Equipment Auction, Crystal Lake, IL; 630/472-2851
11-19 Chicago Flower and Garden Show, Chicago, IL; 312/321-0077; www.chicagoflower.com
15-20 National Arborist Association Winter Management Meeting, Bermuda; 603/673-3311
23 Nevada Landscape Association Trade Show and Conference, Las Vegas, NV; 775/673-0404; www.nevadanla.com
24 New York State Western Turfgrass Conference, Buffalo, NY; 518/783-1229; www.nysta.org
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Turfco Manufacturing Inc., based in Minneapolis, has announced a new direct purchase program for its lawn care products line. The new program will be available to landscapers and lawn care firms involved in commercial turf maintenance.

The new “Turfco Direct” program began November 15, 1999, with important new features for buyers, such as:

- 90-day “same as cash” purchase option
- No payment for 120 days
- 14-day “satisfaction assured” approval period
- Extended two-year new equipment warranty period
- A new “Parts Direct” overnight delivery program
- Toll-free phone ordering at 800-679-8201
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“This new program was developed after very deliberate and careful market analysis,” said George Kinkead, Turfco President. “The fast pace of product development and improvements makes it imperative that new products be made available to end users as rapidly as possible. For example, Turfco has introduced 12 new products to the market just in the past seven years. Yet, the “mainline” dealer operations focus most of their efforts on their primary product lines, so renovation and specialty products tend to get lost in the shuffle.”

Kinkead says offering both products and replacement parts directly to customers will shorten their turn-around time for getting new products to the market.

The new “Turfco Direct” phone number is (800) 679-8201. Fax requests and orders can be sent to (612) 785-0556, mailed to Turfco Manufacturing, Inc., 1655 101st Ave. N.E., Minneapolis, MN 55449-4420 or e-mailed to sales@turfco.com. For fast, immediate savings, visit the company’s website at www.turfco.com.

“Customers receive products faster for less,” says President Kinkead.

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