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## S E E D

|  | Seeds per lb. | Growth habit | Leaf growth | Establishment rate | Competitiveness |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Perennial ryegrass | 280,000 | Bunch | Very fast | Very fast | High |
| Tall fescue | 225,000 | Bunch | Medium | Medium | Low/med. |
| Chewings fescue | 385,000 | Bunch | Slow/med. | Medium | Medium |
| Creeping fescue | 320,000 | Tillers | Slow/med. | Medium | Low/med. |
| Kentucky bluegrass | 1,300,000 | Rhizomes | Slow/med. | Slow | Medium |
| Bentgrass, creeping | 7,000,000 | Stolons | Med./fast | Medium | High |
| Zoysiagrass | $1,000,000$ | Stolon/ rhizome | Slow | Poor | High |
| Bermudagrass | 1,500,000 | Stolon/ rhizome | Fast | Very fast | Excellent |
| Buffalograss | 68,000 | Stolons | Slow | Fair | Medium |

## CHARACTERISTICS

| Thatch formation | Shade tolerance | Drought tolerance | Cold tolerance | Traffic, wear tol. | Secding rate |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Low | Good | Very good | Good | Excellent | 250-400 lbs.facre |
| Low/med. | Very good | Very good | Very good | Very good | 250-400 lbs./acre |
| High | Very good | Good | Very good | Fair | 200-300 lbs./acre |
| Medium | Very good | Good | Very good | Poor | 200-300 lbs./acre |
| Med./high | Fair | Good | Very good | Good | 60-100 lbs./acre |
| High | Fair | Poor/fair | Excellent | Good | 30-50 lbs./acre |
| Medium | Good | Good | Med./poor | Excellent | 45-100 lbs./acre |
| High | Poor | Excellent | Poor | Very good | $80-120 \mathrm{lbs} . / \mathrm{acre}$ |
| Low | Poor | Excellent | Fair | Varies | 45-90 lbs./acre |

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## TURFGRASS BLENDS

Blend (Co.); ingredients; notes and special uses
Accent Perennial Rye (Medalist) perennial ryegrass for overseeding warm-season grass, athletic fields, home lawns, parks
Bamert (Bamert) $50 \%$ Plains buffalograss, $50 \%$ Hachita blue grama for low maintenance turf areas, earlier green-up
Blue 100 (O.M. Scott) 35\% Victa, 35\% Abbey, 30\% Coventry Kentucky blue for disease resistance, low growth, full-season color
CBS II (Turf-Seed, Pennington) Morning Star, Sunrise 246, Pennington 240 perennial rye for overseeding golf tees, green, fairways and athletic fields
C.E.O. (International Seeds, Jacklin) Cobra, Putter, Emerald creeping bentgrass for winter overseeding of golf course greens, tees, fairways
Champion (Seed Research) SR4000, SR4100 perennial ryes for sports turf, home lawns, parks
Champion G.Q. (Seed Research) SR4000, SR4100, SR4200 perennial ryes for golf course-quality turf
Compact Blend (Lesco) Trailblazer, Trailblazer, Lancer tall fescues for heat and drought tolerance and reduced vertical growth
Confederate (Turf-Seed) Olympic II, Tomahawk, Monarch, Safari tall fescue for southern and transition zone lawns
Confidence Best-Blue (Zajac) elite bluegrass for sod repair, new and established fine turf
Confidence Deep Green (Zajac) tall fescue for transition zone fine turf
Confidence Gold (Zajac) proprietary rye for golf course, fine turf, athletic fields
Confidence Platinum (Zajac) proprietary rye for overseeding golf course greens
Custom Blend (Germain's) Ph.D. and Futura 2000 perennial rye for fall overseeding
Dixie Green (International Seeds) tall fescues for durability, drought tolerance
Dominant (Seed Research) SR1020 and Providence creeping bentgrasses for golf courses
Double Eagle Blend (Lesco) Advantage, Assure, Legacy perennial ryes for high traffic areas, fine texture, fast germinations
Eagle Blend (Lesco) Commander, Assure perennial ryes for high traffic areas, fast germination Enviro Blend (Pennington) Virtue, Tomahawk, Monarch tall fescue for lawns, athletic fields, partially shaded areas
Final-4 (Zajac) elite bluegrasses for new and established high-maintenance areas
Fine Fescue Links Blend (Lesco) 35\% Spartan hard fescue, 35\% Shademaster creeping red fescue, $20 \%$ Shadow chewings fescue, $10 \%$ sheep fescue for low maint. areas; unique color for roughs

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TURF TYPE TALL FESCUES - Duster, Tradition, Virtue, Finelawn Petite, Finelawn 88, Enviro Blend, Triad Blend SEEDED TURF TYPE BERMUDAS - Cheyenne, Yuma


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## TURFGRASSBLEND S

Fun Lawn (Jonathan Green) $40 \%$ Duke, $30 \%$ Montauk, $30 \%$ Richmond tall fescues for drought, heat and wear tolerance, poor or dry soils
Greenskeeper 3 (Lebanon Turf) Patriot II, Pennfine, Allaire perennial rye
Greenskeeper 4 (Lebanon Turf) Apache, Bonanza, Taurus, Wrangler tall fescue
Greenskeeper 4-Score (Lebanon Turf) Affinity, Patriot II, Allaire, Manhattan II perennial ryes
Leaderboard (Zajac) proprietary rye for golf courses and overseeding
Medalist Gold (Medalist) $50 \%$ APM, $25 \%$ Target, $25 \%$ Dandy for dormant bermuda overseeding; wear tolerant, repid establishment on golf courses, athletic turf
Mile-High (Zajac) proprictary rye for golf course, fine turf in northern and mountain states Mowless (Turf-Seed) Silverado, Murietta, Eldorado tall fescue for northern home lawns, parks, office parks
Ph.D. (International Seeds) perennial ryegrasses for permanent turf, overseeding
Pin High (Barenbrug) Regent, Penncross bentgrass for golf greens
Premium Sod (Medalist) Adelphi, Apex, Aspen, Freedom, Glade, Kelly, NuBlue and/or Rugby disease-resistant blend for sod producers
Prime Time (Zajac) tall fescues for new and established turf, athletic fields
Professional Select East (Pennington) Shining Star, Pennington 240, Pennington 89-90 perennial ryes for golf courses, athletic fields in eastern portion of U.S.
Professional Select West (Pennington) Shining Star, Morning Star, Pennington 89-90 perenial rye for golf courses, athletic fields in western portion of U.S.
Pro-Green 3-Way (Jonathan Green) $50 \%$ Duet, $30 \%$ Sherwood, $20 \%$ Gettysburg perennial rye for new seedings or fill-in
Quality Blue Blend (Lesco) 25\% of any four of: Julia, Dawn, Midnight, Pennpro, Shamrock, Wildwood Kentucky blues for premium turf, sod, full sun
Renovator Pro (Medalist) Dandy, Delray, Target for high traffic areas, compacted soil; combats severe Poa annua infestations
Rescue Hard Fescue (Medalist) hard fescue blend for shady areas, low maintenance areas Ryegrass 100 (O.M. Scott) $\mathbf{4 0} \%$ Accolade, $30 \%$ Pennant, $30 \%$ Ovation perennial rye for overseeding dormant bermudagrass, repairing cool-season turf areas
Sod Maker (Jonathan Green) 40\% Washington, 20\% Destiny, 20\% Merit, 20\% Gnome Kentucky blue for sod-like quality
Sonoran (Turf-Seed) Brightstar, Quickstart, Charger perennial rye for fairway overseeding
Spirit (O.M. Scott) 50\% Aztec, $25 \%$ Guardian, $25 \%$ Avanti tall fescue for sun to moderate shade, heat and drought resistance, quick germination, good establishment
Sports Club (Pennington) 70\% perennial rye, 30\% annual rye for athletic fields, common areas, golf fairways and roughs
Sunrise Primo (Pennington) Morning Star, Shining Star, Pennington 240 perennial rye, Pennkoted for golf courses, athletic fields
Survivor (Seed Research) SR8200, SR8300, Titan tall fescues for sports turf, home lawns, parks, sod production
Touch-Up (Jonathan Green) $40 \%$ Gettysburg, $30 \%$ Sherwood, $30 \%$ Allaire perennial rye for quick germination, fill-ins, overseeding, golf course quality
Transition Blend (Lesco) Three of Cimarron, Trailblazer, Trailblazer II, Wrangler or Lancer tall fescues for heat and drought tolerance


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## TUREGRASS BLENDS

Triad (Pennington) Finelawn I, Tradition, Wrangler tall fescue for athletic fields, lawns, common areas, partially shaded areas
Triple A (Medalist) Amigo, Arriba, Arid for wear tolerance and quick establishment for athletic fields, sod farms, home lawns
Triplet (Jacklin) Putter, Cobra, Emerald creeping bentgrass for golf courses
Triple Play (Pennington) Morning Star, Stallion Select, Pennington 240 for golf courses, athletic fields
Tri-Plex (Lofts) Repell II, Palmer II, Prelude II, Yorktown III perennial rye for athletic fields, home lawns, parks
Trophy (Seed Research) SR8200, SSR8300, Titan tall fescues for sports turf, home lawns, parks, sod production
True Blue (Turf Merchants) Merit, Viva, Gnome Kentucky blue for economy
Turf Gem II (Turf Merchants) Wrangler, Micro DD, Taurus tall fescue for heat and drought tolerance
Turf Star (Barenbrug) Pinnacle, Premier perennial ryegrass for golf courses
VIP II (Turf Merchants) Putter, Trueline, Penncross for economical golf tees and greens
VIP IIe (Turf Merchants) Affinity, Manhattan II, Patriot II perennial rye for high-profile overseeding; high endophyte
Water Saver (Barenbrug) Vegas, Phoenix, Austin, Tempo tall fescues for low maintenance Winter Turf 3 (O.M. Scott) $70 \%$ Caravelle, $20 \%$ Pennant, $10 \%$ Achiever perennial rye for overseeding dormant bermudagrass, excellent transition, good mowing qualities
Winter Turf 9 (O.M. Scott) $40 \%$ Caravelle, $40 \%$ Pennant, $20 \%$ Ovation perennial rye for overseeding dormant bermudagrass, good transition, color consistency
Winter Turf 10 (O.M. Scott) $50 \%$ Accolade, $25 \%$ Achiever, $25 \%$ Ovation perennial rye for economical overseeding, rapid establishment, excellent durability

## TURFGRASSMIXES

Mix (Co.); ingredients; notes and special uses
A+ (Medalist) $95 \%$ tall fescue, $5 \%$ Kentucky blue for deep rooting that fills turf voids
Academy Mix (O.M. Scott) 30\% Banner, 30\% Banner II chewings fescue, 25\% Abbey, $15 \%$ Victa Kentucky blue for sun and shade with good cold tolerance
All-Purpose (O.M. Scott) 40\% Accolade perennial rye, 35\% Molinda chewings fescue, 25\% Abbey Kentucky blue for sun and shade, high traffic
Athletic Pro (Medalist) $50 \%$ Kentucky blue, $50 \%$ perennial rye for high wear areas like playgrounds, golf tees and fairways, athletic fields
Athletic Pro II (Medalist) $50 \%$ Kentucky blue, $50 \%$ perennial rye for high wear areas like palygrounds, golf roughs, athletic fields
Blue-Rye (Jonathan Green) 30\% Sherwood perennial rye, 25\% Gnome, 25\% Washington, 20\% Destiny Kentucky blue for beauty, fast germination
Boulevard (Medalist) 40\% Fults Puccinellia distans, 30\% slender red fescue, $10 \%$ perennial rye for saline or alkaline soils

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Champion S.T. (Seed Research) SR4000, SR4100, SR4200 perennial rye and Merit Kentucky blue for sports turf
Classic Sunny Turf Mix (Lesco) 50\% Julia, Pennpro or Shamrock Kentucky blue, 30\%
Commander and Assure perennial rye, $20 \%$ Shademaster creeping red fescue for sun and moderate shade
Companion (International Seeds) true dwarf perennial rye, an elite creeping red fescue for low maintenance home and commercial lawns
Confidence Auld Lines (Zajac) chewings fescue, hard fescue, creeping red fescue for golf course roughs, slopes, low maintenance areas
Confidence Encore (Zajac) $60 \%$ perennial rye, $25 \%$ chewings fescue, $15 \%$ Poa trivialis for overseeding golf greens
Confidence Landscape Choice (Zajac) $30 \%$ fine fescue, $40 \%$ perennial rye, $30 \%$ proprietary bluegrass for all fine turf areas
Confidence Lo-Care (Zajac) $60 \%$ fine fescue, $40 \%$ Kentucky bluegrass for low maintenance areas, slopes, roadsides
Confidence Overture (Zajac) 70\% perennial rye, $30 \%$ chewings fescue for overseeding greens
Confidence Platinum Plus (Zajac) 80\% perennial rye, 20\% Poa trivialis for overseeding greens
Confidence Remedy Rx (Zajac) 705 perennial rye, $30 \%$ proprietary bluegrass for new and established fine turf repair
Confidence Shaded Area (Zajac) $60 \%$ fine fescue, $20 \%$ proprietary bluegrass, $20 \%$ perennial rye for medium to high maintenance shaded areas
Confidence Sportz (Zajac) 70\% perennial rye, $30 \%$ annual rye for overseeding athletic fields
Confidence Sunny Area (Zajac) $70 \%$ proprietary bluegrass, $30 \%$ perennial rye for golf fairways, athletic fields, fine turf
Confidence Tuf-Sport (Zajac) $50 \%$ perennial rye, $50 \%$ proprietary bluegrass for home lawns, golf fairways and roughs, athletic fields
Contractor's Mixture (Jonathan Green) $75 \%$ annual rye, $13 \%$ perennial rye, $6 \%$ creeping red fescue, $6 \%$ Kentucky blue for initial seeding, quick cover
Crusader (Seed Research) SR3000 hard fescue, SR5000 chewings fescue and SR4200 perennial rye for golf course roughs, parks, home lawns
Dense Shade (Jonathan Green) 30\% Southport chewings fescue, $30 \%$ Pennlawn creeping red fescue, $15 \%$ Sherwood and $15 \%$ Gettysburg perennial rye, $10 \%$ Washington Kentucky blue for dense shade
Dixie Green (International Seeds) perennial rye, chewings fescue for permanent turf
Dixie Green + Sabre (International Seeds) perennial rye, chewings fescue, Sabre Poa trivialis for permanent turf
Drought Tough (Jonathan Green) 30\% Duke, 30\% Montauk, 30\% Mesa tall fescues, $\mathbf{1 0 \%}$ Washington Kentucky blue for deep roots, reduced water and fertilizer requirements
Eagle Blend Plus Blue (Lesco) 75\% Commander, Assure or Legacy perennial rye, 25\% Julia, Dawn, Pennpro or Shamrock Kentucky blue for lawns, commercial areas; quick establishment
Ecology Mix (Lofts) 80\% Reliant hard fescue, 20\% Jamestown II chewings fescue for low maintenance, low growth, golf courses, parks, home lawns
Farmingdale (Jonathan Green) $50 \%$ perennial rye, $30 \%$ creeping red fescue, $10 \%$ Kentucky blue, $10 \%$ Allaire perennial rye for general purpose use, lower long-term maintenance

## TURFGRASSMIXES

Fast Grow (Jonathan Green) 45\% perennial rye, $\mathbf{3 5 \%}$ annual rye, $\mathbf{1 0 \%}$ Kentucky blue, $10 \%$ creeping red fescue for quick establishment in sun and shade
50/50 Blue/Rye (Lesco) 5\% Shamrock, Julia, Dawn or Pennpro Kentucky blue, 50\% Assure, Legacy or Commander perennial rye for sports fields, lawns; quick establishment
Full Sun (Jonathan Green) 25\% Gettysburg and 25\% Sherwood perennial rye, 20\% Washington Kentucky blue, $\mathbf{1 5 \%}$ Southport chewings fescue, $15 \%$ Salem creeping red fescue for full sun Greenskeeper Contractors (Lebanon Turf) annual rye, creeping red fescue, perennial rye Greenskeeper Pro Landscape (Lebanon Turf) annual rye, creeping red fescue, Kentucky blue, perennial rye
Greenskeeper Shady Turf Supreme (Lebanon Turf) Affinity, allaire, Patriot II perennial rye, Silvana hard fescue, creeping red fescue, Center chewings fescue
Greenskeeper Sportsturf (Lebanon Turf) Bonsai, Taurus, Twilight tall fescue, Manhattan II perennial rye, Rugby Kentucky blue
Greenskeeper Superior Sun/Shade (Lebanon Turf) Affinity, Allaire, Manhattan perennial rye, creeping red fescue, Center chewings fescue, Viva Kentucky blue
Heavy Traffic (Jonathan Green) 45\% Duke and 40\% Richmond tall fescue, 15\% Sherwood perennial rye for tough areas with hard wear
Landscape Pro (Medalist) $\mathbf{4 5 \%}$ Kentucky blue, $15 \%$ red fescue, $25 \%$ perennial rye, $15 \%$ slender red fescue for home, commercial landscapes
Mid-America Classic (Pennington) $80 \%$ Chatean, Voyager, Baorn, Kenblue Kentucky blue, $20 \%$ Morning Star, Shining Star perennial rye for golf fairways, roughs, athletic fields
Mid-America Enviro (Pennington) Virtual, Tomahawk, Monarch tall fescue, Baron Kentucky blue for lawns, roughs, common areas
Mid-America Seleet (Pennington) $80 \%$ Baron, Kenblue, Newport, Voyager Kentucky blue, $20 \%$ Morning Star, Shining Star perennial rye for golf fairways, roughs, athletic fields
Mid-America Super Shade (Pennington) Flyer creeping red fescue, Spartan hard fescue, Chateau Kentucky blue, Shadow, Camaro chewings fescue for heavily shaded areas
Mid-America Supreme (Pennington) $80 \%$ Chateau, Midnight, Voyager Kentucky blues, 20\% Morning Star, Shining Star perennial rye for golf fairways, roughs, athletic fields
Mid-America Triad (Pennington) Finelawn I, Tradition, Wrangler tall fescue, Baron Kentucky blue for golf roughs, lawns and common areas
Park \& Athletic Mix (Lesco) $33 \%$ each of Kentucky blue, creeping red fescue and perennial rye for athletic fields, golf course roughs or roadside areas
Ph.D. + Sabre (International Seeds) three perennial ryes, Sabre Poa trivialis for permanent turf and oversceding
Premium Athletic Fairway Mix (Lesco) 70\% Julia, Dawn, Wildwood, Pennpro or Shamrock Kentucky blue, $30 \%$ Advantage, Assure or Legacy perennial rye for sports turf, premium lawns, golf course fairways; quick establishment
Pro-Green Dura-Turf (Jonathan Green) 50\% Richmond, 30\% Duke tall fescue, 15\% Duet perennial rye, $5 \%$ Kenblue Kentucky blue for athletic fields, drought and heat resistance, low maintenance
Pro-Green Quick-Gro (Jonathan Green) 50\% Pro-Grow annual rye, $38 \%$ annual rye, $6 \%$ perennial rye, $6 \%$ creeping red fescue for erosion control or new lawns
Pro-Green Shady (Jonathan Green) $40 \%$ Pennlawn, $35 \%$ Boreal creeping red fescue, $15 \%$ Allaire perennial rye, $10 \%$ Kenblue Kentucky blue for shady areas

## TUREGRASS MIXES

Pro-Green Sun Thru Shade (Jonathan Green) 25\% Duet, $20 \%$ Sherwood perennial rye, $20 \%$ Cascade chewings fescue, $20 \%$ Pennlawn red fescue, $15 \%$ Kenblue Kentucky blue for sun, partial shade Pro-Green Sunny (Jonathan Green) 35\% Duet, 35\% Sherwood perennial rye, 20\% Nimbus Kentucky blue, $\mathbf{1 0 \%}$ Pennlawn creeping red fescue for sunny areas
Pro-Green Utility (Jonathan Green) 40\% perennial rye, $25 \%$ creeping red fescue, $25 \%$
Pennlawn red fescue, $10 \%$ Kentucky blue for general purpose areas of both sun and shade
Regatta (Medalist) $50 \%$ perennial rye, $10 \%$ Kentucky blue, $30 \%$ hard fescue, $10 \%$ chewings fescue for rapid establishment and wear tolerance on golf courses, landscapes
Scottish Links (Medalist) $25 \%$ hard fescue, $25 \%$ sheeps fescue, $50 \%$ creeping red fescue for golf course roughs, bunker faces
Shade Mix (Lesco) 35\% Shademaster creeping red fescue, 35\% Shadow chewings fescue, $15 \%$ Commander perennial rye, $10 \%$ Spartan hard fescue, $5 \%$ Julia Kentucky blue for shaded areas Shady Arbor (Turf-Seed) Shadow chewings fescue, Shademaster creeping red fescue, Aurora hard fescue for shady lawns, shady parks
Shady Turf (Medalist) $40 \%$ Kentucky blue, $60 \%$ fine fescue for shade, shade-to-sun transition Showboat (International Seeds) perennial rye, annual rye for overseeding in warm areas Showlawn (Jonathan Green) $40 \%$ Gettysburg and $30 \%$ Sherwood perennial rye, $10 \%$ Merit, $10 \%$ Gnome and $10 \%$ Washington Kentucky blue for quick establishment
Special Park (Medalist) $50 \%$ Kentucky blue, $10 \%$ perennial rye, $40 \%$ fine fescues for drought, cold tolerance; excellent for shade or sun adaption
Sports Turf (O.M. Scott) $25 \%$ Victa, $25 \%$ Abbey Kentucky blue, $25 \%$ Accolade, $25 \%$ Achiever perennial rye for heavy traffic, quick germination
Summer Stress (Lofts) 40\% Tribute, 30\% Rebel Jr., 20\% Rebel 3-D tall fescue, 10\% Baron Kentucky blue for home lawns, industrial parks, low maintenance with heat and drought tolerance Sun \& Shade (Jonathan Green) 30\% Sherwood and 15\% Gettysburg perennial rye, 20\% Southport chewings fescue, $20 \%$ Pennlawn creeping red fescue, $15 \%$ Washington Kentucky blue for wide adaptability
Swift \& Sure (Medalist) 30\% Kentucky blue, $40 \%$ perennial rye, $30 \%$ creeping red fescue for overseeding and new seedings
Team-Mates Mix (Lesco) $80 \%$ of three tall fescues: Cimarron, Trailblazer, Trailblazer II, Lancer or Wrangler, $20 \%$ Commander perennial rye for durability, finer texture than tall fescue alone
Team-Mates Plus (Lesco) 70\% of three tall fescues: Cimarron, Trailblazer, Trailblazer II, Lancer or Wrangler, 20\% Commander perennial rye, $\mathbf{1 0 \%}$ Shamrock Kentucky blue for density, drought and heat tolerance
Turf Turf Mix (Lesco) $90 \%$ tall fescue, $10 \%$ Shamrock Kentucky blue for durability, recovery Turf's Up (Germain's) custom creeping bentgrass blends for golf course greens
VeriGreen (Jonathan Green) $45 \%$ perennial rye, $45 \%$ creeping red fescue, $10 \%$ Kentucky blue for economy, quick cover
Winter Turf 1 (O.M. Scott) $40 \%$ Accolade, $30 \%$ Achiever, $20 \%$ Ovation perennial rye, $10 \%$ Abbey Kentucky blue for golf green overseeding
Winter Turf 5 (O.M. Scott) $50 \%$ Loretta, 35\% Ovation perennial rye, 15\% Cypress Poa trivialis for golf green overseeding

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## 16 Section 3

The following pages contain results from the National Turfgrass Evaluation Program (NTEP), headquartered in Beltsville, Md. Though the program will not make variety recommendations, according to director Kevin Morris, data from the tests are used by extension agents and others in the turf industry for making such recommendations.

Because of space limitations, the top 5 to 12 commercially-available varieties in each species are listed for each testing site. In some cases, other varieties are available that show no comparative difference (LSD value) between those listed. Contact your local turf extension agent for complete listings.

Ratings range from 1.0 to 9.0 with 9.0 being a perfect turf. The following results are from the 1993 growing season.

For more information about the NTEP, write Morris at Agricultural Research Center West, Bldg. 002, Room 013, Beltsville, MD 20705.

## KENTUCKY BLUEGRASS

## MEDIUM/HIGH MAINTENANCE

(all trials in full sun unless otherwise noted)
QUALITY AVERAGES/SPONSORS: 6.3 Midnight (Turf-Seed); 6.1 Blacksburg (TurfSeed), Apex (Medalist); 6.0 Eclipse (Jacklin); 5.9 Princeton 104 (Lofts), Ascot (O.M. Scott), Able I (Davenport); 5.8 Limousine (Jacklin), Alpine (Pickseed West), Shamrock(Lesco), SR2000 (Seed Research of Ore.), Unique (Turf-Seed), Preakness (Lofts); 5.7 Aspen (Medalist), Eagleton (Lofts), Coventry (O.M. Scott), Allure (Davenport); 5.6 Glade (Jacklin), Nustar (Jacklin), Cynthia (Advanta West), Washington (Cascade/Jonathan Green), Bartitia (Barenbrug), Fairfax (O.M. Scott), 1757 (Lofts), Challenger (Turf-Seed), Minstrel (Advanta West), Estate (Roberts); 5.5 Pennpro (Lesco), Julia (Lesco/Jacklin), Liberty (Zajac), A-34 (Davenport), Silvia (Cebeco), Barblue (Barenbrug), Touchdown (Pickseed West), NuBlue (Medalist), Haga (Burlingham), $L S D=0.2$.

COLORADO, FT. COLLINS (sandy clay loam, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 2$ " mowing): 7.3 Princeton 104; 7.2 Blacksburg; 7.1 Midnight; 7.0 Apex; 6.7 Ascot; 6.6 Eclipse, Broadway, Miracle; 6.4 Shamrock; SR2000, Bartitia, Touchdown; 6.3 Able I, Limousine, Alpine, Pennpro, Barblue, SR2100, Abbey, Crest, NuBlue. LSD=0.7.

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## KENTUCKY BLUE, MED/HI MAINT.

IDAHO, POST FALLS (silt loam/silt, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1.5 "$ mowing): 8.7 Apex; 8.1 Midnight; 7.6 Alpine; 7.4 Blacksburg, Ascot, Limousine; 7.0 Glade, Minstrel, Melba, Noblesse; 6.7 Barzan; 6.4 Challenger; 6.3 Ram-1, Miracle; 6.2 Able I, NuStar, Bartitia, Pennpro, Ampellia. LSD=1.4.

IOWA, AMES (sandy clay loam, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 2.5^{\prime \prime}$ mowing): 7.6 Apex; 7.5 Ascot; 7.4 Midnight, Blacksburg, Alpine, Glade; 7.3 Able I, Limousine, Allure, Cynthia, Miracle; 7.2 Eclipse, Eagleton, Estate, Ampellia; 7.1 Unique, Preakness, Aspen, Coventry, NuStar, Julia, Silvia, Indigo, Ram-1, SR2100, Trampas. $L S D=0.5$.

ILLINOIS, URBANA (silt loam/silt, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1.5$ " mowing): 6.8 Princeton 104; 6.2 Apex, Eagleton; 6.0 Shamrock, Preakness; 5.7 Washington, Monopoly; 5.6 Limousine, Alpine; 5.5 Allure; 5.4 SR2000, Coventry; 5.3 Blacksburg, Cynthia, Fairfax, NuBlue; 5.2 Glade, SR2100. $L S D=1.1$.

ILLINOIS, CARBONDALE (silty clay loam, $4.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1.5$ " mowing): 7.6 Eagleton; 7.1 Glade; 7.0 Preakness; 6.9 Shamrock; 6.8 Midnight; 6.7 Estate, Haga; 6.6 SR2000, NuStar, 1757, Cobalt, Monopoly; 6.5 Coventry, Allure, Livingston; 6.4 Princeton 104, Washington, Marquis, Fortuna. LSD=1.3.

KENTUCKY, LEXINGTON (silt loam/silt, $2.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1.5$ " mowing): 8.2 Midnight; 6.9 Able I, SR2000, Indigo, Marquis; 6.8 Princeton 104; 6.7 Blacksburg, Aspen; 6.6 Challenger; 6.5 Eclipse, Ascot, Preakness, Livingston, Fortuna, Merit, Crest, Nassau, Destiny; 6.4 Glade; 6.3 Unique, 1757, Minstrel, Viva. LSD=1.0.

MARYLAND, BELTSVILLE (silt loam/silt, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1.5$ " mowing): 7.6 Apex; 7.5 Midnight, Blacksburg; 7.4 Alpine; 7.1 Limousine; 7.0 Preakness; 6.9 Ram-1; 6.8 Eclipse, NuStar, Cynthia, Bartitia, Fairfax, Minstrel; 6.7 Eagleton, Glade, A-34; 6.6 Coventry, Challenger, Julia; 6.5 Shamrock, Allure, Fortuna, Baron, Gnome, Opal. LSD=0.8.

MARYLAND, SILVER SPRING (sand, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1.5$ " mowing): 6.8 Apex; 6.7 SR2000; 6.6 Midnight, Barzan; 6.5 Coventry, Banff, Suffolk; 6.4 Eclipse, Preakness, Estate, NuBlue, Dawn, SR2100, Kelly; 6.3 Blacksburg, Limousine, Allure, Fairfax, Haga, Freedom. LSD=0.7.

MICHIGAN, EAST LANSING (sandy loam, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 2.5$ " mowing): 7.1 Glade, Baron, Opal; 7.0 Cobalt, Ampellia; 6.9 Limousine, Alpine, Estate, Touchdown, Trenton, Belmont, Dawn, Gnome, Merion; 6.8 Unique, Silvia, Suffolk. $L S D=0.9$.

NEBRASKA, LINCOLN (sandy clay loam, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 3^{\prime \prime}$ mowing): 7.3 Apex; 7.1 Limousine; 6.6 Opal; 6.3 Unique, Glade, Fairfax, Julia; 6.2 Eclipse, A-34, Silvia, Freedom; 6.1 Ascot, Eagleton, Washington, NuBlue, Ronde; 6.0 Coventry, Bartitia, 1757, Pennpro, Haga, Trenton, Banff, 4 Aces, Dawn. LSD=1.0.

NEW JERSEY, NORTH BRUNSWICK (loam, $4.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1.5 "$ mowing): $6.8 \mathrm{SR} 2000 ; 6.5$ Midnight; 6.3 Eclipse; 6.1 Shamrock; 6.0 Blacksburg; 5.9 Barblue; 5.8 Aspen, Trenton; 5.7 Able I, Georgetown; 5.6 Banff; 5.5 Ascot, Preakness, Classic; 5.4 Haga, Dawn; 5.3 Unique, Freedom. $L S D=0.8$.

NEW JERSEY, ADELPHIA (loam, $1.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1.5$ " mowing, no irrigation): 6.7 Midnight; 6.3 Eclipse, Princeton 104; 6.1 SR2000; 6.0 Blacksburg, Bartitia; 5.9 Apex, Ascot; 5.7 Julia, Liberty, Broadway; 5.6 Aspen, Indigo, Banff, Dawn; 5.5 Limousine, NuStar, Pennpro, NuBlue, Classic. $L S D=0.7$.

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NEW JERSEY, MARTINSVILLE (silt loam/silt, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1.5$ " mowing): 7.3 Midnight; 6.2 Unique; 6.1 Blacksburg, Able I; 6.0 Princeton 104, Ascot, Cynthia; 5.9 Apex, Summit, Alpine; 5.8 Limousine, Aspen; 5.7 SR2000, Washington, Pennpro; 5.4 Preakness, Allure, Minstrel, Buckingham. $L S D=0.9$.

OREGON, HUBBARD (shade, silt loam/silt, $4.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 2.5$ " mowing): 6.5 Apex, Ascot; 6.4 Able I, Allure, Bartitia; 6.1 Estate; 6.0 Coventry; 5.8 Unique, Fairfax; 5.7 Washington, Broadway; 5.6 Blacksburg, Cynthia, Challenger; 5.5 Alpine, Julia, Haga, Ram-1; 5.4 Liberty, Marquis. $L S D=1.2$.

OREGON, HALSEY AND HUBBARD: 6.6 Princeton 104; 6.5 Minstrel; 6.3 Midnight, Cynthia, Bartitia, Ampellia; 6.2 Blacksburg, Able I, Washington, 1757, Broadway; 6.1 Limousine, Shamrock, Allure, Estate, Silvia, Miracle, LSD=0.6.

RHODE ISLAND, KINGSTON (silt loam/silt, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1.5^{\prime \prime}$ mowing): 6.1 Eclipse; 6.0 Livingston, Indigo; 5.9 Eagleton, Viva; 5.8 Able I, Glade, Crest; 5.7 Ascot, Shamrock, Bartitia, Ram-1, Baron, Merit, Abbey; 5.6 Blacksburg, Princeton 104, A-34, Marquis, Fortuna, Destiny, Noblesse. LSD=0.7.

VIRGINIA, BLACKSBURG (silt loam, silt, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 2.5$ " mowing): 6.1 Limousine, Preakness; 6.0 Eclipse, Princeton 104; 5.9 Washington, 1757; 5.8 Blacksburg, Alpine, Shamrock, Aspen; 5.7 A-34, Silvia, Monopoly; 5.6 Able I, Estate, Pennpro, Banff, Classic; 5.5 Touchdown, Freedom, Abbey. LSD=0.8.

VIRGINIA, HAYMARKET (silt loam/silt, $2.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 3^{\prime \prime}$ mowing, no irrigation): 3.9 Allure; 3.8 Baron; 3.7 Marquis; 3.6 Shamrock, SR2000, Fairfax, Cobalt, Viva; 3.5 Aspen, Eagleton, Cannon; 3.4 Unique, Minstrel, Belmont, Monopoly, Gnome, Merit, Abbey, Kelly, Merion. $L S D=0.6$.

WASHINGTON, PULLMAN (silt loam/silt, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 2^{\prime \prime}$ mowing): 6.4 NuBlue; 6.3 Eclipse, Barblue; 6.2 Pennpro; 6.1 Midnight, Alpine, Shamrock, Unique, Belmont, Opal, Noblesse; 6.0 Apex, Ascot, SR2000, Liberty, Touchdown, SR2100, Cannon; 5.9 Princeton 104, Coventry, Julia, Classic, Broadway, Merit. $L S D=0.7$.

## PERENNIAL RYEGRASS

(all trials in full sun unless otherwise noted)
QUALITY AVERAGES/SPONSORS: 6.2 Cutter (Pickseed West); 6.1 Repell II (Lofts), Seville (Willamette), Prelude II (Lofts), Prizm (Zajac), Palmer II (Lofts), Advent (Jacklin), Riviera II (Pickseed West), Precision (Advanta); 6.0 SR4200 (Seed Research of Ore.), APM (Medalist), Stallion Select (Pro Seeds), Morning Star (Pennington), Brightstar (Turf-Seed), Delaware Dwarf (Ampac), Nighthawk (Forbes), Yorktown III (Lofts), Assure (Lesco); 5.9 Achiever (Pickseed West), Gettysburg (Cascade/Jonathan Green), Dandy (Medalist), Affinity (Genesis Group), Navajo (Turf-Seed), Pinnacle (Barenbrug), Legacy (Lesco), Greenland (Pickseed West); 5.8 Buccaneer (Koos), Quickstart (Turf-Seed), Shining Star (Pennington), Equal (All Star Farms), Envy (Zajac). $L S D=0.2$.
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COLORADO, FT. COLLINS (sandy clay loam, $4.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1$ " mowing): 7.3 Prizm, Greenland; 7.2 Cutter, Repell II, Morning Star, Brightstar, Assure, Quickstart; 7.1 Seville, Palmer II, Advent, SR4200, Nighthawk, Dandy, Pinnacle, Buccancer, Manhattan II, Pebble Beach. LSD=0.5.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA: 5.2 Loretta; 5.0 Barrage++, 4.6 Seville; 4.4 Pennant; 4.2 Cutless, Calypso; 4.1 Barrage; 4.0 Delaware Dwarf, Navajo, Gator, Nomad, Citation II, Caliente; 3.9 Precision, Envy, Danilo; 3.8 Morning Star, Dandy, Legacy, Competitor, Manhattan II. LSD=1.0.

IOWA, AMES (sandy clay loam, $2.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 2.5 "$ mowing): 7.5 Barrage, Loretta; 7.4 Pre-cision, Navajo, Barrage++, Allegro; 7.3 Affinity, Gator, Lowgrow, Taya; 7.2 Advent, Cutless; 7.1 APM, Delaware Dwarf, Cowboy II, Ovation; 7.0 Fiesta II, Elite, Danilo; 6.9 Riviera II, Gettysburg, Dandy, Dimension, Manhattan II, Charger, Nomad, Riviera, Derby Supreme. LSD=0.9.

IDAHO, RATHDRUM (silt loam/silt, $4.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1.5$ " mowing): 6.7 Prelude II, SR4200; 6.5 Delaware Dwarf; 6.4 Evening Shade; 6.3 Nighthawk, Express; 6.2 Advent, Precision, Charger, Nomad; 6.1 Repell II, Gettysburg; 6.0 Cutter, Dandy, Navajo, Buccaneer, Lowgrow. LSD=1.1.

ILLINOIS, CARBONDALE (silty clay loam, $4.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1.5$ " mowing): 8.5 Seville; 8.3 Prizm, Assure; 8.2 Cutter; 8.1 Precision, Pinnacle; 7.9 Riviera II, APM, Achiever; 7.8 Brightstar, Nighthawk; 7.7 Morning Star, Delaware Dwarf, Affinity, Legacy, Dimension; 7.6 Quickstart, Sherwood, Express; 7.5 Advent, Gettysburg, Envy. LSD=1.4.

KANSAS, WICHITA (sandy loam, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1.5 "$ mowing): 7.0 Morning Star, Fiesta II; 6.8 Repell II; 6.7 Advent, SR4200, Delaware Dwarf; 6.5 Cutter, APM, Brightstar, Achiever, Navajo, Quickstart, Equal, Envy, Target, Sherwood, Saturn, Premier, Caliente. LSD=1.3.

KENTUCKY, LEXINGTON (silt loam/silt, $2.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1.5 \mathrm{\prime} \mathrm{\prime}$ mowing): 7.0 Assure; 6.9 Palmer II, Brightstar, Dandy; 6.8 Precision, Legacy, Pleasure; 6.7 Repell II, Riviera II, Regal; 6.6 Nighthawk; 6.5 Delaware Dwarf, Achiever, Shining Star, Pronto, Commander; 6.4 SR4200, Evening Shade. $L S D=1.2$.

MARYLAND, BELTSVILLE (silt loam/silt, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1.5$ " mowing): 7.6 Palmer II; 7.5 Assure; 7.4 Prelude II, Brightstar; 7.3 Cutter, Repell II, Prizm; 7.2 Riviera II, APM, Stallion Select, Gettysburg, Pinnacle; 7.1 Seville, Competitor; 7.0 Advent, Morning Star, Affinity, Equal, Rodeo II. LSD=1.1.

MARYLAND, SILVER SPRING (sandy loam, $4.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 0.5$ " mowing): 6.9 Repell II; 6.8 SR4200, Yorktown III, Assure, Manhattan II; 6.7 Cutter, APM, Stallion Select, Delaware Dwarf, Pinnacle, Quickstart; 6.6 Achiever, Greenland, Sherwood, Commander, Calypso; 6.5 Seville, Prelude II, Dandy, Navajo, Buccaneer, Pleasure, Riviera, Topeka, Caliente. LSD=0.5.

MICHIGAN, E. LANSING (sandy loam, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 2.5$ " mowing): 6.4 Troubadour; 6.3 Loretta, Entrar; 6.1 Gettysburg, Repell, Allegro; 6.0 Pebble Beach, Barrage++, Pennfine; 5.9 Prelude II, Fiesta II, Gator, Saturn, Cowboy II, Nomad, Topeka, Stallion, Barrage, Taya. LSD=0.6.

NEBRASKA, LINCOLN (sandy clay loam, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} / / \mathrm{N}, 3$ " mowing): 6.3 Nighthawk, Lowgrow, Cowboy II; 6.2 Essence; 6.0 Repell II, Prelude II, Troubadour; 5.9 Stallion Select, Envy; 5.8 Cutter, SR4200, Navajo, Sherwood, Rodeo II, Patriot II, Evening Shade, Citation II. $L S D=1.0$.

NEW JERSEY, NORTH BRUNSWICK (loam, $5.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1.5 "$ mowing): 7.5 Prizm, Stallion Select; 7.0 Cutter, Repell II, Prelude II, SR4200, Yorktown III; 6.9 Advent, Nighthawk, Achiever; 6.8 Pinnacle; 6.7 Riviera II; 6.6 Palmer II, Dimension; 6.5 Morning Star, Brightstar, Quickstart; 6.4 Affinity. $L S D=0.9$.

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NEW JERSEY, ADELPHIA (loam, $2.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1.5$ " mowing): 7.1 Prelude II; 6.8 Palmer II, Greenland; 6.4 Precision; 6.3 Repell II, Buccancer; 6.2 Prizm, Morning Star; 6.1 Advent; 6.0 Gettysburg; 5.9 Nighthawk, Quickstart; 5.8 Seville, Stallion Select, Brightstar, Delaware Dwarf, Affinity, Target. $L S D=1.4$.

OREGON, HUBBARD (silt loam/silt, $4.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 2.5 "$ mowing, $1 / 3$ shade): 7.0 Essence; 6.7 Palmer II; 6.6 Cutter, Brightstar, Navajo; 6.5 APM, Yorktown III; 6.3 Cowboy II; 6.2 Repell II, Seville, Prizm, Nighthawk, Affinity, Equal, Competitor; 6.1 Prelude II, Lowgrow, Pebble Beach, Accolade. $L S D=1.0$.

VIRGINIA, BLACKSBURG (silt loam/silt, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 2.5 "$ mowing): 5.7 Gator; 5.5 Cutter, Palmer II; 5.4 Repell II, Advent; 5.2 Prizm, Barrage++; 5.1 Seville, Riviera II, APM, Morning Star, Repell, Mulligan; 5.0 Assure, Buccaneer, Regal, Loretta; 4.9 Precision, Manhattan II, Pronto, Premier, Caliente. $L S D=0.9$.

WASHINGTON, PULLMAN (silt loam/silt, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 2$ " mowing): 7.2 Nighthawk; 7.1 Precision, SR4200, Brightstar, Assure, Buccaneer, Pleasure; 7.0 Cutter, Palmer II, Envy, Fiesta II, Derby Supreme; 6.9 Riviera II, Dandy Greenland, Essence, Cowboy II, Evening Shade. $L S D=0.9$.

WASHINGTON, PUYALLUP (sandy loam, $4.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1.5 "$ mowing): 5.0 Dandy; 4.8 Seville, Gator, Elite; 4.7 SR4200, APM, Topeka; 4.5 Palmer II, Advent, Morning Star, Brightstar, Delaware Dwarf, Yorktown III, Fiesta II, Lowgrow, Charger, Repell, Rodeo II, Cutless, Calypso, Derby Supreme, Citation II, Barrage++, Allegro, Cartel. LSD=0.7.

# SEEDED BERMUDAGRASS 

(all trials in full sun unless otherwise noted)
QUALITY AVERAGES/SPONSORS (*standard entry): 6.8 Tifgreen*; 6.5 Tifway*; 6.3 Midiron*; 6.2 Midlawn (Kansas St. Research Foundation \& Oklahoma State Univ.); 6.1 Midfield (KSU Research \& OSU); 6.0 Texturf 10*; 5.6 Jackpot (Jacklin Seed); 5.5 Sultan (Farmer's Marketing), Mirage (International Seeds); 5.2 Guymon*; 5.1 Numex Sahara*, Sundevil (Medalist America); 5.0 Sonesta (O.M. Scott); 4.9 Primavera (Seed Research of Ore./Farmer's Marketing); 4.8 Cheyenne (Pennington), Arizona common*. LSD=0.2.

ALABAMA, AUBURN: 7.4 Tifgreen; 7.0 Tifway, Midiron; 6.8 Midlawn; 6.7 Texturf 10; 6.6 Jackpot; 6.3 Midfield, Sultan. $L S D=0.6$.

ARKANSAS, FAYETTEVILLE: 8.6 Tifgreen; 7.6 Midlawn; 7.5 Tifway, Texturf 10; 7.4 Midiron, Sultan; 7.3 Jackpot. $L S D=1.0$.

ARIZONA, TUCSON (sandy loam, $2.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1.5 "$ mowing): 7.0 Tifway; 6.6 Tifgreen; 6.5 Midfield; 6.3 Midlawn; 6.1 Guymon; 6.0 Mirage, Midiron. LSD=0.9.

CALIFORNIA, SANTA ANA (sandy loam, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1$ " mowing): 6.3 Tifway, Texturf 10; 6.2 Tifgreen; 5.8 Midfield; 5.6 Midlawn; 5.4 Midiron, Jackpot; 5.3 Guymon. LSD=0.3.

CALIFORNIA, RIVERSIDE (sandy loam, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1^{\prime \prime}$ mowing): 6.6 Tifway; 6.1 Midiron; 6.0 Tifgreen, Texturf $10 ; 5.9$ Midlawn, Midfield; 5.4 Jackpot, Sultan. LSD=0.4.


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FLORIDA, GAINESVILLE (loamy sand, $1.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1$ " mowing): 6.6 Tifway, Midiron; 6.4 Tifgreen; 6.0 Midfield, Texturf 10, Sultan; 5.9 Mirage, Sonesta. LSD=0.7.

GEORGIA, GRIFFIN (sandy loam, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, I^{\prime \prime}$ mowing, high pH): 6.7 Tifway; 6.4 Tifgreen; 6.2 Midiron, Texturf $10 ; 5.9$ Guymon; 5.8 Sultan, Mirage. LSD=0.8.

GEORGIA, GRIFFIN (sandy loam, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1$ " mowing, low pH ): 6.4 Tifgreen; 5.7 Tifway; 5.6 Sultan; 5.5 Midlawn, Midfield; 5.4 Midiron, Texturf 10. LSD=0.7.

ILLINOIS, CARBONDALE (silty clay loam, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1.5$ " mowing, no irrigation): 7.8 Tifgreen; 7.7 Tifway; 7.4 Midlawn, Midfield; 7.1 Midiron; 6.0 Texturf 10; 5.7 Sultan. $L S D=0.9$.

KANSAS, WICHITA (sandy loam, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1^{\prime \prime}$ mowing): 8.6 Tifway; 8.0 Midfield; 7.9 Midiron; 7.6 Tifgreen; 7.4 Midlawn, Texturf 10; 7.3 Mirage, Guymon. LSD=0.7.

KENTUCKY, LEXINGTON (sandy loam/silt, $1.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1$ " mowing): 6.2 Tifgreen; 6.1 Tifway; 5.9 Midfield, Mirage; 5.8 Texturf $10 ; 5.6$ Midiron; 5.5 Guymon. $L S D=0.5$.

LOUISIANA, CALHOUN (sandy loam, $2.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1.5$ " mowing): 7.3 Tifgreen; 7.1 Tifway, Midiron; 6.8 Midfield; 6.4 Midlawn; 6.1 Texturf $10 ; 5.5$ Mirage. LSD=0.5.

MARYLAND, BELTSVILLE (loam, $1.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1$ " mowing): 7.8 Tifgreen; 6.7 Tifway; 6.5 Jackpot; 6.3 Midiron, Midlawn; 6.2 Texturf 10, Sultan. LSD=0.5.

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NEBRASKA, LINCOLN (sandy clay loam, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 3^{\prime \prime}$ mowing): 7.8 Tifgreen; 7.2 Midlawn; 6.7 Midiron; 6.0 Midfield, Texturf 10; 5.5 Sultan; 5.3 Sundevil, Sonesta. LSD=1.1.

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ALABAMA, AUBURN: 7.0 Adobe; 6.9 Safari, Falcon; 6.8 Houndog V, SR8200, SR8300, Phoenix; 6.7 Jaguar 3, Coronado; 6.6 Shenandoah, Arid, KY-31 w/endo; 6.5 Pixie, Rebel Jr., SR8400, Duke, Silverado, Leprechaun, Trailblazer II, Kittyhawk. LSD=0.9.

ARKANSAS, FAYETTEVILLE: 7.4 Lexus; 7.1 Finelawn Petite, Houndog V, Lander, Duster; 7.0 Rebel Jr., Apache II, Mirage, Bonsai; 6.9 Gen-91, Pixie, Rebel 3-D; 6.8 Jaguar 3, MB-25-92, MB-23-92, Coronado, MB-22-92, SR8400, Micro DD, Vegas. LSD=0.6.

ARIZONA, TUCSON (sandy loam, $2.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 2.5$ " mowing): 7.3 Pixie, Avanti; 7.2 Alamo; 7.1 Falcon II, Coyote, Lexus, Coronado, Guardian, Duster, Emperor II, Austin, Olympic II; 7.0 Jaguar 3, Finelawn Petite, Houndog V, Lancer, MB-23-92, SR8200, Eldroado, Duke, Virtue, Vegas, SR8300, Shenandoah, Kittyhawk, Aztec, Monarch, Astro 2000, Aris, Anthem. LSD=0.5.

CALIFORNIA, SANTA CLARA (loam, $2.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 2^{\prime \prime}$ mowing): 7.4 Micro DD, Bonsai; 7.3 Jaguar 3, MB-25-92, Lancer, Adobe; 7.2 Duster, Emperor II, Olympic II; 7.1 Pixie, Falcon II, Coyote, Mirage; 7.0 Coronado, Vegas, Bonsai Plus, Kittyhawk. LSD=0.5.

CALIFORNIA, RIVERSIDE (sandy loam, $4.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 2$ " mowing): 6.7 Cochise, Alamo; 6.6 Gen-91, Jaguar 3, Finelawn Petite, Falcon II, Lexus, Montauk, Duke, Leprechaun, SR8300; 6.5 MB-25-92, Rebel Jr., Tomahawk, MB-23-92, Rebel 3-D, Coronado, Guardian, Duster, Eldorado, Mirage, Virtue, Adobe, Bonsai Plus, Aztec, Bonsai, Twilight. LSD=0.3.

COLORADO, FORT COLLINS (sandy clay loam, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 2.5$ " mowing): 6.9 Gen-91; 6.7 Rebel Jr., Houndog V, Lancer, Rebel 3-D; 6.6 Finelawn Petite, Falcon II, Coyote; 6.5 Jaguar 3, Tomahawk, Safari, Eldorado; 6.4 Pixie, SR8200, Duster, Montauk, Aztec. LSD=0.5.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA (silt loam, $1.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 2.5$ " mowing): 4.6 Arid; 3.8 Guardian, Falcon, Anthem; 3.7 Jaguar 3, Astro 2000; 3.4 SR8300; 3.3 Pixie, SR8400, KY-31 no endo. $L S D=1.0$.

GEORGIA, GRIFFIN (high pH , sandy clay loam, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 2$ " mowing): 4.9 Jaguar 3, MB-25-92, Finelawn Petite, SR8200, Coronado, Adobe; 4.8 Rebel 3-D, Duke, Silverado, Apache, Avanti; 4.7 Pixie, Falcon II, Rebel Jr., Coyote, Emperor II, Safari, Mirage, Trailblazer II, Twilight. $L S D=0.6$.


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GEORGIA, GRIFFIN (low pH, sandy clay loam, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 2$ " mowing, no irrigation): 4.0 SR8200, SR8400, Austin, Anthem, KY-31 w/endo; 3.7 Cochise, Bonsai Plus; 3.5 Mirage, Twilight, Falcon. LSD=1.7.

ILLINOIS, URBANA (silt loam/silt, $1.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 2.5$ " mowing): 6.9 Rebel Jr.; 6.8 Jaguar 3; 6.6 Gen-91; 6.5 Lancer, Vegas; 6.4 MB-25-92, Guardian; 6.3 Houndog V, SR8400; 6.2 SR8300, Austin; 6.1 Eldorado, Titan II, Virtue, Aztec, Anthem. LSD=1.0.

ILLINOIS, CARBONDALE (silty clay loam, $4.5 \mathrm{lb} / / \mathrm{N}, 2.5$ " mowing): 7.2 Coyote; 6.9 Cochise; 6.8 Gen-91, SR8200; 6.7 MB-25-92; 6.6 Jaguar 3, Rebel Jr., Coronado; 6.5 SR8400, Emperor II, Eldorado, Shenandoah; 6.4 Pixie, Tomahawk, Safari, SR8300. LSD=1.3.

KANSAS, MANHATTAN (silt loam/silt, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 3.5$ " mowing): 6.8 Gen-91, Lexus; 6.6 Falcon II; 6.5 MB-25-92, Micro DD, Cochise, Leprechaun; 6.4 Jaguar 3, Emperor II, Eldorado, Silverado, Virtue; 6.3 Finelawn Petite, Rebel Jr., Houndog V, Tomahawk, Coronado, SR8400, Mirage. $L S D=0.7$.

KENTUCKY, LEXINGTON (silt loam/silt, $2.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1.5^{\prime \prime}$ mowing): 7.2 Falcon II; 7.1 MB-25-92; 7.0 Gen-91, Lexus; 6.9 Pixie, Coyote, Lancer, MB-23-92, Rebel 3-D; 6.8 Finelawn Petite, Houndog V, Tomahawk, Coronado, Emperor II; 6.7 Apache II. LSD=0.4.

LOUISIANA, CALHOUN (sandy loam, $1.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 3.5 "$ mowing): 4.1 Titan 2; 3.9 Emperor II, Adobe, Anthem, KY-31 w/endo; 3.8 SR8300, Shenandoah, Bonanza II, Austin, Phoenix, Arid. $L S D=0.4$.

MARYLAND, BELTSVILLE (high maintenance: loam, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1.5$ " mowing): 7.7 Gen91, Lexus; 7.6 Coyote; 7.5 Pixie, Finelawn Petite, Falcon II, Houndog V, Duster; 7.4 Lancer; 7.3 MB-23-92, Rebel 3-D; 7.1 Jaguar 3, Rebel Jr., Apache II, Trailblazer II; 7.0 Coronado, Micro DD, Eldorado. $L S D=0.4$.

MARYLAND, SILVER SPRING (sand, light shade, $2.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 3^{\prime \prime}$ mowing): $6.4 \mathrm{MB}-23-92$; 6.3 Lancer; 6.2 MB-25-92; 6.1 Houndog V; 6.0 Falcon II, Rebel Jr., Lexus, Guardian, Safari, Titan 2, Austin, Astro 2000; 5.9 Gen-91, Tomahawk, SR8400, Micro DD, Montauk, Cochise, Leprechaun, Avanti, SR8300, Shenandoah, Bonanza II, Alamo, Olympic II. LSD=0.4.

MASSACHUSETTS, DEERFIELD (silty clay loam, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} / / \mathrm{N}, 2$ " mowing): 7.3 Coyote; 7.1 Gen-91, Coronado, Twilight; 7.0 Lexus; 6.9 Pixie, MB-25-92, Duster; 6.8 Tomahawk, Bonsai; 6.7 Micro DD; 6.6 Finelawn Petite, Falcon II, Lancer, Apache II; 6.5 Emperor II, Virtue. $L S D=0.7$.

MISSOURI, COLUMBIA (silty clay loam, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} / \mathrm{/N}, 2.5$ " mowing): 8.8 Pixie; 7.7 Lexus, Guardian, Bonsai Plus; 7.5 SR8200; 7.3 Falcon II, Coyote, Rebel 3-D, SR8400, Duke, Avanti, Kittyhawk, Falcon; 7.2 Gen-91, Jaguar 3, MB-25-92, Rebel Jr., MB-23-92, Safari, Eldorado, Silverado, Vegas, Austin, Aztec, Olympic II, Twilight, Anthem. LSD=0.6.

MISSOURI, ST. LOUIS (silty clay loam, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} / / \mathrm{N}, 3^{\prime \prime}$ mowing): 5.9 Apache II; $5.7 \mathrm{Gen}-91$, Finelawn Petite, Lexus; 5.5 Lancer, MB-23-92; 5.4 Houndog V, Coyote, Rebel 3-D; 5.3 Rebel Jr., Duster, Micro DD, Cochise, Bonsai Plus; 5.2 Falcon II, Coronado, Vegas. LSD=0.7.


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MISSISSIPPI, MISSISSIPPI STATE (sandy clay loam, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 3:$ mowing): 6.2 Guardian; 6.1 Falcon II, Safari, Duke, Monarch; 6.0 Pixie, Houndog V, SR8200, Titan 2, Kittyhawk, Falcon, Anthem; 5.9 Rebel Jr., Lancer, MB-23-92, SR8400, Montauk, Avanti, SR8300, Bonanza II, Austin, Olympic II, Phoenix, Arid. LSD=0.4.

NEBRASKA, LINCOLN (high maintenance: sandy clay loam, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 3^{\prime \prime}$ mowing): 6.6 Gen-91, Lexus; 6.4 Rebel Jr., Houndog V, Coyote, Lancer; 6.3 Pixie, Finelawn Petite, Tomahawk, MB-23-92, Duster, Vegas, Twilight; 6.2 Falcon II, Leprechaun; 6.1 Guardian, Micro DD, Safari. $L S D=0.7$.

NEBRASKA, LINCOLN (low maintenance: sandy clay loam, $1.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 3^{\prime \prime}$ mowing): $\mathbf{6 . 4}$ Gen-91, Finelawn Petite; 6.3 Jaguar 3; 6.0 Pixie, MB-25-92, Houndog V, Lancer, Guardian, Trailblazer II, Vegas, SR8300; 5.9 MB-23-92, SR8200, SR8400, Montauk, Silverado, Avanti, Virtue, Astro 2000. LSD=0.7.

NEW JERSEY, ADELPHIA (sandy loam, $5.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 1.5 "$ mowing): 6.8 Falcon II; 6.7 Jaguar 3, Houndog V; 6.3 MB-25-92, Coyote; 6.2 Pixie, Lexus; 6.0 Coronado; 5.9 Gen-91, Finelawn Petite, Guardian, Eldorado; 5.7 Lancer, Tomahawk, Micro DD, Duke, Silverado. $L S D=0.7$.

PENNSYLVANIA, UNIV. PARK (medium maintenance: silt loam/silt, $1.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 2^{\prime \prime}$ mowing): 7.7 Rebel Jr., Duke; 7.6 Montauk; 7.5 MB-23-92; 7.4 Jaguar 3, Apache, Falcon II, Tomahawk; 6.9 Gen-91, MB-25-92, Cochise. LSD=1.0.

PENNSYLVANIA, UNIV. PARK (silt loam/silt, $1.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}$, four mowings/yr., no irrigation): 4.9 Titan 2, KY-31 w/endo; 4.8 KY-31 no endo; 4.6 Olympic II, Phoenix, Arid; 4.5 Safari, Anthem; 4.3 Astro 2000; 4.1 Rebel Jr.; 4.0 SR8200, Shenandoah, Kittyhawk, Falcon. $L S D=0.7$.

RHODE ISLAND, KINGSTON (silt loam/silt, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 2^{\prime \prime}$ mowing): 6.1 Aztec; 6.0 Jaguar 3, MB-25-92, Safari, Finelawn 88, Olympic II; 5.9 Gen-91, Micro DD, Kittyhawk, Astro 2000; 5.8 Rebel 3-D, SR8200, SR8400, Titan 2, Avanti, Bonsai Plus. LSD=0.6.

SOUTH DAKOTA, BROOKINGS (silty clay loam, $1.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 2.5^{\prime \prime}$ mowing): 6.5 Lancer, Titan 2; 6.4 Gen-91; 6.2 Jaguar 3, Eldorado, Alamo, Kittyhawk, Aztec; 6.1 Finelawn Petite, Safari, Mirage, Bonanza II; 6.0 Pixie, Coyote, Rebel 3-D, Silverado, Olympic II. LSD=0.9.

VIRGINIA, BLACKSBURG (silt loam/silt, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 2.5$ " mowing): 6.0 Falcon II, Duster; 5.8 Gen-91; 5.6 Coyote, Shenandoah; 5.5 Pixie, SR8400, Emperor II, Duke, Silverado, Alamo; 5.4 Jaguar 3, Lancer, MB-23-92, SR8200, Montauk, SR8300. LSD=0.6.

VIRGINIA, VIRGINIA BEACH (sandy loam, $3.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 2.5$ " mowing): 6.3 Finelawn Petite; 6.0 MB-25-92, Coyote, Lexus; 5.8 Gen-91, Pixie, Lancer; 5.7 Jaguar 3, Falcon II, Houndog V, MB-23-92, SR8200, Coronado, MB-22-92, Emperor II, Aztec. LSD=0.5.

WASHINGTON, PULLMAN (silt loam/silt, $0.5 \mathrm{lb} . / \mathrm{N}, 2^{\prime \prime}$ mowing): 6.9 Coyote; 6.5 Gen-91, Pixie; 6.4 MB-25-92, Emperor II; 6.3 Jaguar 3, Bonsai; 6.2 Lancer; 6.1 Finelawn Petite, Rebel Jr., Coronado, Guardian, Micro DD, Montauk, Vegas. LSD=0.7.

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A dark green, dense variety with fine leaf texture, dwarf growth habit and high endophyte content. Tolerant of heat, drought, and low mowing.

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A rich dark green variety with high endophyte content to fend off insects, and good disease resistance.


Excellent for overseeding dormant warmseason grasses and for temporary soil stabilization. This variety exhibits dark green color, moderate leaf texture, and reduced growth rate.


A low-growing dwarf turf-type with a finer leaf texture with very dark green color, provides very dense superior turf.


Dwar Tur-Type Tail Fescue
Lower growing darker green tall fescue with shorter mature plant height. Very fine textured, dense, premium quality turf.


DWARF TURF-TYPE TALL FESCUE
Lower growing, darker green tall fescue with a slower leaf extension rate and a shorter mature plant height.


A moderately low growing turi-type tall fescue with rich, dark green color, good density. and good adaptability.


A moderately low growing turf-type tall fescue with rich, dark green color, moderate leaf texture, and reduced growth rate.

## SHADEMASTER

Creeping Red Fescue
A rich, blue-green variety with the ability to form a dense fine turf for a creeping fescue.


Durable, low maintenance blue-gray fine fescue that grows well in sun or shade. Shetland is a low-maintenance turfgrass.


Exhibits a darker green color and dwart growth habit that provides a dense, fine textured turf without excessive top growth

