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Turf performance scores. North Brunswick, N.J. 1975-78. (9 = Best).

YORKTOWN II	6.4
PENNANT	6.3
CITATION	5.9
DERBY	5.4
PENNFINE	5.4
MANHATTAN	5.2

Reaction to brown patch disease (Rhizoctonia), Adelphia, N.J., 1978. (9 = least damage)

PENNANT	7.5
YORKTOWN II	7.0
CITATION	7.0
REGAL	6.3
DERBY	6.2
PENNFINE	5.8

Warm and cool season average turf score, Southern California first-year tests, 1979.

	Poor	Best
PENNANT		
PENNFINE		
DIPLOMAT		
YORKTOWN II		
MANHATTAN		
CITATION		

Pennant was best among 12 varieties tested for red thread disease (Corticium fuciforme) in 1-year average, 1979-80. Western WA. (Low score = Best).

PENNANT	20.7 %
CITATION	23.6 %
DERBY	26.3 %
PENNFINE	30.4 %
MANHATTAN	40.4 %
YORKTOWN II	47.8 %

Percent winter injury. Adelphia, N.J. March 1978. (10 of 26 varieties tested showed no significant injury.)

PENNANT	0%
MANHATTAN	0%
CITATION	11%
DERBY	14%
PENNFINE	18%
LINN	38%

Average Turf Performance scores, February 1980. Southern Arizona turf overseeding on Tifgreen Bermuda. Sixteen entries seeded October 1979. (10 = Best).

PENNANT	7.7
PREMIER	7.3
REGAL	6.3
CBS	5.7
DERBY	5.5
ANNUAL	2.3

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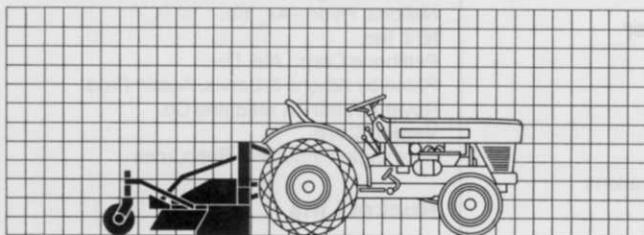
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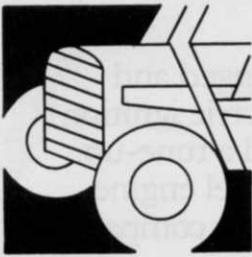
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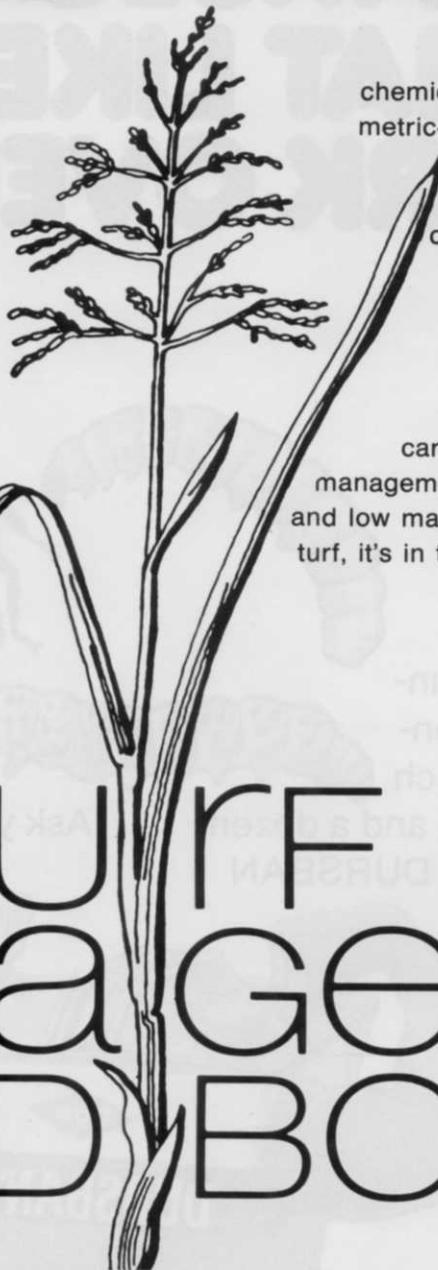


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