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PERFORMANCE OF BENTGRASS CULTIVARS AND SELECTIONS IN NEW JERSEY TURF TRIALS

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Bentgrass species possess a distinct ability to form very dense, uniform, and fine textured surfaces under an extremely low height of cut. As a result, bentgrasses are often used in specialized, high maintenance areas such as golf course fairways, tees. and putting greens. Three bentgrass species predominantly used for turf include creeping bentgrass (Agrostis palustris Huds.; synonym = A. stolonifera L.), colonial bentgrass (A. tenuis L. or A. capillaris L.), and velvet bentgrass (A. canina L.). In addition, highland or dryland bentgrass (A. castellana Boiss. & Reut.) is an option for stressful locations, but turfs of this species tend to be less attractive than the more common species when a high quality turf is needed and are, therefore, less commonly utilized. Due to their aggressive growth habits and adaptability to a variety of climates, creeping and velvet bentgrasses are most suitable for the very low cutting heights required for golf course greens in the U.S. Colonial bentgrass responds best to a slightly higher height of cut, therefore it is usually better suited for fairways in temperate areas of the U.S.

Creeping bentgrasses are highly stoloniferous and have a prostrate growth habit, which allows for persistence under very low mowing heights. Cutting heights of 1/10 of an inch are not uncommon on many top tier golf courses. This species is highly adapted to both cool temperate as well as warm humid regions of the U.S., making it the most popular species used on golf course putting greens in temperate areas. Its vigorous spreading growth habit also contributes to its ability to repair damaged areas quickly. In 1954, H. B. Musser released 'Penncross', the first seeded synthetic variety of creeping bentgrass (Musser, 1959). Since that time, breeding efforts have markedly improved creeping bentgrasses to withstand the

increasing demands of the game of golf. Compared to older varieties, improved characteristics include better turf quality, darker green color, improved shoot density, improved traffic tolerance and recuperative ability, and increased disease and stress tolerances.

Creeping bentgrasses are susceptible to a number of pathogens and pests. Dollar spot (caused by the fungus *Sclerotinia homoeocarpa*) is one of the main disease problems of close-cut creeping bentgrass. However, these grasses can also be susceptible to brown patch (caused by *Rhizoctonia solani*), copper spot (*Gloeocercospora sorghi*), anthracnose (*Colletotrichum cereale*), and diseases caused by *Pythium* spp.

Colonial bentgrass, also referred to as browntop, has traditionally been used as a lawn and golf course grass in areas of Northern Europe and New Zealand that have mild (cool and humid) summers. Compared to creeping bentgrasses, colonial bentgrasses have a finer leaf texture and a more upright and less aggressive spreading growth habit and are generally better adapted for fairway or tee use in the warmer summer climates of the United States. Colonial bentgrasses perform best in New Jersey when mowed no lower than 3/8 of an inch. They typically have a brighter green color and better color retention during cool weather compared to creeping bentgrasses. Although colonial bentgrasses generally have better dollar spot resistance and better wear tolerance, they are much more susceptible than creeping bentgrasses to brown patch. While not lethal, the playability of golf courses may be affected if brown patch is not controlled on colonial bentgrass. Current breeding efforts include improving the tolerance of colonial bentgrasses to this disease.

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Velvet bentgrass forms the finest-textured and most dense turf of the bentgrasses and can nearly resemble green velvet when managed properly. It spreads mainly through profuse production of erect tillers with short stolons. This grass can tolerate very close mowing, heat, cold and shade, and is one of the most drought tolerant of the bentgrasses used for turf (Skogley, 1973). Due to the density and vigor of this turf, even under very low mowing conditions, it has been shown to be extremely effective at preventing the encroachment of the most prolific weed on a golf course, *Poa annua*. The spread of velvet bentgrass via stolons is more aggressive than colonial bentgrass, but not as strong as creeping bentgrass.

Velvet bentgrass can form excessive thatch, especially at high fertility rates, increased irrigation, and higher cutting heights, and can thus become problematic if not maintained properly. Years of mismanagement with subsequent poor turf quality has given velvet bentgrass a poor reputation, but recent research shows that when managed properly, velvet bentgrass can create a superior turf (Brilman and Meyer, 2000).

Velvet bentgrass can be susceptible to red thread (caused by *Laetisaria fuciformis*) and copper spot, but generally has good resistance to dollar spot and brown patch. Seedlings of velvet bentgrasses are susceptible to Pythium seedling root rot during establishment.

During colder weather, velvet bentgrass will turn a dark purple color and take longer than the other bentgrass species to "green-up" in the spring. Velvet bentgrass has not been used extensively for high maintenance turf, largely because its range of adaptation has not been well characterized. Selections of velvet bentgrass have persisted for many years in trials under New Jersey growing conditions. Recent research at Rutgers indicates that the species may one day serve as a viable alternative to creeping bentgrass for use on golf course greens in the northeastern U.S., as long as proper cultural management inputs are implemented. Some of the major breeding objectives for velvet bentgrass include resistance to copper spot and Pythium diseases, and better wear tolerance.

The New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station participates in the National Turfgrass Evaluation Program (NTEP), which evaluates many species of turfgrass including bentgrasses at various locations throughout the United States. The Rutgers turfgrass

breeding program conducts extensive field evaluations of collections and new material developed in the improvement program, many of which are a result of recent collection trips within the United States and throughout Europe and Asia. Collections from Norway, Sweden, Spain, Portugal, France, Finland, Switzerland, Scotland, Italy, Greece, Poland, Holland, Bulgaria, Romania, Croatia, China, and the Slovak Republic serve to enhance the genetic diversity of the germplasm used in this breeding program. The Rutgers turfgrass breeding program focuses on improving turfgrasses for overall quality, color, density, uniformity, texture, disease resistance, salt tolerance, traffic tolerance, and many other aspects of a turf to be grown for a variety of purposes.

PROCEDURES

Bentgrass evaluation trials were established at the Rutgers Horticultural Research Farm II in North Brunswick, NJ in the fall of 2008 (Tables 1 to 3), 2009 (Tables 4 and 5), 2010 (Tables 6 to 8), and 2011 (Tables 9 to 11). Trials were established on a modified Nixon loam. Plot size was 3 x 5 ft for all trials except for the two 2008 NTEP trials (putting greens and fairway/tee, Tables 1 and 2, respectively) which were 4 x 6 ft. Plots were hand-seeded at a rate of approximately 1.0 lb per 1000 ft². All tests were arranged in a randomized complete block design with three replications.

All sites were well drained and openly exposed to both sunlight and air circulation, except the 2008 NTEP putting green trial, which had somewhat enclosed air circulation. The annual rate of nitrogen applied, mowing height, cultivation/topdressing practices, and pesticide applications for each test are presented in Table 12. The putting green tests were mowed five to six times per week during periods of active growth with a triplex or walk-behind reel mower equipped to collect clippings. The fairway tests were mowed three times per week with a triplex reel mower and clippings were removed during periods of active growth. Soil pH was maintained in the range of 5.4 to 6.8 with agricultural limestone. All tests were irrigated to avoid drought stress.

Plots were evaluated frequently during the growing season for overall turf quality (i.e., turf density, texture, uniformity, color, growth habit, and presence of disease and insect damage). Turf quality (Tables 1 to 11), spring green-up (Tables 1, 2, 6, 7, 9 to 11), establishment (Tables 9, and 10), bentgrass suscep-

tibility to a pre-emergence herbicide (Dacthal W-75) phytotoxicity (Tables 2, 3, 5, 8, and 11), localized dry spot (Tables 6 and 7), sod web worm damage (Table 2), and disease were rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 represented the most desirable turf characteristic. Disease ratings included dollar spot (Tables 1, 4, 6 to 11), brown patch (Tables 8 to 10), anthracnose (Table 4), copper spot (Table 1), and Root Pythium (Tables 9 and 10). All data were subjected to analysis of variance. Means were separated using Fisher's protected least significant difference (LSD) means separation test.

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

Turf Quality Evaluations

Entries in Tables 1 through 8 are ranked according to their overall multi-year quality average. Tables 9 through 11 are ranked by the average turf quality for 2012 only. Throughout the years that turf quality was assessed, a few varieties in each bentgrass species stood out as better performing entries. For creeping bentgrasses maintained at a putting green height of cut, Luminary, Barracuda, Pure Distinction, Focus, Proclamation, and the experimental selections IS-AP 18, CAS2 Comp, FLE Comp, CMC Comp, LUC Comp, EBC Comp, PCM Comp, PPG-AP 102, R6, R10, and R11 all performed very well, while Brighton, Penncross, Providence, and Sandhill were consistently among the poorest performers. At fairway height, Luminary, Proclamation, Focus, Shark, Authority, and the experimental selections SRX 1WM, IS-AP 18, CAS2 Comp, FLE Comp, EBC Comp, LUC Comp, CMC Comp, R6, R10, and R12 creeping bentgrasses had excellent turf quality while the lowest scoring cultivars were Penncross. Providence, Sandhill, Century, and Brighton. In the NTEP putting green/tee trial (Table 1), Luminary, Pure Distinction, Shark, Barracuda, Proclamation, V8, and Focus were the top creeping bentgrass cultivars and selections. In the NTEP fairway trial (Table 2), Luminary, Proclamation, Pure Select, Authority, Pin-Up, and SRP 1WM were among the top performing creeping bentgrasses.

Overall turf quality for velvet bentgrasses was evaluated in the 2008, 2009, 2010, and 2011 trials (Tables 1, 4, 6, 7, and 9) under greens height of cut. Legendary, Villa, and the experimental entries PSG 7PC2, IS-AC 4, IS-AC 5, and many Rutgers composite entries performed among the top performing velvet bentgrasses within all trials in which they were

included, although IS-AC 4 and PSG 7PC2 were not entered in the NTEP greens/tee trial. Entries SR 7200 and Greenwich displayed poor quality under these greens-type management conditions. PSG 7PC2 were not entered in the NTEP greens/tee trial. The cultivar SR 7200 had the poorest quality under these greens-type management conditions.

As mentioned previously, colonial bentgrasses perform better at a fairway cutting height and typically have poorer performance under putting green conditions as shown in Tables 4, 7, and 10. Nevertheless, there were several colonials in each trial that exhibited acceptable turf quality at greens height including BCQ Comp and WBM Comp (Table 4), Capri, EDM Comp, DML Comp, and CDD Comp (Table 7), and FDC Comp, CEM Comp, and CED Comp (Table 9). Under fairway conditions (Tables 2, 3, 5, 8, and 11), however, the experimental selections A08-FT12, WBM Comp, BCQ Comp, DML Comp, EDM Comp, DDL Comp, CMD Comp, CED Comp, FDC Comp, and the cultivar Capri were the best performing colonial bentgrasses, while SR 7150, SR 7100, Alister, Tiger II, and BCD generally exhibited the poorest performance under fairway cutting heights when included in trials. In the NTEP fairway height trial (Table 2), A08-FT12, Green Time, and BCD had the highest turf quality, while PST-R9D7 did not perform as well as other colonial bentgrass entries.

Dollar Spot

Sclerotinia homoeocarpa, the causal agent of this widespread turfgrass disease, causes silver dollar-shaped spots of dead turf to form that may converge to cause larger areas of damage (Belanger et al., 2005). While potentially one of the more damaging turf diseases on golf courses in the northeast, dollar spot can be easily managed with the use of fungicides. Since the fungus is so prevalent, however, fungicide use can be expensive. In addition, resistance of S. homoeocarpa to fungicides, particularly to DMI fungicides (Smiley et al., 2005), has become more prevalent, and increased fungicide use is not beneficial to the environment.

Breeding for dollar spot resistance in bentgrass is an important objective of the Rutgers breeding program. Typically, velvet and colonial bentgrasses have better resistance to dollar spot than creeping bentgrass, however the results from recent trials (Tables 1, 4, 7, 8, 9, and 11) indicate that significant improvements in creeping bentgrass have been made. Memorial, 13M, Declaration, Luminary, SRP

1WM, Proclamation, H05TP-295-12, H05TP-300-1, EBC Comp, and CMC Comp all show a high resistance to this disease, while Ninety-Six Two, Penn A-4, Crenshaw, Southshore, RJM26, RHTAV524, and RHTAV318 showed higher susceptibility.

Brown Patch

Whereas velvet bentgrass typically exhibits the greatest tolerance to brown patch among the bentgrass species used for turf, colonial bentgrass is the most susceptible. Dramatic improvements have been made in breeding colonial and creeping bentgrasses for improved resistance to this disease (Tables 8 to 10). In the 2011 greens trial (Table 10), Luminary, LUC Comp, CMC Comp, PSG 1VAH10, PSG 1VAH1, PST-ORPA Bulk, PSG RHN42, and PSG RHN48 are all creeping bentgrasses that were top-rated for resistance to this fungus, while Alpha, SR 1119, Crenshaw, L-93, Declaration, PrvovSLT, SadSLT, and PSG SLTZM2 were susceptible. Of note, several resistant creeping bentgrasses rated higher than velvet bentgrass entries (Table 9), which could be indicative of improvement in cultivars for resistance to this disease.

The resistance of colonial bentgrass to brown patch has been the subject of significant research, and gradual improvements been made in recent years. In the cycle evaluated in the 2010 fairway trial (Table 8), the experimental selections A08-FT12, SCBF 3, EDM Comp, CMD Comp, Green Time, Revere, and Tiger II exhibited significantly improved brown patch resistance over entries BCD, DML Comp, CTP Comp, PSG 7NBC, and PST-Syn 9EFR.

Spring Green-up

Spring green-up data was collected on trials from 2008 (Tables 1 and 2), 2010 (Tables 6 and 7), and 2011 (Tables 9 to 11). The NTEP fairway trial contained both creeping and colonial bentgrass species, whereas the NTEP greens/tee trial contained creeping and velvet bentgrass species.

In general, velvet bentgrass typically has the poorest spring green-up compared to colonial and creeping bentgrass and can even exhibit a reddish or purple color during cold winter months and into the spring. In 2012 there was statistical difference between velvet bentgrass entries in the 2008 NTEP greens/tee test (Table 1), in which Villa and Legendary possessed the earliest spring green-up while Greenwich and SR 7200 were slower to green up. Creeping

bentgrasses Luminary, Shark, Focus, V8, and Pure Distinction had the highest ratings for spring green-up, while Penncross, L-93, Southshore, Crenshaw, Alpha, and Memorial exhibited the latest spring green up. In the NTEP fairway trial (Table 2), colonial bentgrasses A08-FT12, BCD, and EBM showed earlier green-up than Green Time, Tiger II, and PST-9RD7. In the same trial, creeping bentgrasses Luminary, Pin-Up, Authority, Declaration, SRP 1WM, CY-2 and 13M displayed earlier green-up, while L-93, Penncross, and Princeville were among those slower to green up.

In other greens/tee trials (Tables 6, 7, 9, and 10) velvet entries exhibiting early spring green-up included Legendary, Villa, IS-AC 4, IS-AC 5, and PST-Syn VH9, while Greenwich, SR 7200, VGER Bulk, ESV Comp, and CDS Comp were slower to green up. Pure Distinction, Luminary, IS-AP 18, R6, R10, R11, R12, PPG-AP 102, EBC Comp, LUC Comp, PSG 1VAH10, PSG 7CL3, and PSG 7CL33 were creeping bentgrasses with early green-up, as opposed to Southshore, Penncross, Brighton, Providence, Putter, and Century. Under fairway conditions (Table 11), IS-AP 18, PPG-AP 102, EBC Comp, LUC Comp, PCM Comp, and GMCSLT exhibited early green-up, but Providence, Century, Sandhill, and Penn G-2 had the lowest spring green up ratings. The colonial bentgrasses A08-FT12, FDC Comp, and CEM Comp were quicker to green-up than Tiger II, Alister, SR 7100, PST-0HME Bulk, and PST-0HFN Bulk.

Dacthal Sensitivity

One problem many turf managers face is controlling weed populations within their stands of turf. To combat this, turf managers use a plethora of pre- and post-emergence herbicides. One such herbicide available to them is Dacthal (active ingredient DCPA). In April 2012, Dacthal Flo was applied to 2008, 2009, 2010, and 2011 fairway trials (Tables 2, 3, 5, 8, and 11) and the 2011 greens/tee trial (Table 10). This was a one-time application at a rate equivalent to 8 pt per acre. In general, both creeping bentgrasses and velvet bentgrasses showed acceptable levels of tolerance to this herbicide. While there was some noticeable damage among the creeping bentgrass entries, the differences were largely insignificant, and the velvet bentgrass entries exhibited zero ratable damage to turf stands. Some discoloration was recorded, but all of the entries recovered.

In contrast, colonial bentgrasses displayed noticeable and significant differences in Dacthal sensi-

tivity, independent of height of cut. In severe cases, colonial bentgrass plots turned a deep rust color and, in some cases, thinned down to the ground. It should be noted, however, that while rates of recovery varied, in most every instance the plots recovered 100% by the following growing season. In summary, the colonial bentgrasses A08-FT12, Glory, PST-9RD7, PBP Comp, PST-920 Bulk, WQD Comp, CMD Comp, EDM Comp, FDC Comp, CED Comp, CMD Comp, and CEM Comp exhibited significantly less damage than BCD, Green time, Tiger II, IS-AT 10, Alister, and SR 7100.

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Table 1. Performance of bentgrass cultivars in a putting green trial established in September 2008 at North Brunswick, NJ. (Includes all entries of the 2008 National Bentgrass Greens Test - NTEP.)

			Turf Quality ¹ 2009-					Dollar Spot²	Spring Green-up ³	Copper Spot ⁴	Turf Density⁵	Leaf Texture ⁶	Genetic Color ⁷
	Cultivar or Selection	Species	2012 Avg.	2009 Avg.	2010 Avg.	2011 Avg.	2012 Avg.	2012 Avg.	April 2012	Oct. 2012	Dec. 2012	Dec. 2012	Dec. 2012
1	Luminary	Creeping	7.7	7.5	8.0	7.9	7.5	7.2	8.3	6.3	6.7	8.0	8.0
2	Pure Distinction	Creeping	7.6	7.5	7.7	8.0	7.1	5.7	8.7	4.3	8.0	8.7	8.0
3	Legendary	Velvet	6.8	7.4	6.8	6.6	6.5	7.5	5.3	4.0	6.3	8.3	2.7
4	Barracuda	Creeping	6.8	7.1	6.3	6.9	6.9	7.0	7.0	4.3	6.7	7.7	8.0
5	Shark	Creeping	6.7	7.0	6.5	6.9	6.3	4.5	7.3	4.3	6.3	7.3	6.7
6	V8	Creeping	6.5	6.8	6.2	6.0	6.8	5.8	8.0	5.3	7.3	7.7	6.3
7	Villa	Velvet	6.4	7.2	6.3	5.9	6.3	7.7	5.7	3.3	7.7	9.0	3.0
8	Focus	Creeping	6.3	6.8	6.0	6.0	6.4	6.8	7.3	4.7	5.3	8.0	6.7
9	Proclamation	Creeping	6.3	6.4	6.2	6.7	6.0	5.7	5.3	6.0	5.0	7.3	5.0
10	Pin-Up	Creeping	6.0	5.8	5.5	6.0	6.6	5.7	6.3	5.0	6.0	7.0	7.0
11	Greenwich	Velvet	5.8	6.9	5.2	5.5	5.5	8.0	3.7	4.7	6.3	8.3	2.0
12	Declaration	Creeping	5.7	6.4	5.5	5.5	5.4	7.2	6.7	5.7	5.7	7.3	6.7
13	007	Creeping	5.6	5.9	5.5	5.8	5.4	5.8	4.0	6.3	5.7	7.3	5.3
14	Authority	Creeping	5.4	6.5	4.9	4.9	5.4	5.7	7.0	4.3	5.3	6.7	6.0
15	Penneagle II	Creeping	5.3	6.2	4.7	5.3	4.9	5.7	4.7	5.7	4.3	5.0	4.0
16	Penn A-4	Creeping	5.2	6.1	4.2	5.1	5.4	5.2	5.0	5.0	5.3	6.0	5.0
17	SRP-1BLTR3	Creeping	5.2	5.6	5.2	4.9	4.9	4.7	6.3	3.3	5.3	5.7	5.3
18	T-1	Creeping	5.0	6.1	4.6	4.6	4.9	5.3	4.0	5.7	5.3	6.3	4.0
19	AFM	Creeping	4.8	5.2	4.7	4.5	4.9	6.7	6.3	5.3	4.3	5.0	5.3
20	Kingpin	Creeping	4.6	5.7	4.9	4.0	3.8	7.2	6.0	7.3	3.7	5.3	4.7

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Table 1. Bentgrass green trial, 2008, NTEP (continued).

				 2009-				Dollar	Spring	Copper	Turf	Leaf	Genetic Color ⁷
	Cultivar or		2009-	2009	2010	2011	2012	Spot ² 2012	Green-up ³	Spot⁴ Oct.	Density⁵	Texture ⁶	Dec.
	Selection	Species	Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	April 2012	2012	Dec. 2012	Dec. 2012	2012
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21		Creeping	4.6	5.3	4.3	4.4	4.5	5.8	4.3	5.0	3.3	5.0	4.0
22	•	Creeping	4.5	5.8	4.0	4.3	4.0	6.2	3.3	7.0	2.3	4.7	3.3
23	,	Creeping	4.4	4.5	4.0	4.5	4.6	5.5	5.0	5.0	5.0	6.3	5.3
24	Penn A-2	Creeping	4.1	4.3	3.8	4.3	4.3	5.8	4.7	5.0	3.7	6.0	3.3
25	SR 7200	Velvet	3.9	5.8	3.3	2.9	3.7	6.8	2.7	4.7	5.3	7.7	4.0
26	Memorial	Creeping	3.9	4.7	3.8	3.8	3.3	7.3	3.3	7.0	3.0	4.7	3.3
27	13M	Creeping	3.9	5.1	3.7	3.5	3.3	7.2	4.3	6.7	3.7	4.3	4.7
28	Crenshaw	Creeping	3.9	4.8	3.2	3.7	3.8	3.5	2.3	5.7	3.3	3.3	3.7
29	Penn G-2	Creeping	3.6	3.8	3.7	3.3	3.6	6.2	4.7	4.7	5.7	6.3	5.0
30	L-93	Creeping	3.5	4.0	3.0	3.7	3.1	6.2	3.3	7.7	3.0	3.7	3.7
31	Southshore	Creeping	3.2	4.0	3.1	3.1	2.7	5.8	3.0	7.0	2.0	3.3	3.0
32	Penncross	Creeping	2.5	3.8	2.3	2.0	1.8	7.3	3.3	7.0	1.3	2.3	2.3
	LSD at 5% =		0.6	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.9	1.6	2.2	1.6	1.7	1.1

¹Turf quality rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best turf quality

 $^{^2}$ Dollar spot rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best disease resistance. Data is an average of two rating dates.

³Spring green-up rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = earliest spring green-up

⁴Copper spot rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best disease resistance

⁵Turf density rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = highest shoot density

⁶Leaf texture rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = finest leaf texture

⁷Genetic color rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = darkest green color

Table 2. Performance of bentgrass cultivars in a fairway/tee trial established in September 2008 at North Brunswick, NJ. (Includes all entries of the 2008 National Bentgrass Fairway Test - NTEP.)

			2009-	T	urf Quality	/ ¹		Spring	Dacthal ² Recovery ³	Sod Web Worm ⁴	Leaf Texture ⁵	Turf Density ⁶	Genetic Color ⁷
	Cultivar or		2009-	2009	2010	2011	2012	April	June	July	Dec.	Density Dec.	Dec.
	Selection	Species	Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	2012	2012	2012	2012	2012	2012
1	Pure Select	Creeping	7.2	7.3	6.7	7.0	8.0	6.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	8.0
2	Luminary	Creeping	7.1	7.3	6.5	6.9	7.5	7.7	9.0	8.0	7.0	8.3	9.0
3	Proclamation	Creeping	6.9	6.7	6.6	7.1	7.1	6.3	9.0	8.3	6.3	7.3	5.7
4	Pin-Up	Creeping	6.8	6.4	6.3	7.0	7.6	7.0	9.0	8.7	7.7	8.3	9.0
5	Authority	Creeping	6.7	6.9	6.7	6.4	6.8	7.7	9.0	8.0	7.3	7.0	7.0
6	SRP 1WM	Creeping	6.7	6.6	6.3	6.7	7.0	7.0	9.0	8.0	8.0	7.0	6.0
7	Declaration	Creeping	6.5	6.6	6.8	6.3	6.0	7.3	9.0	7.3	6.7	6.7	5.7
8	Barracuda	Creeping	6.4	7.3	6.7	6.3	5.6	6.0	9.0	5.3	6.3	6.3	6.3
9	007	Creeping	6.4	6.3	6.2	6.8	6.4	4.7	9.0	7.3	7.7	7.3	6.3
10	CY-2	Creeping	6.1	6.2	5.8	6.4	6.0	7.7	9.0	4.7	6.7	8.0	9.0
11	Penn A-4	Creeping	6.1	6.2	5.8	6.2	6.2	4.3	9.0	5.7	7.0	7.0	7.3
12	T-1	Creeping	5.7	6.3	4.9	5.6	5.9	4.7	9.0	4.0	6.0	6.3	5.0
13	A08-FT12	Colonial	5.6	6.1	5.7	5.9	4.7	6.0	5.7	9.0	3.3	3.7	1.3
14	BCD	Colonial	5.4	5.8	5.4	5.9	4.5	5.0	1.3	9.0	3.0	2.3	2.7
15	Crystal BlueLinks	Creeping	5.3	6.5	4.4	4.9	5.5	4.3	9.0	4.3	5.3	5.7	6.0
16	Benchmark DSR	Creeping	5.2	6.4	4.5	4.9	5.3	6.0	9.0	4.7	5.7	6.7	4.7
17	13M	Creeping	5.0	5.7	4.5	5.3	4.6	6.7	9.0	2.3	4.7	5.7	5.0
18	Green Time	Colonial	5.0	5.6	4.8	5.0	4.5	3.7	2.3	9.0	2.0	2.7	2.3
19	A08-EBM	Colonial	4.8	5.4	4.6	5.3	4.0	5.0	3.7	9.0	3.3	3.7	1.3
20	Tiger II	Colonial	4.8	5.5	4.4	5.2	4.2	3.0	1.3	9.0	2.3	1.7	1.3

Table 2. Bentgrass fairway/tee trial, 2008, NTEP (continued).

	Cultivar or Selection	Species	2009- 2012 Avg.	T 2009 Avg.	urf Quality 2010 Avg.	2011 Avg.	2012 Avg.	Spring Green-up ² April 2012	Dacthal Recovery ³ June 2012	Sod Web Worm⁴ July 2012	Leaf Texture⁵ Dec. 2012	Turf Density ⁶ Dec. 2012	Genetic Color ⁷ Dec. 2012
21	L-93	Crooning	4.7	4.0	4.2	5.2	4.2	4.0	0.0	5.7	4.0	4.7	4.7
	L-93 Memorial	Creeping	4.7	4.9 5.2	4.3 4.3	5.3 4.4	4.3 4.6	4.0 5.3	9.0 9.0	5.7 4.7	4.0 4.7	4.7 4.3	4.7
		Creeping	4.6										
		Creeping	3.5	3.9	3.3	3.3	3.4	2.7	9.0	5.0	2.3	3.7	4.3
24	PST-R9D7	Colonial	3.3	3.7	3.3	3.3	3.0	4.0	6.3	9.0	2.7	2.3	2.3
25	Penncross	Creeping	3.3	4.5	2.3	3.2	3.1	3.3	9.0	2.7	2.0	4.0	2.3
	LSD at 5% =		0.6	0.7	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.3	1.0	1.9	1.6	1.3	1.7

¹Turf quality rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best turf quality

²Spring green-up rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = earliest spring green-up

³Recovery from Dacthal injury rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best recovery from herbicide damage

⁴Damage caused by sod web worm rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = greatest resistance to damage

⁵Leaf texture rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = finest leaf texture

⁶Turf density rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = highest shoot density

⁷Genetic color rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = darkest green color

Table 3. Performance of creeping and colonial bentgrass cultivars and selections in a fairway/tee trial seeded in September 2008 at North Brunswick, NJ.

					Turf Quality¹			Dacthal
	Cultivar or Selection	Species	2009- 2012 Avg.	2009 Avg.	2010 Avg.	2011 Avg.	2012 Avg.	Recovery ² June 2012
			Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	2012
1	SEC Comp	Creeping	6.1	6.0	6.9	5.4	6.3	9.0
2	MSS Comp	Creeping	6.0	6.2	6.3	5.6	6.0	9.0
3	07-MGD Comp	Colonial	5.8	6.4	6.1	5.9	4.7	2.7
4	Shark	Creeping	5.5	5.8	6.1	4.4	6.0	9.0
5	ESS Comp	Creeping	5.5	5.6	6.5	4.7	5.5	9.0
6	NBC Comp	Colonial	5.5	6.3	6.1	5.8	3.7	2.0
7	BQC Comp	Colonial	5.4	5.5	5.5	6.0	4.8	4.0
8	Authority	Creeping	5.4	5.8	6.1	4.0	5.7	9.0
9	DC1 Comp	Creeping	5.4	6.5	6.6	3.9	4.5	9.0
10	SDS Comp	Colonial	5.3	6.2	5.7	5.8	3.5	2.7
11	PST-Syn-9HO	Colonial	5.2	5.8	5.1	5.3	4.5	7.3
12	EBM	Colonial	5.1	5.7	4.8	5.3	4.6	6.0
13	Penneagle II	Creeping	5.1	5.4	5.5	4.2	5.4	9.0
14	PBP Comp	Colonial	5.0	5.1	4.9	4.6	5.3	8.7
15	07-PCC Comp	Colonial	4.9	4.3	4.6	5.0	5.9	8.7
16	PST-Syn-9BC3	Colonial	4.9	5.4	4.7	4.9	4.6	6.7
17	PST-9NCS Bulk	Colonial	4.9	4.7	4.4	4.9	5.5	6.7
18	PRO AT-1	Colonial	4.8	5.6	4.8	4.8	4.1	3.7
19	Independence	Creeping	4.8	5.6	5.1	3.6	5.1	9.0
20	Revere	Colonial	4.7	5.2	4.6	4.7	4.6	6.7

Table 3. Bentgrass fairway/tee trial, 2008 (continued).

				Turf Quality1			Dacthal	
Cultivar or Selection	Species	2009- 2012 Avg.	2009 Avg.	2010 Avg.	2011 Avg.	2012 Avg.	Recovery June 2012	
1 PST-Syn-9NCS	Colonial	4.7	4.8	4.9	4.7	4.6	6.3	
2 Tyee	Creeping	4.7	5.9	6.2	3.7	3.1	9.0	
3 007	Creeping	4.7	5.7	5.9	3.2	4.0	9.0	
4 PSG 1RHG1	Creeping	4.7	5.1	4.7	4.0	4.9	9.0	
5 PST-920 Bulk	Colonial	4.6	4.8	4.4	4.3	5.1	8.7	
6 PST-Syn-9MS	Colonial	4.6	5.1	4.2	4.7	4.5	5.0	
7 Penn G-1	Creeping	4.5	4.8	5.2	3.5	4.6	9.0	
8 13M	Creeping	4.5	5.2	4.7	3.6	4.3	9.0	
9 Tiger II	Colonial	4.4	5.0	4.3	4.4	3.8	3.0	
0 Alister	Colonial	4.4	4.8	4.1	4.1	4.5	7.7	
1 Penn A-4	Creeping	4.4	5.5	5.4	2.8	3.8	9.0	
2 Declaration	Creeping	4.3	5.9	4.9	3.0	3.5	9.0	
3 Kingpin	Creeping	4.3	5.1	4.4	3.5	4.0	9.0	
4 Mackenzie	Creeping	4.2	4.7	5.6	3.1	3.2	9.0	
5 Memorial	Creeping	4.2	4.9	4.3	3.4	4.0	9.0	
6 Alpha	Creeping	4.1	4.6	4.4	2.6	4.9	9.0	
7 Glory	Colonial	4.1	4.5	3.5	3.9	4.3	8.0	
8 PSG 1RHG12	Creeping	4.1	4.2	3.8	3.6	4.8	9.0	
9 SR 7100	Colonial	3.9	4.3	3.9	3.6	3.7	6.7	
0 PSG 1RHG13	Creeping	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.2	4.8	9.0	
1 T-1	Creeping	3.8	4.8	4.2	2.5	3.7	9.0	
2 SR 1150	Creeping	3.8	4.7	5.1	2.8	2.5	9.0	
3 PST-OPUF Bulk	Creeping	3.8	4.0	4.8	2.8	3.5	9.0	
4 Putter	Creeping	3.8	4.9	4.3	2.7	3.2	9.0	
5 L-93	Creeping	3.7	4.6	4.2	2.6	3.3	9.0	

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Table 3. Bentgrass fairway/tee trial, 2008 (continued).

			2009-		Recovery ²			
	Cultivar or Selection	Species	2012 Avg.	2009 Avg.	2010 Avg.	2011 Avg.	2012 Avg.	June 2012
		·						
46	Penn G-2	Creeping	3.7	3.7	4.5	2.9	3.7	9.0
47	SR 1119	Creeping	3.7	3.9	3.8	3.2	3.7	9.0
48	Southshore	Creeping	3.7	4.4	3.6	3.0	3.6	9.0
49	Crenshaw	Creeping	3.6	4.5	3.9	2.6	3.5	9.0
50	SR 7150	Colonial	3.3	4.1	3.2	3.2	2.7	5.0
51	Providence	Creeping	3.3	3.5	3.1	3.2	3.5	9.0
52	PST-Syn-OPXS	Creeping	3.1	3.6	3.5	2.3	2.7	9.0
53	Brighton	Creeping	3.0	3.9	3.0	2.5	2.9	9.0
54	Sandhill	Creeping	3.0	2.5	3.3	2.9	3.5	9.0
55	PST-ODJ Bulk	Creeping	3.0	4.0	3.0	2.2	2.7	9.0
56	Penncross	Creeping	2.6	3.7	2.3	2.0	2.4	9.0
57	PST-9TO Bulk	Colonial	2.1	1.7	2.0	2.2	2.6	5.7
58	Exeter	Colonial	1.8	1.4	1.5	1.8	2.4	6.0
	LSD at 5% =		0.7	0.7	0.9	0.8	1.5	1.5

¹Turf quality rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best turf quality ²Recovery from Dacthal injury rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best recovery from herbicide damage

Table 4. Performance of creeping, velvet, and colonial bentgrass cultivars and selections in a putting green trial seeded in sand in September 2009 at North Brunswick, NJ.

				Turf Qι	ıality¹		Dollar	
	Cultivar or Selection	Species	2010- 2012 Avg.	2010 Avg.	2011 Avg.	2012 Avg.	Spot² 2012 Avg.	Anthracnose ³ April 2012
1	H05TP-300-1	Creeping	6.9	7.2	6.4	7.1	7.0	7.3
2	PGC Comp	Creeping	6.8	7.0	7.1	6.4	6.2	7.7
3	CAS2 Comp	Creeping	6.7	7.0	6.8	6.2	6.8	6.3
4	Luminary	Creeping	6.6	7.2	6.5	6.2	6.1	8.3
5	LQC Comp	Creeping	6.6	6.9	6.2	6.7	6.6	7.3
6	PSG 7PC2	Velvet	6.6	7.1	6.1	6.6	7.6	8.3
7	H05TP-295-12	Creeping	6.5	7.0	6.2	6.3	6.7	7.0
8	Barracuda	Creeping	6.2	6.9	5.7	6.1	7.0	6.0
9	DQC Comp	Creeping	6.2	6.1	6.4	6.2	6.4	6.7
10	H05TP-295-1	Creeping	6.2	6.8	6.2	5.7	5.9	7.0
11	IS-AC 4	Velvet	6.2	6.5	5.5	6.6	8.0	7.3
12	IS-AP 18	Creeping	6.1	6.4	6.2	5.8	5.1	8.3
13	IS-AP 15	Creeping	6.1	6.6	6.0	5.6	6.3	7.7
14	CAS1 Comp	Creeping	6.1	5.8	6.1	6.2	6.7	8.0
15	IS-AC 5	Velvet	6.1	6.7	5.5	6.1	6.8	7.7
16	RH 931	Creeping	5.9	6.3	5.9	5.7	5.3	7.7
17	Authority	Creeping	5.9	6.6	5.5	5.6	4.8	8.3
18	Focus	Creeping	5.8	5.9	5.4	6.0	6.4	8.0
19	Pin-Up	Creeping	5.8	6.4	5.2	5.8	6.0	7.3
20	RJM 513	Creeping	5.8	7.0	5.6	4.7	4.2	5.5

Table 4. Bentgrass putting green trial, 2009 (continued).

				Turf Qι	ıality¹		Dollar	
			2010-		-		Spot ²	Anthracnose ³
	Cultivar or		2012	2010	2011	2012	2012	April
	Selection	Species	Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	2012
21	Greenwich	Velvet	5.7	6.4	5.2	5.6	7.6	7.3
22	MDS Comp	Velvet	5.7	5.6	5.4	6.1	7.9	7.0
23	RJM 26	Creeping	5.7	6.9	5.4	4.9	3.4	7.5
24	Villa	Velvet	5.6	6.1	5.0	5.8	7.9	7.3
25	Legendary	Velvet	5.6	6.4	4.6	5.8	7.4	6.0
26	Shark	Creeping	5.6	6.3	5.2	5.2	5.2	6.7
27	BCQ Comp	Colonial	5.5	6.0	5.6	5.0	8.5	5.7
28	MDV Comp	Velvet	5.4	5.8	5.0	5.5	6.9	6.0
29	Luminary/A-1	Creeping	5.4	5.9	5.0	5.2	5.9	6.7
30	SRP 1WM	Creeping	5.4	6.7	4.5	5.1	7.0	7.0
31	H04TP-211-7-9	Creeping	5.4	5.9	5.4	5.0	5.2	7.0
32	007	Creeping	5.4	6.2	4.8	5.1	5.5	5.7
33	VDE Comp	Velvet	5.4	5.7	4.7	5.7	8.2	6.0
34	RJM 412	Creeping	5.4	6.7	4.5	5.0	4.0	5.5
35	SSS Comp	Velvet	5.3	5.5	4.9	5.6	7.2	7.3
36	RH 0839	Creeping	5.3	6.5	4.6	4.7	4.2	4.7
37	WBM Comp	Colonial	5.3	5.6	5.5	4.9	8.7	5.7
38	Luminary/A-1/Memorial	Creeping	5.2	5.4	4.7	5.4	6.3	7.0
39	Cobra 2	Creeping	5.2	5.9	4.3	5.4	6.5	5.3
40	SR 1150	Creeping	5.2	5.9	4.6	5.1	5.7	7.3
41	Declaration	Creeping	5.1	6.1	4.4	5.0	6.9	6.7
42	Runner	Creeping	5.1	5.5	4.9	4.9	5.1	6.0
43	RJM 56	Creeping	5.1	6.4	4.3	4.6	3.5	5.0
44	OO7/SR 1150	Creeping	5.1	5.8	4.7	4.8	5.2	7.0
45	Tyee/OO7	Creeping	5.0	6.1	4.0	4.9	5.2	7.0

Table 4. Bentgrass putting green trial, 2009 (continued).

				Turf Qι	uality¹		Dollar	
	Cultivar or Selection	Species	2010- 2012 Avg.	2010 Avg.	2011 Avg.	2012 Avg.	Spot² 2012 Avg.	Anthracnose ³ April 2012
46	WBE Comp	Colonial	5.0	5.3	5.0	4.7	8.6	3.3
47	A-1	Creeping	5.0	5.8	4.2	5.0	5.9	6.3
48	RH 081	Creeping	5.0	5.9	4.6	4.5	5.2	3.0
49	Tyee	Creeping	5.0	4.6	4.9	5.5	5.2	7.3
50	PST-Syn-VR05	Velvet	5.0	5.8	4.1	5.2	7.8	6.0
51	H05TP-276-2	Creeping	5.0	5.2	4.8	4.9	5.2	6.3
52	FWC Comp	Colonial	5.0	5.4	4.8	4.7	8.4	3.3
53	H05TP-290-2	Creeping	4.9	5.2	4.9	4.7	5.7	4.3
54	H05TP-269-8	Creeping	4.9	5.4	4.5	4.8	5.2	4.7
55	SRP 1BLTR3	Creeping	4.9	6.0	4.2	4.4	5.7	7.0
56	CY-2	Creeping	4.8	5.1	4.7	4.9	7.0	5.0
57	PSG RHG12	Creeping	4.8	5.5	4.4	4.5	4.7	6.0
58	PST-Syn-VH5	Velvet	4.8	5.5	3.9	4.9	8.0	5.7
59	OO7/Mackenzie/Tyee	Creeping	4.8	5.5	4.2	4.6	4.4	6.3
60	SRP 2163	Velvet	4.7	5.0	4.9	4.3	6.5	7.3
61	Independence	Creeping	4.7	5.1	4.2	4.7	5.0	7.7
62	Mackenzie	Creeping	4.6	5.1	4.3	4.4	5.3	6.0
63	SR 7200	Velvet	4.6	5.7	3.8	4.3	7.9	6.0
64	Penn G-1	Creeping	4.6	4.7	4.5	4.5	5.9	6.0
65	WLC Comp	Colonial	4.6	4.8	4.8	4.0	8.7	5.0
66	RH TAV34	Creeping	4.5	5.3	4.3	4.0	3.1	7.0
67	RH TAV317	Creeping	4.5	5.4	4.0	4.3	4.2	8.0
68	OO7/Mackenzie	Creeping	4.5	5.3	4.0	4.3	4.8	4.7
69	Penneagle II	Creeping	4.5	4.9	4.1	4.5	6.2	5.7
70	RH TAV327	Creeping	4.5	5.3	4.0	4.1	4.4	7.3

Table 4. Bentgrass putting green trial, 2009 (continued).

				Turf Qı	ıality¹		Dollar	
	Cultivar or Selection	Species	2010- 2012 Avg.	2010 Avg.	2011 Avg.	2012 Avg.	Spot² 2012 Avg.	Anthracnose April 2012
					-			
71	RH TAV318	Creeping	4.5	5.4	3.5	4.4	3.4	7.3
72	Penn G-1	Creeping	4.4	5.1	3.7	4.5	5.9	5.3
73	OO7/SR1119	Creeping	4.4	5.3	3.7	4.1	4.8	6.0
74	SRP 72P2	Velvet	4.4	5.0	4.2	4.0	5.7	6.3
75	Penn G-6	Creeping	4.4	5.0	4.0	4.1	5.6	6.0
76	DPAZ7	Creeping	4.4	5.1	3.5	4.5	4.6	7.7
77	DPAZ1	Creeping	4.4	5.2	3.7	4.1	4.3	6.3
78	SL TAZ1	Creeping	4.4	4.4	4.2	4.4	3.8	6.0
79	Penn A-2	Creeping	4.3	4.7	4.1	4.2	6.0	6.3
80	Pennlinks II/Penneagle II	Creeping	4.3	4.9	3.8	4.2	5.7	6.0
81	SL TAZ3	Creeping	4.3	5.0	3.5	4.4	4.1	3.0
82	WQD Comp	Colonial	4.3	4.1	4.7	4.2	8.5	3.0
83	SR 1150/SR 1119	Creeping	4.3	4.7	4.1	4.0	5.6	6.3
84	SL TAZ2	Creeping	4.3	5.1	3.8	3.9	4.4	6.0
85	13M	Creeping	4.2	5.0	3.7	4.0	6.8	6.0
86	RH TAV36	Creeping	4.2	4.6	3.5	4.6	4.4	7.5
87	PST-Syn-0R56	Creeping	4.2	4.3	4.0	4.2	5.5	5.3
88	LS-44	Creeping	4.1	4.9	3.7	3.9	5.2	6.0
89	SRP 2161	Velvet	4.1	4.8	3.9	3.7	5.5	6.7
90	Penn A-1/Penn A-4	Creeping	4.1	5.3	3.4	3.6	5.7	6.0
91	Crystal Bluelinks	Creeping	4.1	5.2	3.5	3.5	5.9	5.7
92	Mackenzie/Penn G-1	Creeping	4.1	4.6	3.6	4.1	4.9	5.7
93	SRP 2127	Velvet	4.1	4.6	4.0	3.7	5.5	7.0
94	BCD	Colonial	4.1	4.7	4.3	3.3	8.5	5.0
95	RH TAV524	Creeping	4.0	5.0	3.2	3.9	4.1	5.0

Table 4. Bentgrass putting green trial, 2009 (continued).

				Turf Qι	ıality¹		Dollar	
			2010-		•		Spot ²	Anthracnose ³
	Cultivar or		2012	2010	2011	2012	2012	April
	Selection	Species	Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	2012
96	H05TP-207-4	Creeping	4.0	4.8	3.5	3.8	6.0	6.7
97	SRP 2117	Velvet	4.0	5.3	3.4	3.4	5.6	7.3
98	PST-ODJ Bulk	Creeping	4.0	5.2	3.4	3.4	5.0	3.7
99	T-1	Creeping	4.0	5.0	3.3	3.7	4.6	6.0
100	SRP 2169	Velvet	4.0	4.8	3.8	3.5	4.3	5.5
101		Creeping	4.0	4.8	3.6	3.5	5.0	6.7
102	SRP 72P4	Velvet	4.0	4.8	3.6	3.5	5.2	6.7
103	SRP 2186	Velvet	4.0	4.5	3.9	3.6	6.0	5.0
104	SRP 2145	Velvet	4.0	4.4	3.9	3.8	5.5	4.5
105	Penn A-4	Creeping	3.8	4.9	3.1	3.6	5.1	5.0
106	SRP 2145	Velvet	3.8	4.3	3.8	3.4	4.8	6.3
107	Memorial	Creeping	3.7	4.6	3.4	3.2	6.8	5.7
108	SRP 72P3	Velvet	3.7	4.5	3.7	3.2	5.3	6.0
109	Penn G-2	Creeping	3.7	4.5	3.2	3.4	6.5	6.0
110	SRP 72P1	Velvet	3.7	4.2	3.4	3.4	5.0	4.3
111	Kingpin	Creeping	3.6	4.8	3.0	3.2	5.6	5.0
112	L-93	Creeping	3.6	3.9	3.2	3.6	5.8	4.3
113	SRP 2168	Velvet	3.6	4.3	3.0	3.4	4.8	6.0
114	RH TAV37	Creeping	3.5	4.4	2.4	3.8	4.5	7.7
115	Pennlinks II	Creeping	3.4	4.5	2.9	2.9	5.9	6.3
116	Southshore	Creeping	3.4	4.2	2.7	3.3	5.2	5.3
117	Alpha	Creeping	3.4	4.4	2.8	2.8	5.0	5.3
118	Sandhill	Creeping	3.3	4.4	2.6	2.8	5.2	5.0
119	Century	Creeping	3.2	4.2	2.6	3.0	4.3	3.3
120	SR 1119	Creeping	3.2	4.3	2.7	2.6	4.6	5.3

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Table 4. Bentgrass putting green trial, 2009 (continued).

				Turf Qı	uality¹		Dollar	
	Cultivar or Selection	Species	2010- 2012 Avg.	2010 Avg.	2011 Avg.	2012 Avg.	Spot ² 2012 Avg.	Anthracnose ³ April 2012
121	Providence	Creeping	3.2	4.1	2.6	3.1	5.4	6.3
122	SRP 2148	Velvet	3.2	4.1	2.7	2.9	5.4	5.7
123	Seaside II	Creeping	3.1	3.8	2.6	2.9	5.4	5.3
124	PST-OPUF Bulk	Creeping	3.1	3.2	3.1	3.0	4.5	6.0
125	Putter	Creeping	3.0	4.2	2.5	2.4	4.7	4.7
126	Crenshaw	Creeping	3.0	3.9	2.3	2.7	4.1	4.7
127	SRP 2164	Velvet	2.9	3.4	2.9	2.6	6.5	3.5
128	Brighton	Creeping	2.8	3.4	2.5	2.4	4.6	5.3
129	Penncross	Creeping	2.4	2.9	2.1	2.0	5.7	5.0
	LSD at 5% =		0.7	0.9	1.0	0.9	1.4	1.9

¹Turf quality rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best turf quality

²Dollar spot rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best disease resistance. Data is an average of three rating dates.

³Anthracnose rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best disease resistance

Table 5. Performance of colonial, creeping, and velvet bentgrass cultivars and selections in a fairway/tee trial seeded in September 2009 at North Brunswick, NJ.

			2010	Turf C)uality1		Dacthal
	Cultivar or Selection	Species	2010- 2012 Avg.	2010 Avg.	2011 Avg.	2012 Avg.	Recovery June 2012
1	SSS Comp	Velvet	6.7	5.4	7.1	7.7	9.0
	MDV Comp	Velvet	6.7	6.1	6.9	7.2	9.0
3	PSG 7PC2	Velvet	6.6	5.8	6.7	7.4	9.0
4	MDS Comp	Velvet	6.5	5.6	7.1	6.9	9.0
	BCQ Comp	Colonial	6.5	6.9	7.6	4.9	1.0
6	VDE Comp	Velvet	6.4	5.9	6.7	6.6	9.0
7	SRP 1WM	Creeping	6.1	6.0	5.7	6.7	9.0
8	CAS2 Comp	Creeping	6.1	6.3	6.0	5.9	9.0
	IS-AC 5	Velvet	6.1	6.0	6.5	5.8	9.0
0	WQD Comp	Colonial	6.0	5.9	6.3	6.0	5.7
1	IS-AC 4	Velvet	6.0	5.8	6.4	5.9	9.0
2	WBM Comp	Colonial	6.0	6.8	7.2	4.0	1.0
3	WBE Comp	Colonial	6.0	6.7	7.4	3.8	1.0
4	Focus	Creeping	5.9	6.2	6.0	5.6	9.0
5	A08-FT12	Colonial	5.9	5.9	6.1	5.5	5.3
6	WLC Comp	Colonial	5.8	6.3	6.9	4.3	1.3
7	Barracuda	Creeping	5.8	6.0	5.5	6.0	9.0
8	IS-AP 15	Creeping	5.8	5.9	4.9	6.6	9.0
9	CAS1 Comp	Creeping	5.8	5.5	4.8	7.0	9.0
0	Shark	Creeping	5.7	5.6	5.3	6.2	9.0
	Villa	Velvet	5.6	5.5	5.7	5.7	9.0
2	IS-AP 18	Creeping	5.5	5.8	5.1	5.7	9.0
3	Authority	Creeping	5.4	5.4	4.2	6.6	9.0
	FWC Comp	Colonial	5.4	5.3	6.6	4.4	1.3
5	Luminary	Creeping	5.4	5.7	5.1	5.5	9.0
							(Contin

Table 5. Bentgrass fairway/tee trial, 2009 (continued).

				Turf C	Quality1		Dacthal
			2010-				Recovery ²
	Cultivar or		2012	2010	2011	2012	June
	Selection	Species	Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	2012
26	Pin-Up	Creeping	5.4	5.5	4.9	5.8	9.0
27	Declaration	Creeping	5.2	5.3	4.9	5.5	9.0
28	LQC Comp	Creeping	5.2	5.9	4.5	5.3	9.0
29	PST-Syn-9HO	Colonial	5.2	5.6	5.6	4.5	4.3
30	IS-AT 10	Colonial	5.1	5.6	6.4	3.4	1.0
31	OO7/SR 1150	Creeping	5.1	4.9	5.2	5.0	9.0
32	A-1	Creeping	5.0	4.8	4.5	5.6	9.0
33	007	Creeping	5.0	5.3	4.7	4.9	9.0
34	Cobra 2	Creeping	4.9	5.2	4.2	5.4	9.0
35	Luminary/Memorial	Creeping	4.9	5.2	4.9	4.7	9.0
36	OO7/Mackenzie	Creeping	4.9	4.7	4.5	5.6	9.0
37	RH 931	Creeping	4.9	4.9	4.4	5.3	9.0
38	Pennlinks II/Penneagle II	Creeping	4.8	5.3	4.4	4.8	9.0
39	PST-Syn-0COL	Creeping	4.8	5.1	5.0	4.3	7.0
40	SR 7200	Velvet	4.8	5.4	4.6	4.5	9.0
41	Runner	Creeping	4.8	5.5	3.7	5.3	9.0
42	CY-2	Creeping	4.8	5.5	4.5	4.5	9.0
43	PST-9NCS-Bulk	Colonial	4.8	4.8	5.0	4.5	5.0
44	OO7/Mackenzie/Tyee	Creeping	4.7	4.4	4.3	5.6	9.0
45	BCD	Colonial	4.7	5.1	5.6	3.5	2.3
46	Crystal BlueLinks	Creeping	4.7	4.9	4.5	4.6	9.0
47	PST-Syn-9BNC	Colonial	4.6	4.6	4.8	4.5	5.3
48	Penn G-6	Creeping	4.6	4.2	4.6	5.0	9.0
49	13M	Creeping	4.6	4.5	4.9	4.5	9.0
50	SRP 1BLTR3	Creeping	4.5	4.8	4.0	4.8	9.0

Table 5. Bentgrass fairway/tee trial, 2009 (continued).

			Turf G)uality1		Dacthal
		2010-				Recovery
Cultivar or		2012	2010	2011	2012	June
Selection	Species	Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	2012
51 OO7/SR 1119	Creeping	4.5	4.3	4.2	5.0	9.0
52 Penn G-1	Creeping	4.5	4.8	4.1	4.6	9.0
53 Tyee/OO7	Creeping	4.5	4.5	4.2	4.8	9.0
54 PST-Syn-9DR5	Colonial	4.5	4.4	4.5	4.6	7.0
55 Penneagle II	Creeping	4.5	4.8	3.7	5.0	9.0
56 Tiger 2	Colonial	4.4	5.4	4.6	3.2	2.0
57 Greentime	Colonial	4.4	5.5	5.1	2.6	2.0
58 Penn A-1/Penn A-4	Creeping	4.4	4.5	3.9	4.8	9.0
59 Memorial	Creeping	4.3	5.2	4.2	3.5	9.0
60 SR 1150	Creeping	4.3	4.4	4.7	3.9	9.0
61 Glory	Colonial	4.3	4.6	4.6	3.8	5.0
62 Penn G-1	Creeping	4.3	4.6	3.8	4.4	9.0
63 PSG RHG12	Creeping	4.2	4.5	4.0	4.3	9.0
64 Mackenzie/Penn G-1	Creeping	4.1	3.7	4.1	4.4	9.0
65 SR 7100	Colonial	3.9	4.7	4.0	3.2	5.3
66 Penn A-4	Creeping	3.9	3.8	3.5	4.4	9.0
67 Alister	Colonial	3.8	4.1	4.4	3.1	4.7
68 SR 1150/SR 1119	Creeping	3.8	4.7	3.8	3.2	9.0
69 SR 7150	Colonial	3.8	4.5	4.3	2.7	3.3
70 L-93	Creeping	3.8	4.3	3.4	3.7	9.0
71 Tyee	Creeping	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.9	9.0
72 Penn A-2	Creeping	3.7	4.1	3.3	3.9	9.0
73 Penn G-2	Creeping	3.7	4.4	3.1	3.7	9.0
74 Independence	Creeping	3.7	3.9	3.3	4.0	9.0
75 Alpha	Creeping	3.7	4.1	3.5	3.7	9.0

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Table 5. Bentgrass fairway/tee trial, 2009 (continued).

				Turf C	Quality ¹		Dacthal
	Cultivar or		2010- 2012	2010	2011	2012	Recovery June
	Selection	Species	Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	2012
76	96-2	Creeping	3.7	3.5	3.4	4.4	9.0
77	PST-Syn-0R56	Creeping	3.7	4.5	3.3	3.2	9.0
78	Kingpin	Creeping	3.5	4.6	3.3	2.8	9.0
79	Pennlinks II	Creeping	3.3	3.8	3.3	2.9	9.0
80	Seaside II	Creeping	3.3	3.6	3.4	2.9	9.0
31	Mackenzie	Creeping	3.2	3.5	2.9	3.4	9.0
82	Southshore	Creeping	3.2	3.5	2.9	3.0	9.0
83	Sandhill	Creeping	3.1	3.9	2.7	2.7	9.0
84	Providence	Creeping	3.1	3.5	3.4	2.6	9.0
35	Crenshaw	Creeping	3.0	3.3	2.5	3.3	9.0
36	Penncross	Creeping	3.0	3.4	2.8	2.8	9.0
37	T-1	Creeping	3.0	4.0	2.7	2.5	9.0
38	Putter	Creeping	3.0	3.3	2.9	2.9	9.0
39	Brighton	Creeping	2.8	3.0	2.7	2.9	9.0
90	Century	Creeping	2.7	3.1	2.2	2.8	9.0
91	SR 1119	Creeping	2.6	3.2	2.3	2.3	9.0
	LSD at 5% =		0.8	0.8	1.0	1.3	1.0

¹Turf quality rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best turf quality ²Recovery from Dacthal injury rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best recovery from herbicide damage

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Table 6. Performance of velvet bentgrass cultivars and selections in a putting green trial seeded in September 2010 at North Brunswick, NJ.

				Turf Quality ¹		Spring	Localized	Dollar
	Cultivar or Selection	Species	2011- 2012 Avg.	2011 Avg.	2012 Avg.	Green-up² April 2012	Dry Spot ³ July 2012	Spot⁴ Aug. 2012
1	CDE Comp	Velvet	6.1	6.1	6.2	4.7	9.0	9.0
2	PSG 7PC2	Velvet	5.8	5.9	5.7	4.3	9.0	9.0
3	SME Comp	Velvet	5.6	5.2	6.1	5.3	9.0	9.0
4	SMM Comp	Velvet	5.3	5.2	5.4	4.3	9.0	9.0
5	IS-AC 4	Velvet	5.1	4.6	5.7	8.0	8.7	8.7
6	IS-AC 5	Velvet	5.1	4.4	5.7	7.3	9.0	8.7
7	Villa	Velvet	5.0	5.2	4.8	6.0	7.0	9.0
8	Legendary	Velvet	4.9	5.2	4.5	5.0	7.7	9.0
9	VTP Comp	Velvet	4.3	4.3	4.4	3.7	9.0	8.3
10	Greenwich 2003	Velvet	4.1	4.6	3.6	4.0	7.3	7.7
11	VGER Bulk	Velvet	3.9	4.0	3.9	2.0	7.0	9.0
12	Greenwich 2009	Velvet	3.9	4.6	3.2	3.3	7.3	7.3
13	SR 7200	Velvet	3.2	4.2	2.3	2.3	6.3	8.3
	LSD at 5% =		0.7	0.8	0.9	1.6	1.5	0.9

¹Turf quality rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best turf quality

²Spring green-up rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = earliest spring green-up

³Localized dry spot rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best drought resistance

⁴Dollar spot rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best disease resistance

Table 7. Performance of creeping and colonial bentgrass cultivars and selections in a putting green trial seeded in September 2010 at North Brunswick, NJ.

				Turf Quality¹		Spring	Dollar	Localized
	Cultivar or Selection	Species	2011- 2012 Avg.	2011 Avg.	2012 Avg.	Green-up² April 2012	Spot ³ May 2012	Dry Spot July 2012
1	R10	Creeping	6.3	6.3	6.4	7.7	6.3	9.0
2	R11	Creeping	6.2	6.6	5.7	7.7	5.0	9.0
3	IS-AP 18	Creeping	6.1	6.1	6.0	7.0	5.0	8.7
4	FLE Comp	Creeping	6.0	5.7	6.4	7.3	5.7	9.0
5	R12	Creeping	6.0	5.8	6.2	8.3	5.7	7.3
6	Proclamation	Creeping	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.7	5.3	7.7
7	R6	Creeping	5.8	6.2	5.3	8.0	5.3	8.0
8	PSG RH08E1	Creeping	5.8	6.2	5.4	5.3	4.0	5.7
9	Declaration	Creeping	5.7	6.1	5.2	5.3	6.7	7.3
10	PSG RH08-38	Creeping	5.7	6.3	5.2	6.3	3.3	7.3
11	HDG Comp	Creeping	5.6	5.7	5.5	6.0	4.0	8.0
12	Focus	Creeping	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.7	4.7	7.0
13	SRP 1WM	Creeping	5.6	5.7	5.4	4.7	7.7	6.7
14	RH 931	Creeping	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.0	6.0	6.7
15	Pure Select	Creeping	5.5	6.1	4.9	6.7	3.7	8.7
16	IS-AP 16	Creeping	5.5	5.7	5.2	5.0	4.3	8.3
17	007	Creeping	5.3	5.6	5.1	4.7	4.3	7.7
18	GDE Comp	Creeping	5.3	5.1	5.6	4.3	5.3	7.0
19	Capri	Colonial	5.3	5.3	5.3	6.7	7.0	9.0
20	DML Comp	Colonial	5.3	5.5	5.1	7.0	6.7	9.0

Table 7. Bentgrass putting green trial, 2010 (continued).

				Turf Quality1		Spring	Dollar	Localized
	Cultivar or Selection	Species	2011- 2012 Avg.	2011 Avg.	2012 Avg.	Green-up² April 2012	Spot ³ May 2012	Dry Spot⁴ July 2012
21	EDM Comp	Colonial	5.3	5.6	5.0	5.3	8.0	9.0
22	Pin-Up	Creeping	5.3	5.6	5.0	5.0	4.3	7.3
23	Mackenzie	Creeping	5.3	5.6	5.0	5.0	4.0	7.7
24	Pure Distinction	Creeping	5.2	5.8	4.6	7.3	2.3	8.7
25	IS-AP 15	Creeping	5.2	5.4	5.0	4.0	4.3	7.3
26	CDD Comp	Colonial	5.2	5.4	5.0	7.0	5.7	9.0
27	FMM Comp	Creeping	5.2	5.6	4.7	5.7	3.0	8.7
28	DDL Comp	Colonial	5.1	5.2	5.0	5.0	6.3	8.7
29	OO7/Mackenzie	Creeping	5.1	5.3	5.0	5.3	4.3	7.7
30	Shark	Creeping	5.1	5.6	4.5	5.0	4.0	7.7
31	RH 081	Creeping	5.1	5.6	4.5	4.7	3.7	4.0
32	Cobra 2	Creeping	5.1	5.4	4.8	4.0	5.0	6.0
33	OO7/SR 1150	Creeping	5.0	5.3	4.8	4.3	4.7	8.3
34	Authority	Creeping	5.0	5.1	4.8	5.3	5.3	7.3
35	PSG RH08E2	Creeping	5.0	5.9	4.1	4.5	3.5	7.5
36	SRP 1BLTR3	Creeping	4.9	5.3	4.6	5.0	4.0	6.7
37	CMD Comp	Colonial	4.8	4.9	4.8	5.3	7.3	8.3
38	PST-Syn-0KPC	Creeping	4.8	4.4	5.2	6.3	3.3	8.7
39	Runner	Creeping	4.8	5.3	4.3	5.7	3.3	7.7
40	OO7/SR 1119	Creeping	4.8	5.1	4.4	3.0	4.3	7.0
41	Benchmark DSR	Creeping	4.7	5.0	4.5	4.7	5.0	7.3
42	PSG RH08-935	Creeping	4.6	5.3	4.0	5.7	2.7	7.3
43	AFM	Creeping	4.5	4.9	4.2	4.3	3.7	7.7
44	CY-2	Creeping	4.5	4.7	4.3	5.0	5.0	7.7
45	Independence	Creeping	4.4	5.2	3.6	4.3	2.7	8.7

Table 7. Bentgrass putting green trial, 2010 (continued).

				Turf Quality¹		Spring	Dollar	Localized
	Cultivar or Selection	Species	2011- 2012 Avg.	2011 Avg.	2012 Avg.	Green-up² April 2012	Spot ³ May 2012	Dry Spot⁴ July 2012
46	13M	Creeping	4.3	4.8	3.9	4.0	7.0	6.3
47	PSG RH08-910	Creeping	4.2	4.9	3.5	4.7	2.3	6.7
48	L-93	Creeping	4.1	4.4	3.8	3.0	6.0	7.0
49	SR 1150	Creeping	4.1	4.5	3.6	2.3	3.7	8.0
50	Crystal BlueLinks	Creeping	4.1	4.6	3.5	5.0	6.3	7.7
51	A4	Creeping	3.9	4.6	3.3	3.0	2.7	7.0
52	T-1	Creeping	3.9	4.4	3.3	4.0	4.0	8.0
53	Kingpin	Creeping	3.9	4.1	3.6	3.3	7.0	8.3
54	Penn A-1/A4	Creeping	3.9	4.3	3.4	3.0	3.3	7.0
55	BCD	Colonial	3.8	4.1	3.4	3.7	5.3	8.7
56	Memorial	Creeping	3.8	4.0	3.6	4.3	7.3	8.3
57	CTP Comp	Colonial	3.8	4.1	3.4	4.0	7.3	8.3
58	Tyee/OO7	Creeping	3.7	3.8	3.6	3.3	4.0	6.7
59	Ninety-Six Two	Creeping	3.6	4.1	3.2	3.3	2.7	7.0
60	Mackenzie/Tyee	Creeping	3.4	3.5	3.3	3.7	3.3	8.3
61	SR 1150/SR 1119	Creeping	3.3	3.6	3.0	3.3	4.3	7.0
62	Sandhill	Creeping	3.2	4.0	2.5	3.0	3.7	7.0
63	Alpha	Creeping	3.2	3.9	2.5	3.0	3.0	7.7
64	Penncross	Creeping	3.2	4.0	2.4	4.0	3.3	7.0
65	PLS	Creeping	3.2	3.7	2.7	3.0	4.0	7.7
66	PST-Syn-R0PX	Creeping	3.1	3.3	3.0	5.0	4.7	6.7
67	Putter	Creeping	3.0	3.8	2.3	3.0	2.3	7.3
68	Southshore	Creeping	3.0	3.5	2.5	2.7	2.7	6.7
69	SR 1119	Creeping	2.9	3.5	2.3	3.3	3.0	7.7
70	Brighton	Creeping	2.6	3.2	2.1	2.3	3.0	7.7

Table 7. Bentgrass putting green trial, 2010 (continued).

		 2011-	Turf Quality1		Spring Green-up ²	Dollar Spot³	Localized Dry Spot ⁴
Cultivar or Selection	Species	2011- 2012 Avg.	2011 Avg.	2012 Avg.	April 2012	May 2012	July 2012
71 Penncross 72 Tyee	Creeping Creeping	2.5 2.4	3.3 3.1	1.7	2.0	3.0 2.7	7.3 6.3
73 Providence LSD at 5% =	Creeping ————	0.7	0.8	0.9	3.0	4.7 ————————————————————————————————————	6.3

¹Turf quality rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best turf quality

²Spring green-up rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = earliest spring green-up

³Dollar spot rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best disease resistance

⁴Localized dry spot rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best drought resistance

Table 8. Performance of creeping, velvet, and colonial bentgrass cultivars and selections in a fairway trial seeded in September 2010 at North Brunswick, NJ.

				Turf Quality¹		Dollar	Brown	Dacthal
	0.111		2011-	2211	0040	Spot ²	Patch ³	Recovery ⁴
	Cultivar or	0	2012	2011	2012	2012	May	June
	Selection	Species	Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	2012	2012
1	SRP 1WM	Creeping	6.5	6.4	6.6	6.3	8.0	9.0
2	Declaration	Creeping	6.4	6.7	6.2	6.7	8.7	9.0
3	CMD Comp	Colonial	6.4	6.4	6.4	7.0	6.3	8.0
4	R10	Creeping	6.4	6.1	6.6	5.4	9.0	9.0
5	EDM Comp	Colonial	6.3	6.3	6.2	7.0	6.3	6.7
6	Focus	Creeping	6.2	5.8	6.6	5.8	9.0	9.0
7	R6	Creeping	6.2	5.9	6.5	5.0	9.0	9.0
8	GDE Comp	Creeping	6.1	5.8	6.5	6.1	8.7	9.0
9	Capri	Colonial	6.1	6.3	5.9	6.6	6.0	3.7
10	DDL Comp	Colonial	6.1	6.1	6.0	6.4	5.0	6.0
11	Pin-Up	Creeping	6.1	6.1	6.0	5.2	8.7	9.0
12	FLE Comp	Creeping	6.0	5.6	6.4	5.3	9.0	9.0
13	Proclamation	Creeping	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.4	8.3	9.0
14	R12	Creeping	5.9	5.7	6.0	5.2	8.3	9.0
15	DML Comp	Colonial	5.9	6.3	5.4	5.9	4.3	3.3
16	007	Creeping	5.8	6.0	5.7	5.1	8.0	9.0
17	FMM Comp	Creeping	5.7	5.3	6.1	5.2	9.0	9.0
18	HDG Comp	Creeping	5.7	5.6	5.9	4.9	8.3	9.0
19	A08-FT12	Colonial	5.7	5.2	6.0	6.2	6.3	8.7
20	CDD Comp	Colonial	5.6	5.6	5.7	6.2	4.7	5.0

Table 8. Bentgrass fairway trial, 2010 (continued).

				Turf Quality1		Dollar	Brown	Dacthal
	Cultivar or		2011- 2012	2011	2012	Spot ² 2012	Patch ³ May	Recovery ⁴ June
	Selection	Species	Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	Avg.	2012	2012
21	IS-AC 4	Velvet	5.6	4.8	6.4	7.5	9.0	9.0
22	Authority	Creeping	5.6	5.3	5.8	5.8	8.0	9.0
23	RH 931	Creeping	5.5	5.3	5.7	5.3	8.0	9.0
24	AFM	Creeping	5.5	5.4	5.7	5.5	8.7	9.0
25	Villa	Velvet	5.5	4.9	6.1	6.7	8.0	9.0
	PSG 7NBC	Colonial	5.5	6.3	4.8	5.1	4.0	3.0
27	R11	Creeping	5.5	5.6	5.4	4.4	8.7	9.0
	OO7/Mackenzie	Creeping	5.5	5.8	5.2	4.2	8.0	9.0
	IS-AC 5	Velvet	5.5	5.0	5.9	5.9	9.0	9.0
30	Shark	Creeping	5.4	5.6	5.3	4.6	9.0	9.0
31	SRP 1BLTR3	Creeping	5.3	5.2	5.4	4.8	8.0	9.0
	Pure Select	Creeping	5.3	5.1	5.5	5.2	8.7	9.0
	OO7/SR 1119	Creeping	5.2	5.1	5.4	5.2	8.7	9.0
	Crystal BlueLinks	Creeping	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.3	8.7	9.0
35	CTP Comp	Colonial	5.1	5.3	4.8	6.5	3.0	5.0
36	Mackenzie	Creeping	5.0	5.0	5.0	3.9	7.7	9.0
	13M	Creeping	5.0	5.5	4.5	6.2	8.5	9.0
	Benchmark DSR	Creeping	5.0	4.9	4.9	5.2	8.0	9.0
	SR 1150	Creeping	4.9	4.9	4.8	5.4	7.7	9.0
40	Revere	Colonial	4.8	5.1	4.6	6.4	5.7	4.0
41	RH 081	Creeping	4.8	5.5	4.2	4.0	7.3	9.0
	Pure Distinction	Creeping	4.7	5.0	4.5	2.7	9.0	9.0
	Memorial	Creeping	4.7	4.7	4.8	6.7	7.7	9.0
	OO7/SR 1150	Creeping	4.7	4.9	4.5	4.4	8.0	9.0
45	SR 1150/SR 1119	Creeping	4.7	5.0	4.3	5.1	7.0	9.0

Table 8. Bentgrass fairway trial, 2010 (continued).

				Turf Quality1		Dollar	Brown	Dacthal
	Cultivar or Selection	Species	2011- 2012 Avg.	2011 Avg.	2012 Avg.	Spot² 2012 Avg.	Patch³ May 2012	Recovery ² June 2012
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46	Glory	Colonial	4.7	4.6	4.8	5.9	5.3	6.3
47	Tyee/OO7	Creeping	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.7	8.3	9.0
48	IS-AT 10	Colonial	4.6	4.9	4.3	6.1	5.3	2.3
49	T-1	Creeping	4.6	4.8	4.4	5.6	8.0	9.0
50	Alister	Colonial	4.5	4.9	4.1	5.0	4.7	5.0
51	Greentime	Colonial	4.4	5.0	3.9	6.1	6.0	2.0
52	BCD	Colonial	4.4	5.2	3.6	5.1	4.0	3.0
53	Kingpin	Creeping	4.4	4.4	4.4	5.8	7.7	9.0
54	SCBF 1	Colonial	4.3	4.2	4.4	6.2	4.5	5.7
55	Sandhill	Creeping	4.3	4.2	4.3	5.7	7.7	9.0
56	Independence	Creeping	4.2	4.4	4.0	3.5	8.7	9.0
57	Tiger 2	Colonial	4.2	4.6	3.8	5.9	5.7	3.7
58	L-93	Creeping	4.2	4.1	4.2	6.2	7.3	9.0
59	Putter	Creeping	4.1	4.4	3.8	4.5	8.0	9.0
60	Alpha	Creeping	4.1	4.3	3.9	5.0	8.3	9.0
61	Ninety-Six Two	Creeping	4.0	4.3	3.7	3.5	8.0	9.0
62	SCBF 2	Colonial	4.0	3.9	4.1	6.1	6.3	4.3
63	Mackenzie/Tyee	Creeping	4.0	4.2	3.8	3.9	7.7	9.0
64	PLS	Creeping	3.9	4.1	3.7	4.2	8.0	9.0
65	Syn-9EFR	Colonial	3.9	4.2	3.5	6.0	3.3	4.0
00	Syll-9Ll IX	Colonial	3.9	4.2	3.5	0.0	3.3	4.0
66	Southshore	Creeping	3.9	4.0	3.8	4.8	8.0	9.0
67	SR 1119	Creeping	3.7	3.7	3.8	4.7	8.0	9.0
68	SR 7150	Colonial	3.5	4.0	2.9	5.2	5.0	2.5
69	Brighton	Creeping	3.3	3.5	3.1	4.4	7.0	9.0
70	SCBF 3	Colonial	3.3	3.3	3.4	5.7	7.5	4.0

Table 8. Bentgrass fairway trial, 2010 (continued).

			 2011-	Turf Quality1		Dollar Spot²	Brown Patch³	Dacthal Recovery ⁴
	Cultivar or Selection	Species	2012 Avg.	2011 Avg.	2012 Avg.	2012 Avg.	May 2012	June 2012
71	SR 7100	Colonial	3.1	3.1	3.1	5.6	5.0	4.3
72	Penncross	Creeping	2.8	3.3	2.3	4.4	7.3	9.0
73	Tyee	Creeping	2.8	3.0	2.6	4.0	7.0	9.0
74	Providence	Creeping	2.5	2.3	2.7	6.0	7.7	9.0
	LSD at 5% =		0.6	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.3	1.6

¹Turf quality rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best turf quality

²Dollar spot rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best disease resistance. Data is an average of three rating dates.

³Brown patch rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best disease resistance

⁴Recovery from Dacthal injury rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best recovery from herbicide damage

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Table 9. Performance of velvet bentgrass cultivars and selections in a putting green trial seeded in September 2011 at North Brunswick, NJ.

Cultivar or Selection	Species	Turf Quality¹ 2012 Avg.	Dollar Spot ² 2012 Avg.	Turf Establishment ³ Oct. 2011	Root Pythium⁴ Oct. 2011	Spring Green-up⁵ April 2012	Browr Patch Aug. 2012
PSG 7PC2	Velvet	6.6	8.8	3.3	6.7	4.7	8.7
ESV Comp	Velvet	6.3	8.9	2.3	7.7	3.7	9.0
Legendary	Velvet	6.3	8.6	4.0	5.7	5.0	8.7
PST-Syn-VH9	Velvet	5.9	8.8	3.0	6.7	5.0	8.0
Villa	Velvet	5.9	9.0	4.7	4.3	6.0	7.3
CDS Comp	Velvet	5.6	8.9	3.0	8.3	3.7	8.0
SR 7200	Velvet	5.2	9.0	3.7	3.0	4.7	6.0
Greenwich	Velvet	4.9	8.3	3.0	5.3	5.0	7.7
LSD at 5% =		0.8	1.5	1.5	2.1	1.5	2.0

¹Turf quality rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best turf quality

²Dollar spot rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best disease resistance. Data is an average of three ratings.

³Turf establishment rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = quickest establishment of turf canopy

⁴Root Pythium disease rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best disease resistance

⁵Spring green-up rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = earliest spring green-up

⁶Brown patch rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best disease resistance

Table 10. Performance of creeping and colonial bentgrass cultivars and selections in a putting green trial seeded in September 2011 at North Brunswick, NJ.

	Cultivar or Selection	Species	Turf Quality¹ 2012 Avg.	Dollar Spot ² 2012 Avg.	Turf Establishment ³ Oct. 2011	Root Pythium⁴ Oct. 2011	Spring Green-up⁵ April 2012	Brown Patch ⁶ Aug. 2012
1	PST-ORPA Bulk	Creeping	6.6	5.0	5.7	4.7	7.0	7.7
2	PPG-AP 102	Creeping	6.5	7.1	6.0	5.7	6.7	6.3
3	CMC Comp	Creeping	6.5	6.7	3.7	7.0	6.3	6.7
4	Shark	Creeping	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.0	6.0	5.3
5	Pure Select	Creeping	6.4	6.0	5.7	4.7	6.3	6.3
6	EBC Comp	Creeping	6.3	6.3	4.0	8.0	7.3	6.3
7	LUC Comp	Creeping	6.3	6.1	4.0	7.7	7.3	7.3
8	AP-18	Creeping	6.3	6.7	6.3	5.0	7.3	5.7
9	PCM Comp	Creeping	6.2	6.3	4.7	7.3	6.0	6.3
10	PSG 1VAH10	Creeping	6.1	5.3	5.3	5.0	6.7	7.7
11	Luminary	Creeping	6.1	5.8	5.3	6.0	7.3	8.3
12	PSG RHN37	Creeping	6.0	4.2	5.7	6.3	5.0	4.3
13	PSG RHN42	Creeping	6.0	5.5	5.7	5.7	5.3	5.0
14	PSG RHN48	Creeping	6.0	4.2	5.3	4.3	6.3	7.3
15	PSG 1RJM	Creeping	5.9	4.2	5.3	5.7	5.0	7.0
16	FDC Comp	Colonial	5.9	8.7	4.3	6.3	5.3	6.0
17	HDG-10 Comp	Creeping	5.9	6.6	4.3	7.3	5.7	5.7
18	Pure Distinction	Creeping	5.9	5.8	4.7	4.7	7.0	6.0
19	RH931SLT	Creeping	5.9	5.4	5.3	4.3	4.3	6.0
20	PSG 1RHTAV3	Creeping	5.8	4.1	5.3	6.3	4.7	6.3

Table 10. Bentgrass putting green trial, 2011 (continued).

Cultivar or Selection	Species	Turf Quality ¹ 2012 Avg.	Dollar Spot ² 2012 Avg.	Turf Establishment ³ Oct. 2011	Root Pythium⁴ Oct. 2011	Spring Green-up⁵ April 2012	Brown Patch ⁶ Aug. 2012
1 007	Creeping	5.8	5.9	6.7	5.3	5.3	4.7
2 PSG RH128M	Creeping	5.7	4.3	6.0	6.0	4.3	6.0
3 CEM Comp	Colonial	5.7	8.6	3.7	7.0	7.3	6.0
4 V-8	Creeping	5.6	6.2	6.7	5.7	6.0	4.0
5 Barracuda	Creeping	5.6	5.6	6.0	4.3	6.3	5.7
6 CED Comp	Colonial	5.6	8.6	4.7	8.0	7.3	5.3
7 SRP 1RH93	Creeping	5.6	6.3	4.3	5.3	6.0	5.0
8 PSG 1RHTV	Creeping	5.5	3.8	5.0	4.3	4.7	6.0
9 PSG RHN411	Creeping	5.5	5.3	5.3	5.3	4.7	4.0
0 Authority	Creeping	5.5	6.8	6.3	5.0	6.3	4.7
1 PSG RHN316	Creeping	5.5	5.1	5.3	5.7	5.0	5.7
2 PSG 1RIL	Creeping	5.5	4.8	7.3	5.3	5.3	4.0
3 Proclamation	Creeping	5.4	6.9	5.7	5.0	6.3	4.3
4 SRP 1WM	Creeping	5.4	6.9	4.0	5.3	6.0	4.7
5 CMD Comp	Creeping	5.4	8.6	3.7	8.0	5.7	5.3
6 PSG RHN12	Creeping	5.4	5.5	5.0	5.3	5.3	3.7
7 PSG 1VAH1	Creeping	5.3	3.5	6.0	4.3	6.3	7.3
8 PSG 10SLT	Creeping	5.3	6.3	5.3	4.3	4.7	4.3
9 Independence	Creeping	5.2	4.6	6.3	4.3	5.7	5.3
0 PSG 1RHT33	Creeping	5.2	4.5	5.7	6.0	5.0	5.0
1 FMM Comp	Creeping	5.2	4.4	3.7	7.3	7.0	5.3
2 PinUp	Creeping	5.1	4.8	4.7	5.3	5.7	4.0
3 SR 1119+Tyee	Creeping	5.1	5.0	6.3	7.0	5.7	3.3
4 Cobra 2	Creeping	5.1	7.1	5.3	6.3	4.0	3.0
5 PSG SLTZM2	Creeping	5.1	4.8	4.3	5.3	4.0	2.7

Table 10. Bentgrass putting green trial, 2011 (continued).

	Cultivar or Selection	Species	Turf Quality¹ 2012 Avg.	Dollar Spot ² 2012 Avg.	Turf Establishment ³ Oct. 2011	Root Pythium⁴ Oct. 2011	Spring Green-up⁵ April 2012	Brown Patch ⁶ Aug. 2012
	SRP 1WM+007	Creeping	5.1	6.8	6.3	7.0	5.7	3.0
47	A1/A4	Creeping	5.0	5.9	6.0	5.3	5.0	3.3
48	Declaration	Creeping	4.9	7.5	6.0	5.7	6.3	2.7
49	SR 1150+007	Creeping	4.9	5.6	5.7	5.3	3.7	4.0
50	Penn A-4	Creeping	4.9	5.4	6.7	5.7	4.3	3.7
51	Mackenzie+Tyee+OO7	Creeping	4.9	5.6	6.7	5.3	5.7	4.3
52	Benchmark DSR	Creeping	4.9	6.0	5.0	5.0	4.3	3.3
53	PSG SLTZM1	Creeping	4.8	3.4	5.7	5.7	5.0	3.0
54	Penn A-1	Creeping	4.8	6.4	5.7	5.3	5.3	3.0
55	GMCSLT	Creeping	4.8	6.8	5.3	4.7	5.7	3.3
56	13M	Creeping	4.8	6.8	5.7	4.3	5.7	4.0
57	Penneagle II	Creeping	4.8	5.6	6.0	4.0	6.7	3.7
58	Mackenzie+SR 1150+OO7	Creeping	4.7	5.8	6.7	3.7	5.0	3.3
59	Tyee	Creeping	4.7	5.3	6.0	5.7	4.3	4.0
60	PSG SLTZM3	Creeping	4.7	4.2	4.3	5.0	4.3	4.3
61	PSG 1B158	Creeping	4.7	6.1	5.3	5.3	5.0	5.3
62	T-1	Creeping	4.6	6.0	5.3	4.3	3.7	4.0
63	SRP 1WM+Mackenzie	Creeping	4.6	5.9	5.7	5.3	5.3	4.3
64	SRP 1WM+Tyee	Creeping	4.5	5.1	5.7	5.0	5.7	4.0
65	Ninety-Six Two	Creeping	4.5	4.1	5.7	4.7	5.7	3.3
66	SR 1150	Creeping	4.4	5.6	5.3	5.7	4.3	3.3
67	A08-FT12	Colonial	4.3	8.2	5.0	7.0	6.0	4.3
68	PSG 1RIE	Creeping	4.3	5.6	5.3	6.3	4.7	3.3
69	Crystal BlueLinks	Creeping	4.2	5.6	7.0	4.7	4.3	3.3
70	Mackenzie	Creeping	4.1	5.2	4.7	5.0	3.7	4.3

Table 10. Bentgrass putting green trial, 2011 (continued).

Cultivar or Selection	Species	Turf Quality¹ 2012 Avg.	Dollar Spot ² 2012 Avg.	Turf Establishment ³ Oct. 2011	Root Pythium⁴ Oct. 2011	Spring Green-up⁵ April 2012	Brown Patch ⁶ Aug. 2012
71 Mackenzie+SR 1150	Creeping	4.0	5.5	5.7	4.3	4.7	3.0
72 Kingpin	Creeping	4.0	6.1	5.3	5.7	5.7	4.0
73 MacSLT	Creeping	4.0	5.6	5.3	4.7	4.3	3.3
74 Putter	Creeping	3.9	5.9	6.0	5.0	3.3	2.7
75 PSG 7CL3	Creeping	3.9	7.9	4.0	5.3	7.0	6.7
76 PSG 7CL33	Creeping	3.9	8.1	4.7	5.3	7.7	3.7
77 Alpha	Creeping	3.9	6.0	6.3	4.0	4.0	2.3
78 PSG 7CL6	Creeping	3.8	8.3	3.5	5.0	6.5	4.0
79 Crenshaw	Creeping	3.8	4.1	4.7	5.0	4.3	2.0
30 Memorial	Creeping	3.7	7.7	5.0	4.3	4.0	3.0
31 L-93	Creeping	3.7	5.4	6.0	5.0	3.3	2.3
32 Imperial	Creeping	3.6	4.0	5.3	3.7	5.3	3.3
33 EBM	Colonial	3.6	8.2	5.7	5.7	5.3	4.7
34 SR 1119	Creeping	3.6	5.3	5.7	4.0	4.3	2.3
35 Southshore	Creeping	3.5	5.3	6.0	3.3	4.0	2.7
36 Capri	Colonial	3.5	8.2	5.0	3.7	6.7	5.3
37 Pennlinks II	Creeping	3.5	6.7	5.7	4.3	4.3	3.0
38 Penn G-2	Creeping	3.5	4.8	1.0	9.0	3.7	4.7
39 Penncross	Creeping	3.4	5.9	7.3	5.3	5.7	3.7
90 SandSLT	Creeping	3.4	5.7	6.0	5.3	5.0	2.3
91 ProvSLT	Creeping	3.2	4.8	5.7	6.0	4.3	2.3
92 Brighton	Creeping	3.1	5.8	5.7	4.3	4.0	3.3
93 BCD	Colonial	3.0	8.0	4.0	6.3	6.0	5.0
94 Sandhill	Creeping	2.9	5.9	1.0	9.0	3.3	5.0
95 Century	Creeping	2.9	4.2	1.0	9.0	3.0	3.7

Table 10. Bentgrass putting green trial, 2011 (continued).

	Cultivar or Selection	Species	Turf Quality ¹ 2012 Avg.	Dollar Spot ² 2012 Avg.	Turf Establishment ³ Oct. 2011	Root Pythium⁴ Oct. 2011	Spring Green-up⁵ April 2012	Brown Patch ⁶ Aug. 2012
96	Tiger 2	Colonial	2.8	8.0	5.7	5.0	4.7	4.3
97 98	Alister Providence	Colonial Creeping	2.6 2.4	7.6 6.6	3.7 1.0	7.7 9.0	5.0 2.7	4.0 3.7
	LSD at 5% =		0.8	1.5	1.5	2.1	1.5	2.0

¹Turf quality rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best turf quality

²Dollar spot rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best disease resistance. Data is an average of three ratings.

³Turf establishment rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = quickest establishment of turf canopy

⁴Root Pythium disease rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best disease resistance

⁵Spring green-up rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = earliest spring green-up

⁶Brown patch rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best disease resistance

Table 11. Performance of creeping and colonial bentgrass cultivars and selections in a fairway trial seeded in September 2011 at North Brunswick, NJ.

	Cultivar or Selection	Species	Turf Quality ¹ 2012 Avg.	Turf Establishment ² Oct. 2011	Spring Green-up³ April 2012	Dacthal Damage ⁴ 2012 Avg.	Dacthal Recovery⁵ June 2012	Dollar Spot ⁶ Oct. 2012
1	LUC Comp	Creeping	7.6	4.3	7.0	8.8	9.0	6.7
2	EBC Comp	Creeping	7.6	4.7	8.0	7.5	9.0	8.7
3	CMC Comp	Creeping	7.6	4.7	7.0	8.5	9.0	8.7
4	PCM Comp	Creeping	7.5	5.0	8.7	8.5	9.0	6.7
5	PPG-AP 102	Creeping	7.1	6.3	7.7	8.0	9.0	6.3
6	FDC Comp	Colonial	6.9	4.0	7.0	7.8	8.0	9.0
7	AP-18	Creeping	6.9	6.3	8.0	8.0	9.0	7.0
8	Luminary	Creeping	6.9	6.3	7.0	8.3	9.0	7.0
9	Proclamation	Creeping	6.8	6.7	6.0	7.2	9.0	7.7
10	PinUp	Creeping	6.5	7.7	5.7	6.7	9.0	6.7
11	Barracuda	Creeping	6.5	6.0	6.7	6.8	9.0	7.3
12	CED Comp	Colonial	6.4	4.7	5.7	6.8	6.3	8.0
13	Shark	Creeping	6.3	6.7	6.3	7.0	9.0	5.7
14	GMCSLT	Creeping	6.3	7.0	7.3	6.3	9.0	6.7
15	Authority	Creeping	6.2	6.3	5.7	5.8	9.0	7.0
16	HDG-10 Comp	Creeping	6.1	4.3	6.3	6.2	9.0	5.7
17	SRP 1WM	Creeping	6.0	5.7	7.0	5.3	9.0	8.0
18	PSG 1RHTAV3	Creeping	5.9	6.0	5.3	6.7	9.0	3.7
19	PSG 1RJM1	Creeping	5.7	6.0	4.3	6.8	9.0	4.0
20	CMD Comp	Colonial	5.7	4.0	5.0	6.0	5.3	8.3

Table 11. Bentgrass fairway trial, 2011 (continued).

Cultivar or Selection	Species	Turf Quality¹ 2012 Avg.	Turf Establishment ² Oct. 2011	Spring Green-up ³ April 2012	Dacthal Damage ⁴ 2012 Avg.	Dacthal Recovery⁵ June 2012	Dolla Spot ^e Oct. 2012
1 Declaration	Creeping	5.6	7.3	6.3	6.7	9.0	7.7
2 PSG 1RHTV	Creeping	5.6	6.0	4.3	6.7	9.0	2.7
3 PSG 1RHT33	Creeping	5.5	5.7	5.7	6.7	9.0	3.3
4 007	Creeping	5.5	6.0	5.7	5.5	9.0	6.3
5 PSG SLTZM1	Creeping	5.4	5.3	5.0	6.5	9.0	3.7
6 SRP 1RH93	Creeping	5.4	5.3	4.7	4.8	9.0	6.0
7 Independence	Creeping	5.4	7.0	5.3	6.8	9.0	5.3
8 A08-FT12	Colonial	5.3	6.0	6.3	6.0	6.0	8.7
9 PSG RH128M	Creeping	5.3	6.3	5.7	4.5	9.0	4.7
0 V-8	Creeping	5.3	6.3	5.7	5.5	9.0	6.3
1 RH93SLT	Creeping	5.3	5.7	4.0	5.2	9.0	6.3
2 CEM Comp	Colonial	5.2	5.3	6.3	6.0	4.7	8.3
3 Benchmark DSR	Creeping	5.2	6.7	5.3	6.0	9.0	7.0
4 PSG SLTZM3	Creeping	5.2	6.0	5.0	6.2	9.0	6.0
5 PSG 1RILE	Creeping	5.2	7.3	5.7	7.0	9.0	5.0
6 FMM Comp	Creeping	5.2	3.7	5.3	6.3	9.0	6.7
7 Cobra 2	Creeping	5.2	6.3	5.3	5.2	9.0	6.3
8 PSG 107SLT	Creeping	5.1	6.7	6.3	5.3	9.0	5.7
9 SRP 1WM+Mackenzie	Creeping	5.1	5.7	6.7	4.7	9.0	7.3
0 PSG 1RIL	Creeping	5.1	7.0	5.0	7.3	9.0	3.0
1 Mackenzie+SR 1150+OO7	Creeping	5.0	6.7	5.7	4.3	9.0	6.7
2 SR 1150+OO7	Creeping	4.8	6.3	5.7	4.7	9.0	6.7
3 SRP 1WM+007	Creeping	4.8	5.7	5.0	4.0	9.0	6.7
4 SRP 1WM+Tyee	Creeping	4.6	5.7	5.0	4.7	9.0	6.7
5 13M	Creeping	4.4	7.3	6.0	5.0	9.0	8.0

Table 11. Bentgrass fairway trial, 2011 (continued).

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46 Imperial Creeping 4.3 6.0 3.7 5.0	0.0	5.3
47 PSG SLTZM2 Creeping 4.3 6.0 3.7 5.5	9.0	6.3
48 SR 1119+Tyee+OO7 Creeping 4.3 6.7 4.7 4.2	9.0	7.3
49 EBM Colonial 4.3 6.3 5.3 4.2	3.0	8.3
50 L-93 Creeping 4.3 6.0 5.3 4.5	9.0	8.0
51 T-1 Creeping 4.3 6.3 4.7 5.0	9.0	6.0
52 Mackenzie+Tyee+OO7 Creeping 4.2 6.0 4.0 4.3	9.0	6.3
53 PST-0HFN Bulk Colonial 4.2 3.0 3.0 4.8	7.5	8.0
54 Tyee Creeping 4.1 5.7 4.3 5.0	9.0	5.3
55 PSG 1B158 Creeping 4.1 6.0 5.7 4.2	9.0	4.7
56 PST-0HME Bulk Colonial 4.1 2.3 3.3 5.8	9.0	7.3
57 Mackenzie+SR 1150 Creeping 4.0 5.3 5.7 4.0	9.0	6.7
58 MacSLT Creeping 3.9 6.3 4.0 3.7	9.0	6.7
59 Putter Creeping 3.9 6.0 4.0 5.3	9.0	5.7
60 Ninety-Six Two Creeping 3.9 6.3 4.3 4.0	9.0	4.7
61 Kingpin Creeping 3.8 6.7 3.7 4.7	9.0	6.3
62 PSG NBC Colonial 3.8 5.7 5.7 2.7	1.3	8.3
63 Southshore Creeping 3.8 6.0 3.7 4.8	9.0	4.3
64 SR 1150 Creeping 3.8 5.7 6.0 3.8	9.0	5.3
65 Crenshaw Creeping 3.6 6.7 4.3 3.8	9.0	5.0
66 Mackenzie Creeping 3.6 4.7 5.3 4.8	9.0	6.0
67 SR 1119 Creeping 3.5 5.7 5.0 3.5	9.0	6.7
68 Capri Colonial 3.4 6.7 5.0 3.0	2.0	8.7
69 Alpha Creeping 3.4 6.3 4.0 4.8	9.0	6.0
70 Memorial Creeping 3.3 7.3 4.7 3.7	9.0	7.7

Table 11. Bentgrass fairway trial, 2011 (continued).

	Cultivar or Selection	Species	Turf Quality¹ 2012 Avg.	Turf Establishment ² Oct. 2011	Spring Green-up³ April 2012	Dacthal Damage⁴ 2012 Avg.	Dacthal Recovery⁵ June 2012	Dollar Spot ⁶ Oct. 2012
71	PPG-AT 101	Colonial	3.2	6.3	4.7	2.3	1.3	8.3
72	Brighton	Creeping	3.0	6.3	4.7	3.8	9.0	7.3
73	BCD	Colonial	2.9	4.7	5.0	2.7	1.0	8.3
74	Penn G-2	Creeping	2.9	1.0	3.3	5.8	9.0	7.0
75	SandSLT	Creeping	2.7	6.3	4.7	4.2	9.0	8.3
76	ProvSLT	Creeping	2.7	7.0	3.3	2.8	9.0	6.7
77	SR 7100	Colonial	2.7	2.0	4.0	3.2	3.0	8.3
78	Century	Creeping	2.7	1.0	3.0	5.8	9.0	6.3
79	Alister	Colonial	2.5	5.0	3.3	1.8	1.0	8.0
80	SR 7150	Colonial	2.5	3.3	4.3	1.2	1.7	8.7
31	Tiger 2	Colonial	2.4	6.7	4.0	1.3	1.7	8.3
82	Providence	Creeping	2.1	1.0	3.0	4.7	9.0	6.7
83	PSG 7DB	Dryland	2.0	6.7	2.3	1.0	1.0	8.0
84	Sandhill	Creeping	1.8	1.0	3.0	4.7	9.0	6.0
	LSD at 5% =		0.8	1.2	1.6	1.3	0.5	1.6

¹Turf quality rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best turf quality

²Turf establishment rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = quickest establishment of turf canopy

³Spring green-up rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = earliest spring green-up

⁴Injury due to Dacthal rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best resistance to herbicide damage. Data is an average of two ratings.

⁵Recovery from Dacthal injury rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best recovery from herbicide damage

⁶Dollar spot rated on a 1 to 9 scale, where 9 = best disease resistance. Data is an average of three ratings.

Table 12. Maintenance practices performed in 2012 on bentgrass trials at North Brunswick, NJ.

Table	Test	Fertility ¹	Mowing Height (inches)	Cultivation/Top Dress	Fungicides	Insecticides	Herbicides
1	2008 Greens, NTEP	1.85 (N); 28 fl oz Micro- green; 0.283 lb P_2O_5 ; 0.117 lb K_2O ; 3.99 oz $FeSO_4$	0.110	April–Aug./Oct./ Nov.–top dressed July/Aug.–Tricure AD (wetting agent)	April–Emerald May– Daconil Ultrex June–Daconil Ultrex/Signature; Heritage TL; Emerald July–Daconil Ultrex/Endorse; Signature/Daconil Ultrex	June–Acelepryn (grubs)	June/July–Acclaim Extra (post-emer- gence weeds)
2	2008 Fairway, NTEP	2.05 (N)	0.375	May-OctTricure AD (wetting agent) Octaerated (solid)	April–Emerald May– Daconil Ultrex June–Daconil Ultrex/Signature; Curalan EG; Heritage TL; Emerald July–Daconil Ultrex/Signature; Segway Aug.–Daconil Ultrex/Affirm WDG; Daconil Ultrex Sept.–Daconil Ultrex/Chipco 26GT; Daconil Ultrex	none	April–Dacthal Flo (pre-emergence weeds)

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Table 12. Bentgrass maintenance practices, 2012 (continued).

Table	Test	Fertility ¹	Mowing Height (inches)	Cultivation/Top Dress	Fungicides	Insecticides	Herbicides
3	2008 Fairway	1.95 (N)	0.375	May–Aug.–Tricure AD (wetting agent)	April–Emerald May– Daconil Ultrex	none	April–Dacthal Flo (pre-emergence weeds)
					June–Curalan EG; Heritage TL; Emerald; Prostar		
					July–Segway; Heritage TL; Curalan EG		
4	2009 Greens	2.55 (N); 24 fl oz Micro-	0.110	April–May/Aug./ Oct.–Nov.–top-	April–Bayleton Flo	June-Acelepryn (grubs)	June–Acclaim Extra (post-emergence
		green; 0.208 lb P ₂ O ₅ ; 0.217		dressed	Sept.–Prostar; Daconil Ultrex; Emerald	,	weeds)
		lb K_2O ; 5.32 oz $FeSO_4$		June–Oct.–Tricure AD (wetting agent)	OctDaconil Ultrex		

Table 12. Bentgrass maintenance practices, 2012 (continued).

_	Table	Test	Fertility ¹	Mowing Height (inches)	Cultivation/Top Dress	Fungicides	Insecticides	Herbicides
	5	2009 Fairway	1.76 (N)	0.375	May–July–Tricure AD (wetting agent)	April–Emerald May– Daconil Ultrex June–Curalan EG; Emerald; Heritage TL; Prostar July–Segway; Curalan EG; Heritage TL; Emerald; Signature/ Daconil Ultrex	none	April–Dacthal Flo (pre-emergence weeds)
44	6	2010 Greens, Velvet	1.88 (N); 28 fl oz Microgreen; 0.233 lb P_2O_5 ; 3.99 oz $FeSO_4$	0.110	April–Aug./Oct.– Nov.–top dressed July–Aug.–Tricure AD (wetting agent)	June–Emerald July–Curalan EG; Emerald	July–Acelepryn (grubs)	July–Acclaim Extra (post-emergence weeds)
	7	2010 Greens, Creeping and Colonial	1.88 (N); 28 fl oz Microgreen; 0.233 lb P_2O_5 ; 3.99 oz $FeSO_4$	0.110	April–Aug./Oct.– Nov.–top dressed July–Aug.–Tricure AD (wetting agent)	June–Emerald July–Curalan EG; Emerald	July–Acelepryn (grubs)	July–Acclaim Extra (post-emergence weeds)

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Table 12. Bentgrass maintenance practices, 2012 (continued).

able	Test	Fertility ¹	Mowing Height (inches)	Cultivation/Top Dress	Fungicides	Insecticides	Herbicides
8 2010 Fairway		2.58 (N)	0.375	July-AugTricure AD (wetting agent)	Sept.–Emerald	none	April–Dacthal Flo (pre-emergence weeds)
				Oct.–aerated (solid)			
9	2011 Greens,	4.22 (N); 20 fl oz Micro-	0.125 (as of July 1)	April–Aug./Oct.– Nov.–top dressed	May-Daconil Ultrex	July-Acelepryn (grubs)	April–Dacthal Flo (pre-emergence weeds); Weedar 64/Banvel/Lontrel (post-emergence weeds)
	Velvet	green; 0.058 lb P ₂ O ₅ ; 0.167	or cary ry	Oct.–aerated	June-Curalan EG	(9.200)	
		lb K ₂ O; 3.99 oz FeSO ₄		(solid)	NovDaconil Ultrex		
10	2011 Greens,	4.22 (N); 20 fl oz Micro-	0.125 (as of July 1)	April–Aug./Oct.– Nov.–top dressed	May-Daconil Ultrex	July-Acelepryn (grubs)	April–Dacthal Flo (pre-emergence
	Creep- ing and		,	Oct.–aerated	June–Curalan EG	weeds); Weedar 64/Banvel/Lontrel	
	Colonial	lb K ₂ O; 3.99 oz FeSO ₄		(solid)	NovDaconil Ultrex		(post-emergence weeds)
11	2011 Fair- way	3.98 (N); 1.33 oz FeSO ₄	0.375	April-top dressed	June–Signature; Prostar	July-Acelepryn (grubs)	April–Dacthal Flo (pre-emergence
ŕ	4	4	June–Aug.–Tri- cure AD (wetting	July–Segway		weeds); Weedar 64/Banvel/Lontrel (post-emergence weeds)	
			agent)	Aug.–Disarm			
			Octaerated (solid)				

¹Annual nitrogen applied (lb/1000 ft²). Additional fertilizers as noted (per 1000 ft²)