



Lolium perenne

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Table 2 Turf Quality

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|---------------|------------|---------|---------|---------|--|
| Cultivar | 2002-2004 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | |
| | Average | Average | Average | Average | |
| 1GH Comp | 6.3 | 6.9 | 6.2 | 5.9 | |
| Integra | 5.0 | 5.4 | 4.8 | 4.8 | |
| Amazing | 4.9 | 5.0 | 4.8 | 4.7 | |
| Brightstar II | 4.2 | 4.0 | 4.2 | 4.4 | |
| Premier II | 3.8 | 3.7 | 3.9 | 3.8 | |
| Manhattan | 2.1 | 2.2 | 2.1 | 2.0 | |
| LSD at 5% = | 0.6 | 0.6 | 0.8 | 0.8 | |

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TYPE:

Elite Turf Type Perennial Ryegrass Experimental Designation - FPT

FEATURES:

- Improved resistance to Grey Leaf Spot
- Excellent spring green-up
- Holds up well under summer heat and drought
- Fine leaf texture, superior lush, green color
- Improved insect resistance
- Remarkable wear tolerance
- Superior year-round density
- Good winter color retention
- Performs well in a variety of climates and maintenance conditions

BENEFITS:

- Improved Disease resistance reduces the need and cost of fungicide applications
- Early green and tolerance of summer stresses lead to a remarkably welcome green turfgrass
- Cold weather color retention converts to year round green turfgrass

RECOMMENDED USE:

- Golf Courses
- Parks
- Home Lawns
- Athletic Fields
- Overseeding Warm Season Turfgrasses



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Table 9

| Gray Leaf Spot | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|--|--|--|--|
| 9=Least Amount of Disease | | | | | | | |
| Cultivar | 2001 Avg. | 9/27/2001 | 9/29/2001 | | | | |
| 1G2 comp | 7.5 | 7.3 | 7.7 | | | | |
| Integra | 6.0 | 6.7 | 5.3 | | | | |
| Pinnacle III | 5.0 | 5.3 | 4.7 | | | | |
| Allstar 2 | 4.8 | 5.3 | 4.3 | | | | |
| Brightstar II | 4.3 | 4.3 | 4.3 | | | | |
| Amazing | 4.2 | 4.0 | 4.3 | | | | |
| Calypso II | 3.7 | 3.7 | 3.7 | | | | |
| Churchill | 3.0 | 3.3 | 2.7 | | | | |
| Admire | 1.5 | 1.3 | 1.7 | | | | |
| LSD @ $5\% =$ | 1.4 | 1.5 | 1.4 | | | | |

Performance of Perennial Ryegrass Cultivars and selections in a turf trial established in August 1998 at Adelphia, NJ.

Table 1

| Turf Quality | | | | | | | |
|---------------------|-----------|---------|---------|---------|--|--|--|
| 9=Best Turf Quality | | | | | | | |
| Cultivar | 1999-2001 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | | | |
| | Average | Average | Average | Average | | | |
| Allstar 2 | 6.4 | 6.9 | 6.3 | 6.0 | | | |
| Integra | 5.7 | 5.9 | 6.0 | 5.2 | | | |
| Churchill | 5.2 | 5.6 | 5.0 | 5.0 | | | |
| Brightstar II | 5.1 | 5.1 | 5.1 | 5.0 | | | |
| Pleasure XL | 4.7 | 4.7 | 4.9 | 4.5 | | | |
| Caddieshack | 4.3 | 4.3 | 4.2 | 4.3 | | | |
| Nui | 1.1 | 1.1 | 1.0 | 1.2 | | | |
| LSD at 5% = | 0.5 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 0.7 | | | |

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OPTIMAL ADAPTATION AREAS:

Climatic Zones: 2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10 may not be adaptable to all areas within each zone



SEEDING RATES:

Permanent Turf, Athletic Fields, Home Lawns, Fairways and Roughs (Overseeding) 5-10 lbs/1000 sq. ft. (2-5 kgs/100 sq meters)

Greens (For Overseeding) 25-35 lbs/1000 sq ft (11-15 kgs/100 sq meters)

Tees (Overseeding) 15-20 lbs/1000 sq ft (6 ½ - 9 kgs/100 sq meters)

ESTABLISHMENT:

Lime soil to 6.0 – 7.0 pH and follow soil test recommendations for fertilization. Under ideal conditions, germination begins in 6 days. Full germination may take up to 14 days.

MAINTENANCE:

Subject to germination rate, first mowing may begin at 21 days after sowing.

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