Table 1. Quality ratings of bentgrass cultivars and selections for 1994 - 97. This trial was established in September, 1993 at the Joseph Valentine Research Center, University Park, PA.

		Turfgrass Quality Ratings						
		Season	Season	Season	Season	Combined		
		Average	Average	Average	Average	Season Ave.		
Entry ²	Species ³	1994	1995	1996	1997	1994-97		
Loft's L-93	CRB	7.4	7.8	8.4	7.4	7.8		
Penn A-1	CRB	7.3	7.6	8.4	6.6	7.5		
Penn G-2	CRB	6.7	7.3	8.1	7.3	7.4		
Penn A-4	CRB	6.6	7.1	7.9	7.4	7.3		
Penn G-6	CRB	6.5	7.1	7.8	7.2	7.2		
Southshore	CRB	6.7	6.8	8.0	7.3	7.2		
Cato	CRB	6.8	7.2	7.5	7.0	7.1		
Providence	CRB	6.8	7.1	7.6	6.3	7.0		
Imperial	CRB	6.3	5.8	8.1	7.3	6.9		
Century	CRB	6.1	5.8	7.7	7.5	6.8		
BAR Ws 42102	CRB	6.8	6.6	7.1	6.4	6.7		
ISI-Ap 89150	CRB	6.3	6.2	6.8	6.3	6.4		
Pennlinks	CRB	6.2	6.4	6.7	6.3	6.4		
DG-P	CRB	6.2	6.2	6.7	6.1	6.3		
Crenshaw	CRB	6.1	5.1	7.3	6.7	6.3		
Backspin	CRB	5.7	5.8	6.9	6.7	6.3		
MSUEB	CRB	6.3	5.9	6.4	5.5	6.0		
SR 1020	CRB	5.8	5.8	6.2	6.3	6.0		
Regent	CRB	5.6	5.7	6.3	5.4	5.8		
Lopez	CRB	5.6	5.4	6.1	5.3	5.6		
Procup	CRB	5.5	5.3	5.9	5.2	5.5		
Trueline	CRB	5.4	5.4	6.0	4.9	5.4		
Mariner	CRB	4.5	4.8	6.2	5.7	5.3		
Penncross	CRB	5.3	5.1	5.5	4.7	5.2		
18th Green	CRB	5.9	4.8	5.3	4.3	5.1		
Tendez	COB	5.1	4.0	1.1	1.0	2.8		
Seaside	CRB	3.3	3.5	2.8	1.6	2.8		
BAR As 493	COB	4.5	3.1	1.0	1.0	2.4		
LSD at 5% level ⁴		0.6	0.5	0.6	1.0			

¹ Refer to 'Assessments of Turfgrass Performance' for an explanation of performance criteria ratings.

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LSD = least significant difference. The LSD values at the bottom of each column represent the minimum difference between any two entries necessary to be 95% confident that the difference is not attributable to chance.

Table 2. Ratings of bentgrass cultivars and selections for 1993 - 97. This trial was established in September, 1993 at the Joseph Valentine Research Center, University Park, PA.

		Turfgrass Ratings						
			Spring Green-u	p ¹ Color ¹	Texture ¹	Density ¹		
		Seedling	Combined	Combined	Combined	Combined		
		Vigor ¹	Season Ave.	Season Ave.	Season Ave.	Season Ave		
Entry ²	Species ³	9/93	(1995-97)	(1994-96)	(1994-96)	(1994-96)		
Loft's L-93	CRB	4.3	5.9	6.6	7.5	7.6		
Penn A-1	CRB	4.2	3.9	6.4	8.3	8.4		
Penn G-2	CRB	2.8	4.7	5.1	7.3	8.1		
Penn A-4	CRB	6.5	4.0	6.4	8.3	8.0		
Penn G-6	CRB	3.5	4.6	5.3	7.8	7.8		
Southshore	CRB	5.8	5.7	6.0	7.2	6.9		
Cato	CRB	4.8	5.6	6.7	7.2	6.9		
Providence	CRB	6.8	5.3	6.3	7.3	7.4		
Imperial	CRB	5.8	5.1	5.7	7.2	7.0		
Century	CRB	4.5	5.1	5.2	7.7	7.2		
BAR Ws 42102	CRB	4.5	3.8	5.4	7.2	7.1		
ISI-Ap 89150	CRB	6.8	5.1	6.9	6.8	6.6		
Pennlinks	CRB	7.3	4.7	4.9	5.5	6.1		
DG-P	CRB	3.3	6.0	6.8	6.0	6.0		
Crenshaw	CRB	6.3	4.0	6.8	7.0	6.2		
Backspin	CRB	4.7	5.2	4.7	7.2	6.7		
MSUEB	CRB	6.2	4.8	5.3	6.0	6.0		
SR 1020	CRB	5.7	4.2	6.0	6.5	6.3		
Regent	CRB	7.0	5.0	6.3	4.7	5.5		
Lopez	CRB	4.3	5.3	5.6	4.2	5.3		
Procup	CRB	5.8	4.4	5.6	4.5	5.2		
Trueline	CRB	4.5	5.0	5.7	4.2	5.4		
Mariner	CRB	6.8	4.6	4.6	5.2	5.3		
Penncross	CRB	7.5	5.1	5.6	3.8	5.1		
18th Green	CRB	3.5	1.9	8.9	6.3	6.1		
Tendez	COB	6.3	5.9	6.3	4.7	4.1		
Seaside	CRB	7.8	3.3	2.7	1.5	2.7		
BAR As 493	COB	1.7	4.6	5.8	2.8	3.2		
LSD at 5% level	1	1.1	1.0	0.6	0.8	0.5		

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Table 3. Ratings of bentgrass cultivars and selections for 1994 - 98. This trial was established in September, 1993 at the Joseph Valentine Research Center, University Park, PA.

		Turfgrass Ratings						
		Dollar Spot ¹	Dollar Spot ¹	Cool Temp.	Red	Brown	Poa	
		Season Ave.	Season Ave.	Brown Patch ¹	Leaf Spot1	Patch ¹	$annua^1$	
Entry ²	Species ³	1994	1995	4/4/96	8/7/95	7/21/95	5/5/98	
Loft's L-93	CRB	8.1	8.0	3.7	8.3	0.3	3.8	
Penn A-1	CRB	7.5	8.1	12.7	4.3	4.3	0.8	
Penn G-2	CRB	7.1	8.0	11.7	6.3	26.7	3.2	
Penn A-4	CRB	6.5	7.0	8.7	7.7	11.0	2.3	
Penn G-6	CRB	6.4	7.3	0.3	6.7	11.0	3.7	
Southshore	CRB	6.8	7.2	11.0	6.7	3.7	1.8	
Cato	CRB	6.4	8.0	2.7	7.3	4.0	5.5	
Providence	CRB	7.1	7.2	1.3	7.3	3.7	3.7	
Imperial	CRB	5.9	6.8	8.3	6.0	4.7	1.8	
Century	CRB	5.3	5.1	4.0	6.7	5.7	1.2	
BAR Ws 42102	CRB	7.3	8.1	6.0	6.3	10.0	7.2	
ISI-Ap 89150	CRB	6.7	7.6	16.7	4.7	11.0	8.0	
Pennlinks	CRB	6.9	7.3	10.0	7.0	15.7	2.0	
DG-P	CRB	7.0	7.2	9.3	8.0	5.0	3.2	
Crenshaw	CRB	5.0	5.3	6.7	5.3	15.7	1.8	
Backspin	CRB	5.5	6.6	9.7	5.3	1.3	4.8	
MSUEB	CRB	7.1	7.8	7.3	7.3	9.3	7.0	
SR 1020	CRB	5.7	6.6	10.3	6.0	22.7	2.0	
Regent	CRB	6.5	7.8	7.3	7.7	7.0	4.2	
Lopez	CRB	6.8	7.3	4.3	9.0	9.3	11.0	
Procup	CRB	6.5	7.0	2.3	8.7	8.3	10.0	
Trueline	CRB	6.8	7.3	5.3	8.3	3.7	11.0	
Mariner	CRB	4.8	6.8	24.0	8.0	26.0	6.7	
Penncross	CRB	6.4	7.9	2.7	8.3	10.0	4.2	
18th Green	CRB	4.8	4.4	0.6	9.0	10.3	17.7	
Tendez	COB	7.9	8.9	7.7	9.0	5.3	36.7	
Seaside	CRB	6.6	8.2	12.3	9.0	35.0	28.3	
BAR As 493	CRB	9.0	8.6	3.7	9.0	1.7	35.0	
LSD at 5% level	1	1.1	0.7	10.0	2.0	9.4	7.3	

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