

Performance of fine fescue cultivars and selections in a lawn height turf trial seeded September 5, 2014 at St. Paul, MN. (Includes 2014 National Fine Fescue Test – NTEP)

Cultivar or Selection	Species ¹	Turfgrass Quality ²												Spring			
		2015-				2016								Green-Up ³		Color ⁴	
		2018	2015	2016	2017	2018	Avg.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	May	Sept.	Grass	Weed
1 Resolute	HDF	6.8	5.8	7.2	6.9	7.1	8.0	6.7	6.3	7.0	7.0	7.3	1.7	7.7	83.0	10.8	6.3
2 Gladiator	HDF	6.7	6.3	7.0	6.9	6.8	6.7	6.0	6.3	7.7	6.3	7.7	2.3	5.7	86.5	4.5	9.0
3 DLFPS-FL/3060	HDF	6.7	5.9	7.0	6.9	7.0	7.3	6.7	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	2.0	7.3	81.9	8.7	9.4
4 Jetty	HDF	6.3	5.3	6.8	6.6	6.7	7.3	6.3	6.0	6.7	7.0	7.0	2.7	7.7	80.9	13.2	5.9
5 Beacon	HDF	6.3	5.6	6.7	6.6	6.4	6.7	5.3	5.7	6.7	7.0	7.0	2.3	5.3	80.9	10.1	9.0
6 Minimus	HDF	6.2	5.8	6.5	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.0	6.0	6.3	6.3	7.0	2.7	6.7	77.1	10.8	12.2
7 DLFPS-FL/3066	HDF	6.2	5.2	6.6	6.6	6.6	7.3	6.0	6.7	6.7	6.0	7.0	2.0	7.7	82.6	8.7	8.7
8 Compass II	CHF	6.0	6.4	6.2	5.6	5.7	5.7	6.7	5.7	6.0	5.0	5.0	4.3	5.3	70.1	15.3	14.6
9 MNHD-14	HDF	5.9	5.1	6.2	5.9	6.4	7.0	6.0	6.0	6.7	6.0	6.7	2.3	7.7	76.0	16.7	7.3
10 Bolster	CHF	5.8	5.7	6.2	5.6	5.8	6.0	6.0	5.3	5.7	5.7	6.0	3.7	5.7	67.7	20.8	11.5
11 DLF-FRC 3338	CHF	5.8	6.1	6.1	5.6	5.4	5.7	6.7	5.3	5.0	5.0	4.7	3.3	5.7	66.7	19.1	14.2
12 Sword	HDF	5.8	5.3	6.1	5.9	5.8	6.0	5.7	5.3	5.7	6.0	6.3	2.7	7.0	67.2	23.0	9.8
13 DLFPS-FRC/3057	CHF	5.8	6.2	6.2	5.3	5.4	5.3	6.0	5.3	5.0	4.7	6.3	3.3	5.7	57.2	35.2	7.6
14 Momentum	CHF	5.8	5.6	6.1	5.6	5.7	6.0	6.3	5.7	5.7	5.3	5.3	4.0	6.3	72.6	11.8	15.6
15 PST-4BND	HDF	5.7	5.4	6.0	5.7	5.4	5.7	4.7	4.3	5.7	6.0	6.3	2.3	6.0	76.0	11.8	12.2
16 Radar	CHF	5.5	5.9	5.6	5.2	5.3	6.3	6.0	4.7	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	6.0	50.3	34.7	14.9
17 BAR VV-VP3-CT	CHF	5.5	5.8	5.4	5.4	5.3	6.0	6.0	5.0	4.3	4.7	6.0	4.3	4.7	56.6	27.8	15.6
18 SeaMist	SLCRF	5.4	5.9	5.2	5.3	5.4	5.3	6.0	5.3	5.7	4.7	5.3	3.3	3.0	64.9	19.4	15.6
19 RAD-FC44	CHF	5.4	5.8	5.4	5.3	5.1	5.7	6.0	5.0	4.3	4.7	4.7	4.0	8.0	64.2	16.7	19.1
20 DLFPS-FRC/3060	CHF	5.4	5.8	5.6	5.2	4.9	5.7	6.0	4.3	5.0	4.3	4.0	5.0	6.0	65.3	13.5	21.2
21 Beudin	HDF	5.4	6.3	4.5	5.4	5.2	5.7	6.3	5.3	4.7	3.7	5.3	4.0	2.3	56.9	28.8	14.2
22 Castle	CHF	5.3	5.3	4.8	5.7	5.3	6.0	6.3	5.0	4.7	5.0	5.0	3.0	8.3	63.9	23.6	12.5
23 BAR 6FR 126	CHF	5.2	5.6	5.7	5.0	4.6	5.0	5.3	4.3	3.7	4.3	5.0	4.7	4.3	67.1	17.0	15.8
24 BAR FRT 5002	SLCRF	5.0	6.1	4.4	5.1	4.6	4.3	5.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	6.0	3.0	2.7	55.8	30.6	13.5
25 Quattro	SHF	4.8	4.7	5.5	4.7	4.4	5.0	4.0	4.0	4.3	4.3	4.7	2.7	7.7	59.0	31.6	9.4

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26	PST-4BEN	CRF	4.7	5.8	4.1	4.4	4.6	4.3	5.0	5.0	4.0	4.3	4.7	4.3	6.7	56.6	27.1	16.3
27	Cardinal II	STCRF	4.7	5.5	4.6	4.4	4.3	5.3	5.0	4.3	3.7	3.3	4.3	4.3	7.0	36.8	50.7	12.5
28	7C34	STCRF	4.7	5.3	4.3	4.7	4.4	5.0	4.7	4.7	4.3	4.0	4.0	5.3	5.0	60.4	22.6	17.0
29	Seabreeze GT	SLCRF	4.7	5.7	4.4	4.6	4.0	4.3	5.0	4.3	3.3	3.3	3.7	5.3	3.3	59.7	21.5	18.8
30	DLFPS-FRR/3068	STCRF	4.6	5.7	3.7	4.4	4.5	5.3	5.0	5.0	3.7	4.0	4.3	5.0	5.7	53.5	36.5	10.1
31	DLF-FRR 6162	CRF	4.6	5.4	4.1	4.4	4.3	5.0	5.3	4.7	3.7	3.7	3.3	4.7	6.0	59.7	24.7	15.6
32	Navigator II	STCRF	4.5	5.7	4.2	4.2	4.1	5.0	5.0	4.3	3.3	3.3	3.7	5.3	5.3	47.2	36.1	16.7
33	PST-4RUE	CRF	4.5	5.1	4.1	4.6	4.3	4.7	4.7	4.3	4.3	3.7	4.0	4.3	7.7	66.7	16.7	16.7
34	DLFPS-FRR/3069	STCRF	4.5	5.4	4.1	4.4	4.0	4.0	4.7	4.3	3.3	3.7	4.0	4.3	5.0	55.2	24.3	20.5
35	Marvel	STCRF	4.5	5.4	4.0	4.4	4.1	4.7	5.0	4.0	3.3	3.7	3.7	4.7	5.0	56.3	24.3	19.4
36	RAD-FR33R	STCRF	4.4	5.3	3.9	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.7	4.7	4.0	3.7	4.3	5.0	7.0	48.3	36.5	15.3
37	PST-4DR4	CRF	4.4	5.2	4.0	4.4	4.1	3.3	4.7	5.0	3.7	3.7	4.0	4.7	5.7	57.6	23.6	18.8
38	RAD-FR47	CRF	4.4	5.3	3.7	4.3	4.3	4.7	5.0	4.7	4.3	3.7	3.7	5.3	7.0	45.1	35.1	19.8
39	Kent	STCRF	4.4	5.3	4.0	4.1	4.2	4.3	4.7	5.0	3.7	3.7	4.0	4.7	6.0	60.8	23.3	16.0
40	Cascade	CHF	4.4	4.8	4.3	4.3	4.1	4.7	4.7	4.0	3.0	3.7	4.3	5.3	5.3	53.1	30.2	16.7
41	PST-4ED4	CRF	4.3	5.4	3.9	4.0	3.8	4.3	4.7	4.3	3.3	3.0	3.3	4.7	7.3	46.9	36.8	16.3
42	Boreal	STCRF	3.8	4.3	3.5	4.1	3.4	4.3	4.3	3.3	2.7	2.7	3.0	5.3	5.0	38.5	42.0	19.4
LSD P=.05			0.4	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.5	1.2	0.9	0.7	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.4	16.6	18.5	8.8

¹ CHF = Chewings Fescue, CRF = Creeping Red Fescue, SLCRF = Slender Creeping Red Fescue, STCRF = Strong Creeping Red Fescue, HDF = Hard Fescue,
SHF = Sheep Fescue

² 9 = best turfgrass quality

³ 9 = best spring green-up

⁴ 9 = darkest green color

⁵ ## = Percent of area covered by grass, weeds or bare area determined from line intersect (96 points)