

NATURE SAFE® RESEARCH

UNIVERSITY RESEARCH DATA

TITLE: Long-Term Sustained Feeding

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I. Introduction and Procedures

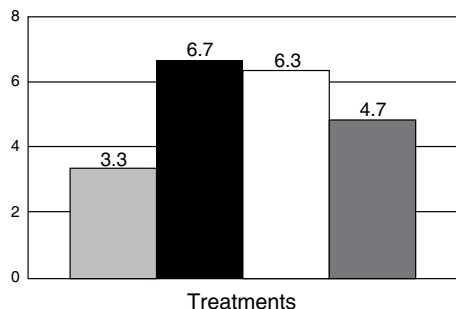
Three replications of four fertilizer treatments were established on four grass species in May. Fertilizer treatments were applied on 5/30 at a rate of 0.5 lb. N per 1000 sq. ft. Subsequent applications were made on 9/6 and 10/22 at 1.0 lb. N per 1000 sq. ft. each date. An additional 0.5 lb. N per 1000 sq. ft. was added on 5/5 the following year. No fungicide or broadleaf herbicide controls were applied.

II. Test Results

Series A - No Fertilizer
 Series B - Nature Safe 8-3-5
 Series C - Milorganite® 6-2-0
 Series D - Country Club® 18-4-10
Rating scale 1 to 9, with 9 best.

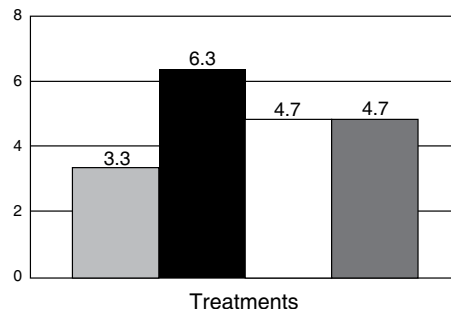
COLOR QUALITY

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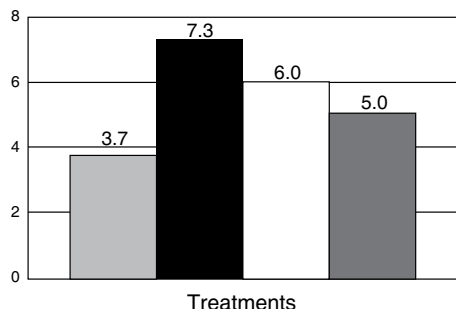
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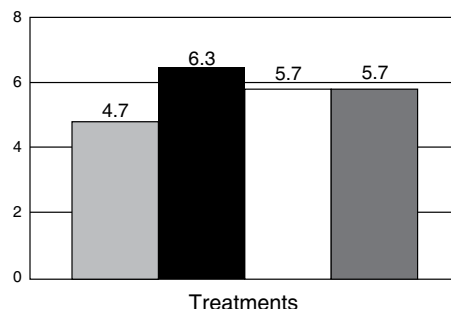
TURF DENSITY

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LESS WEEDS

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III. Conclusion

Nature Safe 8-3-5 showed excellent results on the cool season species tested. In all categories tested, Nature Safe out-performed the other treatments.