

Performance of fine fescue cultivars and selections in a turf trial seeded September 9, 2010 at St. Paul, MN  
 (revised 8/21/13)

Cultivar or Selection	Species <sup>1</sup>	Turfgrass Quality <sup>2</sup>										
		2011-		2012	2011	2012	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
		Avg.	Avg.									Oct.
1 TCP	CHF	6.3	6.9	5.7	6.3	8.0	7.3	5.0	4.0	4.3	4.7	
2 Sealink	SLRF	6.0	6.1	6.0	6.3	6.7	6.3	5.7	5.7	5.3	5.7	
3 MNHD	HDF	5.7	4.9	6.5	5.3	6.7	6.3	7.3	7.0	7.0	5.7	
4 SR 5130	CHEW	5.7	5.6	5.7	6.7	7.3	6.7	5.3	5.0	4.7	4.7	
5 Seabreeze GT	SLRF	5.6	5.8	5.3	6.0	6.3	6.0	5.0	4.0	4.3	5.3	
6 Epic	STRF	5.5	5.8	5.3	5.0	6.7	5.7	5.3	5.0	4.7	5.0	
7 Marco Polo	SHF	5.4	5.2	5.5	6.0	6.0	5.0	6.0	5.0	5.7	5.3	
8 SR 5250	STRF	5.3	5.6	5.0	5.7	6.0	5.7	4.3	4.3	4.0	5.3	
9 OR1	STRF	5.3	5.7	4.9	5.0	5.7	5.7	4.7	4.7	4.0	4.7	
10 Navigator	STRF	5.3	5.4	5.2	5.7	6.0	5.3	4.7	5.0	4.7	5.0	
11 Beacon	HDF	5.3	4.7	5.9	5.3	6.0	6.0	6.7	6.0	6.3	5.0	
12 Shademaster III	STRF	5.3	5.5	5.0	5.3	5.7	5.7	5.3	4.3	4.0	4.7	
13 Cardinal	STRF	5.2	5.8	4.7	4.7	5.3	5.0	5.0	4.3	4.0	4.7	
14 Shoreline	SLRF	5.2	5.5	5.0	5.3	5.7	5.3	4.7	4.0	4.0	5.7	
15 PST 8000	STRF	5.2	5.4	5.0	5.0	5.7	5.0	4.7	4.7	4.3	5.3	
16 4GRY	STRF	5.2	4.9	5.4	5.0	6.0	6.0	5.7	5.7	5.3	4.3	
17 ASR 050	SLCR	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.3	7.0	5.7	5.0	4.3	4.3	4.7	
18 PSG 5RM	STRF	5.0	5.1	4.8	5.0	6.0	5.7	4.7	4.3	4.0	4.3	
19 McAplin	STRF	4.9	4.8	4.9	5.0	5.7	4.3	5.0	4.7	4.7	5.3	
20 Bighorn GT	BLHD	4.8	4.5	5.1	5.0	5.0	4.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	
21 Shademaster II	STRF	4.7	4.9	4.3	3.7	4.7	5.0	4.7	4.0	4.3	4.0	
22 Garnet	STRF	4.6	4.1	5.1	4.7	5.7	6.0	5.3	5.0	4.7	4.3	
23 BRSDT	STRF	4.6	4.4	4.8	4.3	5.3	4.7	5.0	4.7	4.3	5.3	
24 BRSHSM	STRF	4.6	4.4	4.8	4.7	5.3	5.0	5.0	4.7	4.0	4.7	
25 BRSHST	STRF	4.5	4.3	4.8	5.0	5.0	4.7	5.0	4.3	4.7	4.7	
26 Celestial	STRF	4.5	4.2	4.8	4.3	5.7	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7	5.0	
27 Little Bighorn	HDF	4.4	3.9	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.7	5.0	4.7	5.0	5.0	
28 Boreal	STRF	4.3	4.1	4.4	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.3	4.3	3.7	4.7	
29 Florentine GT	STRF	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.7	4.7	4.0	4.7	3.7	4.0	4.3	
30 Dawson E	SLRF	0.6	0.5	0.7	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	
LSD (P=.05)		0.7	0.9	0.7	0.9	1.1	0.9	0.8	0.9	1.2	1.1	

<sup>1</sup> CHF = Chewings Fescue, STRF = Strong Creeping Red Fescue, SLRF = Slender Creeping Red Fescue, HDF = Hard Fescue, SHF = Sheep Fescue

<sup>2</sup> 9 = best turfgrass quality