Irrigation Water Use Efficiency Including Utilization of Effluent Water

- 1. Influence of irrigation scheduling on tall fescue performance
- 2. Water use rates among tall fescue cultivars ■
- 3. Water use rates among bermudagrass and zoysiagrass cultivars ■●
- 4. Tall fescue morphological characteristics associated with evapotranspiration rates and clipping yields ■
- 5. Influence of Primo on the water stress relations of tall fescue during the warm season ■●
- 6. Influence of irrigation frequency when irrigating bermudagrass and zoysiagrass below ET crop during the warm season ■●
- 7. Evaluation of water conservation surfactants on two warm-season grasses in southern California ■●
- 8. The development of irrigation and nitrogen fertilization programs on tall fescue to facilitate irrigation-water savings and fertilizer-use efficiency ■
- 9. Characterization of markers for leaf firing resistance among turf-type bermudagrasses ■●
- 10. Irrigation water banking on tall fescue maintained in the inland climatic conditions of Riverside ■
- 11. Heat tolerant bluegrass, Kentucky bluegrass, and tall fescue visual ratings during short-term drought and recovery ■●

Impact of Turfgrass Chemicals and Fertilizers on the Environment

- 1. Measurement and model prediction of pesticide partitioning in field-scale turfgrass plots ●■
- 2. Nitrogen leaching and best management practices for overseeded bermudagrass fairways •■
- 3. Further evaluation and modeling of pesticide data from the UCR putting green lysimeters •■
- 4. A survey of professional turfgrass managers of southern California concerning their use of turfgrass best management practices
- 5. Development of BMPs for fertilizing lawns to optimize plant performance and nitrogen uptake while reducing the potential for nitrate leaching ■
- 6. Degradation of N-nitrosodimethylamine (NDMA) in landscape soils ■●

Unbiased Product Testing (fertilizers, pesticides, equipment, etc.)

- 1. 1996 Vigoro consumer and polymer coated fertility trial on tall fescue ■●
- 2. 1996 Vigoro coated urea fertility trial on tall fescue ■●
- 3. Two-year evaluation of nitrogen products applied on tall fescue in Riverside, CA: 1995-1997 ■●
- 4. 1996-1997 evaluation of slow-release and fast-release nitrogen fertilizer products applied on an overseeded common bermudagrass during the cool season ●■
- 5. One-year evaluation of iron applications applied with three nitrogen fertility rates on tall fescue in Riverside, CA: 1996-97
- 6. Annual evaluation of bio-feed fertilizer on tall fescue ■
- 7. Evaluation of experimental coated urea fertilizers on Kentucky bluegrass during the cool season
- 8. Evaluation of the phytotoxicity of six experimental Aqueduct formulations applied on a creeping bentgrass putting green in August •
- 9. Influence of Primo on the total nonstructural carbohydrate partitioning of tall fescue
- 10. Effect of soil conditioner on physical properties in a golf course putting green ●■
- 11. 1997-1998 Agrium coated urea fertility trial applied on tall fescue in Riverside, CA ■●
- 12. 1998 Agrium slow-release nitrogen product trial on Bonsai tall fescue ■●
- 13. The evaluation of slow-release nitrogen fertilizers applied on Arizona common bermudagrass during the warm season •
- 14. Test of Nutrismart on established tall fescue ■●

Unbiased Cultivar Evaluations

- 1. UCR bentgrass variety trials, 1995-1999 ●
- 2. USGA, GCSAA, and NTEP on-site testing program for bentgrass and bermudagrass cultivars on USGA specification golf course putting greens, 1997-2001 ●
- 3. USGA, GCSAA, and NTEP on-site testing of grasses for overseeding of bermudagrass fairways, 1999-2001 ●■
- 4. USGA, GCSAA, and NTEP on-site testing of grasses for overseeding of bermudagrass fairways, 2004-2006 ●■

Production of Quality Putting Greens

- 1. The evaluation of summer cultivations with a Toro HydroJect on a creeping bentgrass putting green located in the Coachella Valley ●
- 2. Maintaining putting green soil aeration and leaching capabilities during the summer with a Toro HydroJect ●
- 3. Improvement of the spring transition of overseeded bermudagrass putting greens in the Coachella Valley •
- 4. Management of annual bluegrass putting greens in California ●
- The effect of endoROOTS and ROOTS 2 on creeping bentgrass establishment and maintenance on a newly constructed sand rootzone ●■

Pest Control Including IPM and Biological Control

1. The effect of nitrogen rates and source on perennial ryegrass quality and susceptibility to gray leaf spot ●■

The Ability to Respond to Sudden Research and Education Industry Needs

- 1. The effect of fall renovation treatments on PM₁₀ emissions during raking of debris following scalping of common bermudagrass fairways prior to overseeding ●■
- Golf Course Turfgrass

General Turfgrass and Sod Production