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✓ Tried and true:

in trials and

the world

Top photo: Jackpot on a golf course in Shanghai, China

Below: Close up of Jackpot

Improvements Over Common Bermudagrass

- Improvements in turf quality over common bermudagrass
- **Excellent density**
- Fine leaf texture
- Early spring green up and attractive dark green color
- Rapid establishment faster than sprigging!

Jackpot bermudagrass (Cynodon dactylon) is recommended for use in lawns, parks, roadsides, cemeteries, golf course roughs and fairways, and other sports areas where bermudagrasses are adapted.

Thoroughly Tested: Jackpot was tested in over 25 sites in national independent bermudagrass testing. During this test, Jackpot demonstrated numerous improvements over other bermudagrasses in turf quality, color, spring green-up, leaf texture, spring, summer, and fall densities, and spring and fall percent living ground cover than common bermudagrass and the first generation seeded varieties.

Among the seeded varieties, Jackpot had one of the finest leaf textures, better summer and fall density and the best spring density ratings when compared to other varieties in this trial.

Color Comparable to Vegetative Varieties: Jackpot's turf color was similar to Tifgreen and Texturf 10 vegetative varieties.

Fights Against Stressful Conditions: Jackpot is also a good choice for performance under stressful conditions. In national tests, Jackpot scored high when subjected to adverse conditions like partial shading, low mowing, traffic, Fusarium patch, and bermuda stunt mite. Under partial shade Jackpot's performance is comparable to Tifway the most shade tolerant bermudagrass in the trial. Under low mowing heights, Jackpot was superior to Sonesta, and Primavera. Jackpot is among the group of varieties that had no fusarium patch at the NTEP trial in Dallas, TX. Jackpot also suffered no damage from the bermuda stunt mite at the NTEP trial in Las Cruces, New Mexico.

Development: Dr. Doug Brede and Susan Samudio of Jacklin Seed's research department developed Jackpot bermudagrass. Jackpot originated from a clone collected from an old turf area in the Columbia River Basin area in the state of Washington. This clone was crossed with several additional cold-tolerant, fine textured plants. Progeny from these crosses were selected for uniformity in color, texture, and plant height in addition to high seed yield. Jackpot's improved seed yield insures that it will remain available to our customers when other seeded bermudagrasses are in short supply.

Seeding Rate: Hulled seed at 2-3 lbs./1,000 ft² (10-25 g/m2).



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