

## REGIONAL UPDATES

The USGA Green Section is divided into four regions staffed by agronomists who work with golf facilities on care of the golf course. USGA agronomists provide regular regional updates outlining current issues and observations from the field. Be sure to view updates from multiple regions as featured ideas, techniques and solutions to problems often apply to other parts of the country.



### NORTHEAST REGION

Summer has arrived and the warm, wet weather is posing challenges for turf managers in the Northeast Region. Whether you are struggling with disease pressure or managing recently established turf in areas recovering from winter injury, this week's update offers helpful tips for success this summer.  
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### SOUTHEAST REGION

Are you interested in improving the playing quality of your ultradwarf bermudagrass putting surfaces? Consider attending the annual Ultradwarf Surface Management Workshop, organized by USGA Green Section agronomists, for a unique learning experience.  
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### WEST REGION

With the arrival of warm, summer temperatures and a mandate in California to reduce water use by 25 percent, the effects of the drought are becoming more apparent. As a result, some interesting observations have been made at drought-affected courses in the West Region.  
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### CENTRAL REGION

Relentless rainfall in portions of the Central Region is affecting more than the number of rounds being played, it's affecting turfgrass health. Some simple adjustments to your maintenance routine can help prepare stressed turf should Mother Nature present more challenges this summer.  
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### In Case You Missed It

The July 3, 2015 issue of the USGA *Green Section Record* is your go-to source for information about troubleshooting problem greens. [View This Issue](#)

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### Coming Up Next Issue

Whether they're in your home lawn or on the golf course, problematic weeds can quickly become unruly invaders. Furthermore, selectively controlling weeds can be a difficult endeavor. The August 7, 2015 issue of the USGA *Green Section Record* will provide the information you need to develop a successful weed-management program.

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### Best Management Practice Case Studies Page

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