

PI 578816. *Poa hybrid*
P-14977; W6 6204. Pedigree - AMPLA X PRATENSIS.

PI 578817. *Poa hybrid*
P-15391. Pedigree - AMPLA X ALPIGENA.

PI 578818. *Poa hybrid*
LITTLE ENCHANTRESS. Pedigree - AMPLA X PRATENSIS.

The following were developed by W.M. Meyers, USDA-ARS, Bureau of Plant Industry, Soils, and Agricultural Engineering, Beltsville, Maryland 20705-2350, United States. Donated by Pennsylvania State University, Pennsylvania Agr. Exp. Sta., University Park, Pennsylvania 16802, United States. Received 1961.

PI 578819. *Poa pratensis* L.
Cultivar. "MERION". CV-1. Pedigree - From a single plant selection made by the Superintendent of the Merion Golf Club, Ardmore, PA in 1936. Compared to common Kentucky bluegrass, Merion has a high degree of resistance to *Helminthosporium* leafspot and the ability to withstand close mowing. Low-growing type. Leaves short, 3-5 mm wide. Numerous, vigorous rhizomes. Resists crabgrass invasion.

The following were developed by H.L. Thomas. Donated by Minnesota Agr. Exp. Sta., University of Minnesota, St. Paul, Minnesota 55108, United States. Received 1975.

PI 578820. *Poa pratensis* L.
Cultivar. "PARK". CV-4. Pedigree - Developed by selection among 281 vigorous single plants collected in 1937 from 60 old pastures and waste areas in Minnesota. 15 superior spomictic clones were combined in 1953. Good seedling vigor, high clipping yield and some tolerance to rust and leaf spot diseases. Denser stand than Merion. Superior to other cultivars in stand establishment and persistence in the Upper Midwest. Used primarily for turf but also recommended for pastures.

The following were developed by J.L. Schwendiman, USDA-SCS, Pullman, Washington 99163, United States; A.G. Law; J. Clausen. Donated by Washington Agr. Exp. Sta., Washington State University, Pullman, Washington 99164, United States; USDA-SCS. Received 1961.

PI 578821. *Poa pratensis* L.
Cultivar. "NEWPORT". CV-2. Pedigree - Single plant selection from a maritime race collected near Newport, Oregon by W.E. Lawrence. Tolerant to a wide range of climatic conditions. Turfgrass variety. Leaves wide, dark green. Vigorous sodding habit producing dense turf. Visual turf quality equal to Merion and greatly superior to Delta. Slightly susceptible to stem and leaf rusts.

The following were donated by USDA-SCS, Washington Plant Materials Center, Pullman, Washington 99163, United States. Received 1961.

PI 578822. *Poa pratensis* L.
DELTA; W6 6205.

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