

**Forage yield of some hybrid bermudagrass varieties at Griffin, Georgia in 2003-2005.**

Year	Variety	Dry Matter Yield				Total
		----- lbs/acre-----				
		Harvest Date				
2003		June 1	July 18	Aug. 26	Oct. 15	
	Tifton 85	4100 abc*	3161	6214 a	1980 a	15455 a
	Russell	4487 ab	3015	5380 ab	1622 ab	14504 ab
	Slaughter	3280 cd	3065	5114 bc	2169 a	13628 abc
	Alicia	4609 a	1796	5119 bc	1196 b	12720 bc
	Coastal	3440 bcd	2203	4728 bc	1760 ab	12131 cd
	Tifton 44	2834 d	2499	4236 c	1167 b	10736 d
	CV %	18		12	26	10
LSD <sub>α=0.05</sub>	1050	NS	893	639	1958	
2004		June 9	July 7	Aug. 5	Sept. 21	Total
	Slaughter	7106 a	2563	7888 a	3681 ab	21238 a
	Russell	7657 a	2512	7180 ab	3337 abc	20686 ab
	Tifton 85	4360 b	2585	6531 ab	4497 a	17973 bc
	Coastal	6433 a	2621	5494 bc	2758 bc	17306 c
	Alicia	7150 a	2047	4462 cd	2316 c	15975 c
	Tifton 44	3881 b	2215	2643 d	2762 bc	11501 d
	CV %	20		21	24	11
LSD <sub>α=0.05</sub>	1797	NS	1839	1183	2841	
2005		June 20	July 27	Sept. 14		Total
	Tifton 85	5575 a	3661	6570 a		15806 a
	Russell	5066 ab	3533	5907 a		14506 ab
	Alicia	5645 a	3492	5668 a		14805 ab
	Coastal	5052 ab	3644	5737 a		14433 ab
	Slaughter	5141 a	3553	5635 a		14329 b
	Tifton 44	4583 b	3265	4000 b		11848 c
	CV %	8		18		7
LSD <sub>α=0.05</sub>	644	NS	1490		1439	

\* Varieties within a harvest period that are labeled with the same letter were not significantly different ( $\alpha=0.05$ ).