Sisis equipment (Macclesfield) Limited have introduced an 8 ft. wide general purpose tractor mounted aerator to their range of equipment for sports ground management.

Developed from the Sisis 6 ft. general purpose aerator LA/6 for tractor mounting, the new 8 ft. wide version is to be known as the LA/8.

Designed for the American market, where many tractors are fitted with high-flotation “balloon” tyres thus increasing the overall width, the LA/8 is almost identical to the 6 ft. version, having precisely the same hexagon units which carry the same types of tines. Due to the extra width and weight, however, a wider more robust mounting frame is incorporated.

The LA/8 can now be offered to authorities and club users and offers obvious savings in time and labour.

The price ex works is £209 10s. complete with reversible double-ended tines, type CLD.

Additionally, for existing LA/8 users who may require to extend their present unit, a conversion set of new main frame and 2 ft. unit including tines, complete with drawbar and lifting chain, can be offered at £70 ex works. It is not thought completely satisfactory to mix new and old tines in the same machine and users are recommended to purchase a new complete set of tines with the conversion unit.

Wire mesh guards for safety in transport between sites are available as an optional extra.