Non-selective herbicide won't harm ornamentals

Finale is a new non-selective herbicide from Hoechst Roussel that kills weeds one to four days after application.

Finale controls annual and perennial weeds, grassy and broadleaf weeds, sedges and woody species.

As a post-emergent, uptake is entirely through treated green tissue. There is no uptake through roots, or tissue covered by mature woody bark. Finale is not active in the soil, and there is no residual effect on transplants.

The active ingredient in Finale is glufosinate-ammonium. It was discovered as a metabolic compound of a soil-inhabiting bacterium, and closely resembles glutamic acid, which is a natural amino acid.

Finale degrades rapidly into natural compounds in any microbiologically active environment, soil or water, such as carbon dioxide, nitrogen and water, which actually nourish the soil.

Finale can be used in spot or broadcast applications. No agitation is necessary when using this product.

Material hauler holds up to 1200 lbs., is self-loading

The LoadMaster walk-behind, self-loading utility vehicle scoops up compost, loose soil, sand, gravel, bark, and hauls trees, landscape material and irrigation supplies.

The vehicle is powered by a 5 hp engine, and has a steel gear transaxle. It can climb 40° slopes while carrying 1200 lb. loads.

A self-tipping 7.5 cu.ft. bucket dumps and spreads in one motion.

Utility vehicle carries 750 lb. loads with 9 hp

Haul Master has a new powerful, small sized utility vehicle, the HM4209.

The 9-hp vehicle has a 750 lb. load capacity and maneuvers well in tight spaces, rugged terrain or paved surfaces.

The company says this multi-purpose vehicle is good for construction jobs, landscape management, farm recreation and industrial use.

With a maximum speed of 16 mph, the HM4209 features a 9 hp Briggs & Stratton engine, an electric starter and electronic ignition. A heavy duty trans-axle with full differential allows for easy handling in rough terrain.