PRODUCTS

Steel edge

Pro-Tech Manufacturing and Distribution created the IST Sno Pusher as the first steel trip edge designed for Sno Pushers to incorporate the longevity and limited moving parts of rubber-edge pushers. This urethane-based technology does not require springs or hinges. The design incorporates extended-wear shoes for a balanced, even push — along with a modified angle in the moldboard. According to the manufacturer, these two features, combined with the urethane tripping mechanism, provide a loaded torque on the steel edge that ensures effective ice scraping ability and a safe, consistent tripping mechanism. SnoPusher.com or 888/787-4766

Know boundaries

It doesn’t matter what type of equipment you use and how clear you clean the pavement — if you gouge turf, you get unhappy customers. Mark boundaries clearly with snow markers from Blackburn Manufacturing. Standard snow markers are 4 ft., and for areas with more snow depth, add a bright marking flag to a taller pole. Custom printing of your business name/logo/phone is available on 14 colors of weather-resistant flags. BlackburnFlag.com or 800/942-5816

Easy to adjust

Blizzard’s Power Plow is the original adjustable-wing snowplow that can hydraulically expand its moldboard width at the touch of a button to efficiently match any plowing situation. Choose from four primary wing positions: compact, wide pass, bucket bade (scoop), or windrow. BlizzardPlows.com

Slick is standard

Available in two models (the 8 ft., 2 in. XT and the 9 ft., 2 in. XT), Boss’ new Poly Power-V XT Plow features a slick poly surface that lets snow easily slide off the blade — saving on fuel costs and minimizing wear and tear on the vehicle drivetrain. The multi-position snowplow also features a 37-in. flared blade wing, which improves snow discharge for maximum performance. Other standard features on both models include 0.5x6-in. high-performance cutting edges, synchronized blade movement with full blade trip design and an enclosed high-performance hydraulic package. The easy Smart-Hitch system and the SmartLight 2 visibility system are also standard. BossPlow.com or 800/286-4155

Recover costs

Do you want to implement a costs-per-hour software solution into your back office business software system? Check out Profits Unlimited’s “Know Why You Charge What You Charge” CD from Green Industry business consultant Wayne Volz. This CD runs in Microsoft Excel and is designed in a spreadsheet format. Simply fill in the blanks and the spreadsheet calculates your costs per hour of operation based on your specific overhead, expenses and use-rates. ProfitsAreUs.com or 800/845-0499

Quiet power

Fisher’s new second-generation Poly-Caster spreader line combines a low-maintenance, rust-proof, double-wall poly hopper with a smooth, quiet electric-drive system for the ultimate in de-icing performance to effectively spread all ice control materials. Available in three sizes (1.5, 1.8 and 2.5 cu. yd.), there’s a Poly-Caster spreader ready to meet your ice control needs. FisherPlows.com

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High performance

Hiniker has added a pair of 1032 Series 10-ft. plows to its line of trip-edge snowplows, available in either electric/hydraulic or central hydraulic powered configurations. The 32-in.-tall moldboard uses a dent-resistant, corrosion-free plowing surface made of low-friction HDPE polyethylene. A compact joystick controller can be surface-mounted or handheld. Super-bright quad halogen headlamps are included.

Hiniker.com or 800/433-5620

Change it up

Available in 8.5- and 9.5-ft. lengths, the all-new Meyer Super-V2 Snowplow features a pistol grip controller with one-button functionality, as well as interchangeable components with the standard Meyer Super-V plow. The manufacturer claims that the blade throws snow up to 62% better than a standard V-plow, and its snow rolling action reduces vehicle stress. The blade's wings taper from 30.5 in. up to 38 in.

MeyerProducts.com or 216/486-1313

New size

SnowEx's new 3-cu.-yd. capacity V-Maxx 9300 V-box-style spreader is compatible with 1-ton dump-bed and flatbed trucks. It features the patented SnowEx Material Feed System — a multi-angle, polyethylene hopper with a built-in, inverted "V" baffle configuration. Also included is an attached vibrator to reduce clumping and allow continuous material flow, regardless of what is being spread. A digital LED display with status monitoring and system protection is standard, as well as an auto-reverse function in the event of auger jams.

TrynexFactory.com or 800/725-8377

Less weight, all muscle

The new Western HTS snowplow is a full-size, full-featured snowplow designed specifically for today's lighter half-ton, 4WD pickup trucks. It handles standard-duty commercial — and extended-use homeowner — applications, providing pro-like performance without the extra weight. WesternPlows.com