

Irrigation's Latest Sprinkler Launch



Toro Irrigation's latest sprinkler launch is the T7 Series Rotor, a rugged rotor specially designed to provide maximum watering efficiency and precision while withstanding the rigours of golf tee applications.

The T7's Smart Arc easy arc-adjustment feature is a simple dial on the top of the sprinkler allowing an adjustment of the arc from 45 to 360 degrees for dry arcing upon set-up and in field.

Available with a sturdy stainless steel riser, the T7 Rotor is robust than most and benefits from a five-year warranty. Its heavy-duty retractable spring and water-lubricated

gear drive, together with wiper seal to reduce sticking and leaks, add to the sprinkler's durability.

The T7's nozzles deliver both precise watering and long distance of throw. In particular, a single port design ensures water is evenly distributed across the spray pattern without putting too much water near the head, which can otherwise cause seed to wash away.

The T7 Rotor's nozzle tree offers seven nozzles for maximum flexibility and ease of maintenance."

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LOW-COST SECURITY

The Block Stem security system is suitable for tractors, construction plant or any other self-propelled machine with an exposed power steering ram.

Imported from Italy, the Block Stem system costs from £240 plus VAT, and is available with a five-year warranty and a money back guarantee.

Manufactured in two sections from very heavy-duty steel, the tamper-proof Block Stem simply slots together over the hydraulic steering axle ram of any self-propelled machine, and is locked in place with a unique key when the wheels are at full lock.

Once fitted, the unit not only acts as an effective visual deterrent; it also means the vehicle can only go round in circles, thus preventing the vehicle from being loaded or driven away, even if the thief has the ignition key.

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A Cut Above



Ransomes Jacobsen has produced the first 15-blade cutting cylinder, designed to provide increased productivity, a superior quality of cut and optimum turf health.

The new Jacobsen Classic XP 15-blade cutting cylinder provides increased benefits for the Jacobsen range of Eclipse greens mowers - the Eclipse 100 walk-behind F-series and the new Eclipse 322 ride-on series.

All Eclipse mowers feature independent electric motors

which control the traction and the cutting cylinders.

Using electronics it is possible to maintain frequency of cut independent to operational mow speed.

By utilising the new 15-blade cutting cylinder the desired FOC and cutting cylinder speed can be maintained, while operating mow speed can be increased up to 36%, substantially increasing productivity.

The additional blades provide a tighter FOC,

reducing stragglers, yielding a smoother surface and delivering the ability to raise the height of cut without compromising ball speed.

Jacobsen conducted thorough testing of these new cutting cylinders at numerous golf courses around the world.

One of these was the Quail Hollow Club in North Carolina, which hosted the recent Wells Fargo Championship in May

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NEW ACTIVE IN HAMMER HERBICIDE

New Hammer from Scotts Professional is a rapid action total herbicide containing a brand new active ingredient.

The combination of Pyraflufen-ethyl and Glyphosate was developed by scientists at Scotts Research & Development in France and the UK, and trialled over the course of two years at the company's Levington Research Station.

Pyraflufen-ethyl acts rapidly causing the visible signs of destruction of the aerial part of the plant within 24 hours by inhibiting the enzymes that drive photosynthesis, while the systemic action of Glyphosate, completes the total kill.

Applied post-emergence, Hammer is ideal for application between April and September when weeds are actively growing. Once applied, it's rainfast within six hours and effectively controls a broad spectrum of annual and perennial weeds, including the tough brush weeds bramble and bracken.

It's registered for use on natural surfaces not intending to bear vegetation, permeable surfaces overlaying soil and to control weeds around ornamental trees and shrubs.

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Ride-On Rotary Mower New from Lastec

Lastec has launched a new model in its Articulator ride-on series of rotary mowers, with a cutting width of 3m that is believed to be the widest of any Zero Turn ride-on mower on the market.

The extra cutting width of the new Model 4520 makes a significant improvement to productivity, cutting 20% more grass compared with the company's previous largest Articulator Zero Turn mower which had a cutting width of 2.5m.

The 4520 has five articulating decks that flow over the contour of the ground without

scalping high spots or leaving hollows and dips unmowed.

It has a side reach of 685mm (27in), which means it can trim closer to ponds, over the edges of banks and ditches and under low limbs of trees - areas that otherwise often need to be finished by strimming or with small pedestrian mowers.

The decks fold at the push of a lever, leaving the mower at road legal width or for carriage on a flatbed truck or trailer.

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New Power Unit from Sanli

Sanli has extended the number of pedestrian mowers in its range available with the choice of a Sanli or Briggs and Stratton power unit.

Originally available only on the self-propelled LBP46 18in steel deck rotary mower, Briggs and Stratton's DOV 750 5.5hp petrol

engine is now used also on the Sanli LBP513 3-in-1 20in steel deck rotary mower. The DOV 750 engine comes as standard on the top-of-the-range Sanli LBPA56 22in rotary mower with aluminium cutter deck.

Depending on model, the difference in price can be as much as £100 in favour of the Sanli 550 OHV engine.

As well as its pedestrian mower models, Sanli also offers a choice of Sanli or Briggs and Stratton engine on a number of its ride-on machines including its zero-turn radius and rider mower models.

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