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# High Volume, Low Pressure Impeller:

Designed to aerate and move large volumes of water. Precision pitched Stainless Steel affords increased efficiency.

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Designed for Otterbine. Easy connect and disconnect makes installation and service simple.

# Strong Distributor and Service Network:

Over 130 distributors nationwide with 35 service centers staffed by factory trained personnel.



\*Gallons Per Minute Pumped

**Safety Tested:** All Otterbine aerators are safety tested and

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# Toro<sup>®</sup> Approves Hydro-Wet<sup>®</sup> for HydroJect<sup>®</sup>.

Superintendents have several new options for applying wetting agents to their turf, including systems using direct soil injection.

Last year, Toro advanced the direct soil injection method with the introduction of a new water injection aerator, the HydroJect 3000. Recently, Toro approved the use of Hydro-Wet, a wetting agent manufactured by Kalo, Inc., with its HydroJect 3000.

"The results (of wetting agents) are enhanced when



the wetting agent is applied after a water aeration

injection systems

on its own cart.

treatment," notes Ben Street, a market manager for The Toro Company's Commercial Products Division.

Direct soil injection of wetting agents has taken another step forward with the introduction of the Dosmatic Plus, a convenient alternative to portable tank sprayers. As a mobile accessory, Dosmatic's water-powered liquid injector, applies Hydro-Wet through the HydroJect 3000 in proportional amounts to the water flow

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For more information on direct soil injection of wetting agents, circle the number below, or call Kalo, Inc., tollfree: 1-800-255-5196.

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Toro HydroJect 3000 water injection aerator.

# **Superintendents Use Wetting Agents to Battle Dry Spots.**

Golf's rapid increase in popularity has created added pressures on superintendents to maintain the lush, green look golfers have come to expect.

Superintendents have to achieve this look while also coping with increased traffic, changing attitudes toward the use of pesticides and, often, restrictions on water use.

One especially difficult condition they face is localized dry spot, which normally occurs in mid-summer, at the height of the golf season.

"Because most greens have high sand content, keeping moisture in the root zone during the summer can be a challenge regardless of moisture availability," notes Chuck Champion of Kalo, Inc., which manufactures Hydro-Wet®, a wetting agent.

Hydro-Wet has continued to top university tests where residual value among wetting agents has been compared. In tests at Michigan State University, for example, Hydro-Wet delivered 53% more moisture to the root zone and exhibited 23% greater staying power than the closest competitive brand.

In another field test conducted by Michigan State University, Hydro-Wet injected directly into the subsurface area with the new Toro HydroJect aerator effectively relieved heat stress on greens. The study also found Hydro-Wet to be the most effective wetting agent over a longer period of time.

For a copy of these Michigan State University studies, circle the reader service number below or call Kalo, Inc., tollfree: 1-800-255-5196.

# The Hydro-Wet<sup>®</sup> Story Still Holds Water After 20 Years.

# **RESIDUAL EFFECTS OF TURF WETTING AGENTS** CONDUCTED BY MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY

TESTS CONDUCTED D. Internet		Turfgrass Quality
Wetting Agent	14 months oner upprocessor	4.2
None	5.4%	3.4
AquaGro® Hydro-Wet®	6.7%	2.1

Refer: Michigan Turfgrass Proceedings, Vol. 1 Boyne Highlands Golf Course Applied July 1973, Evaluated September 1974 4 Jan. 1975

No other wetting agent can match the staying power of Hydro-Wet. So no wetting agent does as much to increase water efficiency.

This staying power is shown in this test. Fourteen months after application, turf treated with Hydro-Wet delivered 53% more moisture to the root zone. What's more, Hydro-Wet had 23% greater staying power than AquaGro.

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