

# The Company Line

■ PRODUCTS & SERVICES



## ▲ New packaging

**Growth Products** now offers five of its best-selling products in convenient 1-quart pouches featuring easy-to-follow directions. The products include Companion microbial inoculant, Essential Plus biostimulant and soil conditioner, 18-3-6 fertilizer, Triple Ten (10-10-10) fertilizer and Organic Iron 5%.

Growth Products also announced that Companion liquid biological fungicide was granted full registration from the EPA for greenhouse use in an enclosed structure.

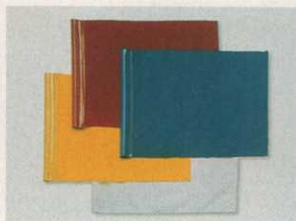
For more information, contact 800-648-7626,

[www.growthproducts.com](http://www.growthproducts.com) or

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## ▼ Flags, Bunker Rake

**Standard Golf Co.** introduces the ClearCover Tube Flag, designed to eliminate dirt buildup from golfers' hands and repeated contact with the green. While flags can easily collect dirt, ClearCover



flags feature a clear tube cover that sheds the dirt and lets the color of the flag show through. The flags are available in four stock nylon colors: red, white, blue and yellow.

Standard Golf also offers a new 22-inch Tour Smooth Maintenance Rake, ideal for deep-faced bunkers. The rake features a 22-inch wide, high-impact composite head and a 72-inch Quad-built composite handle that won't splinter, according to the com-

pany. A tooth angle and curved head allows the rake to achieve a smooth bunker surface.

For more information, contact

319-266-2638,

[www.standardgolf.com](http://www.standardgolf.com) or

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## Video

The Superintendent's Video Workshop (SWW) training series, from **Epic of Wisconsin**, can be ordered over the Internet at

[www.swwonline.com](http://www.swwonline.com). In addition

to a training video, each kit also

contains a CD-ROM for printing

employee handbooks and video

workshop assessment work-

sheets that support the training

program. SWW offers 24 titles,

many available in English and

Spanish. Two new programs in-

troduced at the 2002 GCSAA

show include "Sun Safety" and

"The Fine Art of Hand Watering,

with Paul Latshaw."

For more information, contact

800-938-4330,

[www.epicwi.com](http://www.epicwi.com) or

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## ▼ Irrigation control

The LEIT X and XR, from **Dig Corp.**, use the most advanced technologies and innovations to provide the latest in ambient light irrigation control systems. All power is provided by an internal, ultrahigh efficiency photovoltaic module and microelectronic energy management system fueled by ambient light.

The X and the XR combine state-of-the-art electronics with an improved menu base and



straightforward programming that allows for a range of irrigation programs with features such as

valve grouping and more.

For more information, contact

800-322-9146,

[www.digcorp.com](http://www.digcorp.com) or

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## Biofertilizer

**Soil Technologies Corp.** introduces Micro-Gro Plus liquid biofertilizer. When used as part of a comprehensive greens management program, Micro-Gro Plus reduces the need for fertilizers and fungicides, and optimizes playing conditions, the company says.

Micro-Gro Plus consists of humic materials, beneficial rhizobacteria, seaplant extracts, plant hormones, enzymes and micronutrients. Its shelf life is two years, and Soil Tech has determined that the product is tank-mix compatible with numerous fungicide and fertilizer products for ease of application.

For more information, contact

800-221-7645 (ext.105),

[www.soiltechcorp.com](http://www.soiltechcorp.com) or

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## Sprayer

The **Toro Co.** introduces the new Multi Pro® 5600 sprayer, which features a dual diaphragm pump that can be run dry without damage to the seals or pump. The o-ring sealed system components are designed to be leak free. The optional Pro Control computerized controller works in conjunction with a fast-acting hydraulic valve to ensure instant response and precise application rate.

The Multi Pro® 5600 features a hydrostatic drivetrain that provides a high torque traction system that can climb over severely undulating turf without spinning out and scuffing the turf.

For more information,

contact 800-803-8676,

[www.toro.com](http://www.toro.com) or

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## Blowers

**John Deere** offers the BH25 Handheld Blower and the BP60 Backpack Blower.

The BH25 model has a maximum air velocity of 140 mph, 400-cfm air volume and a powerful 24.5-cc Fuji-Robin engine. The soft-tone muffler reduces noise levels to 68-dBA, and a translucent, 18.9-ounce fuel tank lets you check the fuel level at a glance. The BH25 weighs just 8.4 pounds for easy one-hand operation.

The BP60 model has a maximum air velocity of 201 mph, 517-cfm tube-end air volume and a powerful, 59.2-cc Kawasaki engine. The large 67.6-ounce fuel tank allows for longer run times, and the pistol-type throttle on the tube is easy to use and provides precise, comfortable control of sweeping force during operation. The padded shoulder straps on the BP60 offer comfort and can be easily adjusted while the blower is on the operator's back.

For more information, contact 800.537.8233, [www.johndeere.com](http://www.johndeere.com) or

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