



New Products

► Introducing products, services for cattlemen; compiled by *Linda Robbins*, assistant editor

Polyurethane boot

Prima Tech USA has introduced a work boot made of polyurethane, a foamed material with an air-bubbled structure that it says is flexible, strong and durable. The company says polyurethane is lighter; cooler in summer and warmer in winter; lasts longer than PVC or rubber; and is resistant to oils, fats and manure. The sole is durable, ergonomic, slip-resistant and easy to clean. Sizes range from 3½-16 with a wide fitting design. A safety steel toecap version is available.

For more information call 910-296-6116 or visit www.primatechusa.com.



More productive tractor

JCB has unveiled its new 3000 Series Fastrac tractor, the 3230 Xtra. It features a more fuel-efficient Tier 4i engine, GPS AutoSteer-ready option, a new road performance package and ABS braking system, larger tire options, revised chassis for improved turning radius, improved operator and service access, and a new fender design to keep the cab windows cleaner.

The power and torque characteristics of the new engine are matched to the company's P-Tronic semi-powershift transmission first introduced in 2010. It provides a progressive arrangement of 24 forward and nine reverse ratios, with six powershift steps; automatic road and field shifting if required; and a power shuttle for easy changes between forward and reverse.

Three different transmission settings give operators a choice of manual and two auto-shifting modes, including Drive, which is engaged for road travel to automatically shift between all 12 speeds in the top two ranges.

With Manual selected, the operator shifts through the powershift steps and ranges using the transmission control joystick that is part of a seat-mounted control console also carrying electric hydraulic control switches.

Further assistance on the road is provided by Xtra-Drive, which allows the operator to ignore the clutch pedal once underway, even when slowing and stopping at a road junction. Only the brake pedal is needed because the transmission automatically controls the clutch.

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Livestock trailer features, options offer advanced safety, convenience

Featherlite® Trailers' newest options and features for its 2013 stock trailers are now available at local Featherlite trailer dealers.

Some of the options include:

Side ramp: A new optional side ramp kit for Featherlite stock trailer Model 8127 is designed for easy loading of an ATV for use on

the farm. The option widens the escape door to 54 inches (in.) and includes two separate ramps to attach.

Remote-control load light: A convenient optional remote-control load light allows trailer owners to easily position the light to help with maneuvering the trailer or unloading livestock at night.

Wireless camera: To make maneuvering the stock trailer easier and safer, an optional camera on the rear of the trailer is available. Updated from the 2012 option, this camera features no wires or cables and is easy to install. The camera connects to the rear clearance lights, and the 5.6-in. monitor comes with suction cup mount and 12-volt DC plug for easy portability.

E-Z Lube axles & FSA brakes: For added convenience and safety, all 2013 models with axles of 2.2K through 8K have E-Z Lube axles and forward adjusting brakes (FSA) standard. The axles make bearing lubrication quick and easy and have a cap that allows for easy access, extra protection and virtually no mess, according to the release.

In addition to new features and options, the company's 2013 model year trailers now come with a 10-year limited structural warranty.

For more information, call 1-800-800-1230, see a local dealer or visit the web at www.fttr.com/tnews.



Durable, precise scales

Adam Equipment has introduced the Warrior Washdown Scale Series, a recent addition to the scale and balance market, and, according to the company, the series is well-suited for the food industry, pharmaceutical processing, production lines or clean-room environments, and is perfect for weighing animals of various sizes.

Designed with intuitive features, the series features seven models with capacities from 16 lb. to 330 lb., and readabilities from 0.001 lb. to 0.02 lb. The new scales weigh in grams, kilograms, pounds, ounces, pounds/ounces and newtons. The scales offer selectable multi-language text for printing, with applications that include weighing, parts counting, percentage weighing, dynamic/animal weighing, check weighing and check counting.

The series' 304-grade stainless steel construction and indicator are IP66 rated, meaning the scales are protected against heavy dust and wet environments. Rubber feet with stainless steel threads ensure stability during weighing. The indicator is adjustable and rotates 360°. The LCD is brightly backlit and boasts 40 mm-high digits.

The RS-232 bidirectional interface facilitates speedy communication with computers and printers. Power is supplied by an adapter or the built-in rechargeable battery, while automatic external calibration is standard.

For more information on the Warrior visit www.adamequipment.com/am/warrior.

