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Tarp Machine Rolls Out Large Athletic **Field Covers**



Covermaster, Inc.'s Tarp Machine, now at less than half the price of the original model, rolls out large athletic field covers. To use, hook up the portable unit to any standard tractor equipped with a minimum 14 hp and 540 power take off (PTO) unit.

Constructed of heavy gauge tubular steel, the machine rides on two large, standard turf tires. The direct drive from the PTO rotates the four pneumatic drive wheels which, in turn, move the tarp and its roller over the field.

Covermaster, Inc.

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Free Playguide Bulletin **Defines Playground** Safety Responsibilities

Landscape Structures, Inc.'s Playguide Bulletin No. 5, Playground Safety: It's Everyone's Responsibility, is the fifth in a series of Playguide bulletins. Schools, parks and other playground owners will find Playguide Bulletin No. 5 helpful because it explains the importance of proper playground planning, equipment selection and installation, as well as performing regular maintenance inspections on the playground equipment to keep it safe. It also helps playground planners identify the primary causes of accidents and the most important safety factors to consider when designing a playground.

Bulletin No. 5 is free upon request. Landscape Structures, Inc.

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Rain Bird's **ESP-MC Controller Conserves Water**

The newest generation in the ESP Series of irrigation system controllers has just been released by Rain Bird's Commercial Division. The controller is designed to provide advanced water management and programming flexibility in any number of irrigation settings: athletic complexes, office parks or residential developments.

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The Cushman® Groom Master is driven to keep sports fields and other recreational turf areas looking great. It comes standard with a rear rake for grooming and offers a variety of accessories so you can use the Groom Master to cultivate, scarify, level, fan and smooth the soil.

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Depending on the model, the ESP-MC controller can operate either 8, 12, 16, 24, 32 or 40 stations, and comes equipped with Rain Bird's Cycle + Soak water management feature, which helps conserve water and prevent runoff by allowing the user to program around the holding capacity of the soil.

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Double Check Valve Is Easily Accessible



Wilkins' Model 950XL Top Access double check valve is designed for easy access for maintenance, testing or repair in valve box installations. The angled test cock assembly is available in 3/4- and one-inch sizes. The bronze body comes complete with tee handle ball valve shut-offs and four resilient seated ball valve test cocks, protected with debris covers. Internally, the valve has Noryl replaceable seats and silicone rubber check discs.

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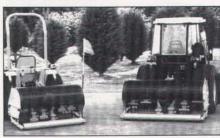
Nutrient Enhancers Come in Water-Soluble Packages

Terra Industries' turf biostimulants, BioEdge WSP and BioEdge WSP (Fe), are available in water-soluble packages. BioEdge WSP (Fe) contains fully-chelated iron (a secondary turf nutrient), in addition to the same nutrients found in BioEdge WSP. Both biostimulants have a near-neutral pH for increased tank mix flexibility and do not require heated storage.

BioEdge WSP is packaged in quarter-pound packets, ten per box and four boxes per case. BioEdge WSP (Fe) is packaged in one-pound packets, five per box and four per case.

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