

Agricultural Equipment



Our Competitive Edge

- We specialize in short-line manufacturing of agricultural equipment for precision dryland farming.
- Some of our world-class, innovative products include equipment for:
 - Tillage and rock removal
 - Spraying and fertilizing
 - Livestock and forage
 - Zero- and minimum-tillage seeding
 - Grain handling, storage and transportation
- Our tough, top-quality farm equipment can be found improving agricultural productivity in every corner of the world including:
 - The United States, Australia, Mexico and Western Europe
 - Eastern Europe, South America, Kazakhstan, the Middle East and Africa
- Nearly 40% of Western Canada's 11,000 farm and ranch implement manufacturing jobs are based in Saskatchewan.

Innovation and Opportunity

- Our commitment to research and development (R&D) and innovation has produced industry leading new types of equipment:
 - World-class air seeders
 - Advanced spraying systems
 - Unmanned aerial vehicles and robotic farming equipment
 - Robotic crop processing equipment
 - Precision GPS seeding technologies
- Our manufacturers have access within a day's drive to 250,000 farm businesses that operate a land base equivalent to 50% of the US cropland and 66% of the European Union's cropland.
- Saskatchewan manufacturers are OEM suppliers to John Deere, Case New Holland (CNH), Vaderstad, and AGCO

Corporation

- Join us as we continue to:
 - Adapt our air-seeding technology for the lucrative American soybean and corn farm markets.
 - Expand into global markets eager for our highly respected made-in-Saskatchewan technology.
 - Diversify to meet the innovative equipment needs for specialty crop and medicines.
 - Lead in precision air-seeding with GPS-guided systems and unmanned robotic farming equipment.

The Investment Climate

Saskatchewan is uniquely positioned to meet the needs of the agricultural equipment sector by offering:

- A strong, accessible supplier base
- A sophisticated local market for advanced technology equipment
- A central North American location with excellent transportation services
- Hard-working, skilled and productive workforce
- A lower overall cost of doing business and operating



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The Bottom Line

- We're investing in the future to ensure long-term growth, and to provide a return on **your** investment!
- Investments in education enable growing businesses to hire the skilled young people they need.
- The Corporate Income Tax rate for manufacturers in Saskatchewan can be as low as 10% (depending on the type of operation).
- 6% refundable tax credit for investment in manufacturing and processing equipment facilities.
- The Saskatchewan Commercial Innovation Incentive offers eligible corporations a reduction of the provincial Corporate Income Tax rate to 6% for a period of 10 years or 15 years depending on where R&D takes place.
- Saskatchewan offers a 10% refundable provincial income tax credit for scientific research and development expenditures. For Saskatchewan Canadian-controlled private corporations, the credit is refundable on the first \$1 million of qualifying annual expenditures. In all other cases, it is non-refundable.
- Manufacturing and Processing Exporter Tax incentives provide non-refundable tax credits to eligible exporting companies that increase their number of employees. If eligible, the company will receive a \$3,000 tax credit for each production-level job created or \$10,000 tax credit for each head officer job created.

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