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NEW 'PLACEMENT CUP' FOR STANDEN-PEARSON PLANTERS

New STANDEN-PEARSON potato planters for 2006 will feature an advanced all new seed cup design, developed to enhance planting precision, and reduce greening.

The reverse sides of the cups have a special profile incorporated into the underside of the moulding; this centralises seeds as they travel down to the stainless-steel openers. The result is improved seed placement, less seed roll in the furrow, better soil covering, and of course less greening as the crop matures.

The new 'PLACEMENT CUP' is unique to STANDEN-PEARSON planters. Originally designed during development of the recently announced STANDEN-PEARSON SP planter, it is now available for all models. Good news for existing growers with STANDEN planters is that the new cup/belt assemblies will be available as a retro-fit to upgrade previous models.

Photograph attached:

(1-SP: STANDEN-PEARSON PLACEMENT CUPS)

(2-SP: STANDEN-PEARSON SP PLANTER FOR 2006)

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