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GEHL ANNOUNCES ADDITION OF NEW 5000 SERIES MIXER FEEDERS TO ITS AGRICULTURAL PRODUCT LINE

(WEST BEND, WISCONSIN) ---- Gehl Company announces a new full line of mixer feeders to its agricultural product line. The new 5000 Series Mixer Feeders are designed with struck capacities up to 925 cu. ft. on the 4-auger models and up to 380 cu. ft. on the 3-auger models. These mixers provide exceptional blending and mixing of feed ingredients into a consistent ration in less time.

The 4-auger Mixer Feeders are available in five sizes, with mixing capacities from 410 to 861 cu. ft. They are available in either truck-mounted or trailer-mounted models. Large spherical bearings are used throughout to absorb the high stress loads that can be produced when dry hay and other bulk materials are mixed.

The 3-auger Mixer Feeders are available in three sizes, with mixing capacities from 185 to 340 cu. ft. The large diameter bottom auger is the key to the superior mix these units produce. The augers have sharpened notches incorporated into them to slice through hay that is added to the ration.

All models include a simple energy-efficient planetary drive with fewer chains and sprockets. This system requires less horsepower to operate. The planetary drive allows the chains and sprockets to run at a lower speed, reducing wear. Large sprockets are used to reduce chain stress and add overall life to the drive system. The high-quality premium chains run in an oil bath for smooth operation, long life and easy maintenance.

To minimize stress on the augers and drives, Gehl uses a "Shear Ledge" in conjunction with the notched augers to slice through dry alfalfa hay and other bulk ingredients. High-quality knives can be added to the 5000 Series Mixer Feeder to customize the unit to the desired ration.

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All models are available with either auger or belt discharge. Two models are also available with gravity discharge. The discharge is smoothly controlled hydraulically to manage the flow of material for precise feeding. A magnet is standard with the auger and gravity discharges and optional with the belt discharge.

Rations can be accurately weighed with either the EZ 2000 or EZ 3200 scale. These precise scales give a consistent ration for a better blend every time.

“Gehl is very excited to offer this expanded line of mixer feeders to our customers,” says Andy Strupp, Agriculture Product Manager. “The 5000 Series delivers an excellent, well blended mix, which will add to bottom line profits for our customers.”

Gehl Company (NASDAQ: GEHL) is a leading manufacturer of equipment used worldwide in construction and agricultural applications. Founded in 1859, the company is headquartered in West Bend, Wisconsin. Gehl Company information is available on the Gehl web site (www.gehl.com), or contact Gehl Company, 143 Water Street, West Bend, WI 53095 (telephone: 262-334-9461).

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