

# Equipment and Products for Quality Hay.<sup>TM</sup>

# Hay Preservative and Applicator Systems for Hay Balers

### **Applicators/Moisture Sensors**

No matter what baler you use, there is a model of Harvest Tec applicator for your implement. Paired with John Deere's GREEN-GARD hay preservative you'll have the most efficient, advanced, and easy to use application system on the market.

### Efficient design with you in mind

Tanks and saddles have been engineered to mount on all John Deere balers so they are easy to reach and fill, yet out of the way.



### Large square balers

GREEN-GARD hay preservative is formulated with the large hay producer in mind. Bales produced between 16% and 27% moisture will not heat and will maintain their high quality, smell and appearance when treated with GREEN-GARD.



### **Round balers**

Hay can be baled with GREEN-GARD at moistures up to 30% with a round baler, extending the hours of operation. Although no preservative product can reduce outside weathering, GREEN-GARD can preserve the quality of the inside.



### **Small square balers**

GREEN-GARD enables hay to be baled at moistures up to 30% with small square balers. Get out in the fields early, even on cloudy days, and work later in the evenings when the dew is heavier.



# Moisture doesn't stand a chance Sensors in the automatic applicators accurately sense moisture levels on round, large or small square balers. Using two star wheel moisture sensors which take a reading through the entire bale 100 times every 3 seconds. This results in a moisture reading that is accurate to within one point.

### **Large Square Balers**

700 Series Automatic systems for large square balers are equipped with star wheels that mount on the top of the bale chute. Accurately reads moisture from 8% to 70%.



### **Round Balers**

Automatic systems for round balers are equipped with two sensing discs, one mounted on each of the balers sidewalls. Reads moisture from 8% to 60% on 300 and 600 series systems. US Patent 8,860,443



### **Small Square Balers**

Sensors for the automatic system on small square balers consist of two star wheels that mount on the bottom of the bale chute. Reads moisture from 8% to 32% on 300 and 600 series systems.



### **Pumping System & Spray Shields**

The 300 and 700 Series Automatic systems have a single pump with dual pulsing solenoids. The 600 Series Automatic systems for round and small square balers are equipped with three pumps and a built-in flowmeter. As the hay moisture fluctuates, the system adjusts the pumps as needed to apply the right amount of preservative on the go.

The electronic applicator consists of a single pump and gauge. The pumping rate is increased or decreased by manually adjusting the control box in the cab.

Consistent preservative coverage throughout the crop is critical. Each baler model has a spray shield designed to fit specifically in the pick-up area, to assure complete and accurate coverage.





### **Automatic Control**

### An automatic system creates exceptional bales

The automatic applicators work as you go, applying the right amount of preservative at the right time, based on moisture levels. You can bale faster and complete more tonnage while tracking the volume of preservative used. Application systems are designed specifically for the John Deere large square balers, small square balers, and round balers.



### **Automatic Controls for large square balers**

### 700 Series

The new 700 Series Automatic Applicator System for large square balers makes baling quality hay easier and more efficient. Features include:

- ISOBUS compatible
- Records bale information and job records
- Ability to export job records to USB flash drive
- Provides capacity to add on additional features such as moisture dye sprayer, bale weight information, and GPS position of where bale is tied
- Applicator can be controlled through baler ISOBUS, or customer's tablet\*
- \* Requirements to run 700 series thru iPad are 3rd Generation (2012 or newer) with current operating system, plus Harvest Tec Precision Bale App.
- \* Requirements to run 700 series thru Samsung tablet are Google Play 5 operating system, plus Harvest Tec Precision Bale App.



If a baler or tractor is not equipped with an ISOBUS monitor, the operator also has the option of using their own tablet display via charging cable into the ISO Communication Module located in cab of tractor. Any one of these options give the operator complete control and provides information for any baler equipped with the automatic applicator. The baler monitor and tablet display:

- Moisture content
- Speed of baling (tonnage)
- Volume of preservative used per bale
- Target application rate and actual application rate
- Total tons baled



### **Automatic Controls for round and small square balers**

### 300 Series

The new automatic system for round and small square balers. Consisting of a redesigned and compact processor, and a single bypass pump that supplies constant pressure to a pulsing solenoid, it is an improvement in efficiency and response time for applying preservative. The operator has the option of running the applicator through their own iPad\* or iPad mini via charging cable for a clear, colorful display. The automatic system is able to store up to 60 job records by field name with total tons baled, average high moisture, date and time, and amount of preservative used.

### 300 & 600 series monitors display:

- Moisture content
- Speed of baling (tonnage)
- Volume of preservative used per bale
- Target application rate and actual application rate
- Total tons baled

### 600 Series

The 600 Series Automatic Applicator System for round and small square balers makes baling hay and keeping track of bales virtually effortless. The system continuously monitors moisture readings and rate of baling and automatically adjusts application rates. It also features a USB port on the side of the processor, which allows job records to be downloaded onto a personal computer. The system on small square balers has a built-in stroke counter to help the operator create a more consistent bale by monitoring the number of flakes per bale. The 600 series is designed to display on operator supplied iPad\* or iPad mini via charging cable for a clear colorful display. Alternatively, a separate adapter harness can be used to integrate into most tractor virtual terminals.

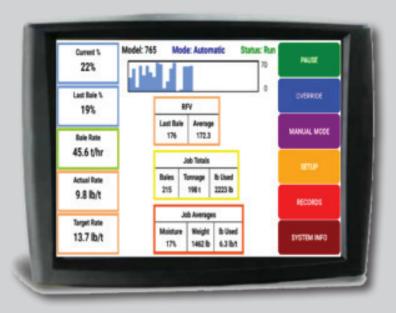
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<sup>\*</sup>Requirments to run iPad are 3rd Generation iPad (2012 or newer) with iOS 8 or greater operating system, plus Harvest Tec App.

### **Control Options**

### Innovation that works for large balers

Automatic applicators take the guesswork out of baling. They also make it easy and convenient. You have complete control from the tractor with an ISOBUS monitor, or the customer's tablet. Leading-edge technology that works for you.



### **Automatic Mode**

On the main operating screen, moisture readings are averaged every three seconds; baling rate every five seconds. The controller can match application rate for precise application.



### **Manual Mode**

Operator can override automatic features and proceed as needed.

### Setup

Adjust moisture points or set rate per ton. Weights for balers not equipped with scale can be estimated.

### **Job Records**

Knowledge is power. Detailed job records, as shown below, help you stay efficient.

- Average and high moisture levels
- Bale weight
- Amount of product used
- Date/time
- GPS coordinate of bale position when equipped with optional 780GPS reciever

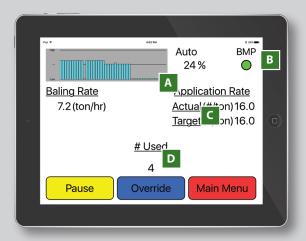
FIELD	AVG MOISTURE	HIGH MOISTURE	PRESERVATIVE	BALE NUMBER	BALE WEIGHT	DATE/TIME BALED
VAN1	7	12	0	5353602299	1200	10 JUN 14 00:42
VAN1	7	11	0.1	5353602300	1200	10 JUN 14 00:43
VAN1	7	10	0	5353602301	1200	10 JUN 14 00:45
VAN1	16	20	2.4	5353602302	1200	10 JUN 14 00:46
VAN1	13	20	1	5353602303	1200	10 JUN 14 00:47
VAN1	13	18	1.6	5353602304	1200	10 JUN 14 00:49
VAN1	11	15	0.1	5353602305	1200	10 JUN 14 00:51
VAN1	8	18	0	5353602306	1200	10 JUN 14 00:52
VAN1	6	11	0	5353602307	1200	10 JUN 14 00:54
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VAN1	18	28	3.3	5353602311	1200	10 JUN 14 01:00
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VAN1	22	28	6	5353602313	1200	10 JUN 14 01:02
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# You run the show for round or conventional balers

Automatic applicators provide "in-the-field" office management for your baling operations.

### 300 and 600 Monitors

- Control the automatic application of preservative
- Allow moisture to be read continuously by sensors, fed to the processor and displayed
- Measure speed of baling, the amount of preservative used and the average moisture of the last bale
- Display moisture as it changes, 200 feet at a time
- Automatically adjust the rate of preservative application every three seconds when in automatic mode. Actual rate of application is read by a flow meter and displayed on the screen as "actual" and compared to the set "target" rate.
- Adjusts for speed of baling on both automatic systems



### 300 & 600 monitors display:

- A. Graph of the last 200 feet of window moisture
- **B.** Current moisture
- **C.** Actual and target rate
- D. Preservative used so far

### **Everyday electronic cab control**

For small-scale operations, an electronic control applicator is available on all baler models and sizes. The dial on the control box can be adjusted for correct preservative output. Electronic components in the cab control box hold the application rate constant.

This unit is included for:

- 25 and 55-gallon applicators with electronic control
- 110 and 100-gallon applicators with electronic control for large square balers



COMPARISON OF APPLICATO	OR C	ONTRO	LS	
	Electronic	300 Series Automatic	600 Series Automatic	700 Series Automatic
Single Pump	Χ	Χ		Χ
3-Pump Manifold			Χ	
Control Box with Adjustable Dial	Χ			
iPad option		Χ	Χ	Χ
Android option				Χ
Built-in Flowmeter		Χ	Χ	Χ
Automatic Application		Χ	Χ	Χ
Moisture Sensing Capability		Χ	Χ	Χ
Job Record by Field		Χ	Χ	Χ
Job Records by Individual Bales			Χ	Χ
Calculates Baling Rate: Round Baler		Χ	Χ	Χ
Calculates Baling Rate: Small Square Baler & Large Square Baler		Χ	Х	Χ
USB Port to Download Records			Χ	Χ
Hay Indicator Compatible	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ
Stroke Counter on Small Square Baler			Χ	
Dye Sprayer Kit Compatible: Small Square Baler, Large Square Baler			Χ	Χ

### Components of 700 Series Applicator



### 1 Pump Plate

Mounted on preservative tank; includes bypass pump and flow meter



### 2 Dula Pulsing Solenoids

Accurately controls rate of preservative with a range from 24 lb/hr up to 800 lb/hr



# Optional Microwave Moisture Sensors

Positioned at back of bale chamber (shown) for artificial moisture applications. Additionally, can be positioned in pre-compression chamber for improved preservative placement in bale

**Optional GPS Antenna** 

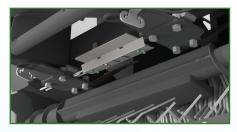
Records position of bale and adds it to

job record



### **Display (not included)**

Improved functionality for ease of operation, integrates through the baler virtual terminal



### 5 Spray Shield/Tips

Hay preservative applied at bale pickup on loose windrow as fed into baler.



### 6 Dual Star Wheels

Sends low voltage signal to accurately sense moisture at the front of the bale chamber. Built in encoder provides baling rate. Built in encoder provides baling rate.

Optional Hay Indicator (crop-eyes) End of Row

**Shut-Off Sensor** 

Automatically turns applicator on/

off when enter/exiting windrow



### **Small Square & Round Baler**

### **Precision Moisture Only Sensor**

The most efficient, cost-effective moisture monitor with accurate readings, the new H2O Precision Moisture Sensor from Harvest Tec is the answer.

The moisture sensor uses the operator's Apple or Android smartphone or tablet as the monitor. The H2O control is mounted in the cab and connects via the charging cable to your device, along with the free H2O App from Harvest Tec.

### **Precision Moisture Sensor Features and Benefits**

- Displays instantaneous moisture
- Add-on kit is available to provide last bale average moisture (required for fixed chamber round balers)
- Rugged disc plates and star wheels are designed for longterm use with minimal wear
- Simple to use App is free to download from the iTunes or Android Play Store
- Only on-blaer moisture sensor for round balers to read up to 60% with reliable accuracy

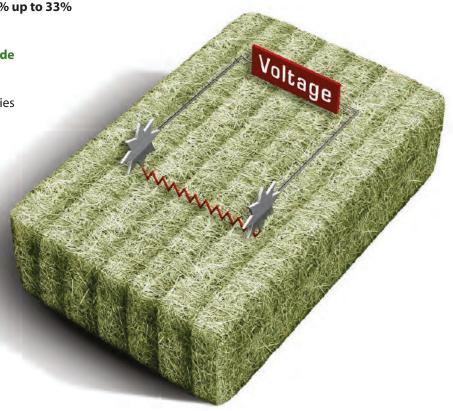


### **Small Square Baler**

Two star wheels are mounted in the bale chute. The H2O System will **read crop moisture levels from 5% up to 33%** on small square balers.

### Features Of The New Hardwire Display Include

- Security of a hardwired solution
- Built-in tablet/smartphone charging capabilities
- Cellular data plan not required



### **Round Baler**

The H2O System includes two sensing discs, one mounted on each side of the baler's sidewalls inside the bale chamber read crop moisture side-to-side from 5% up to 60% for round balers.

### **Features Of The New Hardwire Display Include**

- Security of a hardwired solution
- Built-in tablet/smartphone charging capabilities
- Cellular data plan not required



With the H2O Dye Marker added to the H2O Moisture Sensor, any bale above a set moisture level is marked with a red, food-grade stripe. The bale is marked as it leaves the chamber, allowing the operator to easily identify those bales that are above their own moisture threshold. Operators can also manually mark bales with the push of a button









### **GREEN-GARD** Hay Preservative



### Safe, Innovative Baling At High Moistures

Maximize the number of acres baled per day with a chemically-buffered form of propionic acid formulated to prevent spoilage of valuable hay crops. GREEN-GARD hay preservative from John Deere is gentle on your baler with a pH of 6.0 that is as neutral as rainwater, yet it is just as effective as straight propionic acid. And, it works on all types of hay, including alfalfa, grass and other crops susceptible to decay at higher moistures.

### **Better bale quality**

Hay baled at higher moistures can heat and spoil. GREEN-GARD hay preservative will treat hay with up to 30% moisture.

HAY MOISTURE	DAMAGE
16% - 22%	Hay discoloration and odor can occur
23% - 26%	Hay temperature can climb to 120° F in storage; mold will begin to form and quality drops significantly
Over 27%	Can result in temperatures over 140°F; hay can turn black and combust

GREEN-GARD is the only hay preservative that is endorsed by John Deere.

# Calculate the GREEN-GARD Benefits:

- Greener hay with higher feed value
- No more waiting on the weather. Bale when you're ready at moistures up to 30%.
- Works well on all types of hay.
- Non-corrosive formula won't harm the baling equipment, operators or livestock.
- Store treated hay for years. It will look and feed as fresh as when it was first baled.
- Store product outside. GREEN-GARD won't freeze or lose effectiveness over time.
- When compared to other preservatives, GREEN-GARD is smarter:
  - Easier to apply
  - Gives more consistent coverage
  - Won't clog application equipment

GREEN-GARD™ is a trademark owned by Deere & Company



# GREEN-GARD is available in four sizes for any size baling operation.

	GREEN-GARD HAY PRESERVATIVE CONTAINER SIZES
Totes	1,800 lbs/200 gal* (818 kg/757 L) 2,380 lbs/270 gal (1,082 kg/1020 L)
Drum	450 lbs/50 gal** (204 kg/189.3 L)
Mini Drum	120 lbs/15 gal** (54 kg/50.5 L)

<sup>\*</sup> Not available in Canada

- 200 or 270-gallon tote goes a long way and is preferred by larger square baler operators.
- 50-gallon drum is enough for any size baler and will treat up to 100 tons of hay.
- Easy-to-store 15-gallon drum works well for smaller operations.



Bales treated with GREEN-GARD yield more tonnage, have a higher relative feed value and are safer for all livestock. Propionic acid, the main ingredient in GREEN-GARD, is an organic acid occurring naturally in a horse's gastrointestinal tract. In ruminants, propionic acid is produced by rumen bacteria, so it is beneficial in the digestive process.

### **Practical application**

Gentle and effective, the ingredients in GREEN-GARD will not cause corrosion on your baling equipment. When paired with approved John Deere applicators at the recommended application rate, you can be assured of maximizing your hay baling productivity year after year with GREEN-GARD.





### GREEN-GARD HAY PRESERVATIVE INGREDIENTS

GREEN GARD HAT PRESERVATIVE INGREDIENTS			
Active Ingredient Propionic Acid Citric Acid	64.5% 5.0%		
Other Ingredients Ammonium Hydroxide, Deionized Water, 30.5% Sorbitol, Green Dyes			
EPA Registration	Total 100%		
APPLICATION RATES			
LARGE SQUARE BALES			
Hay Moisture	Stem Moisture	Dew Moisture Only	
Under 22%	6 lbs/ton	3 lbs/ton	
23% - 26%	10 lbs/ton	8 lbs/ton	
23% - 26% 27% - 30%	10 lbs/ton DO NOT BALE	8 lbs/ton 16 lbs/ton	
27% - 30%		16 lbs/ton	
27% - 30%	DO NOT BALE	16 lbs/ton OUND BALES	
27% - 30% SMALL SQU	DO NOT BALE  JARE AND LARGE R	16 lbs/ton OUND BALES	
27% - 30%  SMALL SQU  Hay Moisture	DO NOT BALE  JARE AND LARGE R  Stem Moisture	16 lbs/ton OUND BALES Dew Moisture Only	

Not recommended on any hay above 30% moisture.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Not available in California

### **Accessories**



### **Moisture Dye Sprayer Kit**

The Dye Sprayer Kit is a simple and effective way to mark wet areas on square bales. Compatible with any 600 or 700 series Automatic Applicator on small and large square balers, the three-gallon system is mounted near the bale chamber with the spray tips on the side or top of the bale chamber. Easy to fill and service, one tank of dye mix (part number 009-0800) can last through a full tank of GREEN-GARD hay preservative and is adjustable from 8% to 72% moisture on small or large square balers.

While working, if the high moisture alarm sounds on the display, the system sprays a food-grade, red-colored dye that visibly marks the exact location of the wet spots within the bale, allowing for a quick and easy reference to better manage bales for feeding, sorting, inventory or storage.



### **GPS and yield mapping**

An additional GPS package for your large square baler is available to take your productivity to the highest level. By incorporating the 780GPS receiver from Harvest Tec into the 700 Series Automatic Applicator, the system will record the coordinates of the exact location the bale was tied off in the field to the job record.

Using this technology, the producer now has the ability to create yield maps for their crops, which will allow them to gain the knowledge needed to maximize productivity and plan for future yields.







### **Electric Transfer Pumps**

These standard output models will transfer preservative at a rate of four gallons per minute.



### **Hand Transfer Pump**

Inexpensive, this hand transfer pump is ideal for transferring small amounts of preservative easily.



### **Electric Transfer Pump**

For a rapid transfer rate of 14 gallons per minute, this pump will get the job done quickly.



### **Moisture tester**

Hand-probe and pad style moisture tester that digitally measures moisture levels in the bales, windrow and chamber.



### **Hay indicator kit**

A great addition to your GREEN-GARD Automatic Crop Preservative System. The kit consists of two eyes that mount on the baler's pickup head. The eye kit senses when crop is passing through and automatically starts and stops preservative application.



### **Surface Wrap Light Kit**

Load net wrap into the compartment of your Round Baler at night with convenient compartment lighting. Two low-profile work lights mount inside the compartment and wired into the baler.

### **Part Numbers**

### **Automatic Applicators**

	LARGE SQUARE BALERS
796J4525C*	110-gallon hay preservative applicator for John Deere L330, L340 balers
	ROUND BALERS
3464483C*	25-gallon hay preservative applicator for John Deere 5, 6 & 7 series round balers
3464516C*	25-gallon hay preservative applicator for John Deere 8, 9 & 0 series round balers
3464546C*	25-gallon hay preservative applicator for John Deere 0 series round baler with HC2
3494503C*	55-gallon hay preservative applicator for John Deere 582 round balers
3494504C*	55-gallon hay preservative applicator for John Deere 5, 6 & 7 series round balers
3494517C*	55-gallon hay preservative applicator for John Deere 8, 9 & 0 series round balers
3494547C*	55-gallon hay preservative applicator for John Deere 0 series round baler with HC2
6494503B*	55-gallon commercial hay preservative applicator for JD 582 round balers
6494504B*	55-gallon commerical hay preservative applicator for JD 5, 6 & 7 round balers
6494517B*	55-gallon commerical hay preservative applicator for JD 8, 9 & 0 series round balers
6494547B	55-gallon commercial hay preservative applicator for 0 series round baler with HC2
	SMALL SQUARE BALERS
3454410B*	25-gallon hay preservative applicator for John Deere small square balers
6454410B* Does not include displ	25-gallon commercial hay preservative applicator for JD small square balers

### **Hay Preservative**

AFH216669 AFH216677 (Canada)	120 Lb.** (13-gallon) Drum of GREEN-GARD
AFH216670 AFH216678 (Canada)	450 lb.** (50-gallon) Drum of GREEN-GARD
AFH216672	1800 Lb.* (200-gallon) Tote of GREEN-GARD
AFH216673 AFH216680 (Canada) *Not available in Canada **Not available in California	2380 Lb. (270-gallon) Tote of GREEN-GARD

### **Electronic Control Applicators**

	LARGE SQUARE BALERS	
491J4525	110-gallon hay preservative applicator for John Deere L330, L340, L331, L341 balers	
	ROUND BALERS	
4414483	25-gallon hay preservative applicator for John Deere 5, 6 & 7 series round balers	
4414516	25-gallon hay preservative applicator for John Deere 8, 9 & 0 series round balers	
4414546	25-gallon hay preservative applicator for John Deere 0 series round baler with HC2	
4484503	55-gallon hay preservative applicator for John Deere 582 round balers	
4484504	55-gallon hay preservative applicator for John Deere 5, 6 & 7 series round balers	
4484517	55-gallon hay preservative applicator for John Deere 8, 9 & 0 series round balers	
4484547	55-gallon hay preservative applicator for John Deere 0 series round baler with HC2	
SMALL SQUARE BALERS		
4414410	25-gallon hay preservative applicator for John Deere small square balers	

### CONTACT YOUR LOCAL JOHN DEERE DEALER TO ORDER!

### **Applicators for self-propelled forage harvesters**

90-gallon applicator for John Deere 7000 series self-propelled forage harvesters

### **Accessories**

474A	Hay Indicator Kit - 300, 600 & Electronic Applicators Only
474C	Hay indicator kit - 700 Series Auto Applicators Only
9212	12-Volt electric transfer pump (4-gallons per minute)
9215	110-Volt electric transfer pump (4-gallons per minute)
488	Light kit for surface wrap compartment
490	Light kit for surface wrap compartment on 0 Series round balers
FX2000	Moisture tester. Combination hand-held & in chamber
1670DK	Field Ready Android Display for 700 Series Only (Android tablet with
	Precision Bale App, RAM mount, and charger)
4670DK	Field ready iPad Mini display for 300 and 600 series
	(iPad Mini 4 with Hay App, RAM Mount, and charger)
740DM	Moisture dye marker for 700 series system for large square balers
840DM	Moisture Dye Marker for 600 Series for small square balers



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