

# FERTILIZER SPREADER

Automatic spreading management, actuators and valves command, dynamic weighing and working data storage







## APPLICATION FOR SPREADERS OF: FERTILIZER/SALT/GRAVEL/LIME

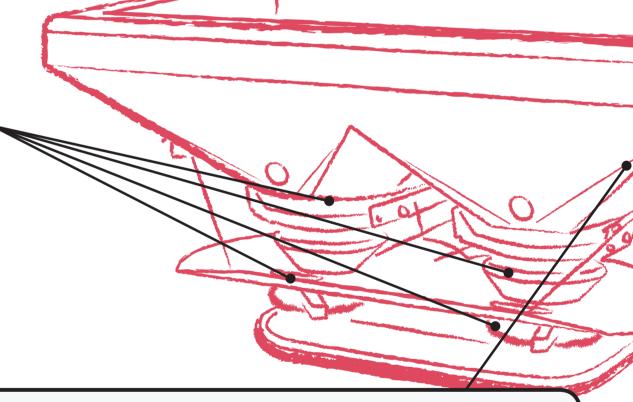
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- Dynamic weighing for an accurate control of the fertilizer spread
- Selectable working mode: automatic, semi-automatic, speed, manual
- Vehicle speed detection through sensor, GPS, ISO 11786 connector
- Border function available
- Control of hydraulic gates available for quick shut off at field end
- Detection of spreading discs rotation speed available
- Sensor for empty hopper available
- Counters and statistics management and display with storage of data like working hours, spread surface and spread amount per field or customer
- Products tables management with automatic features trial sequence for table creation
- Data transfer to PC for a detailed association of job to customer
- Modular system configuration based on machine set
- Easy, intuitive and ergonomic command and display system
- Keyboard customizing available with customer's logo and colors

 Consulting and support during design to define the correct position of the weigh sensors on the implement



Proximity sensors to detect vehicle speed, acutator stroke, spreading discs speed. Analog or digital sensors for bus connection





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From 1 to 4
load cells signal
digitizing

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## LOAD CELLS









Pin Shear Beam Off-Center

**Double Shear Beam** 



**Command and Interface Unit in the cabin:** ease of use, thanks to the intuitive icon-based commands on ICON LCD display. Automatic spreading management based on vehicle speed and set quantity per hectare. Display and storage of working statistics. Command of the electrical and hydraulic functions of the implement.



ICON D
Backlighted Graphic
Display and
16 operating keys

### **OPTIONS**



Integrated Emergency Button



USB port for data exhange



Mounting supports for different surface features



Colors and graphic customizing available

**Devices Driving Units:** HYDRA and H-BLOCK modules to drive electric actuators (shutters) and solenoid valves, both on/off and proportional (belt, screw, ...). Signals detection from sensors (vehicle speed, discs, belt, screw, ...) and signals acquisitior from external devicees, like GPS modules or data interface on ISO 11789 connector.

Command of different optional devices like lights, beacons, or other.



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Up to 6 Outputs (PWM)
Up to 10 inputs



Digitized sensors for communication

on BUS



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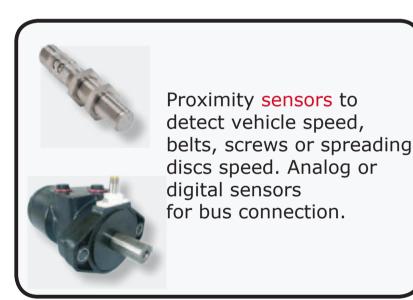
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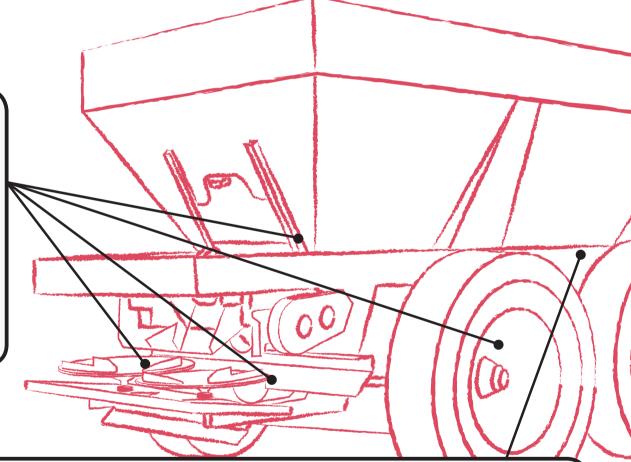
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- Dynamic weighing for an accurate control of the fertilizer spread
- Selectable working mode: automatic, semi-automatic, speed, manual
- Vehicle speed detection through sensor, GPS, ISO 11786 connector
- Border function available through electric actuators or hydraulic cylinders
- Detection of spreading discs rotation speed available
- Belts and screws speed adjustment for salt, gravel and lime spreaders
- Management of lights, beacons or other devices
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Direct reading of external sensors



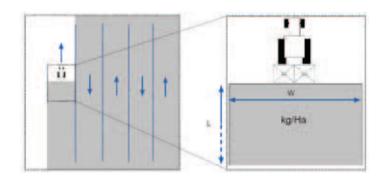
Emergency button onboard the machine

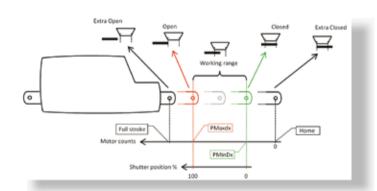
## SPREADING MANAGEMENT



Management of the fertilizer spreading quantity: automatic spreading rate adjustment based on the set quantity per hectare, on the vehicle speed and, for models with weighing system onboard, on the weight, measured by load cells installed on the hopper.

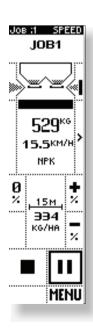
Jobs setting, speed detection, weighing system onbored, to reach the aim of a uniform distrubution of the fertilizer on the field, based on the requested quantity per hectare.

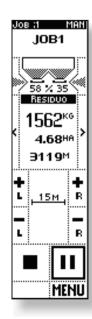




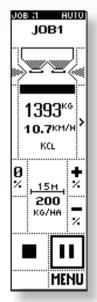
Actuators management based on spread quantity, shutter's shape and fertilizer's features.
Actuator's setting to suit the spreader design.

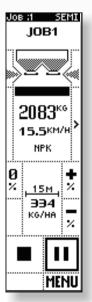
Spreader without weighing systems onbored: "speed" working mode, with spread rate proportional to the tractor's speed, based on product features, spreading width and requried norm. Manual working mode also available, with operator's control of the shutters position.





Spreader with weighing systems onbored (load cells and weight module): fully automatic working mode available, with flow factor periodical recalculation during working, or semi-automatic mode, with flow factor recalculation on operator's request. Speed mode and manual mode always available.





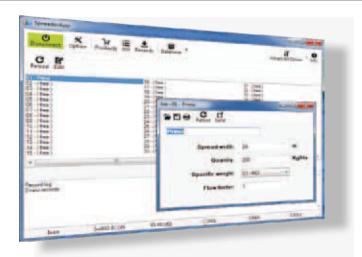
## **SOFTWARE: SPREADER APP**

Tufner Spreader App software for PC, to define product features and data exchange with the ICON unit onboard the vehicle.

Product tables management imported from the ICON unit or exported to it through USB memory or cable.

Working data analysis available, with reports and exportation in standard formats.



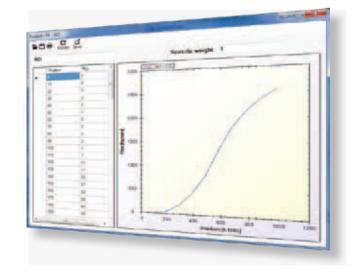


#### **Jobs Management**

- Load and unload formulas creation, with name, to be transferred to the indicator
- Possibility to transfer to the indicator formulas selected among those in the data base
- Animals number settings
- Pro-animal ration for each component
- Quantity to be unloaded for each unload

#### **Fertilizer Management**

- Up to 50 components can be inserted with name and transferred to the indicator
- Stocked amount displayed for each component
- Consumed amount displayed for each component





#### **Customers and Fields Management**

- Reported by formula, component or unload box
- Reported by date
- Report of load, unload data or both
- Summary or detailed report

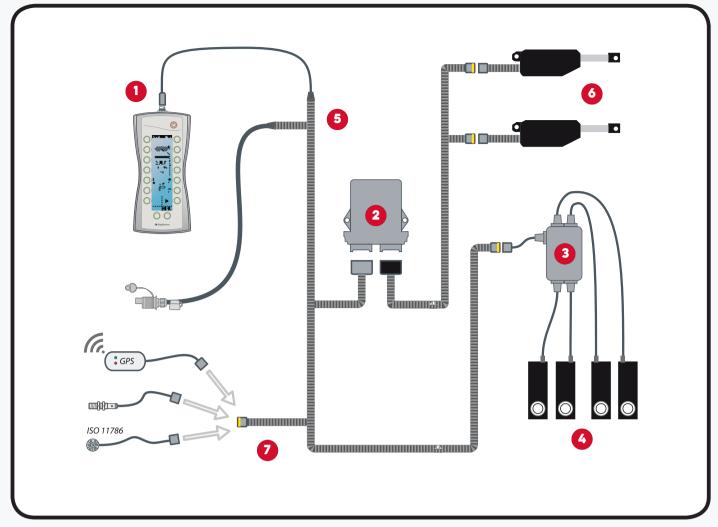
### **Data Reports and Printing**

- Reports display
- Reports exportation as spreadsheet (MS Excel<sup>™</sup>) or pdf



## **EXAMPLE: UP TO 2 ACTUATORS AND WEIGHING SYSTEM**

- 1 ICON D Command Unit
- 2 H-BLOCK Module
- 3 WM Weighing Module
- 4 Load Cells
- 5 BUS + power supply cabling in "Automotive Grade" execution
- 6 Electric actuators for spreading shutters
- 7 Ground speed detection, through inductive sensor or GPS device or from ISO 11786 connector



## **EXAMPLE: UP TO 5 ACTUATORS AND WEIGHING SYSTEM**

- 1 ICON D Command Unit
- 2 BIG-BLOCK Module
- 3 WM Weighing Module
- 4 Load Cells
- 5 BUS + power supply cabling in "Automotive Grade" execution
- 6 Electric actuators for spreading shutters
- 7 Electric actuator for border function
- 8 Electric actuators spread width adjustment
- Ground speed detection, through inductive sensor or GPS device or from ISO 11786 connector

