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Dear Grower,

Apple harvesting equipment for your orchards Product range and prices - 2009

I am writing with details of our current range of harvesters, tree shakers and apple brushes. If you would like to see any of them working please call and I will arrange a demonstration for you. At present we have stock of some of our popular machines - others are only built to order.



M2000 – versatile and easy to use

Harvesters: M2000 Cider fruit Harvester

This versatile pedestrian self propelled harvester is very popular in both standard and bush orchards. Output is over 1 tonne per hour, the pickup width is 800 mm. The harvester uses a hedgehog cleaning belt to give a good fruit sample. The harvester is powered by a Honda 5.5 HP air cooled engine and has a 5 speed transmission. Price **£4,675 + VAT** (available ex stock).



Centipede harvester in 5.5 metre row

The new Centipede Apple Harvester

This harvester is designed for the bush orchard grower who wants to be able to harvest up to 120 tonnes per day. The machine is very compact and fits between the tractor and trailer. This provides for exceptionally good weight distribution and allows the trailer to be towed from the tractor's own automatic hitch.

The picking system is very gentle and efficient and the fruit is cleaned by a combination of two hedgehog belts and a fan. High sided trailers (up to 2 metres) can be used with the harvester.

The harvester comes with its own hydraulic pump, tank, cab mounted electro hydraulic control valves and closed circuit T.V. The price is **£37,000 + VAT**.



The Centipede Side – easy to position it just where you want

Centipede Side Sweep - (tractor mid mounted)

The Tuthill Centipede Side sweep moves fruit from between the tree trunks into the row ready for your harvester to collect - and saves you the time and cost of blowing fruit. It works on grass or a herbicide strip. You can work in row widths from 4.25 metres (14ft.) to 6.00 metres (20ft.). Folds up for transport. Price.....**£7,600 + VAT and fitting**.



Front brushes and Side sweep coming back up the row

New Centipede Front Brushes

Three point linkage mounted - automatic folding, economical and easy to fit.

These front brushes move fruit lying in front of the tractor and clear a path up to 2600 mm (8ft 6") wide giving a good clearance for large trailers. Tractor turning at the end of the row is easy because the Centipede brushes fold as they lift out of work. They fit directly onto a standard tractor three point linkage. Price **£5,350 + VAT** (available at short notice). If your tractor does not have a front three point linkage an auto-lifting version is available for **£6,250 + VAT**.



Fast versatile shaker that is at home in any orchard

SL81 Tractor Mounted Tree Shaker

This highly developed tree shaker works equally well in bush or standard orchards. It is fast, versatile, and powerful. Its multi-directional shaking action ensures good fruit removal without tree damage. You can reach, grip and shake trees in any row widths up to 7 metres. The extra-wide self-centering jaws enable you to shake up to 300 trees per hour. It has a self contained hydraulic system, with electro-hydraulic control valves and joystick controls. The shaking power is adjustable. The price is.....**£12,850 + VAT**.



The Shuttler is compact and easy to handle.

Shuttler - tree shaker

This economical tractor mounted wire rope tree shaker will fit easily onto your tractor's three point linkage. Its compact size and high quality have made it the most popular wire rope tree shaker in Europe. The pivots and joints are made from case-hardened steel. The main crankshaft is fitted with long lasting, heavy duty double row ball bearings. The wire rope is attached to the shaker with a special spherical joint to minimise shackle wear.....**£1,200 + VAT**.

For more details, to see a demonstration or talk to someone who uses any of these products please call me on 01295 750513.

Yours sincerely,

George Tuthill.

P.S. Tuthill harvesters are developed and manufactured in the UK and serviced by a network of dealers – so that you can get prompt local service.