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National Ploughing Championships: Stand - Block 2, Row 26, Stand 405



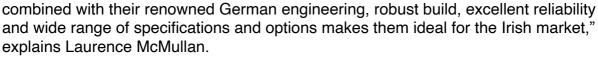
BvL to exhibit at National Ploughing Championships for the first time

It's over 40 years since BvL introduced the first vertical feed mixer wagon to the market, during which time the German family company has grown to become one of the world's leading manufacturers of diet mixers.

Today, the BvL V-MIX range of diet feeders covers a wide range of trailed machines, available in single, twin and triple augers variants and in capacity from 3.5m³ up to 46m3. A wide range of specifications and options are available on each machine, allowing them to be tailored to exactly meet the needs of all types of farm and livestock.

Following the appointment of McMullan Agri as their main distributor for Ireland, BvL will be exhibiting at the National Ploughing Championships for the first time, displaying representative models from the extensive range of V-Mix diet feeders.

"BvL is one of the most experienced and leading manufacturers of diet feeders in the world and that,



No two farms are the same, therefore it's important that a wide range of specifications and options are available, so that BvL's specialists can look at individual farm needs and tailor a machine to meet those requirements.

Manufactured using heavy gauge 20mm steel for the hopper floor and 8mm steel for the walls, at the heart of all BvL mixers are powerful mixing augers, with Hardox leading edges and adjustable knives. Twin and triple auger versions incorporate mixing wedges for a thorough and consistent mix, while the patented EDS (Exact Dosing System) discharge ensures a fast, even forage discharge at the widest point of the machine.





Options include features such as doors on both the left and right hand side of the feeder for feeding flexibility and even simultaneous discharge to both sides. Additional discharge door options are available, as are discharge conveyors or elevators and new, highly powerful magnets to avoid metallic objects contaminating the ration.

Also available as an option is the V-Connect mixer control. Using the control, the operator can easily monitor both auger speed and total revolutions, in addition to displaying and controlling mixer time. So instead of relying on PTO speed, by being able to monitor the actual auger speed the operator is able to achieve improved repeatability and ration consistency.

Unique to BvL is the availability of special coatings and hardened components for use with compact rations, or for more abrasive, higher dry matter rations, making this option particularly suited for beef cattle rations and large dairy herds.

Photographs: A selection of photographs are available via the link below: https://www.dropbox.com/scl/fo/evltw5kw9znntjfgl7e2v/h? https://www.dropbox.com/scl/fo/evltw5kw9znntjfgl7e2v/h? https://www.dropbox.com/scl/fo/evltw5kw9znntjfgl7e2v/h?

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