## **HYBRID DRILLING**

## New Claydon can deliver seed or combination of seed & fertiliser

The new Claydon Hybrid T4 builds on the success of the company's 6m Hybrid T6 and 8m Hybrid T8 trailed drills.

Delivering seed only or a combination of seed and fertiliser, it will sow directly into stubble, in min-till situations or on ploughed/cultivated land, across a wide range of soils, conditions and crops.

The Hybrid T4 can be adapted to whatever the customer requires. They can specify the standard tine set-up, have a twin-tine option instead of the rear seeding tine, choose to have fertiliser placed down the front or rear tine, can replace the leading tine with a cutting disc, or alternatively replace the seeding tine with the twin-tine kit and the leading tine with a twin cutting disc. This enables them to handle any establishment situation with just one drill and at a much lower level of capital investment.

The unit incorporates 13 individually-adjustable tungsten carbide leading tines which eliminate compaction, aerate the soil, optimise drainage and

create tilth for the seeding zone. The following seeding tines create additional tilth and place the seed at exactly the required depth, above the drainage channel. This highly-effective system encourages very deep, complex rooting structures to develop quickly, which minimises soil erosion and ultimately produces stronger, healthier crops with improved yield potential.

Folding to 3m, the Hybrid T4 weighs 6,000kg and features single-point depth control, a stainless steel Accord metering system and an RDS Artemis control system for variable-rate seeding. The specification also includes an oil cooler, hydraulically-driven fan, Claydon-designed metering heads for improved flow and seeding accuracy, together with a tramline kit.

The front of the chassis is guided by the optional press wheels, simple depth wheels or shouldered cutting discs, while the double rear toolbar can be equipped with a range of press wheel and harrow configurations to fully cover the seed and leave the soil smooth and level.

