



Lee Blevins - Inventor.



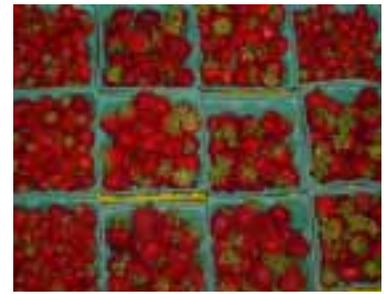
Grow Pot Supports
3/4 Ton Pickup.



6-High Stack Of
Strawberries.



Seascape Strawberries grown near Long Island, New York.



Agro-Tower Grow Pots

Grow 4 to 6 times more plants per square foot. The Stackable Planters form crop towers that allow for tremendous production, even in small areas, and use less water and fertilizer, says Lee Blevins, who developed the towers. They're made from a special UV-resistant polypropylene food-safe plastic. After six years of continuous use there is no visible sign of wear to existing units.

Using a hydroponic system, you can grow crops using conventional fertilizers or grow organic crops almost anywhere, says Blevins. Each section is 20 in. in diameter, 8 in. in depth, and contains 6 planting ports,

4 in. wide and 10 in. apart. Each section will hold about 1/2 cubic ft. of growing medium. A tower stacked 6 units high will hold 36 plants and is 4 ft. high when assembled. The towers can be stacked to the height you desire. They're designed to save land, water, fertilizer, power, and labor. They're easy to harvest and result in fewer rodents and weed problems, with less damage to the fruit in rainy conditions. Six black units sell for \$68. Six terra-cotta for \$78. Six white units sell for \$78. (Prices subject to change.) They make a great gift for family, friends, or business associates. There are 240 units per

pallet. Extra discounts for volume orders. Soon other exciting products will be available on the company's website.

Call direct toll-free to place orders at 888-269-5343; or call: 805-461-1761. Or go to the company website:

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Reader Inquiry No. 191

Stop Wildlife Damage Stop Opening Gates

"It's as portable as a flashlight so you can easily move it from place to place. Best of all, it costs only a fraction as much as a conventional cattle guard," say Sid and Barney Zinter, Ione, Oregon, about their electronic "Elk-Out" or "Gatekeeper" that keeps cattle from going through open gates and keeps elk and deer out of hay stacks, yards and gardens.

The self-contained unit is about the size of a small tackle box with a handle on top. It's equipped with a heat-sensitive "eye" that triggers a siren or strobe. It's designed to hang on a gate post with the "eye" facing toward the other post. When an animal approaches, the alarm is activated and a loud noise scares it away from the opening.

"It lets go with the most awful siren sound you've ever heard - no animal can ever get used to it," says Sid. "The alarm plays a series of six different noises in sequence, from a siren-like sound to a loud beeping. The wildlife version also employs a blinding but harmless strobe light. The alarm goes off as long as it senses the animal. After a few exposures animals will avoid the gate.

"It takes only about a minute to set up and there's nothing on it to adjust - just turn it on and forget about it. When you want to bring cows through the gate you simply switch it off. It works better than perma-



Arrow points to unit on gate post.

nently-installed cattle guards and sells for \$349 to \$450 depending on the model, plus shipping and handling."

A 12-volt DC charger (included) or a small solar panel is used to recharge the unit. A charge lasts about 2 months.

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Self-contained unit can be easily moved from gate to gate.