Sprayer makes its mark

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Graham O'Meagher of O'Meagher Farms and Orchards in Pickering Brook recently took delivery of a new Atom self-propelled sprayer.

Mr O'Meagher said this new model was the third Atom sprayer the family had bought.

"We have been using Andreoli sprayers for nearly 20 years," he said.

"We started with a simple trail sprayer and we were so impressed with the build quality, reliability and performance of that machine that every time something new from Andreoli Engineering came out, we went ahead and negotiated with AA Holdings, the Australian importer of these units, to purchase another."

Mr O'Meagher said the family bought this latest sprayer because they needed a unit with a bigger tank.

"With this new unit having a 3500-litre tank, it fitted the bill perfectly," he said.

"If I spray at a rate of 500 litres a hectare, I can cover seven hectares



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with one tankful — that's less fill-up time, so the job is achieved more quickly."

Another great feature of the Atom 3500 is a smooth ride.

It ensures the best drive comfort in all conditions, with independent variable hydraulic suspensions on the chassis, independent pneumatic suspensions on the cab and a large pneumatic seat.

In addition, a new fan design

makes the unit more efficient in windy conditions.

AA Holdings representative Garrie Vincenti said it was great that the O'Meaghers supported Andreoli products.

"Graham is really a busy man with what he has on his plate and he can really see the advantage of time saved doing the job quickly with his new Atom 3500," Mr Vincenti said.

"These bigger Atom models were

designed for Australia's rugged conditions.

"Andreoli Engineering recently introduced these bigger Atoms to the North American market and all indications are showing that these robust units are going to be a hit."

Mr Vincenti said the popularity came down to performance in the orchard and ability to cover more area in a shorter time, with the added bonus of the Atom's smooth ride and reliability.

"Andreoli Engineering has a full range of sprayers, from trail sprayers to these large self-propelled units, catering for every type of horticultural crop grown," he said.

"They cater for the top end of the market for operators who want a performance machine."

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