



Shown above is the Truro Agromart facility in Onslow, NS. In 2015 the company built a new fertilizer plant. The new facility permits the customizing fertilizer blends to customer's requirements. (Submitted)

Truro Agromart Supplies Much More Than Fertilizer

Truro Agromart Limited is a crop input supplier locally owned and operated in Onslow, NS, servicing all of Nova Scotia as well as Newfoundland. In conjunction with the Agronomy Company of Canada, Truro Agromart is co-owned by Tim and Sandra Fisher (Middle Stewiacke), Donnie MacGregor (Kemptown), and Nicholas Juurlink (Falmouth). Specialising in fertilizer, Truro Agromart is also a supplier of corn, soybean, and forage seed, agricultural pesticides, farm supply, and lawn care

products including fertilizer, lime, and seed.

In 2015, Truro Agromart built a brand new fertilizer plant complete with amplified storage capacity, to cater to the increasingly fast-paced agricultural market. This expansion has allowed for more efficient and increased production, as well as the ability to customize fertilizer blends to customers' crop and field-specific requirements.

With several Certified Crop Advisors on staff, Truro Agromart prides themselves on working alongside their

growers to achieve optimum quality and yields using the latest in fertilizer technology. Many of the team members at the Agromart are NSAC / Dalhousie alumni with degrees in agriculture, and come from farms and/or farm themselves at home so they have plenty of first-hand experience to bring to the table! From fruits and veggies to forages, corn and legumes, and even lawn and garden, the Agromart is ready to help achieve desired crop goals!



This photo shows part of the interior of the Truro Agromart fertilizer plant that was built in 2015. (Submitted)



JR Tardif, a leader in flail mower technology designed for blueberry fields in the Maritimes, had samples of machinery on display at the annual Wild Blueberry Producers of Nova Scotia (WBPANS) 2015 Field Day.

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IMAGES FROM THE Maritime Wild Blueberry Producers First Field Day Event - July 15, 2017



Central Equipment, Truro were in attendance with Massey-Ferguson and Kubota Tractors. (Rees Photo)



Drones are becoming an important tool for blueberry producers. This one was on display at the Dalhousie University booth. (Rees Photo)



It was a full house for lunch in Doug Bragg Enterprises fabrication shop during the field day. (Rees Photo)

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- 3) **Roadside Mower** - Single head, side mount mower 5-foot head. There are 25 units in operation throughout Nova Scotia. Units are used in bush cutting operations and roadside mowing in the State of Maine.
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- 7) **Cranberry Harvester** - This is the latest addition of Doug Bragg Enterprises's lineup of custom manufactured products. This machine is intended for dry picking cranberries with as little waste as possible and with virtually no damage to the bog. The ground pressure with the recommended setup is less than a foot print of an adult of average size.

