



QUALITY TARP SYSTEMS & TRAILER ACCESSORIES



DEALER PACKET 2023



## About Us

Dedicated to quality, reliability, and total customer satisfaction, Thunderstone Manufacturing, LLC has provided its customers with innovative and cutting-edge solutions for the agricultural and transportation industries. Today, Thunderstone is one of North America's largest producers of tarps and automated containment systems, and its products are sold and serviced through an extensive distribution network. Thunderstone is a privately-owned company in a state-of-the-art manufacturing facility over 54,000 square feet located in America's Heartland, Lincoln, Nebraska.

Since its founding in 2012, Thunderstone Manufacturing has been a leader bringing high quality products unmatched by the competition. Backed our peace of mind warranty, and 48-hour order to ship-to delivery time, customers know they are partnering with the premiere manufacturer.



# Thunderstone Manufacturing Key Business Highlights



## Lead Time

Guaranteed 48-hour order-to-ship delivery time! Thunderstone stocks its parts in large quantities at our facility to keep lead-times short, 1-5 working days for most parts. Our goal is to always have the part on the shelf for your service and over-the-counter parts requirements. Custom order can require longer lead times but will be address by our staff upon order placement, so you know what to expect.



## 24-Hour Shipping on Top Level Tarps

Thunderstone offers 24-hour shipping on our top 20 stocked tarps, black color only, with u-clamp kit. Order is available for shipping to dealer location or drop shipped directly to customer saving freight, time, and exchanging of hands when down in the field.



## Peace-of-Mind Warranty

We stand behind our products with the easiest warranty policy in the industry. We understand that things can happen however we like to get them resolved quick and easy. See the details of our complete warranty at the end of this packet.



## Industry Leader in Technology

Founded on over 135 years of knowledge in the agriculture and transportation industry, Thunderstone Manufacturing follows best practices, use of state-of-the-art technology, and engages in continued innovation. From the top executives to members of the production floor, everyone is empowered to keep our customers front of mind and ensure high standards are being met. By providing direct point-of-contact to all levels of the business, know that all your needs are filled!



## Customer Service/Technical Support

Dedicated team is ready to assist with your ordering needs! From questions on products, order status, and helping you find the best fit for the customers, Thunderstone is ready to help!



## Business to Business Only - Do Not Sell Direct

Thunderstone only sells through a select dealer network across North America with all dealer locations featured on our website. We look forward to partnering with like-minded companies to better serve the agriculture and transportation industries.

# Why Become A Thunderstone Dealer?

## Excellent Product Availability

Thunderstone stocks its parts in large quantities at our Lincoln, NE facility and your lead-times will be short, 1-5 working days for most parts. Our goal is to always have the part on the shelf for your service and over the counter part requirements. Custom orders can require longer lead times but will be addressed by our staff upon order placement, so you know what to expect. Built on Midwest pride, our team understands that quality and timely delivery goes a long way.

- 99% fill rate within 48 Hour Order to Ship Delivery Time
- Excludes items on back order & custom item orders



## Proven Track Record

### Quality

Only the best materials available are used to manufacture the highest quality products

### Consistency

Thoroughly testing products to meet the highest of standards to build confidence in our products.

## Marketing Support

- o New improved website to include listing on our Dealer Locator page on [Thunderstonemfg.com](http://Thunderstonemfg.com) leading to higher priority Google searches
- o Authorized dealer banners and added marketing support for trade shows
- o Product Literature along with collaboration for social media and advertising
- o Branding guidelines and logos
- o Investing in new Timpte Parts Center (TPC) and broadening products to help your business be successful

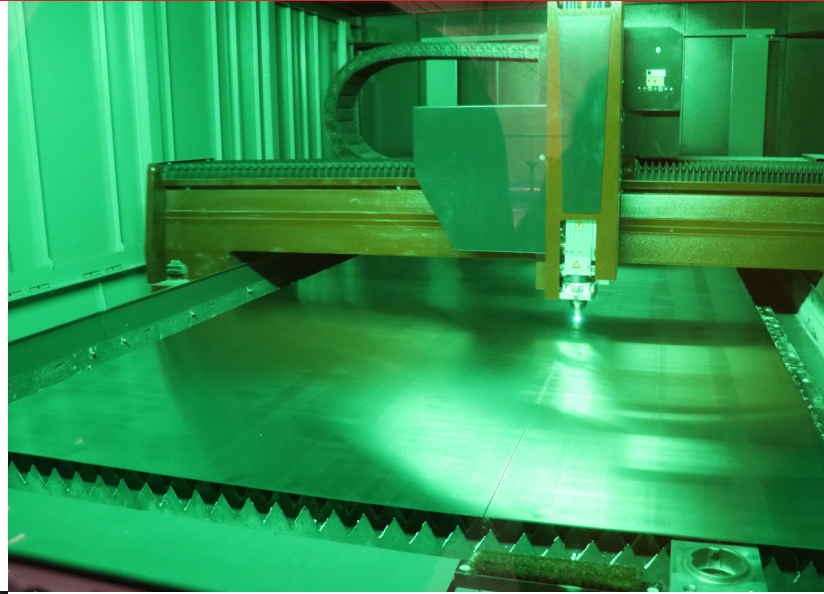


# What Makes Thunderstone an Industry Leader?

## New Product Development

### *Innovation*

Committed to continually improving our methods of production and bringing new products to the industry. Having our focus on the future ensures that you're going to be getting the best quality product and new cutting-edge product designs to sell backed by a warranty that's unmatched in the industry.



## High Quality Fabrication

Our investment in state-of-the-art machinery ensure our products meet the highest standards seen in the industry. Using only the best materials, and the best machines, we are able to hold product consistency that builds confidence in our offerings.

## Easy to do Business With

o Since its inception, Thunderstone has continued to not only improve our products, but its processes ensuring that our Dealers view our company as “easy to do business with”.

- Leadership and Direct Points of Contact
- Ordering is made simple. See next page.

o Please feel free to communicate directly with Thunderstone on any issues you have with quality, delivery, cost, or after sales support.



**Email Ordering Format:**

*Part Number - Brief Description - Quantity*

**You will receive a confirmation back on receipt of order within 24 hours**

**Shipping charges will be added to orders based on volumes and destination.**

**The “One Touch” technology is only available in the aftermarket. It cannot be sold to OEM’s.**

Please feel free to communicate directly with Thunderstone on any issues you have with quality, delivery, cost, or after sales support. We will be carrying these parts in large quantities at our Lincoln, NE facility and your lead-times will be short, 1-5 working days for most parts. Our goal is to always have the part on the shelf for your service and over the counter part requirements.

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## THUNDER 7000 POWER TARP SERIES

### TECHNOLOGY

- One-Touch™ Technology allows the operator to open and close the tarp system by measuring amperage load to a preset value. Start, stop, and reverse your tarp direction with one push of a button.
- Safety features include automatic remote shut-off after 5 minutes of inactivity.

### FEATURES & BENEFITS

- The 7000 series motor has a new sealed motor cover along with increased motor speed. 100% American Made Motor.
- Amp relay provides outstanding performance & displays easy-to-read diagnostic blink codes to keypad. Junction box is sealed and mounted on the backside of the nose panel and utilizes plug and play connections.
- Watertight keypad is low profile, easy to use, and is epoxy potted for a completely watertight keypad.
- Rear arm ball & socket handles the stress of the flexure of the roll pipe for a smoother roll.
- Easy motor disconnect is a single pin that can be disengaged in minutes for manual operation.
- The drive connection to the motor has HD aluminum adapter for increased reliability.
- First HD system on the market with modular HD polished aluminum arms.
- Hinge joint provides constant tarp tension during windy days and is adjustable for various load conditions.

## THUNDER 7000 POWER TARP SYSTEM

### Standard Mill Finish - 01



### Polished Aluminum - 02



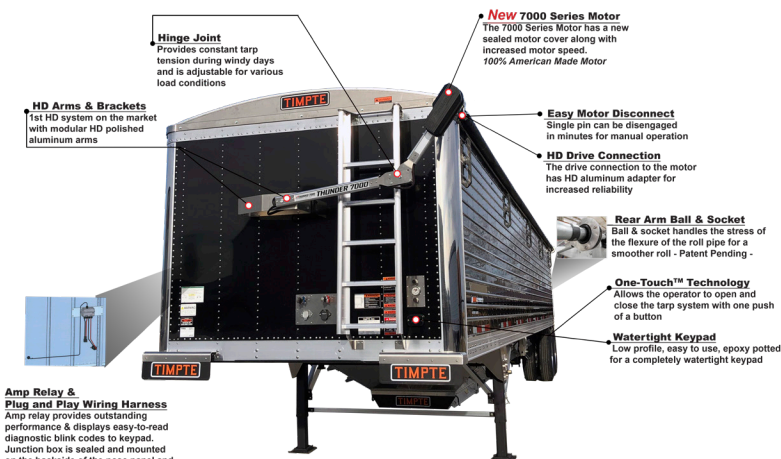
### Black - 03



### White - 04



### Hammered Gray - 05





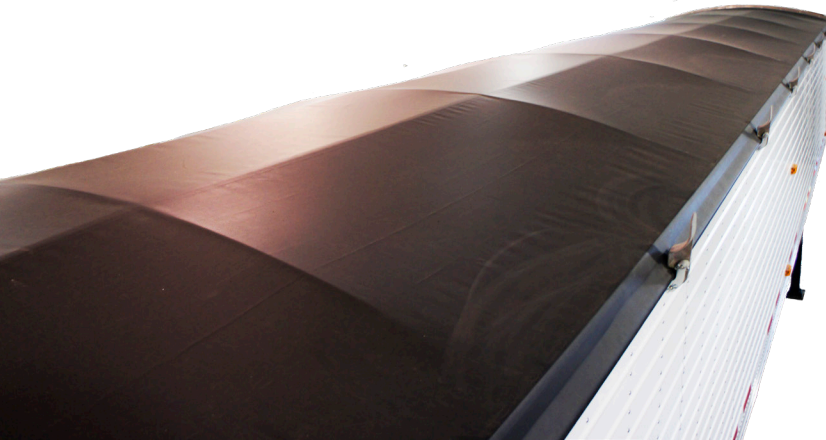
## THUNDER ARMOR TARP SERIES

### TARP FABRIC FEATURES

- Made of premium-grade Woven PVC coated fabric
- Built-in UV inhibitors to reduce cracking & fading
- Rot & mildew resistant
- Superior tear strength & abrasion resistant
- Puncture resistant (18oz: 185lbs / 22oz: 225lbs)
- -30 degree cold crack protection

### TARP ASSEMBLY

- All-welded tarp technology (no stitch assembly)
- Heat-welded seams add strength & thickness to high stress areas
- Precision cut by CNC machine



## ONE PIECE TARP

### FEATURES & BENEFITS

- Improved durability
- Seamless design
- Improved cosmetics - smoother appearance
- Faster open & close time

## CLEAN COAT TARP

### RECOMMENDED APPLICATIONS

- Any food-grade products
- Meat & bone meal
- Soybean Meal
- DDG (Dry Distiller Grain)
- Fertilizer







## **EZFLOW<sup>XR</sup>** Hydraulic Trap

### **EZ FLOW<sup>XR</sup> HYDRAULIC TRAP**

#### **FEATURES & BENEFITS**

- The operator can stay out of the dust by opening the traps from the cab of the truck, using the multi-function remote.
- Operates using a single 12 volt hydraulic motor
- Nylon protected hydraulic hoses and stainless steel fittings for increased durability
- No trap operator or motor to interfere with swing auger
- Easily control product flow by feathering the door open and close
- Heavy duty reinforcement brackets for hi-density commodities (Frac Sand)
- Hydraulic motor and reservoir are protected in the apex of the trailer
- Quick release emergency override
- Simple 3 button remote design with large easy-to-read buttons
- Multi-function remote programs up to 5 trailer accessories
- Easy to install



#### **EZ FLOW<sup>XR</sup> MANUAL OVERRIDE**

In the event of an emergency due to electrical or mechanical issues the EZ Flow<sup>XR</sup> doors can be easily converted into manual operation. The emergency manual override utilizes quick release pins and straps to open the door. This new override system is not only easy to use, but provides additional ground clearance compared to previous override systems.

#### **MANUAL OVERRIDE INCLUDES**

- (2) Pre-Slotted Cross-Shaft
- (2) Straps with Hooks
- (1) Strap Enclosure with Bracket
- (4) Cross-Shaft Mounts
- (4) Composite Brushing with SS Housing Mounting Hardware

### **OTHER TRAILER ACCESSORIES AVAILABLE**

# PEACE-OF-MIND WARRANTY

## General Return Policy

All products sold and shipped\* from Thunderstone Manufacturing may be returned within 30 days of receiving it. All product(s) returned must be in original packaging, including all items originally packaged with the product (documentation, user's manual, accessories, etc). All products are subject to a 20% re-stocking fee. After 30 days all purchases are final.

\*General return policy excludes all custom tarps or product(s).

## ITEMS THAT ARE DEFECTIVE, DAMAGED IN SHIPPING, OR INCORRECT

If your item(s) is defective, is not the item you ordered, or was damaged in shipping you may return your item(s) to Thunderstone Manufacturing. You will be entitled to a full refund or replacement, which will then be credited back to your original method of payment only. If the return is a result of our error, defective materials, or damaged during shipping, you will not be charged for return shipping.

## SHIPPING

All orders are shipped F.O.B. from Thunderstone Manufacturing, LLC, Lincoln, NE. All shipments are made by most reasonable means in accordance with size and weight of order. Other shipping arrangements may be made, but must accompany sales order.

## WARRANTY CLAIM & POLICY

Thunderstone Manufacturing warrants each product to be free from defects in material and workmanship for a period of times set forth in the warranty table listed below. During this period of time, if a customer is unable to resolve a product problem and Thunderstone Customer Service determines the product to be defective, a Return Goods Authorization (RGA) will be issued. Follow receipt of an RGA number, the customer may be asked to return the product to Thunderstone Manufacturing, freight prepaid. This warranty is voided if the customer uses the product in an unauthorized or improper way, or in an environment for which it was not designed. This warranty is applicable to the first purchaser only.

## Thunderstone Warranty Categories

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION	WARRANTY COVERAGE
Thunder Power Tarp 7000 Series Kit	4 Year Motor / 3 Year Component Parts
EZ Flow Hydraulic Trap Kit	3 Year Component Parts / 1 Year Hoses & Cylinders
Thunderstone Tarps	1 Year Parts Only
Thunderstone Mesh Tarps	90 Days Parts Only
All Remaining Catalog Items	90 Days Parts Only
Thunder 7000 Upgrade Kit	1 Year Parts Only

Please have the following items ready prior to submitting a warranty claim - original receipt, serial number(s) (if applicable), and photos of defective product.

To file a claim or if have any questions concerning warranty, contact the Thunderstone Manufacturing Customer Service Department.

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## Thunderstone Manufacturing, LLC Discretion

Thunderstone Manufacturing, LLC reserves the right to deny any returned item(s)

Note: All Prices in this catalog are subject to change without notice.

\* 99% Fill Rate within 48 Hours excludes items on back order & special item orders