

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

MASCHIO GASPARDO S.P.A.	)	
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Plaintiff / Counterdefendant,	)	
	)	
v.	)	C.A. No. 22-1394 (RGA) (JLH)
	)	
PRECISION PLANTING, LLC	)	
	)	
Defendant / Counterclaimant.	)	

CLAIM CONSTRUCTION ORDER

Pursuant to the Court’s rulings during the November 6, 2023 Claim Construction Hearing and the Court’s November 27, 2023 Memorandum Opinion (D.I. 70), the Court orders that certain claim terms appearing in the Asserted Patents in this case, U.S. Patent No. 8,770,121 (“the ’121 patent”) and U.S. Patent No. RE47,447 (“the ’447 patent”), are construed as set forth below:

Claim Term	Asserted Claims	Construction
“fixed portion”	’121 patent, claims 1–3, 8 and 10–12	portion of the housing that is fixed to the framework of the sowing elements
“movable portion”	’121 patent, claims 1–3, 8 and 10–12	portion of the housing that is movable relative to the portion that is fixed to the framework of the sowing elements
“transmission drive shaft”	’121 patent, claims 1–3, 8 and 10–12	plain and ordinary meaning
“thrust-bearing element”	’121 patent, claims 1–3, 8 and 10–12	element that supports against axial load
“thrust-bearing plate”	’121 patent, claims 1–3, 8 and 10–12	plate that supports against axial load

Claim Term	Asserted Claims	Construction
“supported rotatably in the movable portion in order to withstand at least some of the axial load produced by the disc on the seal”	’121 patent, claims 1–3, 8 and 10–12	plain and ordinary meaning
“singulator”	’447 patent, claim 12	plain and ordinary meaning, which is “structure that is designed to accurately dispense one seed and one seed only at the proper timing”

Further, the parties previously agreed that, as used in certain asserted claims of the ’121 patent, the following term has the following meaning, which is hereby adopted by the Court:

Claim Term	Asserted Claims	Construction
“plate”	’121 patent, claims 3, 4, 6	plain and ordinary meaning, which is “generally flat surface”

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SO ORDERED this 29th day of November, 2023.

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THE HONORABLE RICHARD G. ANDREWS
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE