

# #9 BLADE UPGRADE

#### **FACT SHEET**

Agrowplow's #9 blade has been available for four years. The most popular variant (part no. 122-1005) features both tungsten tile and hardfacing in order to grant additional durability and lifespan to the blade.

We have recently completed upgrading the blade design, which will soon be available for purchase. The improved design offers greater durability and enhances the blade's ability to withstand tough conditions. Our own testing has shown the upgraded blade offers a significantly longer lifespan than the current blade.

## **Key Facts**

- Rock teeth on the leading edge break up large obstacles in the path of the shank such as soil clods, rocks, and tree stumps.
- The tungsten tile has been rearranged on the upper surface of the blade and has been enhanced to a higher grade. These tiles capture passing soil to create a protective barrier around the blade, and the enhanced strength makes it less likely to chip or crack.
- **Additional hardfacing** across the remaining surfaces offer even more durability.

#### Release Date

A free blade has been sent to select customers as part of our final testing and feedback cycle. This final stage will last throughout February, with the new blade being available at the end of February 2019.

### Suitable Machines

The improved blade is suitable for #9 shank-compatible machines: the AP51, 71, 81, & 91, as well as any hybrid shank machines.

## What Happens to the Old Blade

The improved #9 blade replaces the current top-tier offering. Additionally, the plain #9 blade will be withdrawn from sale due low sales and limited usefulness.

- Part no. 122-1005 **replaced** with new part no. 122-1014
- Part no. 122-1008 withdrawn from sale.

We have an informational video available on our YouTube channel for more information. We are also working on a similar upgrade for the #8 shank blade, which we expect to release before mid-year.



