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Greenlee Adds To New Hand Tool Line

Nearly 100 new tools feature molded or dripped grip handles, metrics, and even a bottle opener

ROCKFORD, Ill. September 5, 2007 —Greenlee, a Textron Inc. (NYSE: TXT) company, recently expanded its line of professional hand tools with the addition of nearly 100 new tools. Hand tools with molded or dripped grip handles, metrics, and even a bottle opener highlight the new product offering. This compliments the company's initial new line of hand tools that was launched early in 2007. The entire line can be viewed at www.greenlee.com.

"We felt it was important to important to incorporate the new hand tools with these specific features into the line to meet the needs of our customers," said Brian Allison, Senior Product Manager.

Greenlee hand tools with molded or dripped grip handles include a high leverage side-cutting grip pliers with stripping hole, dipped grip adjustable wrenches, and pliers. Several new hand tools designed for metric use and include a 9-piece folding hex-key metric set, combination ratcheting metric wrench, a 21-piece metric tools kit, and a metric tape measure.

Rounding out the new line of hand tools is a straight claw hammer, heavy-duty crank action screwdriver, stubby square-recess tip driver, multi-cable cutter, plastic pipe cutter, Irrigation Tool Kit and a bottle opener.

For more information on the new screw and nut drivers and specialty drivers or other products from Greenlee, a Textron company, call 1-800-435-0786 or visit www.greenlee.com.

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