

# Robot Technology

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of turf care

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ROBOTICS



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### Centaur Asia Pacific partners with ECHO Robotics

Listening to the requests of turf managers in the golf and sports industry to become carbon neutral, Centaur Asia Pacific formed a partnership with ECHO Robotics, a global leader in commercial robotic mowing and golf-ball picking for sport fields and driving ranges.

The ECHO Robotics range is completely autonomous, quiet in operation and, most importantly, they are 100% emission-free. This matches Centaur's mission to become as environmental-friendly as possible and to have a green approach. We now have the best solutions for automatic ball picking and mowing at driving ranges that allows turf managers to re-allocate their labour as well as creating a better experience for customers.

Robotic mowers and golf ball-pickers are already in use by thousands of professionals at sportclubs and driving ranges and are working in complex public and private facilities in Europe. It is Centaur Asia Pacific's goal to introduce the ECHO Robotics to Asia. Centaur Asia Pacific is the ECHO Robotic distributor in numerous Asian countries (Hong Kong, Macau, Singapore, Vietnam, Cambodia, Thailand, and Malaysia)



TM-1050 GPS-RTK



**Safety:** 5 sonars



**Mowing capacity:** up to 45,000 m<sup>2</sup>



**Cutting:** 3 independent floating heads



TM-2050 GPS-RTK



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**Mowing capacity:** up to 75,000 m<sup>2</sup>



**Cutting:** 5 independent floating heads



RangePicker  
RP-1250 GPS-RTK



**Safety:** 4 sonars



**Operating area:** up to 35,000 m<sup>2</sup>



**Efficiency:** 13 collecting discs

### Unloading the balls

In just a few seconds, the balls are emptied into the retrieval ditch.



# Benefits

## Your four main exclusive benefits



### 50 % more savings than conventional mowing

Quality conventional mowing requires a considerable amount of labour, regular maintenance of the equipment and energy costs. None of this is needed with ECHO Robotics robots. They work independently and tirelessly, are made of robust materials and only need the electricity needed to recharge them.

What more can you ask for?



### Labour optimised to the maximum

Day and night, the ECHO Robotics robot mowers run their program at any time to maintain the perfect result. **You will benefit from a workforce that is very economical, available 24/7 and which performs with quality.**

This allows both you and your team to concentrate on other tasks. With our automowers to support you.



### Perfect turf, uniform grass

**Nothing is more pleasant than to be able to show healthy, impeccably mown grass to your visitors and players.**

ECHO Robotics automatic lawn mowers are fitted with floating heads and stainless steel blades that cope perfectly with any unevenness of the ground.

It is an unrivalled technology that maintains your turf and by extension, your reputation. They will admire and talk about your grounds.



### 90 % reduction in CO2 emissions, to ensure sustainability

You can dispense with using excessive chemical fertilisers, waste management for grass cuttings and lawns that are not weather-resistant. The result of mowing carried out by ECHO Robotics smart lawn mowers is 100 % natural, because they are fitted with blades that ensure perfect mulching, which means fertilising your grounds, while drastically limiting evaporation.

**This is a technology that ties in with ECHO Robotics' responsible, global approach to the long term.**

And if the future were simply to be green?

# Uncompromising operation and technology

## The robust materials guarantee this resistance

Echorobotics units were not just developed for home use. They are designed to carry out work professionals for several years.

All materials and components are selected and tested in the more severe conditions, corresponding to the real conditions of terrain, and in even more rigorous ways.

The robot will resist any weather event and others conditions without any risk.

LiFePO4 batteries mounted on Echorobotics robots are the most powerful in the world in their respective category. They take less charging time and ensure a long period of use. Perhaps the best ever.

## Safe charging station

The ECHO Robotics automatic lawn mowers are programmed to charge their batteries whenever necessary. This is a process that can be carried out flawlessly thanks to a charging arm positioned at 45° and a completely safe low voltage power supply. Robot mowers connect to the charging station in automatic mode.

## WISENAV wireless technology

Thanks to the brand new WISENAV navigation system, you can forget about installing the cable perimeter, all you need is a virtual border to delimit the robot's area of action.

With WISENAV you can check the area and the pattern of cutting that you prefer in a comfortable and quick way remotely thanks to the smartphone App or web portal. In addition to the virtual border it is possible to define the "NoGO-zones", i.e. the areas that do not require the robot to pass. WISENAV technology is available and implementable for all GPS-RTK robots.

## Multiple safety systems

The ECHO Robotics robot mowers are fitted with sonars and sensors allowing them to detect obstacles, touching them at very low speed. Front bumper's built-in sensors gather cartography elements. Your equipment and your visitors will remain safe.

The cutting blades are equipped with protective deflectors. And if the robot mower is lifted, the rotation of the blades stops immediately. You can be assured that we have thought of everything.

## Anti-theft system and warning in case of malfunction

If the robot lawn mower is lifted or overturned, it immediately stops working.

Built-in GPS and dedicated apps will warn all allowed entities, from user to ourselves at ECHO Robotics, through dealer and distributor. And, of course, GPS will do a great deal in retrieving the robot. A reassuring point and, in fact, our robots being quite specific, they are no designated preys to the illegal market, as extremely low figures show.

## Clean cutting and 100 % natural fertilisation

Grass can grow at up to 4 - 8 cm a week. The ECHO Robotics robot mowers are programmed to obtain constant and effective mulching. Depending on the program chosen, the total area of your field will be mown at least 3 to 5 times a week.

The vegetable matter from mulching will fertilise the soil in a 100 % natural way, while slowing evaporation. The turf will be in top condition and you can say goodbye to weeds.

## Slopes of up to 45%

ECHO Robotics robots are fitted with anti-slip wheels controlled by a powerful motor

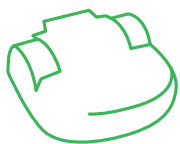
This guarantees efficient operation even on damp ground or on a 30% slope, of 45% if the slope upgrade kit is provided.

## Silent operation

ECHO Robotics robots provide acoustic comfort. They are almost inaudible from tens of meters away (maximum 52 dB A), so mowing can be done overnight and on Sundays.

## For any time - ECHO Robotics automowers never stop

Appropriate programming and durable materials allow continuous outdoor operation in any atmospheric condition.



# TM-1050 GPS-RTK

Endurance in green spaces



**The TM-1050 GPS-RTK is the automatic lawn robot best suited to individuals and public bodies and businesses that manage green spaces up to 45,000 m<sup>2</sup>**

The TM-1050 GPS-RTK takes care of maintaining your grounds completely autonomously.

Prepare to save more time and money than ever before.

The time has come for you to delegate.

## Both day and night

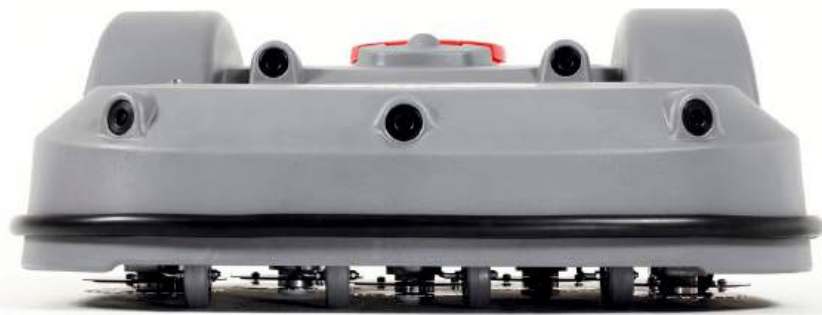
The TM-1050 GPS-RTK is fitted with three floating cutting heads that adapt instantly to the ground elevation. All in all, it is these 9 stainless steel blades that ensure impeccable constant mulching. The TM-1050 GPS-RTK is also fitted with sonars to detect any unexpected obstacle and stop operating instantly.

**Permanent quality mowing, without disruptive noise.  
A cutting width of 63.3 cm (24.90 inches) for uniform mowing.**



# TM-2050 GPS-RTK

The undisputed all-terrain champion



## The TM-2050 GPS-RTK is the world's best-performing robotic mower

It is capable of maintaining up to 75,000 m<sup>2</sup> of lawn, which means it has ambition.

The TM-2050 GPS-RTK is recommended for sports pitches, driving ranges, public spaces or private estates.

It is up to the challenge.

## Uncompromised cutting method

The TM-2050 GPS-RTK is fitted with five floating heads that adapt instantly to the ground elevation. A total of 15 stainless steel blades provide perfect, constant mulching. Fitted with five sonars, the automower will instantly deactivate its cutting system if it encounters an unexpected obstacle.

**A cutting width of 103 cm (40.7 inches) for uniform, safe working.**



### Electricity costs:

Extreme low energy consumption  
(830 kWh / year)



### Safety:

5 sonars

## Smart Mowing

The TM-2050 GPS-RTK works completely autonomously in all the zones.

Its activity remains quiet (max 52 dB A), and it is logged on so its productivity can be controlled and adjusted if necessary.

The charging at a low voltage station is entirely automatic and safe.

**A durable mow with average annual energy consumption of barely 830 kWh.**

### The robot is now able to:

1. Mow the lawn in a precise pattern, avoiding overlap in the areas already treated
2. Cover a larger surface area in a systematic way
3. Ensure maximum discretion during the job, can be scheduled depending of your needs
4. Triple cutting capacity, it is able to treat larger surfaces in lesser time with GPS-RTK technology
5. The robot uses GPS signal to approach the charging station and optimize travel times
6. Arrange for more fields to be mowed with GPS-RTK technology
7. Communicate the robot exact position and any alarms in real time
8. Be configured remotely via App
9. Work all year round, days and nights
10. Ensure greater resistance over time



### Cutting method

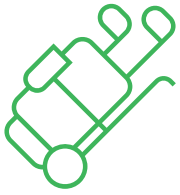
5 independent floating heads



### Mowing capacity:

up to 75,000 m<sup>2</sup>

\*compared with a diesel ride-on mower



# RP-1250 GPS-RTK Rangepicker

Automate ball collection on the driving range



## The dream team for greenkeepers

A nurtured driving range commands the respect of players and guarantees the image of the club. It is therefore necessary to organise a regular golf course mowing system combined with efficient ball collection.

This is the role of the robots: while the ECHO Robotics Mower maintains the grass, the Rangepicker takes care of collecting the balls.

**So, the robots free up your staff to perform various other tasks. Furthermore, the players will be able to continue their course unhindered in a quality, innovative club.**

## Simplify your life by delegating

- Reduced labour or devoted to other activities
- Continuous ball collection: working autonomously with automatic charging
- Endurance: 24/7 in all seasons
- An ideal combination with TM-2050 GPS-RTK and other ECHO Robotics robots





## The Rangepicker method

The RP-1250 with GPS-RTK technology is the first ball catcher capable of work as efficiently as possible.

GPS-RTK technology allows the robot to follow a defined collection pattern, optimizing the working times and all without disturbing the players on the Driving Range.

## Performance and connectivity

The Rangepicker is a technological marvel. It manages areas of 30,000 or even 35,000 m<sup>2</sup> thanks to its collection width of 95.6 cm (37.60 inches).

For each cycle, it can absorb an average of 300 balls on golf courses that have a slope of up to 30 %, and detecting obstacles by sonars. A complete charging of its LiFePO<sub>4</sub> type batteries takes barely 80 minutes.

**For the sake of connectivity, the Rangepicker can be integrated into your fleet that you can remotely control.**

- Management via an app for tablet and smartphone
- Anti-theft solution for geofencing alert
- Maintenance history for guaranteed proactivity

## Quiet running and ball protection

What would you say to owning quiet-running equipment to obtain a more effective result?

The "Golf" TM-2050 GPS-RTK can mow golf driving ranges without destroying balls due to patented protection discs which keeps the balls away from the cutting blades. This is a world exclusive.

The Rangepicker is virtually inaudible from a few metres away (max. 52 dB) and does not cause any disturbance. Thanks to its limited weight (72 kg), it never pushes balls into the ground.

You will therefore benefit from an exclusive and patented collection system that recovers all the balls and then takes care of them.

- Works quietly and with a cruising speed of 3.6 km/h
- Saves thousands of balls that are always recovered
- Robust equipment and patented collection system

## Respect the environment and take a sustainable approach

Golf and nature are, of course, inextricably linked.

The ECHO Robotics robots have a low electrical consumption (580 kWh/year on average) and have 10 times lower CO2 emission than equivalent combustion engine machines.

**With the combination of TM-2050 GPS-RTK Mower and RP-1250 GPS-RTK Rangepicker enable the spreading of chemical fertiliser to be reduced significantly and for balls to be collected efficiently, without practically any human intervention.**

- Releases 10 x lower CO2 emissions\*
- No noise disruption: maximum 52 dB A
- Sustainability policy for the club

## Working at night and in multiple zones

By day, the Rangepicker works at full capacity according to the density of balls to be collected. At night, it can continue and bridge any delay which would have been caused by a period of too great accumulation.

**Even stronger: the multiple zone program. In peak periods, it concentrates exclusively on zones where the density of balls is the greatest.**

In a second phase, the robot will proceed with collecting balls in the other zones. It is you that decides.



\*compared with a diesel ride-on mower



# WISENAV technology

Forget about the perimeter wire



## Wireless Satellite Exact NAVigation

**ECHO now offers its new WISENAV system for all GPS-RTK models.**

Thanks to the WISENAV system,

for now a virtual border will be drawn around the installation to delimit the robot's action area, and removes the need for burying a perimeter wire around the robot's working area.

With WISENAV you can control the working area and the cutting pattern that you prefer in a fast and comfortable way from the smartphone App and from web portal remotely.

In addition to the virtual border it is also possible to define the NoGO zones, i.e. the areas that do not require the passage of the robot.

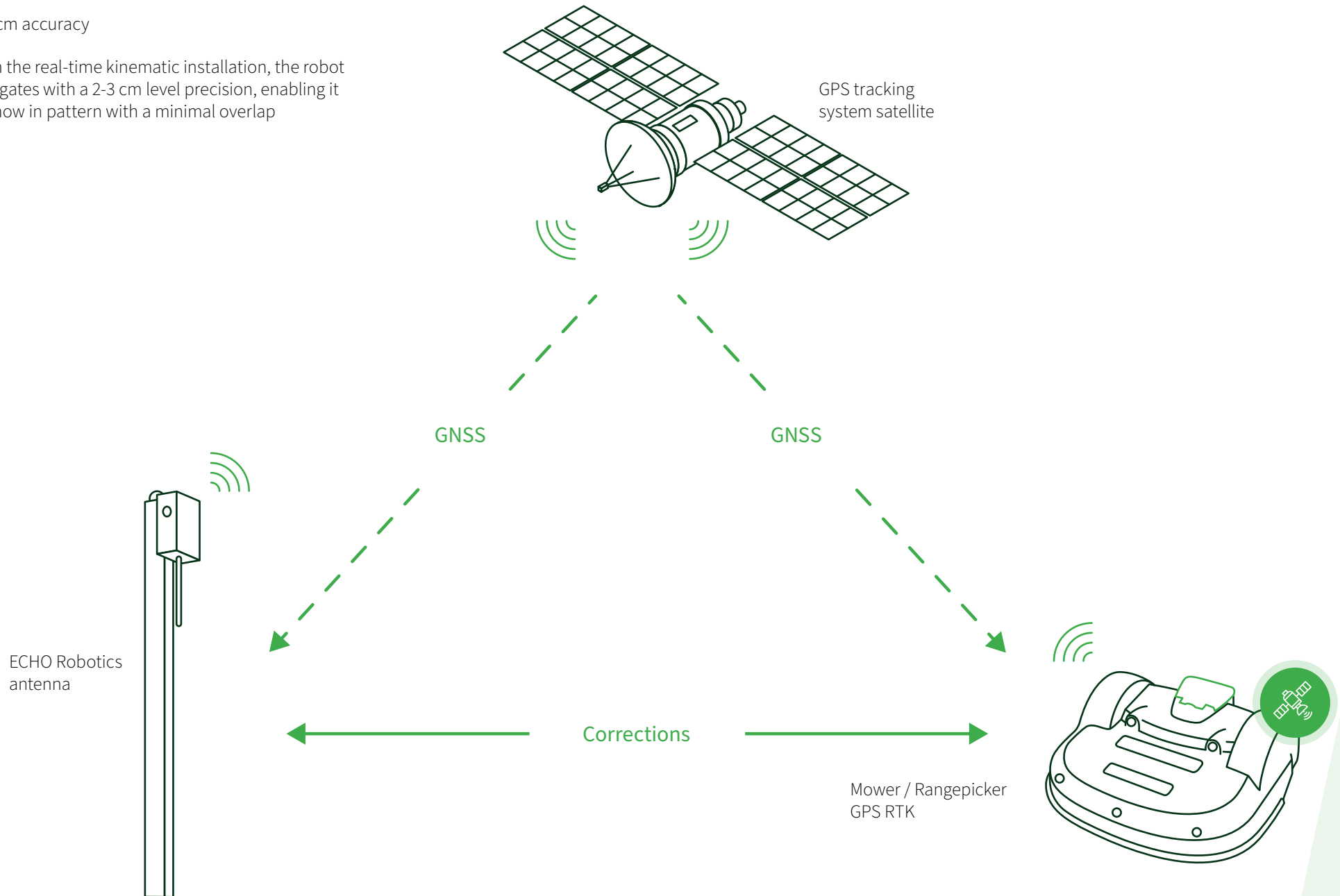
## The robot is now able to:

- **Mow in a pattern mode:** say goodbye to random lines, your field can now be mown in straight lines.
- **Triple the mowing capacity:** with its cutting edge new technology, the robot's performance is enhanced, it takes less time to mow entirely a sport field, leaving the pitch available for the players for a longer period, the single machine can now take care of more areas.
- **Enhance its ball collecting capacity:** with the pattern mode, the Rangepicker is now able to collect and navigate to the drop pit in a much faster mode.

## The GPS RTK Process

2-3 cm accuracy

With the real-time kinematic installation, the robot navigates with a 2-3 cm level precision, enabling it to mow in pattern with a minimal overlap





# Online services

## Web interface & App

### An unrivalled experience for users

The ECHO Robotics portal and app work in parallel.

To serve you even better. Thanks to them, your personal login gives access to new features that are unique on the market: modify the settings and deal with notifications remotely, geolocate and filter according to your criteria, and obtain technical support from your dealer remotely and in real time...

### Customized experience

In addition to the offline features, you can benefit from advanced features. ECHO Robotics offers you two types of subscription: Basic and Premium.



#### Offline offering

ECHO Robotics guarantees software updates during technical maintenance operations.

**Free**



#### Basic Offering

The ideal formula for users who want to make the most of remote control of their Connected Line.

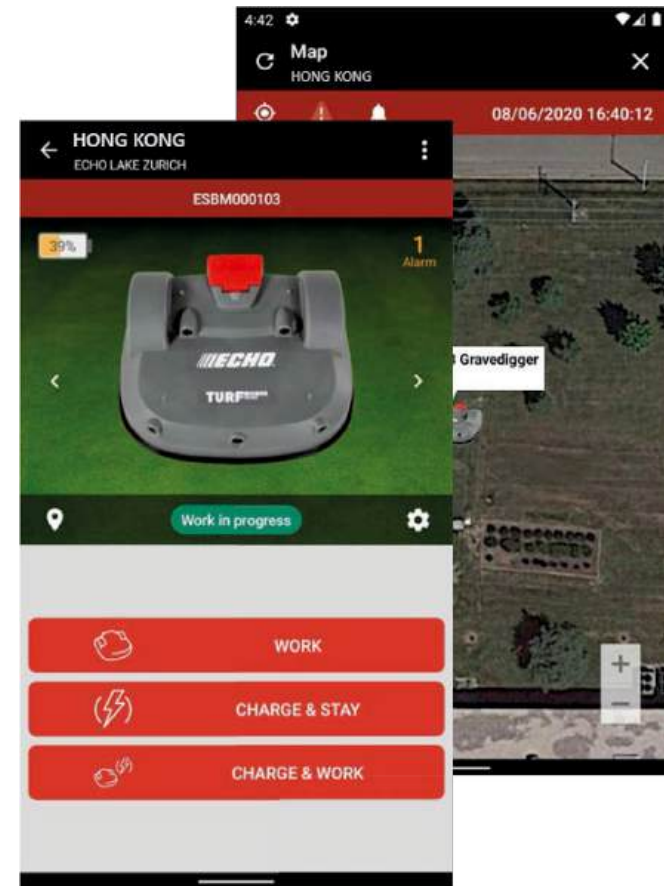
**Request to quote / year**



#### Premium offering

The most complete package on the market for demanding professional users: fleet management and remote support.

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# Robotic Mowers

## Specifications

| MODEL                                      | MOWER<br><b>TM-2050</b><br>GPS RTK | MOWER<br><b>TM-1050</b><br>GPS RTK | RANGEPICKER<br><b>RP-1250</b><br>GPS RTK | COMMENTS   |
|--|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|--|
| <b>CAPACITY</b>                            |                                    |                                    |  |  |
| Maximum working area (m <sup>2</sup> )     | Mowing: 75,000                     | Mowing: 45,000                     | 35,000                                   | Depends on the fertilization and watering of the lawn. The presence of obstacles and slopes reduces capacity |
| Recommended working area (m <sup>2</sup> ) | Mowing: 55,000                     | Mowing: 35,000                     | 30,000                                   |  |
| # sports pitches / robot                   | 1-5                                | 1-3                                | -  | Depends on scheduled use of the pitch, as well as fertilization and watering of the lawn.                    |
| Mowing / picking Width (cm (/inch))        | 103.3 cm (40.77 inches)            | 63.3 cm (24.90 inches)             | 95.6 cm (37.60 inches)                   |  |
| Speed (km/h)                               | 3.6                                | 2.8                                | 3.6                                      |  |
| Standard maximum slope                     | 30%                                | 35%                                | 30%                                      |  |
| Maximum slope with option (Kit)            | 45%                                | -                                  | -  | 45% with Optional slope kit  |
| Basket capacity                            | -                                  | -                                  | 270-300 balls                            |  |
| <b>CUTTING / PICKING</b>                   |                                    |                                    |  |  |
| # Mowing Heads                             | 5                                  | 3                                  | -  |  |
| # Blades                                   | 15                                 | 9                                  | -  |  |
| Lowest cut (mm) minimum                    | 15                                 | 15                                 | -  | ^ 15mm with Optional cutting disc (not available for driving range)  |
| Highest cut (mm) maximum                   | 100                                | 100                                | -  |  |
| Cutting height setting                     | Electronic                         | Electronic                         | -  |  |
| Max Noise (dB)                             | 52 at 1m                           | 52 at 1m                           | 61 at 1m,<br>52 at 5m                    |  |
| <b>BATTERY</b>                             |                                    |                                    |  |  |
| Battery Type                               | LiFePo4                            | LiFePo4                            | LiFePo4                                  |  |
| Standard Battery capacity (Ah)             | 19.2                               | 19.2                               | 19.2                                     |  |
| Battery tension (V)                        | 26.4                               | 26.4                               | 25.6                                     |  |
| Average charging time (min)                | 80                                 | 80                                 | 80                                       | 1-year-old battery at 15°C   |
| Average mowing duration per charging cycle | 110                                | 280                                | 240                                      | 1-year-old battery at 15°C   |
| Optional more powerful batteries (Ah)      | -                                  | -                                  | -  |  |
| Average yearly consumption (kWh)           | 830                                | 580                                | 620                                      |  |

| MODEL   | MOWER<br>TM-2050<br>GPS RTK                                   | MOWER<br>TM-2050<br>GPS RTK                                   | RANGEPICKER<br>RP-1250<br>GPS RTK | COMMENTS  |
|---|---|---|-----------------------------------|---|
| <b>WEIGHT AND DIMENSIONS</b>                  |   |   |                                   |   |
| Weight (kg)                                   | 71.9  | 52.9  | 72 (empty)<br>85 (full)           |   |
| Dimensions ((L)ength × (W)idth × (h)eight) cm | 111x127x51  | 100x104x46  | 118x134x54                        |   |
| <b>SOFTWARE AND MONITORING</b>                |   |   |                                   |   |
| Pin Code security                             | Yes   | Yes   | Yes                               | Keyboard locked by Pin code   |
| GPS Localization                              | Standard  | Standard  | Standard                          | Localization of the robot by GPS in case of theft.  |
| Server and App for robot management           | Standard  | Standard  | Standard                          | Remote control of the robot via an App and a web interface.   |
| <b>INTELLIGENCE</b>                           |   |   |                                   |   |
| Sonar for obstacle detection.                 | 5 Sonar units<br>Detection at diameter<br>7 cm x 40 cm height | 5 Sonar units<br>Detection at diameter<br>7 cm x 30 cm height | 4                                 | The robot detects obstacles by means of its sonar units, slows down, touches the obstacle gently, manoeuvres and leaves in another direction. |
| Economy adapted mowing                        | Standard  | Standard  | -                                 | The robot detects when the grass is not growing by the resistance on the mowing heads. It then skips one or more mowing cycles.               |
| Back to station via GPS                       | Yes   | Yes   | Yes                               | In open spaces only   |
| Multiple Starting Zone                        | Yes   | Yes   | Yes                               | Possibility to program the start of mowing at different parts of the ground   |
| Multi-terrain                                 | Option  | Option  | Yes, more than 2                  | Possibility to program the robot to work on several adjacent terrains   |
| Multirobot                                    | Yes   | Yes   | Yes                               | Possibility of working with several robots on a single ground<br>Rangepicker: maximum 2 robots using the drop pit station                     |
| <b>SECURITY</b>                               |   |   |                                   |   |
| Lift sensors                                  | Yes   | Yes   | No                                | The robot stops immediately when lifted   |
| Reverse sensors                               | -   | -   | Yes                               | Rangepicker: causes the robot to change direction   |
| Tilt sensors                                  | -   | -   | Yes                               | Rangepicker: causes the robot to stop when lifted more than 41°   |
| Rear silent blocks                            | Yes   | Yes   | -                                 | When the cover is being pushed by an obstacle, the robot will manoeuvre and leave in another direction  |
| Safety bumper                                 | Electronic  | Electronic  | Electronic                        | Manoeuvres at 200 N for the electric bumper   |
| Deflectors on cutting head                    | External heads  | -   | -                                 |   |



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