# Who made what?

I am making this document available just for reference purposes because non-Case questions do come up about other brands. So, here is a list of who makes what brand of tractor.

AGCO or AGCO-ALLIS or ALLIS - CHALMERS were all made by Simplicity but Simplicity was owned by Allis from 1965 to 1985

ARIENS CORP: ARIEN'S Brand GRAVELY as of 1982 NATIONAL MOWER as of 2006 LOCKE as of 2006
EVERRIDE as of 2007
GREATDANE as of 2007 prior owned
JOHN DEERE
STENS PARTS
BYNORM PARTS

Arien's in the past has made Tractors under the SPERRY NEW HOLLAND name and snow blower and tillers under the JOHN DEERE name as well as snow blowers under the MAC name.

**BOLENS:** 

Prior ownership

BOLENS

**AMF** 

TROY-BILT

MTD as of 2002

CASE:

Bought out COLT in 1964 1983 was sold to Jack INGERSOLL **CRAFTSMAN:** 

Manufactures of Craftsman products

DAVID BRADLEY

**ROPER** 

**MTD** 

**MURRAY** 

**AYP** 

CUB CADET as of 2009
ARIENS
BOBCAT MOVER
SINGER

SIMPLICITY

CUB CADE

I.H. CUB

MTD CUB

LAWN BOY AND TORO made products in the past under I.H. CUB CADET label snow blowers from TORO

and push mowers from LAWNBOY

DEUTZ-ALLIS Outdoor products:

Made by SIMPLICITY

**DYNAMARK:** 

Made by AMF & MURRAY

**ECONOMY:** 

OR JIM DANDY & POWER KING

FORD Outdoor power:

Made by JACOBSON, GILSON &

TORO/WHEELHORSE

. GIBSON TRACTOR

GIBSON.

**GIERE:** 

MOUNTAINEER 1&2

GILSON!

GILSON

MONTGOMERY WARDS

LAWN BOY

**GRAVELY CORP:** 

Prior Ownership

**GRAVELY** 

#### **STUDEBAKER**

Studebaker-Worthington 1982 Sold to Ariens. Currently imports of Rapid tractors

### **HOMELITE:**

Prior makers of the Tractor

**SIMPLICITY** 

**JACOBSON** 

Asset sold to JOHN DEERE IN THE 1990'S Original name of the JOHN

DEERE SABRE was going to be

**DEERELITE** 

Currently own by a Korean manufacturing company\

HONDA outdoor power:

**HONDA** 

JOHN DEERE in the 1990'S produced certain models under the Honda Label HONDA lawn tractors now sold overseas not in U.S.

**HUSQVARNA** former owners

**ELECTROLUX** 

Brands produced by HUSQVARNA

**HUSQVARNA** 

AYP

**CRAFTSMAN** 

**POLUAN** 

POLUAN PRO
WEEDEATER
YAZOO-KEE
JOHANSON
BLACK MAX sold at SAM'S CLUB

RYOBI sold at NOMEDEPOT.

INGERSOLE

Prior and current owners

**COLT** 

**CASE** 

JACK INGERSOLL

**ROTHBERGER-GROUP** 

EASTMAN INDUSTRIES as of APRIL

2006

JACOBSON JACOBSON TEXTRON

JOHN DEERE JOHN DEERE SABO

SABRE became the L & LA 100 SERIES on a new frame made at JD plant in Tn.

SCOTTS After 1998 made on same frame as Sabre

One Craftsman lawn tractor in 1990's based on saber lawn tractor.

KUBOTA GORP:

LAWNBOY prior owners and today's owners
LAWNBOY
GISON
TORO as of 1990

MASSEY FERGUSON outdoor power

**AMF** 

**SNAPPER** 

**INGERSOLL** 

**SIMPLICITY** 

MTD BRAND'S:

**MTD** 

MTD PRO

BOLENS as of 2001

WHITE OUTDOOR as of 1981

YARDMAN as of 1975

MASSEY-FERCESON in Europe AS

OF 2006

LAWNFL

COLUMBIA

TORO tractors as of 2007

TROY-BILT as of 2001

CUB CADET AS OF April 1981.

SCOTTS all wheel steer tractors

MURRAY Prior and today's owners:

**MURRAY UNTIL 1993** 

TOMKINS 1993 TO 2004 Noma products was bought then as well BRIGGS & STRATTON AS OF 2004 to present

After MTD made Scotts tractor
MURRAY made them for
HOMEDEPOT until 1998 when JOHN
DEERE took over production from the
1999 year

They also produced the SPANLY BRAND as well as Dynamark & Noma

NEW HOLLAND outdoor products: produced by

ARIENS

TORO/WHEELHORSE

POLUAN & POLAUN PRO produced by

**ELECTROLUX/AYP** 

AS OF 2007 Husqvarna is the parent company

POWER KING produce by and produced for

(JIM DANDY/ECONOMY)

POWERKING produced Garden tractors for SNAPPER IN THE MID TO LATE 1990'S

ASSESTS OF POWER KING where bought by YAZOO-KEY

ROPER brands produced

**ROPER** 

**CRAFTSMEN** 

**RALLY** 

**POULAN** 

HUSQVARNA

BECAME AYP IN 1990'S

Bought by Electrolux in 1990's

Now under Husqvarna label.

SABO: Made by

JOHN DEERE IN Germany on the

SABRE frame orange is the color

SABRE made by JOHN DEERE ON late 1980's and early 1990's STX & GT275 FRAMES transitioned to the L100 frame last year of production

SCOTT'S made by

MTD

**MURRAY** 

JOHN DEERE

**SIMPLICITY:** 

Owned by

SIMPLICITY until 1965 when ALLIS-

CHALMERS bought then until 1985

SIMPLICITY 1985 until 2006

BRIGGS STRATTON 2006 TO

**PREASENT** 

BRANDS MADE AND UNDER

SIMPLICITY CURRENT AND NON

**CURRENT** 

**ALLIS-CHALMERS** 

**DEUTZ-ALLIS** 

AGCO-ALLIS
AGCO
MASSEY FREGUSON
HOMELITE
MONTGOMERY WARDS
SNAPPER
FERRIS.

SNAPPER made by and for

**SNAPPER** 

MASSEY-FERGUSON

POWER KING made garden tractor for

them in late 1990

2004 SIMPLICULY BOUGHT

SNAPPER

2006 BRIGGS & STRATTON

BOUGHT THEM ALL

STEINER: MADE BY AND owned by

STEINER SOLD IN 1990'S TO

**TEXTRON** 

**JACOBSON** 

**OWNED BY TEXTRON UNTIL MID** 

#### 2000'S

Now owned by Commercial Grounds Care, Inc: WHO ALSO MAKE BOBCAT MOWERS.

TORO: corp. owns the following brands or rights to them

WHEELHORSE bought from AMC in 1989 prior to late 1970's it was its own

company

**GILSON** 

LAWN BOY

**EXMARK** 

They also produce tractors for FORD, FORD NEW HOLLAND & NEW HOLLAND Since 2007 MTD make's the TORO

Since 2007 MTD make's the TORO lawn and garden tractors

TROY-BILT owned by and tractor made GARDEN WAY until 2001
Since 2001 owned by MTD
Bought Bolens in the late 1980's

#### **VENTRAC:**

Made by founding family of STEINIER when they became dissatisfied with the way TEXTRON was handling STEINER. The company is currently called VENTURE PRODUCTS and the attachment from both STEINER and VENTRAC are interchangeable.

WALKER: brands they produce and some of there customers

WALKER

EXMARK.

TORO.

WHEELHORSE: PARENT
COMPANIES
WHEELHORSE
AMERICAN MOTORS CORP(AMC)

WHITE OUTDOOR owners Owned by MTD since 1981

## YARDMAN owners Owned by MTD since 1975

