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BUILT IN LIDS OPEN, CLOSE HYDRAULICALLY



New-Style Truck Box Never Needs Tarping

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They're calling it the first really new idea in trucking in years — a cylindrical shaped box that opens and shuts hydraulically with the flip of a switch in the cab.

"You get a tighter seal than with any available tarp," says Curtis Penner, sales manager for New J. Industries, Winkler, Manitoba, manufacturer of the new "Protector" truck box. "The rubber-sealed lids provide a wind, rain and snow-proof seal, protecting anything you haul."

Two small cylinders, mounted across the front of the box, open and shut the lids. They rise evenly the full length of the box by "walking" up three chains stretched tautly up the sides of the box, with sprockets

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Hydraulically-controlled lids come together at the top to form rain-tight seal. In addition to grain, this first-of-its kind truck box can also be used to haul livestock or silage.

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