



The international TotY jury, composed of 25 journalists from 25 countries - including Irish Farmers Monthly's Noel Dunne (front row, far right).

THE BATTLE BEGINS FOR TOTY 2025

The 2025 Tractor of the Year (TotY) competition has officially kicked off as an international jury comprised of 25 journalists from 25 countries convened in Milan recently to review this year's hot contenders. Seventeen of the world's leading tractor manufacturers are competing with a total of 21 tractors across various TotY categories, showcasing their latest innovations

and technological advancements. The TotY 2025 winners will be revealed on November 6, 2024, during the opening day of EIMA International. Attendees will witness the technological marvels of the finalist tractors in the outdoor area, with two daily parades featuring detailed descriptions by an expert speaker. The categories and contenders are as follows:

TOTY HIGHPOWER

Dedicated to high-power tractors with more than 300 horsepower, this category features formidable contenders:

- ▶ JCB 8830 iCON
- ▶ New Holland T7340 HD
- ▶ Massey Ferguson 9S.425
- ▶ Case IH Quadtrac 715 ASF Connect
- ▶ Valtra S416

TOTY MIDPOWER

For tractors with power ranging between 150-280 horsepower, the competition is fierce:

- ▶ Claas Arion 660
- ▶ Case IH Puma ASF Connect CVXDrive
- ▶ McCormick X7624 VT-Drive
- ▶ Valtra N175 Direct
- ▶ Fendt 620 Vario

TOTY UTILITY

This category is for multi-purpose tractors with power between 70-150 horsepower and maximum operating weight of 9,000kg. Finalists are:

- ▶ Massey Ferguson
- ▶ Steyr 4120 Plus
- ▶ Lindner 70 LDrive
- ▶ Hattat T4125
- ▶ Fendt e107 Vario
- ▶ Tafe 7515

TOTY SPECIALIZED

This is focused on tractors over 40 horsepower for orchards, vineyards, hills and mountains. The following tractors are competing for the award:

- ▶ Yanmar YT359
- ▶ Antonio Carraro Tony 8900 TRG
- ▶ Keestrac/Rigitrac B1e/SKE 40
- ▶ Landini Trekker 4
- ▶ Ferrari E-Astral

TOTYBOT

A new addition this year, the TotYBot category focuses on robotic tractors without cabins, equipped with three-point hitch, PTO, or electric power transfer to implements. These tractors must be available in the European Market and have a minimum Technical Readiness Level (TRL) of 8. Candidates will undergo a different evaluation process, contenders for this new TotY category will be:

- ▶ Agxeed 5.115T2
- ▶ Autoagri ICS 20
- ▶ Field Robotics Hammerhead
- ▶ Black Shire RC 3075

TOTY SUSTAINABLE

By the end of July, the jury will select up to five finalists from all the presented tractors. This category evaluates environmental impact, including emissions and on-board technology that enhances operational efficiency, active and



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