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"The UK market for agricultural machinery is expected to contract in 2015. Between 2016 and 2019 agricultural machinery demand is anticipated to demonstrate moderate annual growth. Market development is expected to be largely driven by innovation, reflecting the continued trend towards automation and adoption of precision farming techniques."

- Claudia Preedy, Industrial Analyst

### This report looks at the following areas:

- How has the market performed over the last five years?
- What is the impact of the legislative and regulatory environment on the market?
- What has been the financial performance of key players in recent years?
- What innovations are driving market development?
- How will the market develop over the next five years?

The market for agricultural machinery can be broadly segmented between tractors, trailers and other agricultural equipment. Agricultural tractors are typically regarded as those with engine sizes exceeding 40hp, while including a growing number of all-terrain vehicles (ATVs) and rough terrain vehicles (RTVs). They are also referred to as compact tractors and the increasing power of such machines is enabling tasks traditionally undertaken by conventional tractors to be carried out by smaller vehicles, often at a substantially lower cost.

The range of other agricultural equipment is extensive, including mobile machinery, such as combine harvesters and mowing equipment; static machinery, including milking equipment, produce conveyors and grain dryers; and trailed equipment, such as ploughs, sprayers, harrows and balers. For the purposes of this report, handling equipment and tools, such as fork-lift trucks, diggers and chainsaws, are excluded from the analysis of the market.

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