

PANOLIN on water



The millennium year was a very memorable one for the conservators of the river CAM; they took delivery of a new Berky 6500 weed harvester, the first of its type delivered to the UK. The conservators specified that this craft should be capable of a wide range of river maintenance work from general weed cutting to pile driving for bank restoration. This craft has been so successful that it is now also used for clearing the river bottom of all sorts of scrap metal, bike frames and supermarket trolleys.

The conservators also specified that the boat complied with the very latest environmental requirements and Berky suggested that the hydraulics system be filled with PANOLIN HLP SYNTH 46. To date the boat has completed almost 1'500 hours of work. Colin Sparkes – River Foreman comments: «We have been extremely pleased with the boat which has proved to be a very versatile and reliable craft. The performance of the hydraulics has been first class and the fact that we have not had to change the oil has been a complete bonus».