# Operator's Manual FT900 / 96083000900

Gasoline containing up to 10% ethanol (E10) is acceptable for use in this machine. The use of any gasoline exceeding 10% ethanol (E10) will void the product warranty.



## **SAFETY RULES**



#### Safe Operation Practices for Walk-Behind Powered Rotary Tillers



#### TRAINING

- Read this Manual carefully. Be thoroughly familiar with the controls and the proper use of the equipment. Know how to stop the unit and disengage the controls quickly.
- Never allow children to operate the equipment. Never allow adults to operate the equipment without proper instruction.
- Keep the area of operation clear of all persons, particularly small children, and pets.

#### **PREPARATION**

- Thoroughly inspect the area where the equipment is to be used and remove all foreign objects.
- Disengage all clutches and shift into neutral before starting the engine (motor).
- Do not operate the equipment without wearing adequate outer garments. Wear footwear that will improve footing on slippery surfaces.
- Handle fuel with care; it is highly flammable.
- Use an approved fuel container.
- Never add fuel to a running engine or hot engine.
- Fill fuel tank outdoors with extreme care. Never fill fuel tank indoors.
- Replace gasoline cap securely and clean up spilled fuel before restarting.
- Use extension cords and receptacles as specified by the manufacturer for all units with electric drive motors or electric starting motors.
- Never attempt to make any adjustments while the engine (motor) is running (except where specifically recommended by manufacturer).

#### OPERATION

- Do not put hands or feet near or under rotating parts.
- Exercise extreme caution when operating on or crossing gravel drives, walks, or roads. Stay alert for hidden hazards or traffic. Do not carry passengers.
- After striking a foreign object, stop the engine (motor), remove the wire from the spark plug, thoroughly inspect the tiller for any damage, and repair the damage before restarting and operating the tiller.
- Exercise caution to avoid slipping or falling.
- If the unit should start to vibrate abnormally, stop the engine (motor) and check immediately for the cause.
   Vibration is generally a warning of trouble.
- Stop the engine (motor) when leaving the operating position.
- Take all possible precautions when leaving the machine unattended. Disengage the tines, shift into neutral, and stop the engine.
- Before cleaning, repairing, or inspecting, shut off the engine and make certain all moving parts have stopped. Disconnect the spark plug wire, and keep the wire away from the plug to prevent accidental starting. Disconnect the cord on electric motors.
- Do not run the engine indoors; exhaust fumes are dangerous.

- Never operate the tiller without proper guards, plates, or other safety protective devices in place.
- Keep children and pets away.
- Do not overload the machine capacity by attempting to till too deep at too fast a rate.
- Never operate the machine at high speeds on slippery surfaces. Look behind and use care when backing.
- · Never allow bystanders near the unit.
- Use only attachments and accessories approved by the manufacturer of the tiller.
- Never operate the tiller without good visibility or light.
- Be careful when tilling in hard ground. The tines may catch in the ground and propel the tiller forward. If this occurs, let go of the handlebars and do not restrain the machine.

#### MAINTENANCE AND STORAGE

- Keep machine, attachments, and accessories in safe working condition.
- Check shear pins, engine mounting bolts, and other bolts at frequent intervals for proper tightness to be sure the equipment is in safe working condition.
- Never store the machine with fuel in the fuel tank inside a building where ignition sources are present, such as hot water and space heaters, clothes dryers, and the like. Allow the engine to cool before storing in any enclosure.
- Always refer to the operator's guide instructions for important details if the tiller is to be stored for an extended period.

#### - IMPORTANT -

CAUTIONS, IMPORTANTS, AND NOTES ARE A MEANS OF ATTRACTING ATTENTION TO IMPORTANT OR CRITICAL INFORMATION IN THIS MANUAL.

**IMPORTANT:** USED TO ALERT YOU THAT THERE IS A POSSIBILITY OF DAMAGING THIS EQUIPMENT.

**NOTE:** Gives essential information that will aid you to better understand, incorporate, or execute a particular set of instructions.



Look for this symbol to point out important safety precautions. It means CAUTION!!! BECOME ALERT!!! YOUR SAFETY IS INVOLVED.



CAUTION: Always disconnect spark plug wire and place wire where it cannot contact spark plug in order to prevent accidental starting when setting up, transporting, adjusting or making repairs.

#### PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

Gasoline Capacity:	3.2 Quarts (3.6 Liters) Unleaded Regular
Oil (API:SG-SL): (Capacity: 20 oz./0.6 L)	SAE 30 (Above 32°F / 0°C) SAE 5W30 (Below 32°F / 0°C)
Spark Plug :	Champion RC12YC (Gap: .030" / 0.76 mm)

**CONGRATULATIONS** on your purchase of a new tiller. It has been designed, engineered and manufactured to give you the best possible dependability and performance.

Should you experience any problems you cannot easily remedy, please contact your nearest authorized service center. We have competent, well-trained technicians and the proper tools to service or repair this unit.

Please read and retain this manual. The instructions will enable you to assemble and maintain your tiller properly. Always observe the "SAFETY RULES".

#### **CUSTOMER RESPONSIBILITIES**

- Read and observe the safety rules.
- Follow a regular schedule in maintaining, caring for and using your tiller.
- Follow instructions under "Maintenance" and "Storage" sections of this Manual.

IMPORTANT: THIS UNIT IS EQUIPPED WITH AN INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE AND SHOULD NOT BE USED ON OR NEAR ANY UNIMPROVED FOREST-COVERED, BRUSH-COVERED OR GRASS COVERED LAND UNLESS THE ENGINE'S EXHAUST SYSTEM IS EQUIPPED WITH A SPARK ARRESTER MEETING APPLICABLE LOCAL LAWS (IF ANY). IF A SPARK ARRESTER IS USED, IT SHOULD BE MAINTAINED IN EFFECTIVE WORKING ORDER BY THE OPERATOR.

IN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, A SPARK ARRESTER IS REQUIRED BY LAW (SECTION 4442 OF THE CALIFORNIA PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE). OTHER STATES MAY HAVE SIMILAR LAWS. FEDERAL LAWS APPLY ON FEDERAL LANDS. SEE YOUR AUTHORIZED SERVICE CENTER/DEPARTMENT FOR SPARK ARRESTER.

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## **ASSEMBLY**

Your new tiller has been assembled at the factory with exception of those parts left unassembled for shipping purposes. To ensure safe and proper operation of your tiller all parts and hardware you assemble must be tightened securely. Use the correct tools as necessary to insure proper tightness.

#### TOOLS REQUIRED FOR ASSEMBLY

A socket wrench set will make assembly easier. Standard wrench sizes are listed.

- (1) Utility knife
- (1) Screwdriver
- (1) Pair of pliers
- (2) 1/2" wrenches

#### **OPERATOR'S POSITION (See Fig. 1)**

When right or left hand is mentioned in this manual, it means when you are in the operating position (standing behind tiller handles).

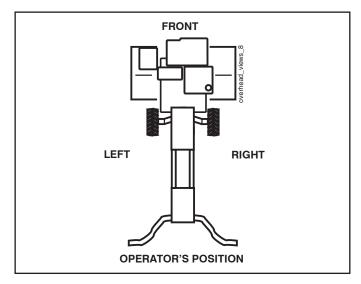
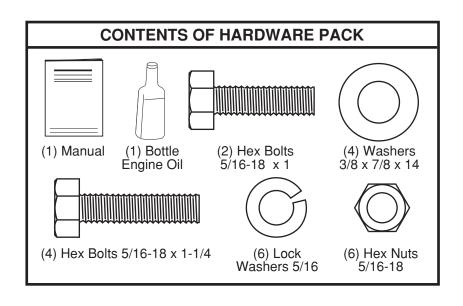


Fig. 1



### **ASSEMBLY**

## UNPACK CARTON & INSTALL HANDLE (See Fig. 2)



CAUTION: Be careful of exposed staples when handling or disposing of cartoning material.

**IMPORTANT:** WHEN UNPACKING AND ASSEMBLING TILLER, BE CAREFUL NOT TO STRETCH OR KINK CABLE(S).

- Cut cable ties securing handles.
- Slowly lift handle assembly up, route cable(s) as shown and align handle holes with handle panel hole and slot.
- Loosely assemble hardware as shown. Be sure the shorter (1" long) hex bolt is assembled in lower hole of handle. Repeat for opposite side. Tighten all hardware securely.
- Cut cable ties securing tiller to skid and remove tiller from skid.
- Remove screws securing depth stake to skid and discard the screws.

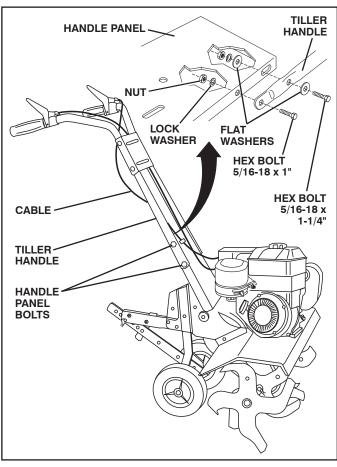


Fig. 2

## INSTALL DEPTH STAKE ASSEMBLY (See Fig. 3)

- Loosen nut "A".
- Insert stake support between engine bracket halves with stake spring down.
- Bolt stake support to engine brackets with bolts, lock washers and nuts. Tighten securely. Tighten nut "A".
- Depth stake must move freely. If it does not, loosen support bolt.

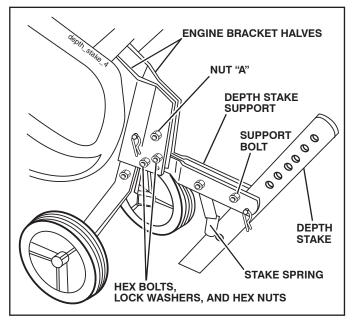


Fig. 3

#### HANDLE HEIGHT

 Handle height may be adjusted to better suit operator. (See "HANDLE HEIGHT" in the Service and Adjustments section of this manual).

#### TILLING WIDTH

 Tilling width may be adjusted to better handle your tilling conditions (See "TINE ARRANGEMENT" in the Service and Adjustments section of this manual).

#### TINE OPERATION

 Check tine operation before first use. (See "TINE OPERATION CHECK" in the Service and Adjustments section of this manual).

#### **KNOW YOUR TILLER**

#### READ THIS MANUAL AND SAFETY RULES BEFORE OPERATING YOUR TILLER.

Compare the illustrations with your tiller to familiarize yourself with the location of various controls and adjustments. Save this manual for future reference.

These symbols may appear on your Tiller or in literature supplied with the product. Learn and understand their meaning.



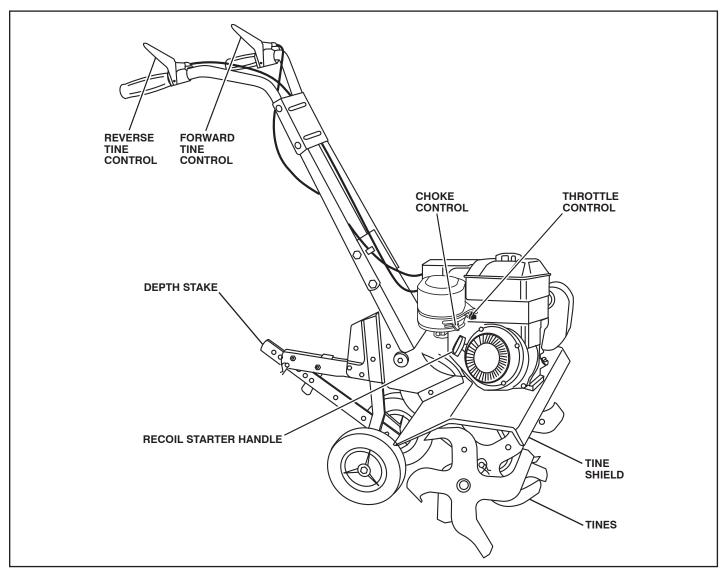


Fig. 4

#### **MEETS ANSI SAFETY REQUIREMENTS**

Our tillers conform to the safety standards of the American National Standards Institute.

**CHOKE CONTROL** - Used when starting a cold engine. **DEPTH STAKE** - Controls forward speed and the depth at which the tiller will dig.

**FORWARD TINE CONTROL** - Engages tines in forward direction.

**REVERSE TINE CONTROL** - Engages tines in reverse **RECOIL STARTER HANDLE** - Used to start the engine. direction.

**THROTTLE CONTROL** - Controls engine speed.



The operation of any tiller can result in foreign objects thrown into the eyes, which can result in severe eye damage. Always wear safety glasses or eye shields before starting your tiller and while tilling. We recommend a wide vision safety mask over spectacles or standard safety glasses.

#### **HOW TO USE YOUR TILLER**

Know how to operate all controls before adding fuel and oil or attempting to start engine.

#### STOPPING (See Fig. 5)

#### **TINES**

- Release forward tine control to stop forward movement.
- Release reverse tine control to stop reverse movement.

#### **ENGINE**

- Move throttle control to "STOP" position.
- Never use choke to stop engine.

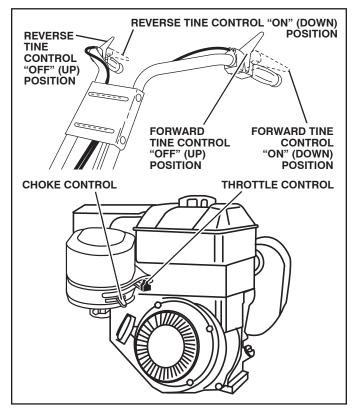


Fig. 5

#### **TINE OPERATION (See Fig. 5)**

#### **FORWARD**

 With reverse tine control in the "OFF" (up) position, Squeeze forward tine control to handle.

#### REVERSE

• With forward tine control in the "OFF" (up) position, Squeeze reverse tine control to handle.

#### TILLING

The speed and depth of tilling is regulated by the position of the depth stake and wheel height.

The depth stake should always be below the wheels for digging. It serves as a brake to slow the tiller's forward motion to enable the tines to penetrate the ground. Also, the more the depth stake is lowered into the ground the deeper the tines will dig.

#### **DEPTH STAKE (See Fig. 6)**

Adjust depth stake by removing the hairpin clip and clevis pin. Change depth stake to desired position. Replace the clevis pin and hairpin clip.

 For normal tilling, set depth stake at the second or third hole from the top.

#### WHEELS (See Fig. 6)

Adjust wheels by removing the hairpin clip and clevis pin. Change wheel position. Replace the hairpin clip and clevis pin.

 For normal tilling, set wheels at the second or third hole from the top.

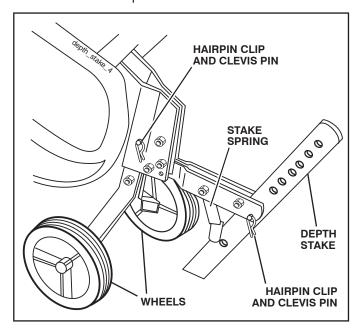


Fig. 6

#### TO TRANSPORT



CAUTION: Before lifting or transporting, allow tiller engine and muffler to cool. Disconnect spark plug wire. Drain gasoline from fuel tank.

#### AROUND THE YARD

- Tip depth stake forward until it is held by the stake spring.
- Push tiller handles down, raising tines off the ground.
- Push or pull tiller to desired location.

#### **AROUND TOWN**

- Disconnect spark plug wire.
- Drain fuel tank.
- Transport in upright position to prevent oil leakage.

#### BEFORE STARTING ENGINE

**IMPORTANT**: BE VERY CAREFUL NOT TO ALLOW DIRT TO ENTER THE ENGINE WHEN CHECKING OR ADDING OIL OR FUEL. USE CLEAN OIL AND FUEL AND STORE IN APPROVED, CLEAN, COVERED CONTAINERS. USE CLEAN FILL FUNNELS.

#### FILL ENGINE WITH OIL (See Fig. 7)

- With engine level, remove engine oil filler plug.
- Fill engine with oil to point of overflowing. For approximate capacity see "PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS" on page 3 of this manual.
- Tilt tiller back on its wheels and then re-level.
- With engine level, refill to point of overflowing if necessary. Replace oil filler plug.
- For cold weather operation you should change oil for easier starting (See "OIL VISCOSITY CHART" in the Maintenance section of this manual).
- To change engine oil, see the Maintenance section of this manual.

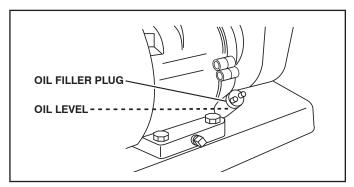


Fig. 7

#### ADD GASOLINE

Fill to within 1/2 inch of top of fuel tank to prevent spills and to allow for fuel expansion. Do not overfill. Use fresh, clean, regular unleaded gasoline with a minimum of 87 octane. (Use of leaded gasoline will increase carbon and lead oxide deposits and reduce valve life). Do not mix oil with gasoline. Purchase fuel in quantities that can be used within 30 days to assure fuel freshness.



CAUTION: Fill to within 1/2" of top of fuel tank to prevent spills and to allow for fuel expansion. If gasoline is accidentally spilled, move machine away from area of spill. Avoid creating any source of ignition until gasoline vapors have disappeared.

Wipe off any spilled oil or fuel. Do not store, spill or use gasoline near an open flame.

**IMPORTANT:** WHEN OPERATING IN TEMPERATURES BELOW 32°F(0°C), USE FRESH, CLEAN WINTER GRADE GASOLINE TO HELP INSURE GOOD COLD WEATHER STARTING.

CAUTION: Alcohol blended fuels (called gasohol or using ethanol or methanol) can attract moisture which leads to separation and formation of acids during storage. Acidic gas can damage the fuel system of an engine while in storage. To avoid engine problems, the fuel system should be emptied before storage of 30 days or longer. Drain the gas tank, start the engine and let it run until the fuel lines and carburetor are empty. Use fresh fuel next season. See Storage Instructions for additional information. Never use engine or carburetor cleaner products in the fuel tank or permanent damage may occur.

#### TO START ENGINE (See Fig. 8)



CAUTION: Keep tine control in "OFF" position when starting engine.

When starting engine for the first time or if engine has run out of fuel, it will take extra pulls of the recoil starter to move fuel from the tank to the engine.

- Make sure spark plug wire is properly connected.
- Place throttle control in "FAST" position.
- Move choke control to full "CHOKE" position. Grasp recoil starter handle with one hand and grasp tiller handle with other hand. Pull rope out slowly until engine reaches start of compression cycle (rope will pull slightly harder at this point).
- Pull recoil starter handle quickly. Do not let starter handle snap back against starter. Repeat if necessary.
- If engine fires but does not start, move choke control to half choke position. Pull recoil starter handle until engine starts.
- When engine starts, slowly move choke control to "RUN" position as engine warms up.

**NOTE:** A warm engine requires less choking to start.

- Move throttle control to desired running position.
- Allow engine to warm up for a few minutes before engaging tines.

**NOTE:** If at a high altitude (3000 feet) or in cold temperatures (below 32°F/0°C), the carburetor fuel mixturemay need to be adjusted for best engine performance. See "TO ADJUST CARBURETOR" in the Service and Adjustments section of this manual.

**NOTE:** If engine does not start, see troubleshooting points.

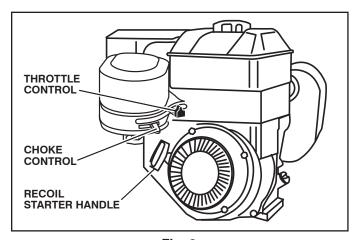


Fig. 8

#### **BREAKING IN YOUR TILLER**

Break-in your belt(s), pulleys and tine control before you actually begin tilling.

- Start engine, tip tines off ground by pressing handles down and engage tine control to start tine rotation. Allow tines to rotate for five minutes.
- Check tine operation and adjust if necessary. See "TINE OPERATION CHECK" in the Service and Adjustments section of this manual.

#### **TILLING HINTS**



CAUTION: Until you are accustomed to handling your tiller, start actual field use with throttle in slow position.

To help tiller move forward, lift up the handles slightly (thus lifting depth stake out of ground). To slow down the tiller, press down on handles.

If you are straining or tiller is shaking, the wheels and depth stake are not set properly in the soil being tilled. The proper setting of the wheels and depth stake is through trial and error and depends upon the soil condition. (The harder or wetter the ground, the slower the engine and tine speed needed. Under these poor conditions, at fast speed the tiller will run and jump over the ground).

A properly adjusted tiller will dig with little effort from the operator.

- Tilling is digging into, turning over, and breaking up packed soil before planting. Loose, unpacked soil helps root growth. Best tilling depth is 4"-6". A tiller will also clear the soil of unwanted vegetation. The decomposition of this vegetable matter enriches the soil. Depending on the climate (rainfall and wind), it may be advisable to till the soil at the end of the growing season to further condition the soil.
- Soil conditions are important for proper tilling. Tines will
  not readily penetrate dry, hard soil which may contribute
  to excessive bounce and difficult handling of your tiller.
  Hard soil should be moistened before tilling; however,
  extremely wet soil will "ball-up" or clump during tilling.
  Wait until the soil is less wet in order to achieve the
  best results. When tilling in the fall, remove vines and
  long grass to prevent them from wrapping around the
  tine shaft and slowing your tilling operation.

- You will find tilling much easier if you leave a row untilled between passes. Then go back between tilled rows. (See Fig. 9) There are two reasons for doing this. First, wide turns are much easier to negotiate than about-faces. Second, the tiller won't be pulling itself, and you, toward the row next to it.
- Set depth stake and wheel height for shallow tilling when working extremely hard soil or sod. Then work across the first cuts at normal depth.

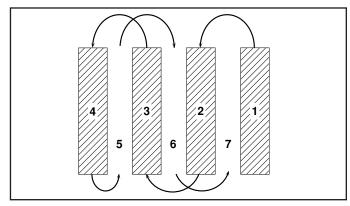


Fig. 9

#### **CULTIVATING**

Cultivating is destroying the weeds between rows to prevent them from robbing nourishment and moisture from the plants. At the same time, breaking up the upper layer of soil crust will help retain moisture in the soil. Best digging depth is 1"-3".

- You will probably not need to use the depth stake. Begin by tipping the depth stake forward until it is held by the stake spring.
- Cultivate up and down the rows at a speed which will allow tines to uproot weeds and leave the ground in rough condition, promoting no further growth of weeds and grass (See Fig. 10).

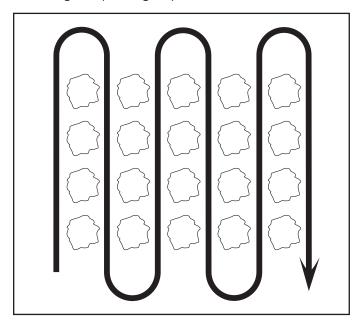


Fig. 10

## **MAINTENANCE**

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Inspect Air Screen	<b>'</b>											
Clean or Replace Air Cleaner Cartridge				<b>/</b> 2								
Clean Engine Cylinder Fins				<b>/</b>								
Replace Spark Plug				<b>/</b>								

- 1 Change more often when operating under a heavy load or in high ambient temperatures.
- 2 Service more often when operating in dirty or dusty conditions.

#### **GENERAL RECOMMENDATIONS**

The warranty on this tiller does not cover items that have been subjected to operator abuse or negligence. To receive full value from the warranty, operator must maintain tiller as instructed in this manual.

Some adjustments will need to be made periodically to properly maintain your tiller.

All adjustments in the Service and Adjustments section of this manual should be checked at least once each season.

 Once a year you should replace the spark plug, clean or replace air filter, and check tines and belt for wear.
 A new spark plug and clean air filter assure proper air-fuel mixture and help your engine run better and last longer.

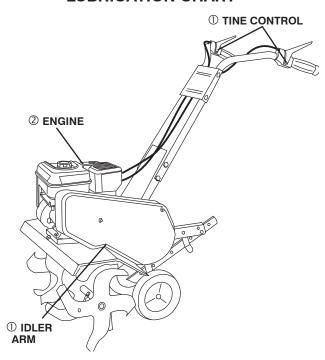
#### **BEFORE EACH USE**

- Check engine oil level.
- Check tine operation.
- Check for loose fasteners.

#### **LUBRICATION**

Keep unit well lubricated (See "LUBRICATION CHART") .

#### **LUBRICATION CHART**



- ①SAE 30 OR 10W-30 MOTOR OIL
- ②REFER TO MAINTENANCE "ENGINE" SECTION

### **MAINTENANCE**



Disconnect spark plug wire before performing any maintenance (except carburetor adjustment) to prevent accidental starting of engine.

Prevent fires! Keep the engine free of grass, leaves, spilled oil, or fuel. Remove fuel from tank before tipping unit for maintenance. Clean muffler area of all grass, dirt, and debris.

Do not touch hot muffler or cylinder fins as contact may cause burns.

## ENGINE LUBRICATION

Use only high quality detergent oil rated with API service classification SG-SL. Select the oil's SAE viscosity grade according to your expected temperature.

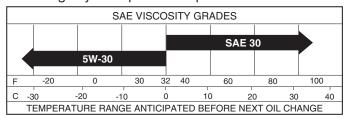


Fig. 11

**NOTE:** Although multi-viscosity oils (5W-30, 10W-30, etc.) improve starting in cold weather, these multi-viscosity oils will result in increased oil consumption when used above 32°F (0°C). Check your engine oil level more frequently to avoid possible engine damage from running low on oil.

Change the oil after every 50 hours of operation or at least once a year if the tiller is not used for 50 hours in one year.

Check the crankcase oil level before starting the engine and after each five (5) hours of continuous use. Add SAE 30 motor oil or equivalent. Tighten oil filler plug securely each time you check the oil level.

#### TO CHANGE ENGINE OIL (See Figs. 11 and 12)

Determine temperature range expected before oil change. All oil must meet API service classification SG-SL.

- Be sure tiller is on level surface.
- Oil will drain more freely when warm.
- Catch oil in a suitable container.
- · Remove drain plug.
- Tip tiller forward to drain oil.
- After oil has drained completely, replace oil drain plug and tighten securely.
- Remove oil filler plug. Be careful not to allow dirt to enter the engine.
- Refill engine with oil. See "FILL ENGINE WITH OIL" in the Operation section of this manual.

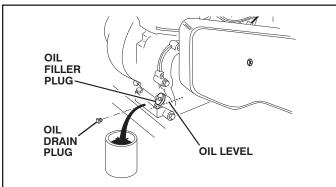


Fig. 12

#### AIR FILTER (See Fig. 13)

Your engine will not run properly using a dirty air filter. Clean the foam pre-cleaner after every 25 hours of operation or every season. Service paper cartridge every 100 hours of operation or every season, whichever occurs first.

Service air cleaner more often under dusty conditions.

· Remove cover knob and cover.

#### TO SERVICE PRE-CLEANER

- Remove foam pre-cleaner from air cleaner cover.
- · Wash it in liquid detergent and water.
- Squeeze it dry in a clean cloth.
- If very dirty or damaged, replace pre-cleaner.
- Reinstall pre-cleaner into air cleaner cover.
- · Reinstall cover and secure screw.

#### TO SERVICE CARTRIDGE

- Carefully remove cartridge to prevent debris from entering carburetor. Clean base carefully to prevent debris from entering carburetor.
- Clean cartridge by tapping gently on flat surface. If very dirty or damaged, replace cartridge.
- Reinstall cartridge, cover with pre-cleaner and secure with screw.

IMPORTANT: PETROLEUM SOLVENTS, SUCH AS KEROSENE, ARE NOT TO BE USED TO CLEAN THE CARTRIDGE. THEY MAY CAUSE DETERIORATION OF THE CARTRIDGE. DO NOT OIL CARTRIDGE. DO NOT USE PRESSURIZED AIR TO CLEAN OR DRY CARTRIDGE.

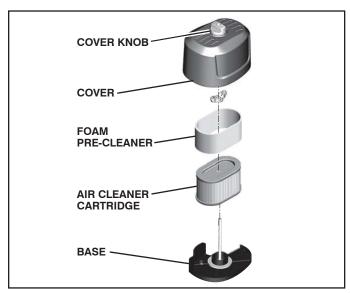


Fig. 13

### **MAINTENANCE**

#### **COOLING SYSTEM (See Fig. 14)**

Your engine is air cooled. For proper engine performance and long life keep your engine clean.

- Clean air screen frequently using a stiff-bristled brush.
- Remove blower housing and clean as necessary.
- Keep cylinder fins free of dirt and chaff.

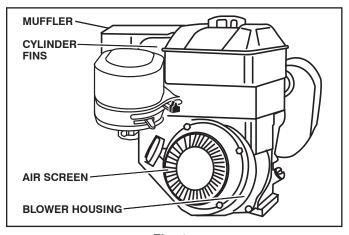


Fig. 14

#### **MUFFLER**

Do not operate tiller without muffler. Do not tamper with exhaust system. Damaged mufflers or spark arresters could create a fire hazard. Inspect periodically and replace if necessary. If your engine is equipped with a spark arrester screen assembly, remove every 50 hours for cleaning and inspection. Replace if damaged.

#### **SPARK PLUG**

Replace spark plugs at the beginning of each tilling season or after every 50 hours of use, whichever comes first. Spark plug type and gap setting is shown in "PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS" on page 3 of this manual.

#### **TRANSMISSION**

Your transmission is sealed and will only require lubrication if it is serviced.

#### **CLEANING**

Do not clean your tiller when the engine and transmission are hot. We do not recommend using pressurized water (garden hose, etc.) to clean your unit unless the gasket area around the transmission and the engine muffler, air filter and carburetor are covered to keep water out. Water in engine will shorten the useful life of your tiller.

- Clean engine, wheels, finish, etc. of all foreign matter.
- Keep finished surfaces and wheels free of all gasoline, oil, etc.
- Protect painted surfaces with automotive type wax.

### SERVICE AND ADJUSTMENTS



CAUTION: Disconnect spark plug wire from spark plug and place wire where it cannot come into contact with plug.

#### **TILLER**

#### TO ADJUST HANDLE HEIGHT (See Fig. 15)

Factory assembly has provided lowest handle height. Select handle height best suited for your tilling conditions. Handle height will be different when tiller digs into soil.

- If a higher handle height is desired, loosen the four nuts securing handle panel to engine brackets.
- Slide handle panel to desired location.
- · Tighten the four nuts securely.

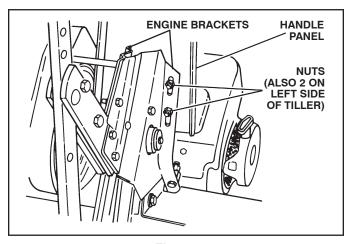


Fig. 15

#### TINE ARRANGEMENT

Your outer tines can be assembled in several different ways to suit your tilling or cultivating needs.



CAUTION: Tines are sharp. Wear gloves or other protection when handling tines.

#### NORMAL TILLING - 26 INCH PATH (See Fig. 16)

 Assemble holes "A" in tine hubs to holes "B" in tine shaft.

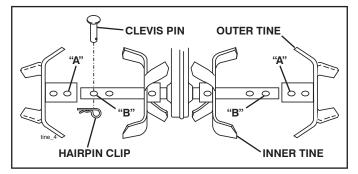


Fig. 16

#### MID-WIDTH TILLING - 24 INCH PATH (See Fig. 17)

 Assemble holes "A" in tine hubs to holes "C" in tine shaft.

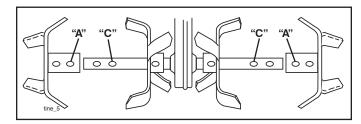


Fig. 17

## NARROW TILLING/CULTIVATING - 12-3/4 INCH PATH (See Fig. 18)

· Remove outer tines.

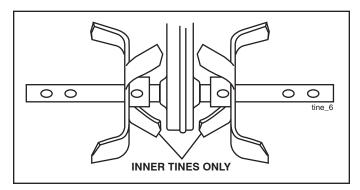


Fig. 18

**NOTE:** When reassembling outer tines, be sure right tine assembly (marked "R") and left tine assembly (marked "L") are mounted to correct side of tine shaft.

#### TO REMOVE BELT GUARD (See Fig. 19)

- Remove two (2) cap nuts and washers from side of belt guard.
- Loosen (do not remove) tine shield nut on underside of tine shield.
- Pull belt guard out and away from unit.
- Replace belt guard by reversing above procedure. Be sure slot in bottom of belt guard is under head of tine shield bolt and all nuts are tightened securely.

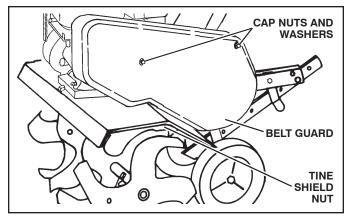


Fig. 19

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## SERVICE AND ADJUSTMENTS

#### TINE OPERATION CHECK (See Fig. 20)



WARNING: Disconnect spark plug wire from spark plug to prevent starting while checking tine operation.

For proper tine operation, forward tine control lever must be against control body and all slack removed from inner wire of control cable when control is in the "OFF" (up) position.

If lever and cable are loose, loosen cable clip at lower end of cable. Pull up on cable to remove slack, without extending spring on end of cable, and retighten cable clip.

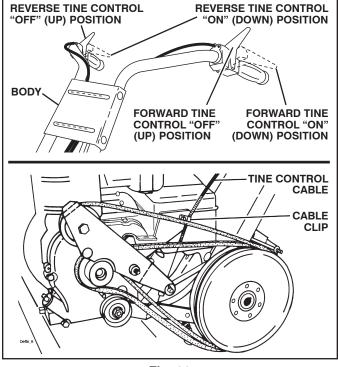
#### **FINAL CHECK "OFF" POSITION**

- With tine control "OFF" (up), push down on handle to raise tines off the ground.
- Slowly pull recoil starter handle while observing tines.
   Tines should not rotate.
- If tines rotate, inner wire of control cable is too tight which is extending lower spring and engaging tines. Loosen cable clip and push down on cable only enough to relieve spring tension. Tighten cable clip.
- · Recheck in "OFF" position and adjust if necessary.

#### **FINAL CHECK "ON" POSITION**

- With tine control "ON" (held down to handle) push down on handle to raise tines off the ground.
- Slowly pull recoil starter handle while observing tines.
   Tines should rotate forward.
- If tines do not rotate, inner wire of control cable is too loose. Loosen cable clip and pull cable up to remove slack and retighten clip.
- Recheck in "ON" position and adjust if necessary.

**NOTE:** If "ON" position check required adjustment, recheck "OFF" position adjustment to insure tines do not rotate when control is "OFF" (up).



#### Fig. 20

#### TO REPLACE V-BELTS (See Figs. 21 and 22)

Replace V-belts if they have stretched considerably or if they show cracks or frayed edges. There are two (2) Vbelts - forward (inside) and reverse (outside).

Belt guard must be removed to service belts. See "TO REMOVE BELT GUARD" in this section of manual.

**NOTE**: Observe carefully routing of both belts and location of all belt guides before removing belts.

#### **BELT REMOVAL**

- Remove reverse idler pulley from idler arm.
- Remove reverse (outside) V-belt.
- Remove forward (inside) V-belt from transmission pulley first and then from engine pulley.

#### **BELT REPLACEMENT**

- Install new forward (inside) V-belt to engine pulley first then to transmission pulley. Be sure belt is positioned on inside groove of both pulleys, inside all belt guides and rests on idler pulley.
- Before installing reverse (outside) V-belt, turn belt "inside out". Twist so wide, flat surface of belt is to inside.

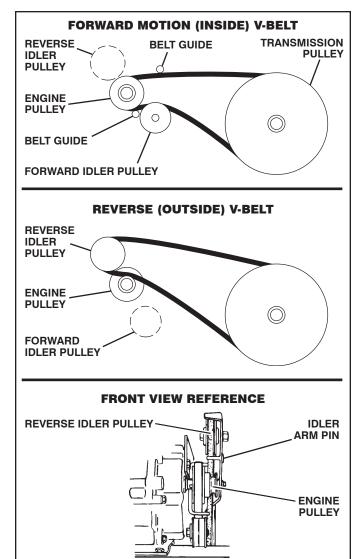


Fig. X

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### SERVICE AND ADJUSTMENTS

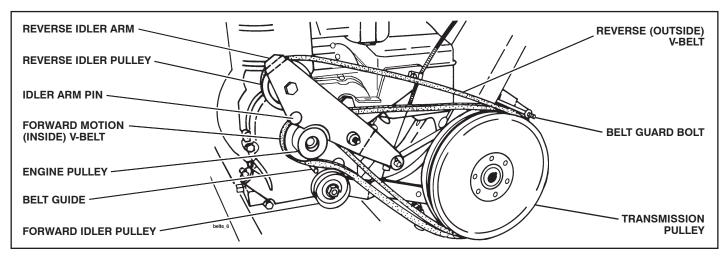


Fig. 22

- Wrap V-belt around reverse idler pulley and reassemble idler to idler arm. Tighten securely. Be sure belt is between reverse idler pulley and idler arm pin.
- Install belt to outside groove of transmission pulley. Be sure belt is inside all belt guides and rests on outside groove of engine pulley.

#### **CHECK TINE OPERATION**

 See "TINE OPERATION CHECK" in this section of manual.

#### **REPLACE BELT GUARD**

#### **ENGINE**

## TO ADJUST THROTTLE CONTROL CABLE (See Fig. 23)

The throttle control has been preset at the factory and adjustment should not be necessary. If adjustment is necessary, proceed as follows:

- With engine not running, remove air cleaner cover and cartridge (See "AIR CLEANER" in the Maintenance section of this manual).
- Move remote throttle control to "FAST" position.
- If throttle lever on engine touches high speed stop, no further adjustment is necessary. If throttle lever does not touch high speed stop, continue with adjustment procedure.
- Loosen cable clamp screw.
- Pull cable backward until throttle lever contacts the high speed stop, and hold in this position.
- Tighten cable clamp screw securely.
- · Reinstall air cleaner cover and cartridge.

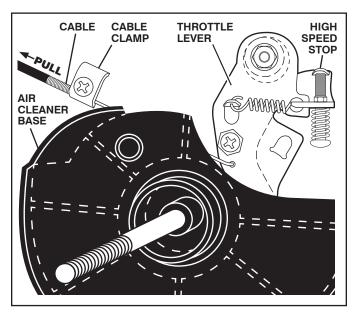


Fig. 23

#### TO ADJUST CARBURETOR

The carburetor has been preset at the factory and cannot be adjusted.

IMPORTANT: NEVER TAMPER WITH THE ENGINE GOVERNOR, WHICH IS FACTORY SET FOR PROPER ENGINE SPEED. OVER-SPEEDING THE ENGINE ABOVE THE FACTORY HIGH SPEED SETTING CAN BE DANGEROUS. IF YOU THINK THE ENGINE-GOVERNED HIGH SPEED NEEDS ADJUSTING, CONTACT YOUR NEAREST AUTHORIZED SERVICE CENTER/DEPARTMENT, WHICH HAS THE PROPER EQUIPMENT AND EXPERIENCE TO MAKE ANY NECESSARY ADJUSTMENTS.

### **STORAGE**

Immediately prepare your tiller for storage at the end of the season or if the unit will not be used for 30 days or more.



WARNING: Never store the tiller with gasoline in the tank inside a building where fumes may reach an open flame or spark. Allow the engine to cool before storing in any enclosure.

#### TILLER

- Clean entire tiller (See "CLEANING" in the Maintenance section of this manual).
- Inspect and replace belts, if necessary (See belt replacement instructions in the Service and Adjustments section of this manual).
- Lubricate as shown in the Maintenance section of this manual.
- Be sure that all nuts, bolts and screws are securely fastened. Inspect moving parts for damage, breakage and wear. Replace if necessary.
- Touch up all rusted or chipped paint surfaces; sand lightly before painting.

#### **ENGINE**

#### **FUEL SYSTEM**

IMPORTANT: IT IS IMPORTANT TO PREVENT GUM DEPOSITS FROM FORMING IN ESSENTIAL FUEL SYSTEM PARTS SUCH AS THE CARBURETOR, FUEL FILTER, FUEL HOSE, OR TANK DURING STORAGE. ALSO, EXPERIENCE INDICATES THAT ALCOHOL BLENDED FUELS (CALLED GASOHOL OR USING ETHANOL OR METHANOL) CAN ATTRACT MOISTURE WHICH LEADS TO SEPARATION AND FORMATION OF ACIDS DURING STORAGE. ACIDIC GAS CAN DAMAGE THE FUEL SYSTEM OF AN ENGINE WHILE IN STORAGE.

- Drain the fuel tank.
- Start the engine and let it run until the fuel lines and carburetor are empty.
- Never use engine or carburetor cleaner products in the fuel tank or permanent damage may occur.

**NOTE:** Fuel stablizer is an acceptable alternative in minimizing the formation of fuel gum deposits during storage. Add stabilizer to gasoline in fuel tank or storage container. Always follow the mix ratio found on stablizer container. Run engine at least 10 minutes after adding stablizer to allow the stabilizer to reach the carburetor. Do not drain the gas tank and carburetor if using fuel stabilizer.

#### **ENGINE OIL**

Drain oil (with engine warm) and replace with clean oil. (See "ENGINE" in the Maintenance section of this manual).

#### CYLINDER(S)

- Remove spark plug.
- Pour 1 ounce (29 ml) of oil through spark plug hole into cylinder.
- Pull starter handle slowly several times to distribute oil
- Replace with new spark plug.

#### **OTHER**

- Do not store gasoline from one season to another.
- Replace your gasoline can if your can starts to rust.
   Rust and/or dirt in your gasoline will cause problems.
- If possible, store your unit indoors and cover it to give protection from dust and dirt.
- Cover your unit with a suitable protective cover that does not retain moisture. Do not use plastic. Plastic cannot breathe which allows condensation to form and will cause your unit to rust.

**IMPORTANT:** NEVER COVER TILLER WHILE ENGINE AND EXHAUST AREAS ARE STILL WARM.

## TROUBLESHOOTING POINTS

PROBLEM	CAUSE	CORRECTION
Will not start	<ol> <li>Out of fuel.</li> <li>Engine not "CHOKED" properly.</li> <li>Engine flooded.</li> <li>Dirty air cleaner.</li> <li>Water in fuel.</li> <li>Clogged fuel tank.</li> <li>Loose spark plug wire.</li> <li>Bad spark plug or improper gap.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Fill fuel tank.</li> <li>See "TO START ENGINE" in the Operation section.</li> <li>Wait several minutes before attempting to start.</li> <li>Clean or replace air cleaner cartridge.</li> <li>Empty fuel tank and carburetor, and refill tank with fresh gasoline.</li> <li>Remove fuel tank and clean.</li> <li>Make sure spark plug wire is seated properly on plug.</li> <li>Replace spark plug or adjust gap.</li> </ol>
Hard to start	<ol> <li>Throttle control not set properly.</li> <li>Dirty air cleaner.</li> <li>Bad spark plug or improper gap.</li> <li>Stale or dirty fuel.</li> <li>Loose spark plug wire.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Place throttle control in "FAST" position.</li> <li>Clean or replace air cleaner cartridge.</li> <li>Replace spark plug or adjust gap.</li> <li>Empty fuel tank and refill with fresh gasoline.</li> <li>Make sure spark plug wire is seated properly on plug.</li> </ol>
Loss of power	<ol> <li>Engine is overloaded.</li> <li>Dirty air cleaner.</li> <li>Low oil level/dirty oil.</li> <li>Faulty spark plug.</li> <li>Oil in fuel.</li> <li>Stale or dirty fuel.</li> <li>Water in fuel.</li> <li>Clogged fuel tank.</li> <li>Spark plug wire loose.</li> <li>Dirty engine air screen.</li> <li>Dirty/clogged muffler.</li> <li>Poor compression.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Set depth stake and wheels for shallower tilling.</li> <li>Clean or eplace air cleaner cartridge.</li> <li>Check oil level/change oil.</li> <li>Clean and regap or change spark plug.</li> <li>Empty and clean fuel tank and refill, and clean carburetor.</li> <li>Empty fuel tank and refill with fresh gasoline.</li> <li>Empty fuel tank and carburetor, and refill tank with fresh gasoline.</li> <li>Remove fuel tank and clean.</li> <li>Connect and tighten spark plug wire.</li> <li>Clean engine air screen.</li> <li>Clean/replace muffler.</li> <li>Contact an authorized service center/department.</li> </ol>
Engine overheats	Low oil level/dirty oil.     Dirty engine air screen.     Dirty engine.     Partially plugged muffler.	Check oil level/change oil.     Clean engine air screen.     Clean cylinder fins, air screen, muffler area.     Remove and clean muffler.
Excessive bounce/ difficult handling	Ground too dry and hard.     Wheels & depth stake incorrectly adjusted.	Moisten ground or wait for more favorable soil conditions.     Adjust wheels and depth stake.
Soil balls up or clumps	Ground too wet.	Wait for more favorable soil conditions.
Engine runs but tiller won't move	Tine control is not engaged.     V-belt not correctly adjusted.     V-belt is off pulley(s).	Engage tine control.     Inspect/adjust V-belt.     Inspect V-belt.
Engine runs but labors when tilling	Tilling too deep.     Throttle control not properly adjusted.	Set depth stake for shallower tilling.     Check throttle control setting.



#### **Consumer Wheeled Products - Limited Warranty**

Husqvarna warrants to the original retail purchaser that this Husqvarna® product is **free from defects in material or workmanship** under normal use and maintenance from the date of retail purchase for the applicable Warranty Period shown on <u>Exhibit A.</u> This Limited Warranty may not be transferred to any subsequent purchaser of this Husqvarna® product. Certain components (e.g., engines and transmissions) are excluded from coverage, and other limitations apply, as described in this document. Husqvarna will repair or replace at its discretion, any defective product or part covered by the Limited Warranty, free of charge at any authorized Husqvarna Servicing Dealer/Center using original OEM Husqvarna replacement parts, subject to the limitations and exclusions described below. Husqvarna does not offer an over-the-counter exchange program.

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- 4. Engines, Transmissions and certain other components are NOT covered. This Limited Warranty does not cover any of the following:
- (a) Engines and Attachments. Except where otherwise indicated on Exhibit A, all Engines and Attachments are not covered by this Limited Warranty. In most cases, these items are NOT manufactured by Husqvarna in which case they may be covered separately by their respective manufacturer's warranties if one is provided and included with the product at the time of purchase. All such claims must be submitted and sent to the appropriate manufacturer or as otherwise directed in those separate warranties. Husqvarna is not authorized to handle warranty adjustments or repairs on engines manufactured by Briggs & Stratton, Honda, Kawasaki, or Kohler (with the exception of models equipped with LCT engines). Husqvarna does not assume any warranty obligation of the other manufacturers' engines under this Limited Warranty.
- (b) Transmissions. Except where otherwise indicated on ExhibitA, Transmission / Transaxle (including Drive Systems) are not covered by this Limited Warranty. In most cases, these items are NOT manufactured by Husqvarna in which case they may be covered separately by their respective manufacturer's warranties if one is provided and included with the product at the time of purchase. The following transmission / transaxle manufacturers, Dana, Hydro-Gear, Tuff-Torq provide a warranty for the transmission / transaxle to the ultimate purchaser or to Husqvarna. Husqvarna will assign the transmission / transaxle manufacturer's warranty or any rights thereof to the original purchaser of the unit. To obtain transmission / transaxle warranty service, first contact the retailer who you purchased the unit from. Should you require assistance or have any questions concerning transmission / transaxle warranty coverage, contact Husqvarna directly at our website www.husqvarna.com or call 800-487-5951 (US) or 800-805-5523 (Canada) for an authorized Husqvarna service provider. All such claims must be submitted and sent to the appropriate manufacturer or as otherwise directed in those separate warranties. Husqvarna is not authorized to handle warranty adjustments or repairs on transmissions or transaxles. Husqvarna does not assume any obligations under this Limited Warranty for the above listed manufacturers (for exceptions see Exhibit A).
- (c) Expendable Parts. This Limited Warranty does not cover general maintenance parts and items ("Expendable Parts"), including without limitation spark plugs, bulbs, filters, lubricants, starter cords, belts, blades, and blade adapters.
- (d) Emissions Control Components. This Limited Warranty does not cover Emissions control equipment and components to the extent regulated by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency or similar state, provincial or federal agencies. Such equipment and components are covered by a separate emission control warranty statement supplied with your new product. Please consult this separate warranty statement for details.
- 5. Any COMMERCIAL, INSTITUTIONAL, AGRICULTURAL, INDUSTRIAL, INCOME PRODUCING, or RENTAL use will result in either No Warranty or a Shortened Warranty Period. Depending on the product, there is either NO WARRANTY (whether statutory, contractual or otherwise) or a reduced warranty if the product is used for commercial, institutional, agricultural, industrial, income producing, or rental purposes and, in such circumstances, this Limited Warranty is offered instead of and replaces any warranty regime provided for by law. Please refer to Exhibit A.
- 6. **Reconditioned or Refurbished Products have a 30 Day Limited Warranty.** Under this Limited Warranty, Certified Factory Reconditioned or Refurbished products have a 30 Day Limited Warranty for parts and labor for Non-Commercial Use. Products are only reconditioned at the Husqvarna Factory.
- 7. **Owner's (Your) Responsibilities.** To preserve your rights under this Limited Warranty, you must exercise reasonable care and use of the product, including, following the preventative maintenance, storage, fuel and oil usages as prescribed in the enclosed operator's manual. For example, the following items are the Owner's responsibility and are <u>not</u> covered by this Limited Warranty:
  - a. Set-up and pre-delivery service, and engine tune-ups;
  - b. Adjustments after the first (30) thirty days of purchase and beyond, such as throttle cable, belt guides adjustments; and
  - c. Preventative maintenance as outlined in the operator's manual.

In addition, you must cease using the product immediately upon any failure or damage. The product should be taken to an authorized Husqvarna servicing dealer prior to any further use.

8. **Damages resulting from normal aging, wear and tear or neglect are NOT covered.** The Limited Warranty does not cover damage other than that resulting from defects in material or workmanship. The following are NOT considered defects in material or workmanship, and therefore are NOT covered.



- (a) Abrasion to mower decks;
- (b) Tires damaged by external punctures;
- (c) Natural discoloration of materials due to ultraviolet light;
- (d) Damage to cutting equipment by way of contact with, rocks, or other non-approved materials and/or structures;

In addition, this Limited Warranty does not cover damages, malfunctions or failures resulting from abuse or neglect of the product related to or including any of the following:

- (e) Failure to provide or perform required maintenance services as prescribed in the operator's manual;
- (f) Abuse, misuse, neglect, modifications, alterations, normal wear, improper servicing, use of unauthorized attachments, Lack of lubrication or engine failure, due to the use of oils that do not meet Engine manufacturer's specifications;
- (g) Use of gasohol, containing methanol (wood alcohol). Gasohol which contains a maximum 10% ethanol (grain alcohol) or 15% MTBE (methyl/tertiary/butyl/ether) is approved;
- (h) Use of ether or any starting fluids;
- (i) Pressure cleaning or steam cleaning the product;
- (j) Use of spark plugs other than those meeting emission performance requirements listed in the operator's manual;
- (k) Tampering with engine speed governor or emission components, or running engines above specified and recommended engine speeds as listed in your operator's manual;
- (1) Operation of the unit with improperly installed/removed or modified cutting shields, guards, or safety devices;
- (m) Any removed/damaged air filter, excessive dirt, abrasives, salt water, moisture, corrosion, rust, varnish, stale fuel, or any adverse reaction due to incorrect storage procedures;
- (n) Failures due to improper set up, pre-delivery service or repair service by anyone other than an authorized Husqvarna servicing dealer during the warranty period;
- (o) Dirt contaminated grease or oil, use of incorrect type of greases or oils, failure to comply with recommended greasing intervals, water or moisture damage, and/or improper storage;
- (p) Sprayers pumping or spraying caustic or flammable materials, lack of or broken strainers; or
- (q) Continued use of product, after initial operational problem or failure occurs.
- 9. **Reinforced Stamped (Armor Protected) 10 Year Limited & Fabricated Limited Lifetime, Deck Warranties.** These Limited Warranties are for the deck shell only mechanical components/parts such as belts, pulleys, spindle housings, bearings, blades, rods, height adjusters, caster/anti scalp wheels etc... are NOT covered. The Limited Lifetime Warranty does not cover damage other than that resulting from defects in material or workmanship. The following are NOT considered defects in material or workmanship, and therefore are NOT covered:
  - (a) Abrasion to mower decks, including sand wear;
  - (b) Damage to cutting equipment by way of contact with, rocks, or other non-approved materials and/or structures;
  - (c) Rust and corrosion; and
  - (d) Natural discoloration of paint or other materials due to ultraviolet light.

#### HOW TO OBTAIN SERVICE

- 10. **Authorized Husqvarna Servicing Dealer/Center.** In order to obtain warranty coverage it is your responsibility (at your expense) to deliver or ship your Husqvarna unit to an authorized Husqvarna Servicing Dealer/Center and arrange for pick-up or return of your unit after the repairs have been made. If you do not know the location of your nearest authorized Husqvarna Servicing Dealer, call Husqvarna, at 1-800-487-5951 during the hours of 8:00 AM to 8:00 PM Eastern Standard Time, or visit <a href="www.husqvarna.com">www.husqvarna.com</a>. Should you require assistance or have questions concerning this Limited Warranty, you may contact us at 800-487-5951 (US) or 800-805-5523 (Canada) during the hours of 8:00 AM to 8:00 PM Eastern Standard Time or contact us through the web at www.husqvarna.com.
- 11. **Documentation Required.** You must maintain and present Proof of purchase (including date, product model and, if applicable, engine serial number) to an authorized Husqvarna Servicing Dealer for warranty service under this Limited Warranty. Proof of purchase rests solely with you. Husqvarna encourages you to register your product online at <a href="https://www.usa.husqvarna.com">www.usa.husqvarna.com</a> (US & Canada) to help ensure, among other things, that you can be notified of important product information. However, registering your product is not a condition of warranty service.

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**Consumer Wheeled Limited Warranty Chart 2012** 

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Consumer wi	neeled Limited Warra	anty Chart 2012	Exhibit A
Product/Commonant	Consumer (personal, household use only)	Commercial (any commercial, professional, institutional, agricultural, or income producing use, other than	Rental (any rental usage)
Piding Lown Treature:		Rental Use)	
Riding Lawn Tractors: Frame, Chassis, Front Axle	5 Years	No Warranty	No Warranty
Engine*	5 rears	*	*
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Transmission (if made by Husqvarna/Peerless)	3 Years	No Warranty	No Warranty
Transmission (if third party)**	**	**	**
XLS Models only - stamped deck shell. Armor	40.14		
Protected Limited Warranty	10 Years	No Warranty	No Warranty
Fabricated Deck shell. Limited Lifetime Warranty		No Warranty	No Warranty
Battery	1 Year Pro-rated	No Warranty	No Warranty
Other Non-Expendable Components	3 Years	No Warranty	No Warranty
Residential Zero Turn Mowers ( RZ Only )		+	*
Engine*	**		
Transmission **	**	No Warranty	No Warranty
RZ4623 (967009801 & 967009802) RZ5426 (967003601 & 967003602) - stamped deck shell. Armor Protected Limited Warranty	10 Years	No Warranty	No Warranty
Fabricated Deck shell. Limited Lifetime Warranty	***	No Warranty	No Warranty
Battery	1 Year Pro-rated	No Warranty	No Warranty
Other Non-Expendable Components	3 Years	No Warranty	No Warranty
Residential Zero Turn Mowers ( MZ & EZ )			
Engine*	*	*	*
Transmission **	**	**	**
MZ5424S & MZ5425S (967003901 & 25021) - stamped deck shell. Armor Protected Limited Warranty	10 Years	No Warranty	No Warranty
Fabricated Deck shell. Limited Lifetime Warranty	***	No Warranty	No Warranty
Battery	1 Year Pro-rated	No Warranty	No Warranty
Other Non-Expendable Components	3 Years	1 Year	No Warranty
E475 Edger, Tillers, Snow Throwers			
Engine*	*	*	*
Other Non-Expendable Components	2 Years	90 days	90 days
Tiller Tines	***	No Warranty	No Warranty
Walk Behind Mowers, High Wheel Trimmer	*		
Engine*		*	*
Battery	1 Year Pro-rated	No Warranty	No Warranty
Other Non-Expendable Components	3 Years	No Warranty	No Warranty
Hovering Trimmers			
Engine*	*	*	*
Other Non-Expendable Components	2 Years	1 Year	90 days
Front Mounted Deck Riders			
Engine*	*	*	*
Transmission	2 Years	No Warranty	No Warranty
Other Non-Expendable Components	2 Years	No Warranty	No Warranty
Cultivators			
Battery	1 Year Pro-rated	No Warranty	No Warranty
Other Non-Expendable Components	2 Years	No Warranty	No Warranty
Pressure Washers			
Model 5525PW:			
Engine*	*	*	*
Pump	2 Years	No Warranty	No Warranty
Other Non-Expendable Components	2 Years	No Warranty	No Warranty
All other Pressure Washers (6027PW, 9032PW, 134			
Engine*	*	*	*
Pump	2 Years	2 Years	No Warranty
Other Non-Expendable Components	2 Years	2 Years	No Warranty

G	enerators			
	Engine*	*	*	*
		*2 Years (2nd Year Parts		
	Other Non-Expendable Components*	Only)	*2 Years-1365GN (2nd Year Parts Only)	No Warranty
Sp	preaders			



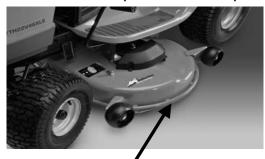
**Consumer Wheeled Limited Warranty Chart 2012** 

Exhibit A

	Consumer (personal,	Commercial (any commercial,	<b>Rental</b> (any			
	household use only)	professional, institutional, agricultural, or	rental usage)			
		income producing use, other than				
Product/Component		Rental Use)				
Spreader	1 Year	1 Year	1 Year			
Robotic Mowers						
Robotic Mower	2 Years	90 days	90 days			
Battery	1 Year	1 Year	1 Year			
Parts & Accessories (if purchased)						
Accessories (e.g., grass catcher, bumper guard						
accessories, etc.	1 Year	No Warranty	No Warranty			
Parts (e.g., belts, blades, etc.)	30 days	No Warranty	No Warranty			
Parts & Accessories (if replaced in Warranty Service)						
Replacement parts and/or accessories provided						
under this Limited Warranty are warranted only for						
the BALANCE of the warranty period applicable to						
the part or accessory that was replaced.	See to left	See to left	See to left			
	Consumer	Commercial	Rental			

<sup>\*</sup> See Separate Engine Manufacturer's or Manufacturer's warranty. LCT Engines on specific Snow Throwers & Tillers, warranty through Husqvarna.

#### **Armor Protected Stamped Deck Shell Example Below**



Armor Protected Stamped Deck Shell Reinforced area

#### **Fabricated Deck Shell Example Below**



Stamped Deck Shell below, NOT reinforced



No reinforced area

<sup>\*\*</sup> See reference 1 (b) of the warranty statement.

RZ - Two (2) Year Consumer warranty, parts & labor, with Hydro-Gear Distributor network.

EZ - One (1) Year Commercial warranty, parts & labor, with Husqvarna.

Two (2) Year Consumer warranty, parts & labor, with Hydro-Gear Distributor network.

MZ - Two (2) Year Commercial warranty, parts & labor, with Hydro-Gear Distributor network.

<sup>\*\*\* &</sup>quot;Limited Lifetime Warranty" on Tiller tines and Fabricated Deck shell is for the life of the product or 7 (seven) years after the last date of the complete unit's final production, whichever comes first. Deck Shell replacement will be limited to a maximum of two (2) decks within the Limited Lifetime Warranty.

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