



# Safety Information Sheet

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# Bedding Edger

## WARNINGS! & SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

1. KEEP HANDS AND FEET CLEAR OF HIGH SPEED DIGGING BLADE.
2. NEVER MANUALLY ROTATE BLADE WHEN ENGINE IS IN "ON" POSITION.
3. ALWAYS WEAR EYE PROTECTION.
4. KEEP HANDS AND FEET CLEAR OF PULLEYS AND BELTS WHEN ENGINE IS RUNNING.
5. CLEAR TRENCHING PATH OF ANY DEBRIS OR TOOLS.
6. LOCATE ALL UNDERGROUND POWER, TELEPHONE, GAS AND WATER LINES BEFORE TRENCHING.
7. ENGINE R.P.M. SHOULD RUN AT 3600 R.P.M.

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

1. FILL CRANKCASE OF ENGINE AND CLUTCH WITH OIL. FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS OF ENGINE MANUFACTURER.
2. MOVE FRONT WHEEL CARRIAGE (BE326) TO OPERATING POSITION BY PUSHING OR PULLING DEPTH ADJUSTMENT RELEASE (BE323) AND PULLING UP ON THE FRONT WHEEL CARRIAGE'S HANDLE.
3. START ENGINE.
4. PRESS DOWN ON HANDLE BARS SLIGHTLY TO RAISE BLADE CLEAR OF GROUND.
5. SQUEEZE THROTTLE LEVER ON HANDLE BAR TO START BLADE.
6. SLOWLY LOWER BLADE INTO SOIL UNTIL FRONT WHEEL IS ON THE GROUND.
8. VERIFY THAT YOUR TRENCHING PATH IS CLEAR AND PROCEED TO PULL GENTLY TO BEGIN TRENCHING.
8. TO CREATE CURVED BEDS SIMPLY PULL THE **BEDSCAPER™** MODEL **BE310** IN THE DIRECTION YOU WANT IT TO GO. GUIDE THE LEFT REAR TIRE ALONG EXISTING BED EDGES TO REDEFINE THEM.
9. WHEN YOU ARE FINISHED TRENCHING TURN ENGINE OFF.
10. MOVE FRONT WHEEL CARRIAGE TO TRAVELING POSITION BY REVERSING STEP 2.

## TROUBLE SHOOTING

PROBLEM	SOLUTION
IRREGULAR OR EXCESSIVE BELT WEAR	1. CHECK FOR PULLEY MISALIGNMENT. 2. USE OF OTHER THAN FACTORY POWER-RATED BELTS. 3. RATE OF DIG IS TOO FAST FOR SOIL CONDITION.
EXCESSIVE VIBRATION	1. LOOSE, BENT, OR BROKEN BLADE OR BIT. 2. LOOSE ENGINE MOUNT BOLTS. 3. ENGINE R.P.M. SHOULD BE 3600 R.P.M.
HOUSING CLOGGING WITH DIRT	1. SOIL IS TOO WET. 2. FOREIGN OBJECT IN HOUSING.
BENT OR BROKEN DIGGING BLADE	1. STRIKING HARD OBJECTS, SUCH AS BRICKS, LARGE ROCKS, AND STEEL OBJECTS.