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Safety Information Sheet

MORTAR MIXER

WARNING!

- Never perform any work on the mixer while it is running.
- Keep cowl closed and latched during the operation, close and latch cowl immediately after starting.
- Keep hands, clothing and jewelry away from all moving parts.
- Keep all guards in place, including drum guards.
- Never place your hands or any solid object into the drum while mixer is in operation.
- Wear ear protection for prolonged exposure to loud noise.
- Always wear splash goggles when operating mixer.
- Maximum towing speed 55 m.p.h.
- Never operate mixer in a poorly ventilated or enclosed area, fumes can cause sickness or death.

TO START:

- Open fuel valve under the gas tank all the way.
- Open throttle approximately half way and apply the choke.
- Pull starter rope sharply until engine starts.
- When started, open the choke and adjust the throttle as necessary to keep it running.
- Always operate the engine at full throttle when under load.

OPERATION

- Close the engine cover. NEVER operate the mixer with cover open.
- Pour half of required amount of water into the drum.
- Add half the required amount of sand.
- Add the total amount of required amount of mortar mix.
- Add the balance of the sand and water.
- To discharge the mix from the drum, lift up on the drum latch in the front post of the mixer to disengage drum. Use dump handle to dump the drum and control the discharge.
- Make sure the drum latch is engaged after discharge of mortar and before reloading the drum.
- After discharge of mortar, immediately pour in the required amount of water for the next batch.

CLEANING

- Thoroughly clean the inside and out at the end of each day's operation.
- Drum may be scoured by 2 minute operation with gravel and water mixture.
- Discharge, then hose down drum inside and out.
- Before cleaning unit shut off the engine.
- Spray with water before the mix dries.
- DO NOT beat on drum with shovel, hammer or other device to break up accumulations, this will dent and damage the drum.

WARNING! Never pour or spray water on engine or motor. Always disconnect spark plug wire when cleaning.

TOWING

- Attach hitch to tow vehicle, tow pole fully extended and bolted to mixer securely.
- Safety chain hooked properly.
- Drum in the mixing position and drum latch engaged, clutch lever in the 12:00 position.