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Safety Information Sheet

Slit Seeder, 5 hp

WARNING! DO NOT operate on hills exceeding 35% grade. We recommend working across the slope, not up and down the slope.

WARNING! DO NOT place hands or feet near moving or rotating parts. Never use the machine bare foot.

WARNING! Inspect lawn and remove objects that might present a hazard before starting. Locate all fixed objects in the ground such as sprinkler heads, water valves, poles, etc. Always run machine around these objects.

BEFORE YOU START:

Mow the lawn 1/2" shorter than normal

Allow lawn to dry. Wet conditions may cause increased damage to healthy grass.

Set blade depth to penetrate the soil to a depth of 1/8" to 1/4" with a maximum penetration of 1/2". Check your seed bag for manufacture's recommended depth of application.

STARTING:

Set the depth lever in working position.

To engage clutch in heavy thatch, bear down on the handle to slightly raise front wheels. Engage the clutch and slowly lower the unit into the turf.

Do a small test area at a slow walking pace.

If the engine RPM drops excessively, the depth setting is too low.

If the unit pulls forward and bounces roughly, the depth setting is too low.

FINISHING:

Shut off engine and allow to cool for 2 minutes.

Close folding handle if unit is furnished with one.

It is recommended that two people lift machine.

Secure in place during transport.