

# Operating and Safety Instructions

## SCRUBCUTTER/WEEDEATER - PETROL

### USES CUTTING LONG GRASS AND SCRUB



#### PRE CHECK

Fuel tank is full (2 stroke 50:1 mix)  
Correct attachment for job to be done  
Harness properly adjusted on body



#### STARTING

Cold engine: close choke  
Warm engine: open choke  
Move ignition switch to 'ON' - lock throttle trigger by depressing trigger and throttle  
Lock button with thumb  
Place machine on the ground. With your left hand hold the machine on the ground and use your right arm to start. As soon as the engine fires open the choke. It may take another pull to start the engine. If the engine floods. Open the choke, apply full throttle and pull on the starter cord until the engine starts. Keep on full throttle for 15-20 seconds to clear the excess fuel from the barrel.



#### OPERATION

After machine has warmed up, fit the harness to your body and you are ready to commence work.  
These machines have a clutch which operates automatically when power is applied so a gentle pull on the throttle trigger will start the blade or line spinning.  
Approach the grass or brush holding the trigger full in, start cutting with sweeps from right to left, so as the throw the cutting away from you.  
Cut in direction of blade rotation.  
Use only engine revs required for the situation.



#### STOPPING

Idle engine  
Move ignition switch to off



#### SAFETY PRECAUTIONS AND EQUIPMENT

Always wear the correct close fitting clothing.  
When starting and using the machine, keep people and animals well clear.  
Check the area to be worked for foreign objects.  
Do not leave the machine running and unattended.  
If the blade breaks or distorts, do not continue to use machine.  
*Safety Equipment: Safety boots, goggles, earmuffs*



#### HAZARDS

Do not wear loose clothing or accessories  
Check the area for steel, bottles, wire, stones, and masonry etc before commencing work  
Do not use for long periods but rest occasionally to prevent back strain and white finger.

#### Personal Protective Equipment

