

Operating and Safety Instructions

ROTARY TILLER - PETROL

USES Tilling pre dug soils and breaking in ground



PRE CHECK

Fuel tank is full (91 octane)

Ensure engine oil and hydraulic oil are at proper levels before starting tiller.

STUDY AND UNDERSTAND CONTROLS BEFORE BEGINNING OPERATION.



STARTING

Turn ignition switch to "1".

Use choke for cold start. Pull starter cord.

When engine has fired release choke. Do not adjust the throttle.



OPERATION

CLUTCH LEVER: (At left handle grip) Activates Wheel Drive and Tine rotation contols when depressed. Stops all motion when released.

WHEEL DRIVE LEVER: The wheel speed is variable both in forward and reverse. Moving **WHEEL DRIVE** lever to the right causes the tiller to go forward; to the left to back up. the farther the control lever is moved away from center, the faster the tiller will travel. when the lever is centered, the wheels are locked in a neutral or park position

TINE DRIVE LEVER: The tines are variable speed in both directions. **TINE DRIVE** Automatic tine lock out when wheels are reversed. If an object becomes lodged in the tines, put the **WHEEL DRIVE** lever in neutral and reverse the tines to dislodge it.

WHEEL LOCKS. Used for free wheeling the tiller. Wheel locks MUST be engaged prior to tilling.

OPERATE TILLER ON LEVEL GROUND ONLY!

When starting to till, move the $\boldsymbol{\mathsf{TINE}}\ \boldsymbol{\mathsf{DRIVE}}$ lever to the forward position.

- Hold the CLUTCH LEVER to the handle grip to engage tines.
- Move the WHEEL DRIVE lever to the right until desired wheel speed is reached.
- Under most conditions, at least two passes must be made. For deeper tillage, move the depth bar up one hole at a time.

NEVER RUN MACHINE IN REVERSE WHILE TINES ARE ROTATING. always move the tine control lever to **the centre position** before reversing wheels.



STOPPING

Move stop start switch to '0'

RETURN TILLER CLEAN \$45 MINIMUM CLEANING CHARGE APPLIES IF RETUNED DIRTY.



SAFETY PRECAUTIONS AND EQUIPMENT

Keep the area of operation clear of all persons and check for any obstacles. Do not refill fuel tank with engine running Wear sturdy footwear

Do not wear any loose clothing



HAZARDS

Hot engine parts. Never allow smoking, sparks or flames around petrol.

Personal Protective Equipment







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