OPERATOR'S MANUAL

SPIN / RELIEF REEL MOWER GRINDER

RG5500





This book consists of three manuals:

The OPERATORS MANUAL in ENGLISH which contains all the information on operating and doing routine daily maintenance on this equipment.

The ASSEMBLY and SERVICE MANUAL which is used by the maintainence department to install the equipment and to do all maintenance except routine daily maintenance.

The OPERATORS MANUAL in FRENCH which is the same as the English version only translated into French.

SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS



Safety Awareness Symbols are inserted into this manual to alert you to possible **Safety Hazards**. Whenever you see these symbols, follow their instructions.



The *Warning Symbol* identifies special instructions or procedures which, if not correctly followed, could result in personal injury.

The *Caution Symbol* identifies special instructions or procedures which, if not strictly observed, could result in damage to or destruction of equipment.

- KEEP GUARDS IN PLACE and in working order.
- 2. REMOVE WRENCHES AND OTHER TOOLS.
- 3. KEEP WORK AREA CLEAN.
- DON'T USE IN DANGEROUS ENVIRONMENT.
 Don't use Grinder in damp or wet locations.
 Machine is for indoor use only. Keep work area well lit.
- 5. **KEEP ALL VISITORS AWAY.** All visitors should be kept a safe distance from work area.
- 6. **MAKE WORK AREA CHILD-PROOF** with padlocks or master switches.
- 7. **DON'T FORCE THE GRINDER.** It will do the job better and safer if used as specified in this manual
- 8. **USE THE RIGHT TOOL.** Don't force the grinder or an attachment to do a job for which it was not designed.
- WEAR PROPER APPAREL. Wear no loose clothing, gloves, neckties, or jewelry which may get caught in moving parts. Nonslip footwear is recommended. Wear protective hair covering to contain long hair.
- 10. ALWAYS USE SAFETY GLASSES.
- 11. **SECURE YOUR WORK.** Make certain that the cutting unit is securely fastened with the clamps provided before operating.

- 12. **DON'T OVERREACH.** Keep proper footing and balance at all times.
- 13. **MAINTAIN GRINDER WITH CARE.** Follow instructions in Service Manual for lubrication and preventive maintenance.
- 14. **DISCONNECT POWER BEFORE SERVICING**, or when changing the grinding wheel.
- 15. **REDUCE THE RISK OF UNINTENTIONAL STARTING.** Make sure all switches are **OFF** before plugging in the grinder.
- 16. USE RECOMMENDED ACCESSORIES. Consult the manual for recommended accessories. Using improper accessories may cause risk of personal injury.
- 17. CHECK DAMAGED PARTS. A guard or other part that is damaged or will not perform its intended function should be properly repaired or replaced.
- 18. **KNOW YOUR EQUIPMENT.** Read this manual carefully. Learn its application and limitations as well as specific potential hazards.
- 19. KEEP ALL SAFETY DECALS CLEAN AND LEGIBLE. If safety decals become damaged or illegible for any reason, replace immediately. Refer to replacement parts illustrations in Service Manual for the proper location and part numbers of safety decals.
- 20. DO NOT OPERATE THE GRINDER WHEN UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF DRUGS, ALCOHOL, OR MEDICATION.

SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS



IMPROPER USE OF GRINDING WHEEL MAY CAUSE BREAKAGE AND SERIOUS INJURY.



Grinding is a safe operation if the few basic rules listed below are followed. These rules are based on material contained in the ANSI B7.1 Safety Code for "Use, Care and Protection of Abrasive Wheels". For your safety, we suggest you benefit from the experience of others and follow these rules.

DO

- 1. **DO** always **HANDLE AND STORE** wheels in a careful manner.
- 2. **DO VISUALLY INSPECT** all wheels before mounting for possible damage.
- DO CHECK MACHINE SPEED against the established maximum safe operating speed marked on wheel.
- 4. **DO CHECK MOUNTING FLANGES** for equal and correct diameter.
- 5. **DO USE MOUNTING BLOTTERS** when supplied with wheels.
- 6. **DO** be sure **WORK REST** is properly adjusted.
- 7. **DO** always **USE A SAFETY GUARD COVERING** at least one-half of the grinding wheel.
- 8. **DO** allow **NEWLY MOUNTED WHEELS** to run at operating speed, with guard in place, for at least one minute before grinding.
- 9. **DO** always **WEAR SAFETY GLASSES** or some type of eye protection when grinding.

DON'T

- DON'T use a cracked wheel or one that HAS BEEN DROPPED or has become damaged.
- 2. **DON'T FORCE** a wheel onto the machine **OR ALTER** the size of the mounting hole--if wheel won't fit the machine, get one that will.
- DON'T ever EXCEED MAXIMUM OPERATING SPEED established for the wheel.
- 4. **DON'T** use mounting flanges on which the bearing surfaces **ARE NOT CLEAN**, **FLAT AND FREE OF BURRS**.
- 5. **DON'T TIGHTEN** the mounting nut **EXCESSIVELY.**
- 6. **DON'T** grind on the **SIDE OF THE WHEEL** (see Safety Code B7.2 for exception).
- 7. **DON'T** start the machine until the **WHEEL GUARD IS IN PLACE**.
- 8. **DON'T JAM** work into the wheel.
- DON'T STAND DIRECTLY IN FRONT of a grinding wheel whenever a grinder is started.
- DON'T FORCE GRINDING so that motor slows noticeably or work gets hot.



AVOID INHALATION OF DUST generated by grinding and cutting operations. Exposure to dust may cause respiratory ailments. Use approved NIOSH or MSHA respirators, safety glasses or face shields, and protective clothing. Provide adequate ventilation to eliminate dust, or to maintain dust level below the Threshold Limit Value for nuisance dust as classified by OSHA.

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This machine is intended for grinding the reel of reel type mower units <u>ONLY.</u>
Any use other than this may cause personal injury and void the warranty.



To assure the quality and safety of your machine and to maintain the warranty, you MUST use original equipment manufactures replacement parts and have any repair work done by a qualified professional.



ALL operators of this equipment must be thoroughly trained BEFORE operating the equipment.



Do not use compressed air to clean grinding dust from the machine. This dust can cause personal injury as well as damage to the grinder. Machine is for indoor use only. Do not use a power washer to clean the machine.

WARNING

FACTORY
PRESET.
FLASHING
GREEN LIGHT
INDICATES
LOW VOLTAGE,
FLASHING
RED LIGHT
INDICATES
HIGH VOLTAGE
DELIVERED
TO GRINDER

Low Voltage Relay

The grinder is equipped with a high-low voltage relay which is factory preset at 100-140 VAC. If the power supply line does not deliver 100-140 VAC power under load, the relay will open and trip out the starter. If this occurs, your power supply line is incorrect and must be correct before proceeding further with the grinder.

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DAILY MAINTENANCE BY THE OPERATOR

On a daily basis, clean the machine by wiping it off.

On a daily basis, remove all grinding grit from the grinding shaft, traverse shafts, and tooling bar area

On a daily basis, inspect the machine for loose fasteners or components.

Contact your company's Maintenance Department if damaged or defective parts are found.



DO NOT USE COMPRESSED AIR TO CLEAN GRINDING DUST FROM GRINDER.

SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

PLEASE TAKE SPECIAL NOTE OF THE FOLLOWING WARNING DECALS LOCATED ON THE GRINDER. **GENERAL INFORMATION GRINDING WHEEL RPM** CAUTION A CAUTION A ATENCIÓN To Avoid Injury: To Avoid Injury:
-Do not exceed grinding Para evitar lesiones: -No exceda la velocidad de funcionamiento máxima, de wheel maximum operating speed of 3600 revolutions ent during operation. Keep 3600 revoluciones por minuto, per minute. de la rueda rectificadora. Para evitar lesiones: **ELECTRICITY A CAUTION** and and FERONTUR RG5500 RG5500 TAYRONTIER SHARP OBJECTS ACAUTION AATENCIÓN

To Avoid Injury: -Keep hands away from rotating objects



Para evitar lesiones: -Mantenga las manos alejadas de los objetos giratorios

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GETTING TO KNOW YOUR GRINDER



SPECIFICATIONS

Traversing Switches Solid state, non-contacting proximity switches.

Overall Width 71" [181 cm]

Overall Height 69" [175 cm] with door closed, 87" [221 cm] with door open

Overall Depth 42" [107 cm] without workstation, 79" [201 cm] with optional workstation

Weight 1450 lbs. [658 kg] 1650 lbs shipping weight [748 kg]
Base Construction Precision heavy duty reinforced welded steel base
Carriage Rails Precision Ground, Hardened Steel - 1.000 Dia. [25.4 mm]

Parliage Ivalis Frechel Glouring, Table 19 Steel - 1.000 Dia. [25.4]

Grind Head Motor 1HP AC Motor, 3450 RPM

Spin Motor .20 HP Fan Cooled Variable Speed DC Motor

Sound Level More than 75 Dba, Less than 95 Dba

Auto Traverse Belt driven with easy to engage clamp system

Control System *Safety grind motor and spin drive door interrupt switches

*Reversible Spin drive for variable speed Spin or variable torque relief functions

*Variable speed traverse control.

Options: *Manual Winch and Boom Kit, Electric Winch and Boom Kit or Lift Platform.

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