

# 100 AND 150 FORAGE BLOWERS



## **OPERATORS MANUAL**

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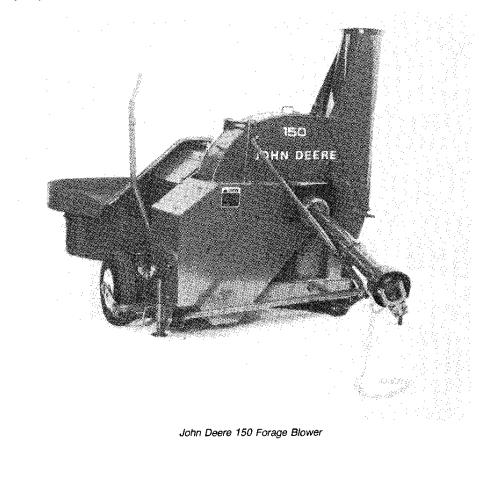
# Introduction

This safey alert symbol identifies important safety messages in this manual. When you see this symbol, be alert to the possibility of personal injury and carefully read the message that follows.

Your warranty appears on your copy of the purchase order copy which you should have received from your dealer.

Measurements are shown with the respective Metric equivalents throughout this operator's manual. These equivalents are the SI (International System) Units of Measure.

"Right-hand" and "left-hand" sides of the implement are determined by facing in the direction the implement will travel when going forward. Record the identification number(s) in the space provided following Specifications. Accurately record all of the characters because (should the product be stolen) tracing is sometimes through a computer match of letters and numbers. Also, your dealer needs this information when ordering parts. If you carry your operator's manual on the machine for reference, be sure to also record the identification number(s) on a separate sheet of paper and file it in a secure place not on the machine so you will still have a record in case the machine is stolen.



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### **RECOGNIZE SAFETY INFORMATION**

This is the safety-alert symbol. When you see this symbol on your machine or in this manual, be alert to the potential for personal injury.

**A** DANGER

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### UNDERSTAND SIGNAL WORDS

A signal word—DANGER, WARNING, or CAUTION—is used with the safety-alert symbol. DANGER identifies the most serious hazards.

Safety signs with signal word DANGER or WARNING are typically near specific hazards.

General precautions are listed on CAUTION safety signs. CAUTION also calls attention to safety messages in this manual.

### **OBSERVE "IMPORTANT" MESSAGES**

Messages labeled "Important" will appear in your operator's manual and/or on the machine to provide specific instructions for performing adjustments, services, etc. If these instructions are not followed, it could result in damage to the machine.

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### **PROTECT AGAINST NOISE**

Prolonged exposure to loud noise can cause impairment or loss of hearing.

Wear a suitable hearing protective device such as earmuffs (A) or earplugs (B) to protect against objectionable uncomfortable loud noises.



#### DO NOT MODIFY MACHINE

Unauthorized modifications to the machine may impair the function and/or safety and affect machine life.

#### SERVICE TIRES SAFELY

Failure to follow proper procedures when mounting a tire on a wheel or rim can produce an explosion which may result in serious injury or death. Do not attempt to mount a tire unless you have the proper equipment and experience to perform the job. Have it done by your John Deere dealer or a qualified tire repair service.

When sealing tire beads on rims, never exceed 35 psi (241 kPa) (2.4 bar) or maximum inflation pressures specified by tire manufacturers for mounting tires. Inflation beyond this maximum pressure may break the bead, or even the rim, with dangerous explosive force. If both beads are not seated when the maximum recommended pressure is reached, deflate, reposition tire, relubricate bead and reinflate.

Detailed tire mounting instructions, including necessary safety precautions, are contained in John Deere Fundamentals of Service (FOS) Manual 55, Tires and Tracks, available through your John Deere dealer. Such information is also available from the Rubber Manufacturers Association and from tire manufacturers.

> A—Use a Safety Cage if Available.
> B—Do Not Stand Over Tire. Use a Clip-on Chuck and Extension Hose.

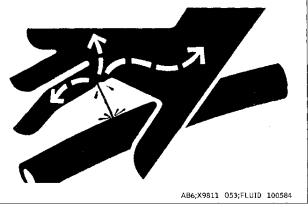


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#### **AVOID HIGH-PRESSURE FLUIDS**

Escaping fluid under pressure can penetrate the skin causing serious injury. Relieve pressure before disconnecting hydraulic or other lines. Tighten all connections before applying pressure. Keep hands and body away from pinholes and nozzles which eject fluids under high pressure. Use a piece of cardboard or paper to search for leaks.

If ANY fluid is injected into the skin, it must be surgically removed within a few hours by a doctor familiar with this type injury or gangrene may result.



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