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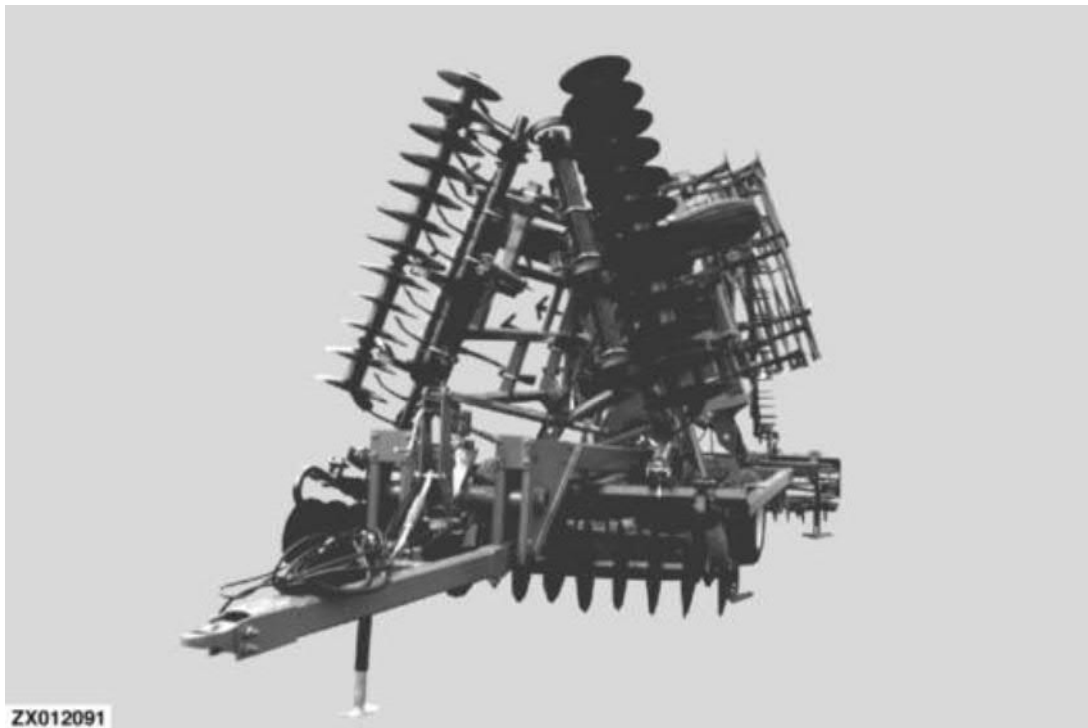
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# Identification View



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*420A Mulch Finisher-7.1 m version*

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# Safety

## 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.

Follow recommended precautions and safe operating practices.



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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.

DANGER or WARNING safety signs are located near specific hazards. General precautions are listed on CAUTION safety signs. CAUTION also calls attention to safety messages in this manual.



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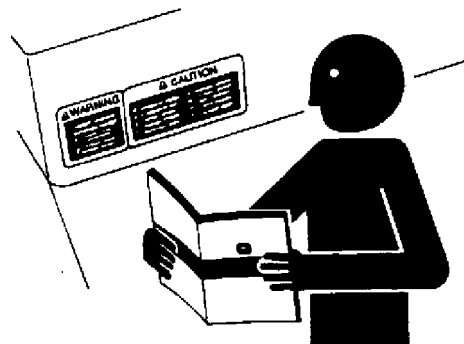
## FOLLOW SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

Carefully read all safety messages in this manual and on your machine safety signs. Keep safety signs in good condition. Replace missing or damaged safety signs. Be sure new equipment components and repair parts include the current safety signs. Replacement safety signs are available from your John Deere dealer.

Learn how to operate the machine and how to use controls properly. Do not let anyone operate without instruction.

Keep your machine in proper working condition. Unauthorized modifications to the machine may impair the function and/or safety and affect machine life.

If you do not understand any part of this manual and need assistance, contact your John Deere dealer.



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## OPERATE SAFELY

Never ride or permit others to ride on machine.

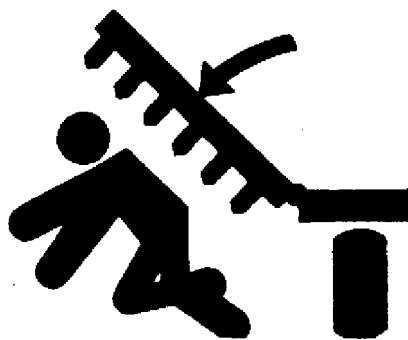
Stay clear of ditches or creeks during operation.

ALWAYS operate with wings in down position.

ALWAYS lower machine to ground when not in use.

ALWAYS have tractor stopped on level ground when raising or lowering wings.

ALWAYS shut off tractor and shift to "Park" or set brakes when leaving tractor.



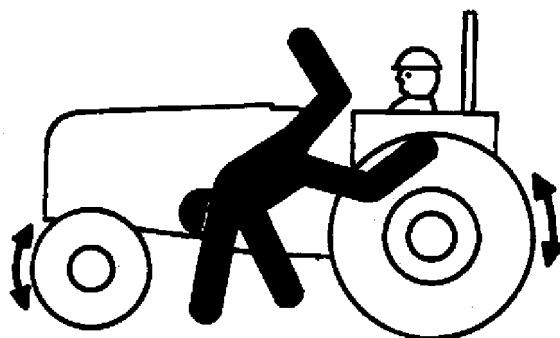
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## KEEP RIDERS OFF MACHINE

Only allow the operator on the machine. Keep riders off.

Riders on machine are subject to injury such as being struck by foreign objects and being thrown off of the machine. Riders also obstruct the operator's view resulting in the machine being operated in an unsafe manner.



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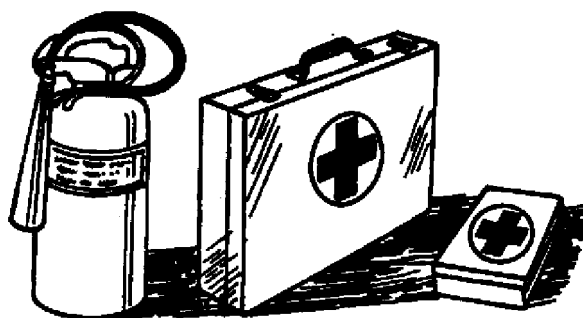
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## PREPARE FOR EMERGENCIES

Be prepared if a fire starts.

Keep a first aid kit and fire extinguisher handy.

Keep emergency numbers for doctors, ambulance service, hospital, and fire department near your telephone.



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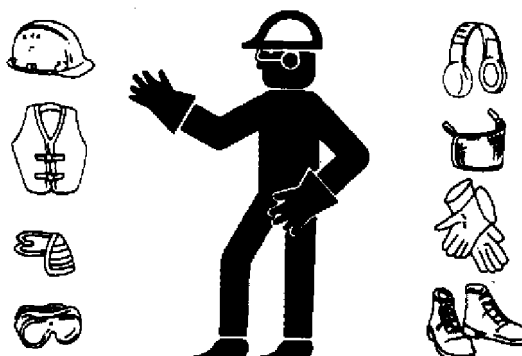
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## WEAR PROTECTIVE CLOTHING

Wear close fitting clothing and safety equipment appropriate to the job.

Operating equipment safely requires the full attention of the operator. Do not wear radio or music headphones while operating machine.



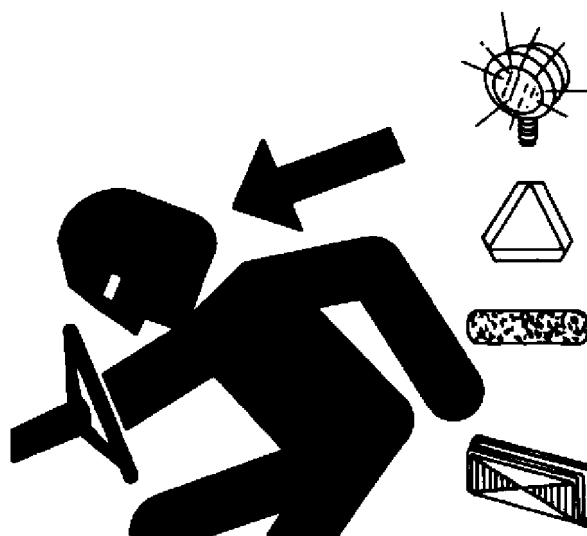
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## USE SAFETY LIGHTS AND DEVICES

Prevent collisions between other road users, slow moving tractors with attachments or towed equipment, and self-propelled machines on public roads. Frequently check for traffic from the rear, especially in turns, and use hand signals or turn signal lights.

Use headlights, flashing warning lights, and turn signals day and night. Follow local regulations for equipment lighting and marking. Keep lighting and marking visible and in good working order. Replace or repair lighting and marking that has been damaged or lost.



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## TRANSPORT SAFELY

BEWARE of overhead wires and KNOW the transport height and width of your machine. See Specifications section.

ALWAYS fold wings fully and install transport lockups on depth control cylinders.

Travel at a reasonable and safe speed.

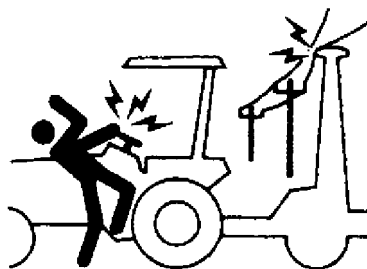
Latch the tractor brakes together.

Shift the tractor into a lower gear when transporting down steep slopes or hills.

Keep the SMV emblem and reflectors clean and visible from the rear.

Always pin drawbar in center position for ALL tractors when transporting.

When transporting the machine on a road or highway at night or during the day, use lights and devices for adequate warning operators of other vehicles. In this regard, check local governmental regulations. Various safety lights and devices are available from your John Deere dealer.



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