



MAINTENANCE CHECKLIST

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8000

8000-HER, 8000-SUN



Before conducting any maintenance procedures, make sure you are wearing proper safety equipment and the machine is disconnected from power.

**Refer to Service Manual for precise schedule*

WEEKLY RECOMMENDED MAINTENANCE

- Check battery condition.
- Check for misaligned, binding moving parts, broken parts, and any other conditions that may affect operation.
- Check that all screws are tight and secure.
- All maintenance, nameplates, and safety stickers must be in place and legible.
- Make sure the operator's manual is with the machine.

- Read the manual before operating the machine.
- Inspect the air filter.
- Check for propane, oil, and hydraulic fluid leaks.
- Check propane tank fuel level.
- Check engine oil level.
- When unit is cold, check coolant level.
- Check fan belt condition and tension.
- Ensure the seat is securely fastened to the machine. Check the seat safety switch. The operator must be properly seated for the machine to run.
- Sit on the machine, follow start procedure and verify machine runs. (See manual for start procedure)
- When the unit is powered on, push the two control levers forward and the 8000 will move forward. Pull the two control levers backwards to move the unit in reverse. Make sure the control levers return freely to the center position when not engaged.
- Check that the backup beeper is working.
- Check hydraulic fluid level.
 - Remove filler plug located in front of right, rear tire.
 - Hydraulic fluid should be visible 1" below hole.
 - Reinsert filler plug.
- Keep fittings and hoses tight. If a leak is noticeable, re-tighten fitting. If leakage persists, remove the connection and inspect. **Caution:** Never check for hydraulic leaks while machine is running.
- Remove any glue, mastic, and debris from wheels, debris deflector, and cutting head.
- Check cutting head for signs of wear, cracks, or other damage. Replace if necessary.
- Keep swivel caster and drive wheels clean and free of debris. Make sure they can move freely.
- Ensure there are no carpet strings wound between the wheels and drive motors, as this can damage the seals and cause malfunctions. Clean as needed and inspect before each use.
- Check rear wheels for damage and excessive wear.
- Check battery cables for corrosion and make sure they are secure.