

## HoverPro 400 Machine

Model No. 02600—Serial No. 314000001 and Up

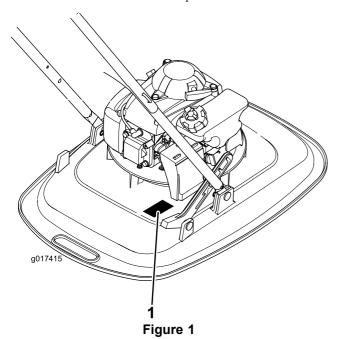
**Operator's Manual** 

## Introduction

Read this information carefully to learn how to operate and maintain your product properly and to avoid injury and product damage. You are responsible for operating the product properly and safely. Keep for future reference.

You may contact Toro directly at www.Toro.com for product and accessory information, help finding a dealer, or to register your product.

Whenever you need service, genuine Toro parts, or additional information, contact an Authorized Service Dealer or Toro Customer Service and have the model and serial numbers of your product ready. Figure 1 identifies the location of the model and serial numbers on the product.



#### 1. Model and serial number plate

Write the product model and serial numbers in the space below:

Model No	
Serial No	

This manual identifies potential hazards and has safety messages identified by the safety alert symbol (Figure 2),

which signals a hazard that may cause serious injury or death if you do not follow the recommended precautions.



#### 1. Safety alert symbol

This manual uses 2 words to highlight information. **Important** calls attention to special mechanical information and **Note** emphasizes general information worthy of special attention.

For models with stated engine horsepower, the gross horsepower of the engine was laboratory rated by the engine manufacturer in accordance with SAE J1349. As configured to meet safety, emission, and operating requirements, the actual engine horsepower on this class machine will be significantly lower.

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## **Safety**

This cutting machine can amputate hands and feet and throw objects. Failure to observe the following safety instructions could result in serious injury or death.

The following safety section is adapted from ANSI B71.4–2012 and EN ISO 5395:2013.

## **General Operation**

- Read the *Operator's Manual* and other training material. If the operator(s) or mechanic(s) cannot read English it is the owners responsibility to explain this material to them.
- Become familiar with the safe operation of the equipment, operator controls, and the safety signs.
- All operators and mechanics should be trained. The owner is responsible for training the users.
- Never let children or untrained people operate or service the equipment. Local regulations may restrict the age of the operator.
- The owner/user can prevent and is responsible for accidents or injuries occurring to themselves, other people, or property.
- Do not put hands or feet near or under the machine.
- Evaluate the terrain to determine what accessories and attachments are needed to properly and safely perform the job. Only use accessories and attachments approved by the manufacturer.
- Clear the area of objects such as rocks, wire, toys, etc., which could be thrown by the cutting line. Stay behind the handle when the engine is running.
- Be sure the area is clear of bystanders before operating.
   Stop machine if anyone enters the area.
- Wear appropriate clothing including hard hat, safety glasses, and hearing protection. Long hair, loose clothing, or jewelry may get tangled in moving parts.
- Do not operate machine barefooted or while wearing sandals. Always wear substantial, slip-resistant footwear and long pants.
- Do not pull machine backward unless absolutely necessary. Always look down and behind before and while moving backward.

- Slow down and use caution when making turns and crossing roads and sidewalks. Stop cutting element if not mowing.
- Never direct discharged material toward anyone. Avoid discharging material against a wall or obstruction.
   Material may ricochet back toward the operator. Stop the cutting line when crossing gravel surfaces.
- Check that the operator's presence controls, safety switches, and shields are attached and functioning properly. do not operate unless they are functioning properly.
- Never leave a running machine unattended.
- Stop the engine and wait until the cutting line comes to a complete stop, and remove the spark plug wire before cleaning or unclogging the machine.
- Operate machine only in daylight or good artificial light.
- Do not operate machine while under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
- Never operate machine in wet grass. Always be sure of your footing; walk; never run.
- Never raise the deck with the engine running.
- If the machine should start to vibrate abnormally, stop the engine and check for the cause immediately. Vibration is generally a warning of trouble.
- Use care when loading or unloading the machine into a trailer or truck.

## **Slope Operation**

Slopes are a major factor related to slip and fall accidents, which can result in severe injury. Operation on all slopes require extra caution. If you feel uneasy on a slope, do not mow it.

- Mow across the face of slopes; never up and down.
   Exercise extreme caution when changing direction on slopes.
- Watch for holes, ruts, bumps, rocks, or other hidden objects. Uneven terrain could cause a slip and fall accident. Tall grass can hide obstacles.
- Do not mow on wet grass or excessively steep slopes. Poor footing could cause a slip and fall accident.
- Do not mow near drop-offs, ditches, or embankments. You could lose your footing or balance.
- When using the HoverPro, always keep both hands on the handlebar.
- When cutting steep slopes from the top of the slope and a longer reach is needed, never tie the HoverPro to a rope, use the extended handlebar kit option.

## Children

Tragic accidents can occur if the operator is not alert to the presence of children. Children are often attracted to the

machine and the mowing activity. **Never** assume that children will remain where you last saw them.

- Keep children out of the mowing area and under the watchful care of a responsible adult other than the operator.
- Be alert and turn machine off if a child enters the area.
- Never allow children to operate the machine.
- Use extra care when approaching blind corners, shrubs, trees, or other objects that may block your view of a child.

## **Service**

#### Safe Handling of Gasoline

To avoid personal injury or property damage, use extreme care in handling gasoline. Gasoline is extremely flammable and the vapors are explosive.

- Extinguish all cigarettes, cigars, pipes, and other sources of ignition.
- Use only an approved gasoline container.
- Never remove gas cap or add fuel with the engine running. Allow engine to cool before refueling.
- Never refuel or drain the machine indoors.
- Never store the machine or fuel container where there is an open flame, spark, or pilot light such as on a water heater or on other appliances.
- Never fill containers inside a vehicle or on a truck or trailer bed with a plastic liner. Always place containers on the ground away from your vehicle before filling.
- Remove gas-powered equipment from the truck or trailer and refuel it on the ground. If this is not possible, then refuel such equipment with a portable container, rather than from a gasoline dispenser nozzle.
- Keep the nozzle in contact with the rim of the fuel tank or container opening at all times until fueling is complete.
   Do not use a nozzle lock-open device.
- If fuel is spilled on clothing, change clothing immediately.
- Never overfill fuel tank. Replace gas cap and tighten securely.

## **A WARNING**

Exhaust contains carbon monoxide, an odorless, deadly poison that can kill you.

Do not run the engine indoors or in an enclosed area.

#### General Service

- Never operate machine in a closed area.
- Keep all nuts and bolts tight to be sure the equipment is in safe working condition.
- Never tamper with safety devices. Check their proper operation regularly.

- Keep machine free of grass, leaves, or other debris build-up. Clean up oil or fuel spillage and remove any fuel-soaked debris. Allow machine to cool before storing in an enclosed space.
- Never make any adjustments or repairs with the engine running. Disconnect the spark plug wire and ground against engine to prevent unintended starting.
- Do not change the engine governor setting or overspeed the engine.
- Maintain or replace safety and instruction labels, as necessary.
- If gasoline is spilled, do not attempt to start the engine but move the machine away from the area of spillage and avoid creating any source of ignition until the gasoline vapor has dissipated.
- Replace faulty silencers.
- Before using, always visually inspect to see that the cutting line, bolts and cutter assembly are not worn or damaged. Replace worn or damaged cutting lines in sets to preserve balance.
- Stop the cutting line if the machine has to be tilted for transportation when crossing surfaces other than grass, and when transporting the machine to and from the area to be mowed.
- Never pick up or carry a machine while the engine is running.
- Stop the engine and disconnect the spark plug wire, make sure that all moving parts have come to a complete stop:
  - Before clearing blockages.
  - Before checking, cleaning, or working on the machine.
  - After striking a foreign object. Inspect the machine for damage and make repairs before restarting and operating the machine.
  - If the machine starts to vibrate abnormally.
  - Whenever you leave the machine.
  - Before refueling.
- Ensure the engine and the fuel tank are empty of fuel before rotating the machine beyond a 25 degree angle.
- Use care when checking the cutting line. Wrap the cutting line or wear gloves, and use caution when servicing them. Only replace the cutting line.
- Keep hands and feet away from moving parts. If possible, do not make adjustments with the engine running.
- Shut off the fuel while storing or transporting the machine. Do not fuel near open flames, and do not drain fuel indoors.
- Park the machine on level ground. Never allow untrained personnel to service the machine.
- Allow the engine to cool before storing in any enclosure.
- Replace worn or damaged parts for safety.
- If the fuel tank has to be drained, this should be done outdoors. The drained fuel should be stored in a container

- specifically designed for fuel storage or it should be disposed of carefully.
- Start the engine carefully according to the *Operator's Manual* and with feet away from the cutting elements.
- Always wear ear protection.
- Do not tilt the machne when starting the engine, except if the trimmer has to be tilted for starting. In this case do not tilt it more than absolutely necessary and lift only the part which is away from the operator.
- Examine the machine regularly and replace worn or damaged parts for safety. Never replace the cutting unit with metal parts and only use cutting heads and cutting elements which are suitable for use at the operating speed of the trimmer;

#### **Sound Pressure**

This machine has a sound pressure level at the operator's ear of 88 dBA, which includes an Uncertainty Value (K) of 2 dBA. The sound pressure level was determined according to the procedures outlined in EN ISO 11201.

## **Sound Power**

This machine has a guaranteed sound power level of 98 dBA, which includes an Uncertainty Value (K) of 2 dBA. The sound power level was determined according to the procedures outlined in EN ISO 3744.

## **Vibration**

Measured vibration level for the left hand =  $3.4 \text{ m/s}^2$ .

Measured vibration level for the right hand =  $4.4 \text{ m/s}^2$ .

Uncertainty Value (K) =  $2 \text{ m/s}^2$ .

The measured values were determined according to the procedures outlined in EN ISO 20643.

## **Safety and Instructional Decals**

Important: Safety and instruction decals are located near areas of potential danger. Replace damaged decals.



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- Warning—Receive training on the product; read the Operator's Manual.
- Cutting/dismemberment hazard of hand or foot, Flexiblade line; disconnect the wire from the spark plug before working on the machine; never fit metal cutting parts.
- 3. Warning—wear eye and hearing protection.

- 4. Thrown object hazard; keep bystanders at least 15m (49ft) from the machine.
- Warning—do not touch hot surfaces; keep guards in place; Stay away from moving parts; keep guards in place.



 Warning—cutting/dismemberment hazard of hand or foot, cutting mechanism.



1. Engine stop

## **Setup**

**Note:** Determine right and left side of the machine from normal operating position.

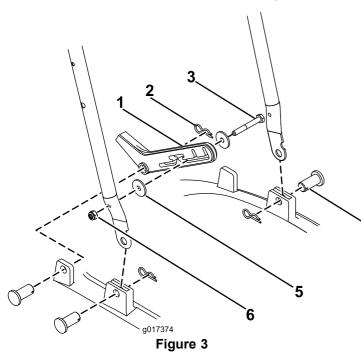


## **Assembling the Handle**

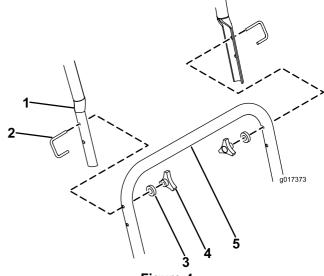
## No Parts Required

#### **Procedure**

1. Slide the lower handle into the frame (Figure 3).



- 2. Secure each side with a retaining pin and a haripin (Figure 3).
- 3. Secure the footstop to the right side of the lower handle using an M6 nut, and M6 bolt, and 2 washers (Figure 3).
- 4. Attach the footstop to the frame with a retaining pin and a hairpin (Figure 3).
- 5. Connect the upper handle to the lower handle by securing each side with a U bolt, an M6 washer, and a handwheel (Figure 4).



- Figure 4
- 1. Upper handle
- 2. Hand wheel
- 3. Washer

- 4. U bolt
- 5. Lower handle

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## Filling the Engine with Oil

## No Parts Required

#### **Procedure**

**Important:** Your machine does not come with oil in the engine. Before starting the engine, fill the engine with oil.

Max. fill: 0.59 l (20 oz.), type: SAE 30 or SAE 10W-30 detergent oil with an API service classification of SF, SG, SH, SJ, SL, or higher.

- 1. Move the machine to a level surface.
- 2. Remove the dipstick (Figure 5).

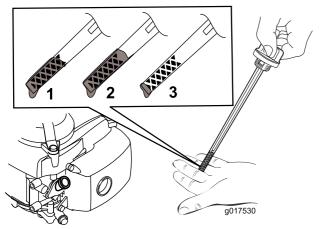
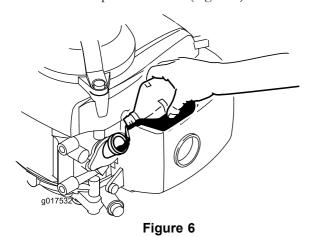


Figure 5

- 1. The oil level is at its maximum.
- The oil level is too low—add oil to the crankcase.
- 2. The oil level is too high—remove oil from the crankcase.
- 3. **Slowly** pour oil into the oil fill hole, wait 3 minutes, and check the oil level on the dipstick by wiping the dipstick clean and then inserting, **but not screwing in,** the oil fill cap into the hole (Figure 6).



**Note:** Fill the engine crankcase with oil until the dipstick indicates that the engine oil level is correct as shown in Figure 5. If you overfill the engine with oil, remove the excess oil as directed in Changing the Engine Oil.

4. Install the dipstick and hand tighten it securely.

Important: Change the engine oil after the first 5 operating hours; change it yearly thereafter. Refer to Changing the Engine Oil.

## **Product Overview**

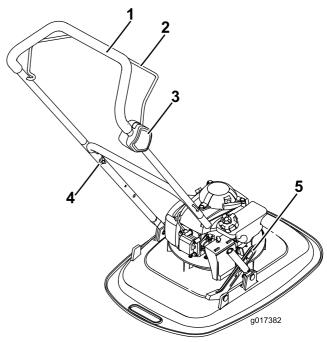
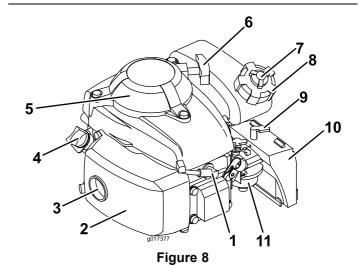


Figure 7

- 1. Handle
- 2. Engine stop handle
- 3. Switch box
- 4. Handlebar securing knob
- 5. Footstop



- 1. Spark plug
- 2. Exhaust guard
- 3. Exhaust
- 4. Dipstick
- 5. Finger guard
- 6. Starter grip

- 7. Fuel cap vent knob
- 8. Fuel cap
- 9. Choke lever
- Air cleaner
- 11. Carburetor

## **Specifications**

Model	Cutting width	Product width
02600	400 mm (15.75 inches)	500 mm (19.68 inches)

## **Operation**

## Filling the Fuel Tank

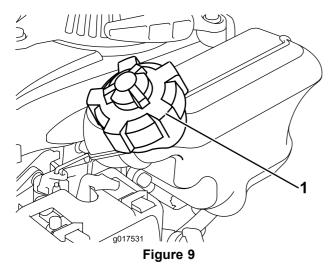
## **A DANGER**

Gasoline is extremely flammable and explosive. A fire or explosion from gasoline can burn you and others.

- To prevent a static charge from igniting the gasoline, place the container and/or machine directly on the ground before filling, not in a vehicle or on an object.
- Fill the tank outdoors when the engine is cold. Wipe up spills.
- Do not handle gasoline when smoking or around an open flame or sparks.
- Store gasoline in an approved fuel container, out of the reach of children.

#### Recommended Fuel:

- For best results, use only clean, fresh (less than 30 days old), unleaded gasoline with an octane rating of 87 or higher ((R+M)/2 rating method).
- Ethanol: Gasoline with up to 10% ethanol (gasohol) or 15% MTBE (methyl tertiary butyl ether) by volume is acceptable. Ethanol and MTBE are not the same. Gasoline with 15% ethanol (E15) by volume is not approved for use. Never use gasoline that contains more than 10% ethanol by volume, such as E15 (contains 15% ethanol), E20 (contains 20% ethanol), or E85 (contains 85% ethanol). Using unapproved gasoline may cause performance problems and/or engine damage which may not be covered under warranty.
- Do not use gasoline containing methanol.
- **Do not** store fuel either in the fuel tank or fuel containers over the winter unless a fuel stabilizer is used.
- **Do not** add oil to gasoline.



1. Fuel cap

## **Checking the Engine Oil Level**

Service Interval: Before each use or daily

- 1. Move the machine to a level surface.
- 2. Remove the dipstick and wipe it with a clean cloth.
- 3. Insert, **but do not screw in,** the dipstick into the oil fill hole.
- 4. Remove the dipstick and check it.
- 5. To determine the proper oil level on the dipstick, refer to Figure 10).

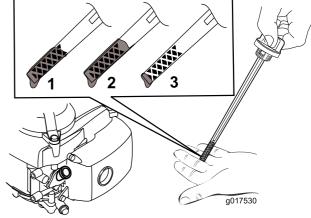


Figure 10

- 1. The oil level is at its maximum.
- The oil level is too high—remove oil from the crankcase.
- The oil level is too low—add oil to the crankcase.
- 6. If the oil level is low, **slowly** pour oil into the oil fill hole, wait 3 minutes, and check the oil level on the dipstick by wiping the dipstick clean and then inserting, **but not screwing in,** the oil fill cap into the hole.

**Note:** Max. fill: 0.59 l (20 oz.), SAE 10W-30 detergent oil with an API service classification of SF, SG, SH, SJ, SL, or higher.

**Note:** Fill the engine crankcase with oil until the dipstick indicates that the engine oil level is correct as shown in Figure 10. If you overfill the engine with oil, remove the excess oil as directed in Changing the Engine Oil.

7. Install the dipstick and hand tighten it securely.

Important: Change the engine oil after the first 5 operating hours; change it yearly thereafter. Refer to Changing the Engine Oil.

## **Adjusting the Cutting Height**

#### **A WARNING**

Adjusting the cutting height may bring you into contact with the moving cutting unit, causing serious injury.

- Stop the engine and wait for all moving parts
- Wear gloves while handling the cutting unit.

## **A** CAUTION

If the engine has been running, the muffler will be hot and can severely burn you. Keep away from the hot muffler.

Adjust the cutting height as desired.

- Turn the fuel switch to the off position.
- Disconnect the wire from the spark plug.
- Tilt the machine on its left side.
- Wearing protective gloves, remove the nylon cutting
- Reposition the spacers to the desired height, then reinstall the nylon cutting line.

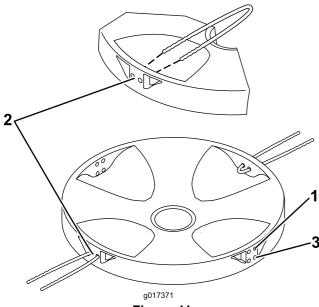


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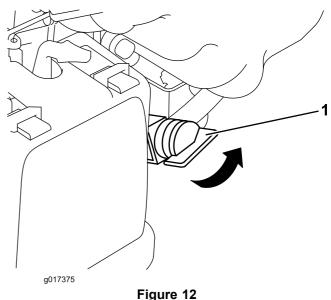
High

3. Low

Middle

## Starting the Engine

- Open the fuel tank vent by turning the vent knob at least 2 or 3 turns counterclockwise.
- Turn the fuel valve to the on position (Figure 12).



- 1. Fuel valve
- Place your foot on the deck and tilt the machine towards you (Figure 13).



Pull the recoil start handle.

Note: Do not allow the starter grip to snap back against the engine. Return it gently to prevent damage to the starter.

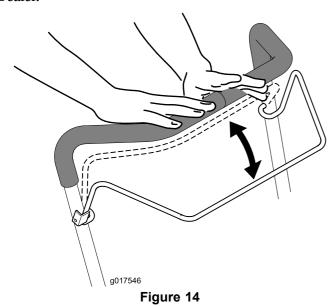
**Note:** If the machine does not start after several attempts, contact an Authorized Service Dealer.

## **Stopping the Engine**

Service Interval: Before each use or daily

To stop the engine, release the engine stop handle (Figure 14).

**Important:** When you release the engine control bar, both the engine and cutting line should stop within 5 seconds. If they do not stop properly, stop using your machine immediately and contact an Authorized Service Dealer.



## Hauling

- Use care when loading or unloading the machine into a trailer or a truck.
- Tie the machine down securely using straps, chains, cable, or ropes. Both the front and the rear straps should be directed down and outward from the machine.

## **Operating Tips**

## **General Mowing Tips**

- Clear the area of sticks, stones, wire, branches, and other debris that the cutting line could hit.
- Avoid striking solid objects with the cutting line. Never deliberately mow over any object.
- If the machine strikes an object or starts to vibrate, immediately stop the engine, disconnect the wire from the spark plug, and examine the machine for damage.
- For best performance, install a new cutting line before the cutting season begins.
- Replace the cutting line when necessary with a Toro replacement cutting line.

#### **Cutting Grass**

- Cut only about a third of the grass blade at a time. Do not cut below the 51 mm (2 inch) setting unless the grass is sparse or it is late fall when grass growth begins to slow down. Refer to Adjusting the Cutting Height.
- Mow only dry grass or leaves. Wet grass and leaves tend to clump on the yard and can cause the machine to plug or the engine to stall.

#### **A WARNING**

Wet grass or leaves can cause serious injury if you slip and contact the cutting line. Mow only in dry conditions.

- Alternate the mowing direction. This helps disperse the clippings over the lawn for even fertilization.
- If the finished lawn appearance is unsatisfactory, try one or more of the following:
  - Replace the cutting line.
  - Walk at a slower pace while mowing.
  - Raise the cutting height on your machine.
  - Cut the grass more frequently.
  - Overlap cutting swaths instead of cutting a full swath with each pass.

#### **Cutting Leaves**

- After cutting the lawn, ensure that half of the lawn shows through the cut leaf cover. You may need to make more than one pass over the leaves.
- Slow down your mowing speed if the machine does not cut the leaves finely enough.

## **Maintenance**

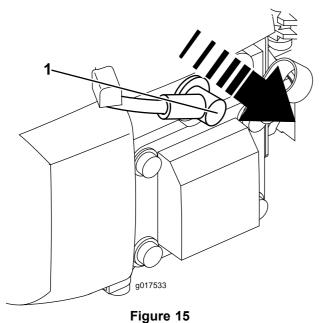
**Note:** Determine the left and right sides of the machine from the normal operating position.

## Recommended Maintenance Schedule(s)

Maintenance Service Interval	Maintenance Procedure
After the first 5 hours	Change the engine oil.
Before each use or daily	<ul> <li>Check the engine oil level.</li> <li>Ensure that the engine stops within 5 seconds after releasing the engine stop handle.</li> <li>Clean grass clippings and dirt from the entire machine.</li> </ul>
After each use	Clean grass clippings and dirt from the entire machine.
Every 100 hours	Check the spark plug and replace it if necessary.
Before storage	<ul> <li>Empty the fuel tank before repairs as directed and before annual storage.</li> <li>Clean the cooling system; remove grass clippings, debris, or dirt from the engine air cooling fins and starter. Clean the system more frequently in dirty or high-chaff conditions.</li> </ul>
Yearly	<ul> <li>Replace the air filter; replace it more frequently in dusty operating conditions.</li> <li>Change the engine oil.</li> </ul>

## **Preparing for Maintenance**

- Stop the engine and wait for all moving parts to stop.
- Disconnect the spark plug wire from the spark plug (Figure 15) before performing any maintenance procedure.



Spark plug wire

3. After performing the maintenance procedure(s), connect the spark plug wire to the spark plug.

## **A WARNING**

Tipping the machine may cause the fuel to leak. Gasoline is flammable, explosive and can cause personal injury.

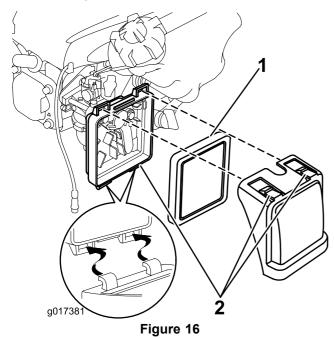
Run the engine dry or remove the gasoline with a hand pump; never siphon.

**Important:** Always tip the machine onto its side with the dipstick down.

## Replacing the Air Cleaner

Service Interval: Yearly

1. Press down on the latch tabs on top of the air cleaner cover (Figure 16).



1. Filter

- 2. Latch tabs
- 2. Open the cover (Figure 16).
- 3. Remove the filter (Figure 16).
- 4. Inspect the air filter.
  - A. If the filter is damaged or is wet with oil or fuel, replace it.
  - B. If the filter is dirty, tap it on a hard surface several times or blow compressed air less than 207 kPa (30 psi) through the side of the filter that faces the engine.

**Note:** Do not brush the dirt off the filter; brushing forces dirt into the fibers.

- 5. Remove dirt from the air cleaner body and cover using a moist rag. **Do not wipe dirt into the air duct.**
- 6. Insert the filter into the air cleaner (Figure 16).
- 7. Install the cover (Figure 16).

## **Changing the Engine Oil**

**Service Interval:** After the first 5 hours

Yearly

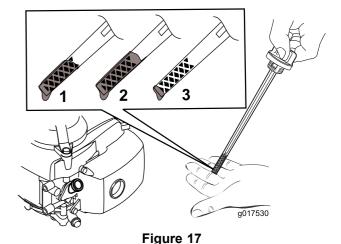
- 1. Ensure that the fuel tank contains little or no fuel so that fuel does not leak out when you tip the machine onto its side.
- 2. Run the engine a few minutes before changing the oil to warm it.

**Note:** Warm oil flows better and carries more contaminants.

- 3. Disconnect the wire from the spark plug. Refer to Preparing for Maintenance.
- 4. Remove the dipstick.
- 5. Tip the machine onto its side, with the dipstick down, to drain the used oil out through the oil fill tube.
- 6. Return the machine to the operating position.
- 7. **Slowly** pour oil into the oil fill hole, wait 3 minutes, and check the oil level on the dipstick by wiping the dipstick clean and then inserting, **but not screwing in**, the oil fill cap into the hole.

**Note:** Max. fill: 0.59 l (20 oz.), type: SAE 30 or SAE 10W-30 detergent oil with an API service classification of SF, SG, SH, SJ, SL, or higher.

**Note:** Fill the engine crankcase with oil until the dipstick indicates that the engine oil level is correct as shown in (Figure 17). If you overfill the engine with oil, remove the excess oil as directed in 5.



- 8. Install the dipstick and hand tighten it securely.
- 9. Dispose of the used oil properly at a local recycling center.

## Servicing the Spark Plug

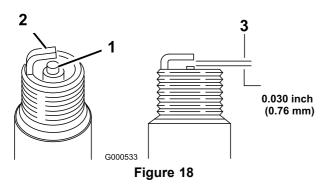
Service Interval: Every 100 hours

Check the spark plug after every 100 operating hours. Use an **Champion RN9YC** spark plug or equivalent.

- 1. Stop the engine and wait for all moving parts to stop.
- 2. Disconnect the wire from the spark plug.
- 3. Clean around the spark plug.
- 4. Remove the spark plug from the cylinder head.

**Important:** Replace a cracked, fouled, or dirty spark plug. Do not clean the electrodes because grit entering the cylinder can damage the engine.

5. Set the gap on the plug to 0.76 mm (0.030 inch) (Figure 18).



- 1. Center electrode insulator
- Side electrode
- Air gap (not to scale)
- 6. Install the spark plug and the gasket seal.
- 7. Torque the plug to 20 N-m (15 ft-lb).
- 8. Connect the wire to the spark plug.

# Replacing the Nylon Cutting String

- Turn the fuel tap to the off position and close the vent knob.
- 2. Disconnect the wire from the spark plug.
- 3. Turn the machine on its left hand side, with the carburetor facing upwards.
- 4. **Wearing protective gloves,** remove the nylon cutting line.
- 5. Place one length of nylon cutting line into the desired cutting height setting. Ensure that a second length is placed in the corresponding cutting height on the opposite side of the cutting disc.

**Note:** If using a spare reel, cut the line to a length of 200 mm.

## **Cleaning the Machine**

Service Interval: Before each use or daily

After each use

## **A WARNING**

The machine may dislodge material from under the machine housing.

- Wear eye protection.
- Stay in the operating position (behind the handle).
- Do not allow bystanders in the area.
  - 1. Tip the machine on its side.
  - Use a brush or compressed air to remove grass and debris from the exhaust guard, the top cowl, and the surrounding deck areas.

## **Storage**

Store the machine in a cool, clean, dry place.

# **Preparing the Machine for Storage**

#### **A WARNING**

Gasoline vapors can explode.

- Do not store gasoline more than 30 days.
- Do not store the machine in an enclosure near an open flame.
- Allow the engine to cool before storing it.
  - 1. On the last refueling of the year, add fuel stabilizer to the fuel as directed by the engine manufacturer.
  - 2. Run the machine until the engine stops from running out of fuel.
  - 3. Prime the engine and start it again.
  - 4. Allow the engine to run until it stops. When you can no longer start the engine, it is sufficiently dry.
  - 5. Disconnect the wire from the spark plug.
  - 6. Remove the spark plug, add 30 ml (1 oz.) of oil through the spark plug hole, and pull the starter rope **slowly** several times to distribute oil throughout the cylinder to prevent cylinder corrosion during the off-season.
  - 7. Install the spark plug and tighten it with a torque wrench to 20 N-m (15 ft-lb).
  - 8. Tighten all nuts, bolts, and screws.

## **Troubleshooting**

Problem	Possible Cause	Corrective Action
The engine does not start	The wire is not connected to the spark plug.	Connect the wire to the spark plug.
	2. The fuel cap vent hole is plugged.	Clean the fuel cap vent hole or replace the fuel cap.
	The spark plug is pitted, fouled, or the gap is incorrect.	Check the spark plug and adjust the gap if necessary. Replace the spark plug if it is pitted, fouled, or cracked.
	The fuel tank is empty or the fuel system contains stale fuel.	Drain and/or fill the fuel tank with fresh gasoline. If the problem persists, contact an Authorized Service Dealer.
The engine starts hard or loses power	The fuel cap vent hole is plugged.	Clean the fuel cap vent hole or replace the fuel cap.
	The air filter element is dirty and is restricting the air flow.	Clean the air filter and/or replace the air filter.
	The underside of the machine housing contains clippings and debris.	Clean under the machine housing.
	The spark plug is pitted, fouled, or the gap is incorrect.	Check the spark plug and adjust the gap if necessary. Replace the spark plug if it is pitted, fouled, or cracked.
	The engine oil level is too low, too high, or excessively dirty.	<ol> <li>Check the engine oil. Change the oil if it is dirty; add or drain the oil to adjust the oil level to the Full mark on the dipstick.</li> </ol>
	6. The fuel tank contains stale fuel.	Drain and fill the fuel tank with fresh gasoline.
The engine runs rough	The wire is not connected to the spark plug.	Connect the wire to the spark plug.
	The spark plug is pitted, fouled, or the gap is incorrect.	Check the spark plug and adjust the gap if necessary. Replace the spark plug if it is pitted, fouled, or cracked.
	The air filter element is dirty and is restricting the air flow.	Clean the air filter and/or replace the air filter.
The machine or engine vibrates excessively	The underside of the machine housing contains clippings and debris.	Clean under the machine housing.
	<ol> <li>The engine mounting bolts are loose.</li> <li>The cutting disc bolt is loose.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Tighten the engine mounting bolts.</li> <li>Tighten the cutting disc bolt.</li> </ol>
There is an uneven cutting pattern	You are mowing in the same pattern repeatedly.	Change the mowing pattern.
	The underside of the machine housing contains clippings and debris.	Clean under the machine housing.

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#### International Distributor List

Distributor: Country: Phone Number: Distributor: Country:	Phone Number:
Agrolanc Kft Hungary 36 27 539 640 Maquiver S.A. Colombia	57 1 236 4079
Balama Prima Engineering Equip. Hong Kong 852 2155 2163 Maruyama Mfg. Co. Inc. Japan	81 3 3252 2285
B-Ray Corporation Korea 82 32 551 2076 Mountfield a.s. Czech Repu	epublic 420 255 704 220
Casco Sales Company Puerto Rico 787 788 8383 Mountfield a.s. Slovakia	420 255 704 220
Ceres S.A. Costa Rica 506 239 1138 Munditol S.A. Argentina	54 11 4 821 9999
CSSC Turf Equipment (pvt) Ltd. Sri Lanka 94 11 2746100 Norma Garden Russia	7 495 411 61 20
Cyril Johnston & Co. Northern Ireland 44 2890 813 121 Oslinger Turf Equipment SA Ecuador	593 4 239 6970
Cyril Johnston & Co. Republic of Ireland 44 2890 813 121 Oy Hako Ground and Garden Finland Ab	358 987 00733
Equiver Mexico 52 55 539 95444 Parkland Products Ltd. New Zealan	and 64 3 34 93760
Femco S.A. Guatemala 502 442 3277 Perfetto Poland	48 61 8 208 416
ForGarder OU Estonia 372 384 6060 Pratoverde SRL. Italy	39 049 9128 128
G.Y.K. Company Ltd. Japan 81 726 325 861 Prochaska & Cie Austria	43 1 278 5100
Geomechaniki of Athens Greece 30 10 935 0054 RT Cohen 2004 Ltd. Israel	972 986 17979
Golf international Turizm Turkey 90 216 336 5993 Riversa Spain	34 9 52 83 7500
Guandong Golden Star China 86 20 876 51338 Lely Turfcare Denmark	
Hako Ground and Garden Sweden 46 35 10 0000 Solvert S.A.S. France	33 1 30 81 77 00
Hako Ground and Garden Norway 47 22 90 7760 Spypros Stavrinides Limited Cyprus	357 22 434131
Hayter Limited (U.K.) United Kingdom 44 1279 723 444 Surge Systems India Limited India	91 1 292299901
Hydroturf Int. Co Dubai United Arab Emirates 97 14 347 9479 T-Markt Logistics Ltd. Hungary	36 26 525 500
Hydroturf Egypt LLC Egypt 202 519 4308 Toro Australia Australia	61 3 9580 7355
Irrimac Portugal 351 21 238 8260 Toro Europe NV Belgium	32 14 562 960
Irrigation Products Int'l Pvt Ltd. India 0091 44 2449 Valtech Morocco 4387	212 5 3766 3636
Jean Heybroek b.v. Netherlands 31 30 639 4611 Victus Emak Poland	48 61 823 8369

#### **European Privacy Notice**

#### The Information Toro Collects

Toro Warranty Company (Toro) respects your privacy. In order to process your warranty claim and contact you in the event of a product recall, we ask you to share certain personal information with us, either directly or through your local Toro company or dealer.

The Toro warranty system is hosted on servers located within the United States where privacy law may not provide the same protection as applies in your country.

BY SHARING YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION WITH US, YOU ARE CONSENTING TO THE PROCESSING OF YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION AS DESCRIBED IN THIS PRIVACY NOTICE.

#### The Way Toro Uses Information

Toro may use your personal information to process warranty claims, to contact you in the event of a product recall and for any other purpose which we tell you about. Toro may share your information with Toro's affiliates, dealers or other business partners in connection with any of these activities. We will not sell your personal information to any other company. We reserve the right to disclose personal information in order to comply with applicable laws and with requests by the appropriate authorities, to operate our systems properly or for our own protection or that of other users.

#### Retention of your Personal Information

We will keep your personal information as long as we need it for the purposes for which it was originally collected or for other legitimate purposes (such as regulatory compliance), or as required by applicable law.

#### Toro's Commitment to Security of Your Personal Information

We take reasonable precautions in order to protect the security of your personal information. We also take steps to maintain the accuracy and current status of personal information.

#### Access and Correction of your Personal Information

If you would like to review or correct your personal information, please contact us by email at legal@toro.com.

#### **Australian Consumer Law**

Australian customers will find details relating to the Australian Consumer Law either inside the box or at your local Toro Dealer.

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#### The Toro Total Coverage Guarantee

A Limited Warranty

#### **Conditions and Products Covered**

The Toro Company and its affiliate, Toro Warranty Company, pursuant to an agreement between them, jointly warrant your Toro Commercial product ("Product") to be free from defects in materials or workmanship for two years or 1500 operational hours\*, whichever occurs first. This warranty is applicable to all products with the exception of Aerators (refer to separate warranty statements for these products). Where a warrantable condition exists, we will repair the Product at no cost to you including diagnostics, labor, parts, and transportation. This warranty begins on the date the Product is delivered to the original retail purchaser. \* Product equipped with an hour meter.

#### **Instructions for Obtaining Warranty Service**

You are responsible for notifying the Commercial Products Distributor or Authorized Commercial Products Dealer from whom you purchased the Product as soon as you believe a warrantable condition exists. If you need help locating a Commercial Products Distributor or Authorized Dealer, or if you have questions regarding your warranty rights or responsibilities, you may contact us at:

Toro Commercial Products Service Department Toro Warranty Company 8111 Lyndale Avenue South Bloomington, MN 55420-1196

952–888–8801 or 800–952–2740 E-mail: commercial.warranty@toro.com

#### **Owner Responsibilities**

As the Product owner, you are responsible for required maintenance and adjustments stated in your *Operator's Manual*. Failure to perform required maintenance and adjustments can be grounds for disallowing a warranty claim.

#### **Items and Conditions Not Covered**

Not all product failures or malfunctions that occur during the warranty period are defects in materials or workmanship. This warranty does not cover the following:

- Product failures which result from the use of non-Toro replacement parts, or from installation and use of add-on, or modified non-Toro branded accessories and products. A separate warranty may be provided by the manufacturer of these items.
- Product failures which result from failure to perform recommended maintenance and/or adjustments. Failure to properly maintain your Toro product per the Recommended Maintenance listed in the Operator's Manual can result in claims for warranty being denied.
- Product failures which result from operating the Product in an abusive, negligent, or reckless manner.
- Parts subject to consumption through use unless found to be defective. Examples of parts which are consumed, or used up, during normal Product operation include, but are not limited to, brake pads and linings, clutch linings, blades, reels, rollers and bearings (sealed or greasable), bed knives, spark plugs, castor wheels and bearings, tires, filters, belts, and certain sprayer components such as diaphragms, nozzles, and check valves, etc.
- Failures caused by outside influence. Conditions considered to be outside influence include, but are not limited to, weather, storage practices, contamination, use of unapproved fuels, coolants, lubricants, additives, fertilizers, water, or chemicals, etc.
- Failure or performance issues due to the use of fuels (e.g. gasoline, diesel, or biodiesel) that do not conform to their respective industry standards.

- Normal noise, vibration, wear and tear, and deterioration.
- Normal "wear and tear" includes, but is not limited to, damage to seats due to wear or abrasion, worn painted surfaces, scratched decals or windows, etc.

#### **Parts**

Parts scheduled for replacement as required maintenance are warranted for the period of time up to the scheduled replacement time for that part. Parts replaced under this warranty are covered for the duration of the original product warranty and become the property of Toro. Toro will make the final decision whether to repair any existing part or assembly or replace it. Toro may use remanufactured parts for warranty repairs.

#### **Deep Cycle and Lithium-Ion Battery Warranty:**

Deep cycle and Lithium-Ion batteries have a specified total number of kilowatt-hours they can deliver during their lifetime. Operating, recharging, and maintenance techniques can extend or reduce total battery life. As the batteries in this product are consumed, the amount of useful work between charging intervals will slowly decrease until the battery is completely worn out. Replacement of worn out batteries, due to normal consumption, is the responsibility of the product owner. Battery replacement may be required during the normal product warranty period at owner's expense. Note: (Lithium-Ion battery only): A Lithium-Ion battery has a part only prorated warranty beginning year 3 through year 5 based on the time in service and kilowatt hours used. Refer to the *Operator's Manual* for additional information.

#### Maintenance is at Owner's Expense

Engine tune-up, lubrication, cleaning and polishing, replacement of filters, coolant, and completing recommended maintenance are some of the normal services Toro products require that are at the owner's expense.

#### **General Conditions**

Repair by an Authorized Toro Distributor or Dealer is your sole remedy under this warranty.

Neither The Toro Company nor Toro Warranty Company is liable for indirect, incidental or consequential damages in connection with the use of the Toro Products covered by this warranty, including any cost or expense of providing substitute equipment or service during reasonable periods of malfunction or non-use pending completion of repairs under this warranty. Except for the Emissions warranty referenced below, if applicable, there is no other express warranty. All implied warranties of merchantability and fitness for use are limited to the duration of this express warranty.

Some states do not allow exclusions of incidental or consequential damages, or limitations on how long an implied warranty lasts, so the above exclusions and limitations may not apply to you. This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state.

#### Note regarding engine warranty:

The Emissions Control System on your Product may be covered by a separate warranty meeting requirements established by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and/or the California Air Resources Board (CARB). The hour limitations set forth above do not apply to the Emissions Control System Warranty. Refer to the Engine Emission Control Warranty Statement supplied with your product or contained in the engine manufacturer's documentation for details

#### Countries Other than the United States or Canada

Customers who have purchased Toro products exported from the United States or Canada should contact their Toro Distributor (Dealer) to obtain guarantee policies for your country, province, or state. If for any reason you are dissatisfied with your Distributor's service or have difficulty obtaining guarantee information, contact the Toro importer.

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