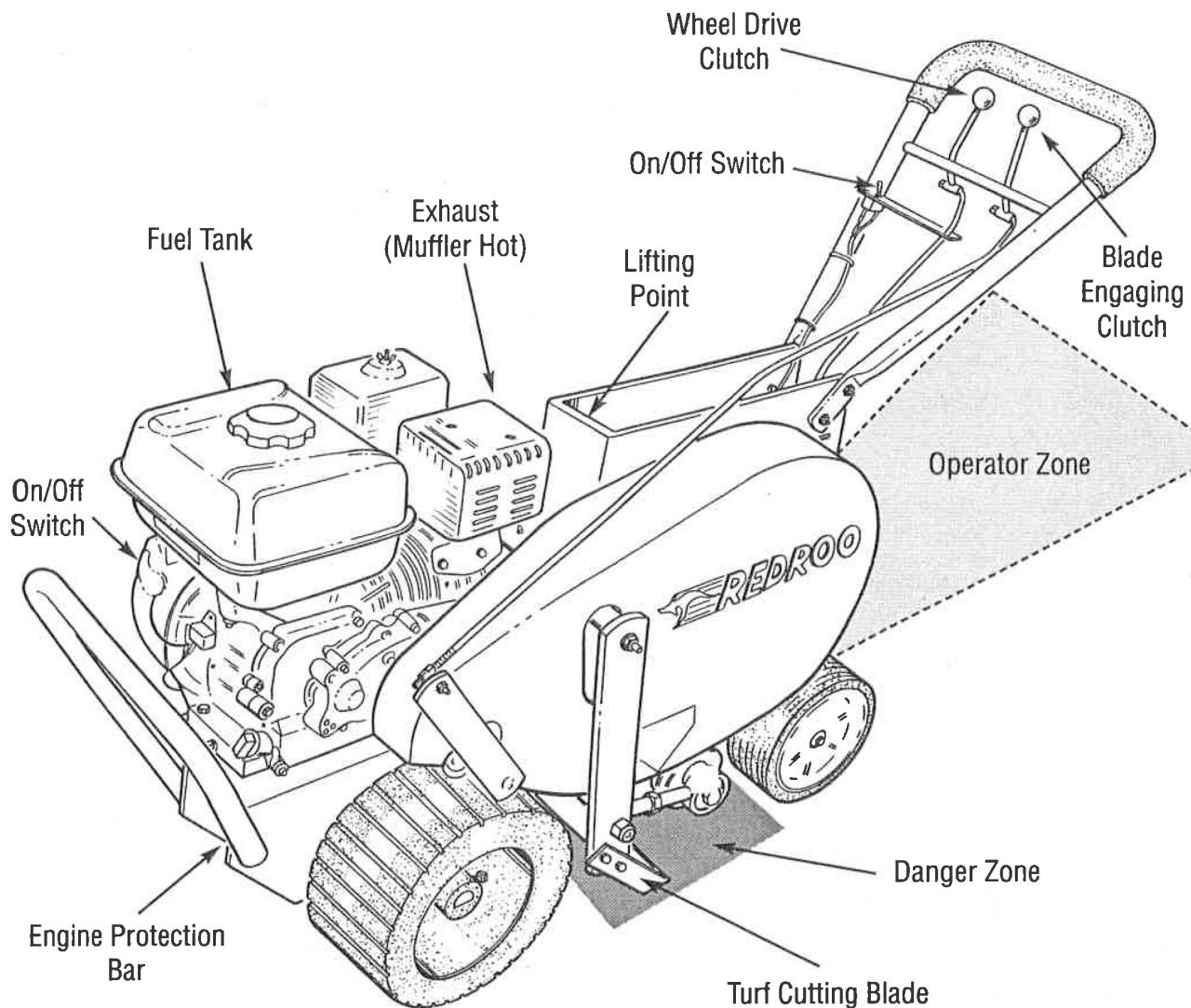


## Turf cutter

QUESTION - CAN A PERSON BE INJURED?	HAZARD (YES / NO)	WHAT IS THE HAZARD?	HAZARD RATING NO.	FOR RATING <15 WHAT IS THE CONTROL?
<b>A. ENTANGLEMENT</b> 1. Can anybody's hair, clothing, gloves, neck-tie, jewellery, cleaning brushes, rags or other materials become entangled with moving parts of the plant, or materials in motion?	YES	Action of machine is cutting turf.	23	Instruction of operation of machine, proper clothing and dress, guards in place. Clear and inspect area to be worked.
<b>B. CRUSHING</b> 1. Can anybody be crushed due to:				
a. Uncontrolled or unexpected moving of the plant or its load?	YES	If controls are activated unexpectedly.	25	Instruct as to how the machine functions.
b. The plant tipping or rolling over?	YES	Working on excess angle of bank.	17	Do not use of slope is steeper than 15°. Instruction in loading and unloading unit.
c. Coming into contact with moving parts of the plant during testing, inspection, operation, maintenance, cleaning or repair?	YES	If engine running and one engages wheel drive lever or blade lever.	23	Instruct as to how the machine functions.
<b>B. CUTTING, STABBING &amp; PUNCTURING?</b> 1. Can anyone be cut, stabbed or punctured due to:				
a. Coming in contact with sharp or flying objects?	YES	Fatigued metal and maintenance.	23	Survey area to be worked
b. Coming in contact with moving parts of the plant during testing, inspection, operations, maintenance, cleaning or repair of the plant?	YES	If engine running and one engages wheel drive lever or blade lever.	13	Instruction of individual as to how the machine functions. Guards in place. Stay in operator's zone.
c. The plant, parts of the plant or work pieces disintegrating?	YES	Flying object.	23	Stay in operator's zone
d. Work pieces being ejected?	YES	Flying object.	23	Check work site. Stay in operator's zone.
<b>D. SHEARING</b> Can anyone's body parts be sheared between two parts of the plant, or material handled by the plant?	YES	Two parts of machine pushing past each other.	23	Operator to stay in operator's zone when operating the machine.
<b>E. FRICTION</b> Can anyone be burnt due to contact with moving parts or surfaces of the plant, or between a part of the plant and a work piece or structure?	YES	Engine exhaust.	23	Instruction of operator. Muffler area protected. Wear proper safety clothing.

<b>F. STRIKING</b> Can anyone be struck by moving objects due to:				
a. Uncontrolled or unexpected movement of the plant?	YES	Yes, if hit by foreign such as pipe or bottle brick.	25	Operator to turn off machine.
b. The plant, parts of the plant or work pieces disintegrating?	YES	Gas tank exploded.	25	Tank would require sufficient heat and pressure.
c. Work pieces being ejected?	YES	Rotating piece defective or fractured by outside force.	25	Operator to turn off machine.
<b>I. EXPLOSION</b> Can anyone be injured by explosion of gases, vapours, liquids, dusts or other substances, triggered by the operation of the plant or by material handled by the plant?				
	YES	Machine by cutting would come in contact with such.	13	Inspection of work area by operator.
<b>J. SLIPPING, TRIPPING &amp; FALLING</b> Can anyone using the plant, or in the vicinity of the plant, slip, trip or fall due to:				
a. Uneven or slippery work surfaces?	YES	Operator could injure himself even if machine stops.	23	Operator should wear correct steel capped workboots, be physically well and inspect area for hazards. Limit angle of bank to 15°.
b. Poor housekeeping, e.g. swarf in the vicinity or the plant spillage not cleaned up?	YES	See above (a)	23	See above (a)
c. Obstacles being placed in the vicinity of the plant, other factors not mentioned?	YES	Unknown circumstance with object - i.e. lightning strike near tree with operator standing in water.	23	Do not accept the risk as operator.
d. Steep walking surfaces?	YES	Operator could slip.	23	Machine will continue as left. Limit angle of bank to 15°.
<b>M. HIGH TEMPERATURE OR FIRE</b> 1. Can anyone come into contact with objects at high temperature?				
	YES	Engine exhaust.	23	Instruction as to hot area. Point out exhaust location.
<b>N. OTHER HAZARDS</b> 1. Can anyone be injured or suffer ill health from exposure to:				
a. Fumes?	YES	Engine exhaust in confined space.	23	Engine has exhaust deflector. Check it is on ENGINE.
b. Dust?	YES	Cutting without wetting soil.	23	Proper cutting conditions. Damping dust creation.
c. Noise?	YES	Exceeding 8hr working day.	23	Use ear protection.
d. Vibration?	YES	Engine not tuned. Bent or damaged blades.	23	Proper maintenance. Replace blade.



## MANDATORY PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT



Customer Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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