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MaxEmerge®2
Drawn Planters

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Introduction

Read this manual carefully to learn how to operate and service your machine correctly. Failure to do so could result in personal injury or equipment damage.

This manual should be considered a permanent part of your machine and should remain with the machine when you sell it.

Right-hand and left-hand sides of the implement are determined by facing in the direction the implement will travel when going forward.

Warranty is provided as part of John Deere's support program for customers who operate and maintain their equipment as described in this manual. The warranty is explained on the warranty certificate which you should have received from your dealer.

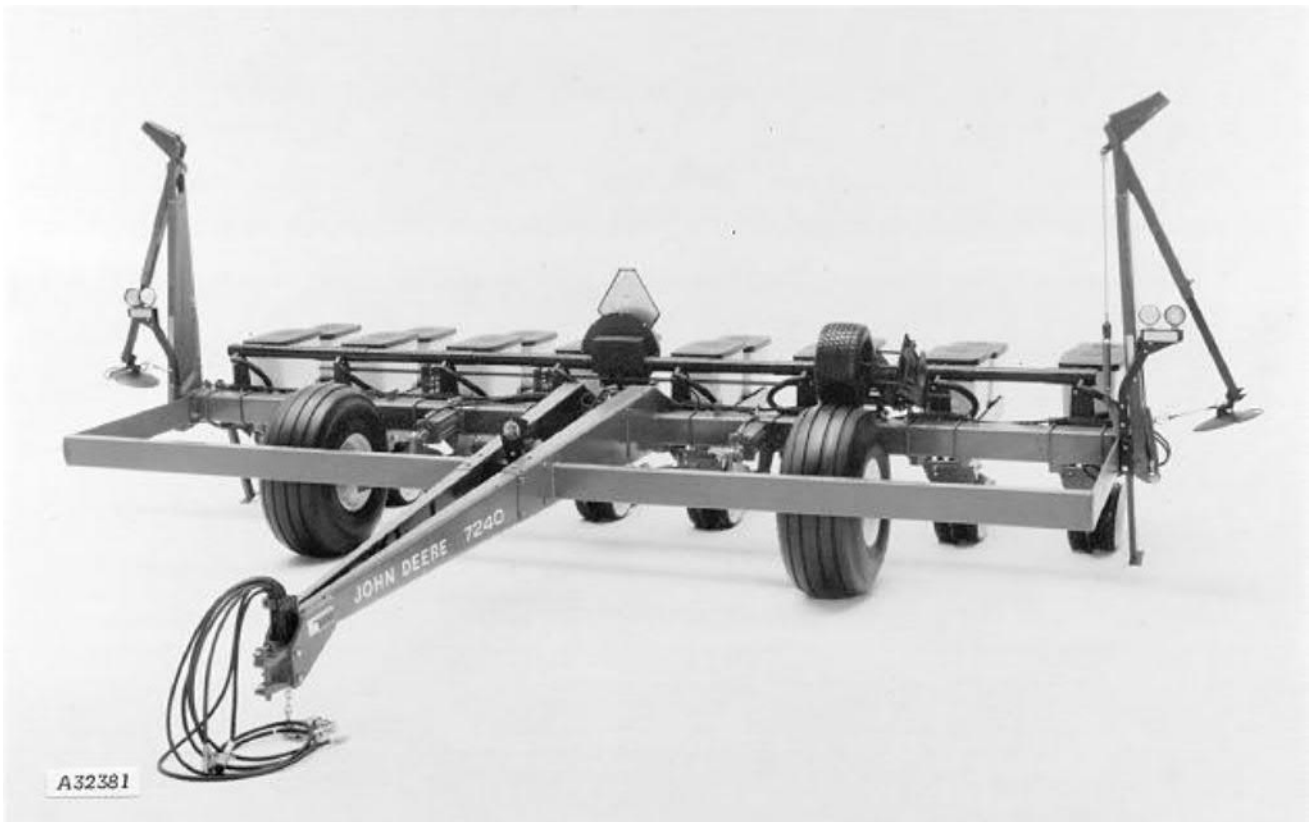
The tire manufacturer's warranty supplied with your machine may not apply outside the U.S.



This machine is of metric design. Measurements in this manual are metric with the customary U.S. measurement following. Use only metric hardware and tools as specified.

Write product identification numbers in the space provided in the Specifications section. Accurately record all the numbers to help in tracing the machine should it be stolen. Your dealer also needs these numbers when you order parts. If this manual is kept on the machine, also file the identification numbers in a secure place off the machine.

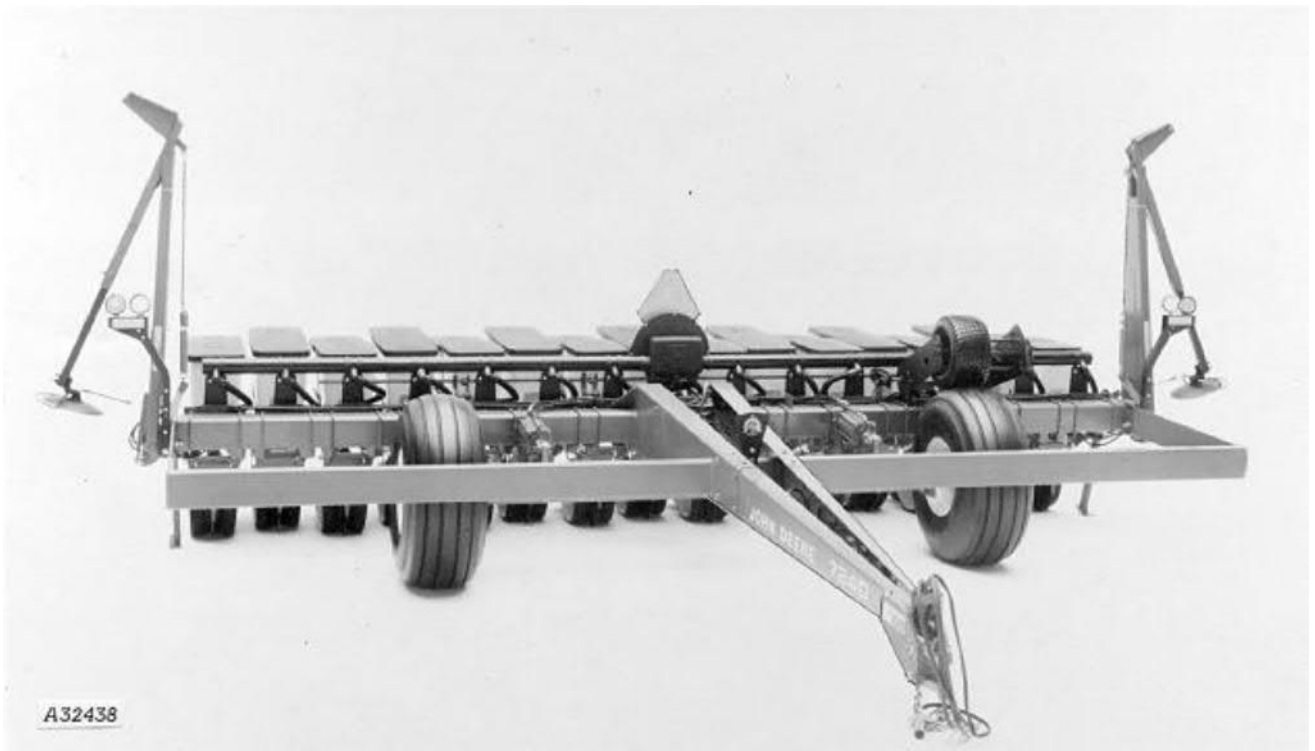
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7240 8-Row (30 in.) Narrow-Row MaxEmerge® 2 Drawn Planter

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7240 15-Row (15 In.) MaxEmerge® 2 Drawn Planter

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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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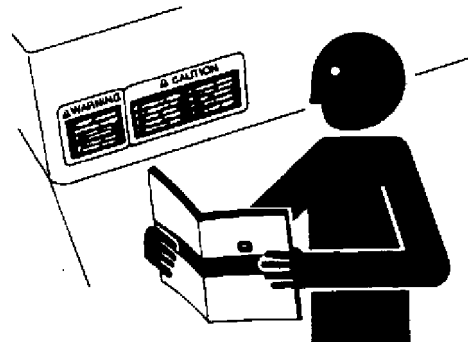
FOLLOW SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

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 THE PLANTER SAFELY

Be careful when operating planter to avoid injury.

If the planter must be in a raised position while working on or near it, be certain service locks are installed.

Serious injury or death can result from contact with electric lines. Use care when moving or operating this machine near electric lines to avoid contact.

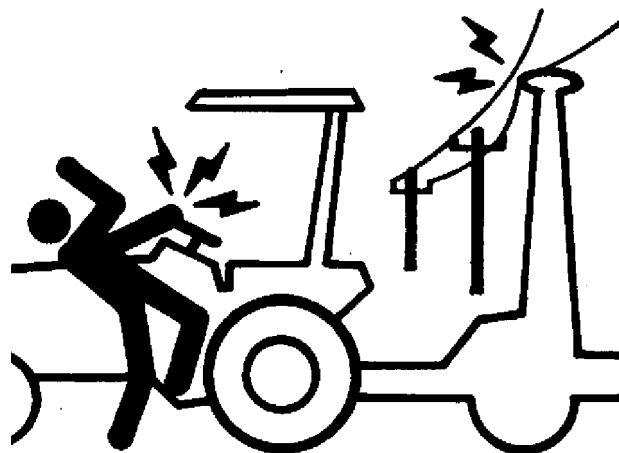
Stand clear of machine when wings are being folded or unfolded. Mechanical or hydraulic failure can allow wings to move rapidly.

Be sure cylinder and attaching hoses are fully charged with oil before operating system.

Be careful when operating on hillsides; tractor can tip sideways if it strikes a hole, ditch or other irregularity.

Permit only one person, the operator, on tractor platform while tractor and planter are in operation.

Lower planter completely to the ground before unhitching from the tractor. Be sure planter is on a level and firm surface.



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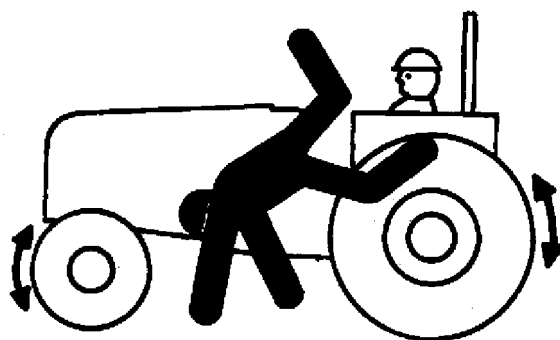
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KEEP RIDERS OFF MACHINE

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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