

Planter Preparation

Keep the following points in mind in preparation for the planting season.

Planter checks and maintenance

Make sure your planter is ready to go to the field when you are. Perform the service and maintenance procedures that are recommended your operators manual to prepare for the planting season. Careful maintenance preparation will save time and expense as you enter the busy planting season.

Service your planter at the intervals and locations shown in your manual. Local operating conditions and your environment may increase the need for service for the planter and reduce service intervals on various components.

Labeling row unit components

Over time, row unit components wear in together. Labeling the components by row unit position keeps these components together, extending the life of the equipment. Row units are numbered from left to right on most planters. Label the seed hopper, seed meter, seed disc, agitator and granular chemical hopper, if equipped, with the appropriate row unit number—row one, row two, row three, etc.

Plastic and resin parts

Avoid using gasoline, kerosene, paint thinner, etc., when cleaning plastic windows, console, instrument cluster, monitor, gauges, etc. Use ONLY water, mild soap and a soft cloth when you clean these parts. Using gasoline, kerosene, thinners, etc., will cause decoloration, cracking or deformation of the part being cleaned.

Environment

Before you service your machine and before you dispose of the old fluids and lubricants, always remember the environment. DO NOT put oil or fluids into the ground or into containers that can leak. Check with your local environmental or recycling center or the dealership for correct disposal information.

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