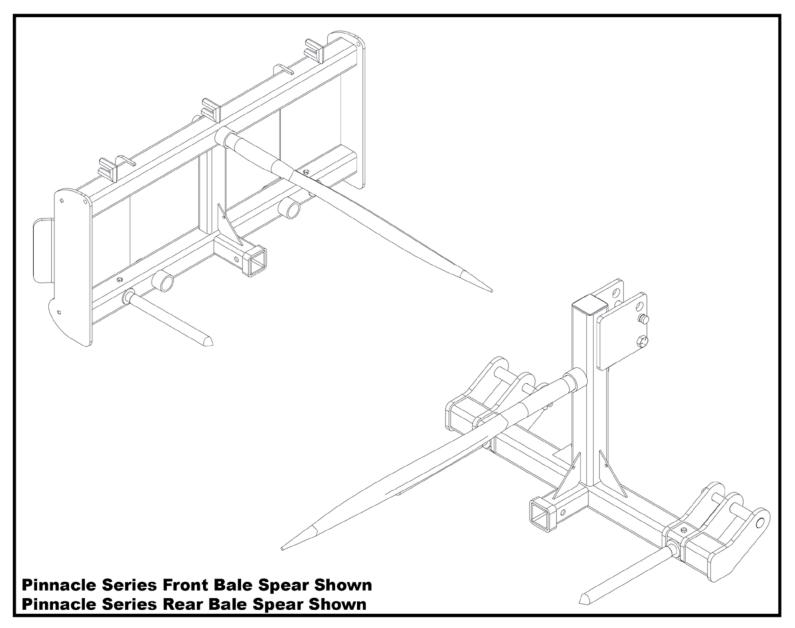


# **Bale Spears** Operator Manual





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## **Product Description**

Homestead Implements Independence & Pinnacle Series Quick Hitch Bale Spears are designed to combine form and function for small hobby farmers, homesteaders, and property owners. With a lightweight design and 45" main spear and twin 14" stabilizers, this Bale Spear has an exceptional lifting capacity. Our Pinnacle Series Quick Hitch Bale Spear is designed for Cat-1/Cat-2 tractors under 55 HP.

# **Using This Manual**

This Homestead Implements Operator's Manual is designed and written to help familiarize the operator with assembly, operation, adjustments, troubleshooting, maintenance, and safety. Read this manual and follow the recommendations to help ensure safe and efficient operation.

All information in this manual was current at the time of printing and some parts may change to assure you of the best performance. Visit website for updated manual.

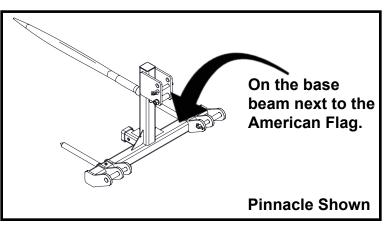
## **Owner Assistance**

The Homestead Implements 12-Month Limited Warranty (See Page 16) is active upon delivery. Keep all documents provided at delivery to provide you with quality customer service.

All parts on your 3-Point Bale Spear should only be replaced with Homestead Implements parts. Contact Homestead Implements, or Jamestown Advanced Products, if repair parts are required.

#### Serial Number Location

Please refer to the below image for quick reference to find the serial number and model number on your Homestead Implements product. When communicating to Homestead Implements with regard to repair or warranty claims, your model number and serial number are exceptionally important.



# **Additional Assistance**

Homestead Implements wants you to be extremely satisfied with your new 3-Point Bale Spear. If you, for any reason, do not understand any part of this manual or are not satisfied with the service received, please consider the following actions:

If problems arise with the implement, contact Homestead Implements directly so they can address the problem.

Customer Service Representative: 1-833-625-0635

For further assistance email: sales@homesteadimplements.com

For further assistance write to: Homestead Implements ATTN: Jamestown Advanced Products 2855 Girts Road, Jamestown, NY 14701



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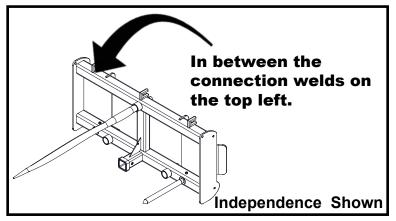
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# BE AWARE OF THE SAFETY ALERT SYMBOL

The SAFETY ALERT SYMBOL indicates potential hazards to personal safety and extra safety precautions must be taken. When you observe this symbol, be alert and carefully read any messages that follow it. In addition to design and configuration of the equipment, hazard control, and accident avoidance are dependent upon the awareness, caution, and proper training of personnel involved in the operation, maintenance, transportation, and storage of equipment.

#### Be Aware of Signal Words

A signal word designates a degree or a level of hazard seriousness. The signal words are:

**Danger** – Indicates a hazardous situation that, if not avoided, will result in serious injury or death.

**Warning** – Indicates a hazardous situation that, if not avoided, could result in serious injury or death.

**Caution** – Indicates a hazardous situation that, if not avoided, could result in minor to moderate injury.

# TRACTOR SHUTDOWN & STORAGE

- If engaged, disengage PTO, park machine and implements on solid, level ground and lower implement to the ground or onto additional support blocks.
- •Put tractor in park or set park brake, turn off the engine, and remove switch key to prevent any unauthorized starting.
- Relieve all hydraulic pressure to auxiliary hydraulic lines.
- Do not leave the operator's seat until all components have stopped.
- •Use steps, grab-handles, and anti-slip surfaces when stepping on and off the tractor.
- Detach and store implement in an area where children do not normally play. Secure the implement using blocks, supports, or wedges.

# SAFETY PRECAUTIONS FOR CHILDREN

Tragedy and injury can occur if the operator is not alert to the presence of children.

- •Keep all children out of the work area and under the watchful eye of a responsible adult that is not the operator of the equipment.
- Be alert and turn off the implement and tractor if children should enter the work area.
- Never allow children to climb or ride on the tractor or the implement at any time. There is no safe place on the machine for a rider. They may fall off and be run over or interfere with the operator's ability to control the machine.
- •Never allow children to operate the power machine or implement, even under adult supervision.
- Use extreme caution when operating in reverse. Before the tractor starts to move, look down and behind to ensure the area is clear.

# **SAFETY AT ALL TIMES**

Your best assurance against an accident or injury is the careful operation of all equipment. All operators, no matter their experience, should carefully read this manual and other related documents, or have the manuals read to them before operating the power machine and any Homestead Implements product.

- Thoroughly read the "Safety Information" section and understand all instructions noted on them.
- Never operate the equipment or implements while under the influence of drugs or alcohol.
- Operator should be familiar with all functions of the tractor and the attached implement.
- Ensure all correct guards and shields are in place and securely fastened before operating implement.
- Keep any and all bystanders away from attached equipment and the work area.
- Only start tractor from the driver's seat with the hydraulic controls in neutral.
- Never dismount from a moving tractor or leave the tractor running and unattended.
- Never allow anyone to stand between the tractor or the implement while backing up to the implement.
- Keep hands, feet, and any loose clothing away from power-driven parts.
- While operating equipment, be sure to distribute loads evenly & watch for overhead objects, as well as fences, trees, buildings, wires, etc.
- Do not make exceedingly tight turns as it may cause the hitched implement to ride up on the tractor's rear wheels.
- Store all implements in an area where children do not play. When needed, secure the attachment against falling or rolling with support blocks or wedges.

# **Safety Information**

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USING A SAFETY CHAIN	ALWAYS TRANSPORT SAFELY
<ul> <li>A safety chain will help the machine control the hitched</li> </ul>	•Always comply with federal, state, and local laws when towing equipment.
implement should it separate from the tractor drawbar.	<ul> <li>Be aware and avoid any contact with overhead utility lines or electrically charged conductors.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Use towing vehicles and trailers of adequate size and capability only.</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Always hitch the implement to the machine towing it, do not use the</li> </ul>	•Secure all equipment on trailer with appropriate tie downs and chains.
safety chain alone to tow the implement.	<ul> <li>Sudden and drastic braking can cause a towed trailer to swerve and upset. Reduce speed when in transit if the attached trailer does not have independent brakes.</li> </ul>
•Use a chain with a strength rating equal to or greater than the	•Always drive with the load on the end of leader arms low to the ground.
complete gross weight of the towed implement.	<ul> <li>Always drive straight up and down steep inclines with the heavy end of a tractor or implement with loader attachment on the "uphill" side.</li> </ul>
•Attach the safety chain to the	<ul> <li>Always engage parking brake when stopped on an incline.</li> </ul>
tractor drawbar support or other specified anchor location. Only allow enough slack in the chain to permit turning.	• <b>IMPORTANT:</b> Do not tow a load that is more than double the weight of the vehicle towing the load.

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# SAFE MAINTENANCE PRACTICES

- Understand procedures before doing any work. Refer to Operator's Manual for additional information and to confirm that any work done will not void the Homestead Implements Warranty.
- •Work on a level surface in a clean dry area that is well-lit.
- •Lower implement to the ground and follow the shutdown procedures before leaving the machine's operator seat to perform any maintenance.
- •Use properly grounded electrical outlets and tools and only use tools that are in good operating condition.
- •Allow equipment to cool completely before performing any work on it.
- Do not work under any hydraulic supported equipment. Implement can settle, suddenly leak down, or be lowered accidentally. If it is necessary to work underneath the equipment, securely support it with stands and suitable blocking beforehand.
- Disconnect battery ground cable (-) before servicing or adjusting electrical systems or before welding on the implement.
- Replace parts on this implement with real Homestead Implements parts only. Do not alter this implement in a way which will adversely affect its performance.
- •Remove buildup of grease, oil, or debris.
- •Do not grease or oil implement while it is in operation.
- •Inspect all parts and ensure that the parts are in good condition & installed properly.
- Always be sure that any material and waste from the repair and maintenance of the implement are properly collected and disposed of.
- •Remove all tools and unused parts before operating the implement.
- •Do not weld or torch on galvanized metal as it will release toxic and dangerous fumes.



# SEAT BELTS AND ROPS

- Homestead Implements recommends the use of a CAB or a roll-overprotective-structures (ROPS) and seat belt in nearly all power machines. The combination of a CAB, ROPS, and a seat belt will reduce the risk of serious injury or death if the power machine should be upset.
- If ROPS is in the locked position, fasten seat belt snugly and securely to protect against serious injury or death from falling and machine overturn.

# BE PREPARED FOR EMERGENCIES

- •Be prepared for a fire, should one start.
- Always keep a first aid kit and a fire extinguisher handy.
- Keep a list of emergency numbers for a doctor, hospitals, fire department, and ambulances near or on your personal phone.

# KEEP RIDERS OFF MACHINERY

- •Never allow riders on the tractor or implement while in use.
- Riders can obstruct the operator's view and interfere with their ability to control the power machine.
- Riders can be struck by objects or be thrown from the equipment.
- •Never use tractor or implements to lift or transport riders.

# USING PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

- Always wear protective equipment and clothing appropriate for the job such as safety shoes, earplugs, hard hats, and safety glasses.
- Clothing should fit snug without fringes and pull strings. This is to avoid dangerous entangling with moving parts.
- Operating equipment safely requires the operator's full attention. Avoid wearing headphones while operating and maintaining equipment.
- Prolonged exposure to excessive noise can cause hearing impairment and hearing loss. Wear suitable hearing protection such as earplugs or earmuffs.

#### HIGH-PRESSURE FLUID HAZARDS

- Fluid escaping under pressure can penetrate the skin and cause serious injury.
- Relieve all residual pressure from the hydraulic system before disconnecting hydraulic lines or performing any work on the system itself.
- •Make sure all hydraulic fluid connections are tight and all lines are in good condition before applying any pressure to the system.
- •NEVER USE BODY PARTS to check for suspected leaks. Always use a piece of paper or cardboard instead.
- •Wear protective gloves and safety glasses before doing any work on hydraulic systems.
- •DO NOT DELAY REPORTING AN ACCIDENT. If an accident occurs, see a doctor immediately. Any fluid injected into the skin or eyes must be treated immediately.

# **UNDERGROUND UTILITIES**

•DIG SAFE, CALL 811 (USA).

•Always contact your local utility companies (electrical, telephone, gas, water, sewer, and others) before digging or using any implement so that they may mark the location of any underground services in the area.

•Always ask how close to the marked area you can work.

# LEA EL INTRUCTIVO

Si No Lee Ingles Pida Ayuda a Alguien Que Si Lo Lea Para Que le Traduzca las Medidas de Seguridad.









Homestead Implements Pinnacle Series 3-Point Hitch Bale Spear					
Model Numbers	Technical Specification HI-P-BS	-3PT			
Lift Capacity 24'' From Fr	rame Refer to Tractor Manual for J	Accurate Lifting Capacity			
Weight	116 lbs. (52	2.61 kg)			
Quick-Hitch Compatible	Compatible Yes				
Spear Diameter	Conus (4.4 cr				
Number of Spears	1 Spea	ar			
Overall Spear Length	49" (1.24				
Spear Length - Frame to	Tip 44 3/8" (1.	13 m.)			
3-Point Hitch Category	Category-1 & C	Category-2			
Number of Stabilizer Spe	ears 2 Spea	irs			
Stabilizer Diameter	1 1/4" (3.3	L cm.)			
Stabilizer Length	14" (35.5	cm.)			
Receiver Hitch	2" Rece	iver			
CUSTOMER APPROVA	NL :	DATE :			
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	PRODUCT PART NUMBER : HI-P-BS-3PT	REV. NO.			
HOMESTEAD	PRODUCT DESCRIPTION :	2855 GIRTS ROAD			
PINNACLE BALE SPEAR 3 POINT HITCH JAMESTOWN, NY 14701					
	TINNACLE BALL SI LAK STOINT HITCH	JAMESTOWN, NT 14701			



	Homestead Implements Independence 3-Point Hitch Bale Spear					
	Technical Specification					
Model Numbers	HI-I-BS-3PT					
Lifting Capacity	Refer to Tractor Manual for Accurat	te Lifting Capacity				
Unit Weight	96 lbs (43.55 kg)					
Hitch Compatibility	Quick Hitch and iMatch Co	mpatible				
Spear Diameter		Conus 2 or 1 3/4" (4.4 cm)				
Number of Spears	1					
Overall Spear Length	49" (1.24 m)					
Spear Length - Frame to Tip	44 3/8" (1.13 m)					
3-Point Hitch	Cat. I					
Number of Stabilizers	2					
Stabilizer Diameter	1 1/4" (3.1 cm)					
Stabilizer Length - Frame to Tip	14"					
Receiver Hitch	(35.5 cm) 2.0" Receiver					
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Homestead Implements Pinnacle Series Front Loader Bale Spear						
Technical Specification Model Numbers HI-P-BS-FEL						
Lift Capacity 24" From Fra	ame	Refer to Tractor Manual for Accu				
Weight		164 lbs. (74.5 kg)				
Spear Diameter		Conus 2 (4.4 cr				
Number of Spears		1 Spear				
Spear Length		49" (1.24 m)				
Total Spear Length - Fram	ne to Tip	45" (1.14 m)				
Hitch Type		Universal Quick-Attac	ch (SSQA)			
Number of Stabilizer Spe	ars	2 Spears				
Stabilizer Diameter		1 1/4" (3.1 cm	)			
Stabilizer Length - Frame	to Tip	14" (35.5 cm)				
Receiver Hitch		2" Receiver				
Adaptability		Additional (2) CONUS 2 Spear can be mo	ounted at the bottom sleeve			
51	73"					
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	PRODUC	T PART NUMBER : HI-P-BS-FEL	REV. NO.			
HOMESTEAD	PRODUCT DESCRIPTION :         2855 GIRTS ROAD           PINNACLE BALE SPEAR FRONT END LOADER         2855 GIRTS ROAD					
PHONE 833-625-0635 FAX 716-483-5398 WWW.HOMESTEADIMPLEMENTS.COM						



	Homestead Implements Independence Series Front-End Bale Spear					
Model Numbers	Technical Specification HI-I-BS-FEL					
Lifting Capacity	Refer to Tractor Manual for Accurate Lifting Capacity					
Unit Weight	130 lbs (59 kg)					
Spear Diameter	Conus 2 or 1 3/4" (4.4 cm)					
Number of Spears	1					
Dverall Spear Length	49" (1.24 m)					
Spear Length - Frame to Tip	45" (1.14 m)					
Hitch Type	Universal Quick-Attach Style (SSQA)					
Number of Stabilizers	2					
Stabilizer Diameter	1 1/4" (3.1 cm)					
	14"					
Stabilizer Length - Frame to T	p (35.5 cm)					
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Homestead Implements Pinnacle Series Front Loader Bale Spear (John Deere)						
Technical Specification Model Numbers HI-P-BS-JD-FEL						
Wodel Numbers		HI-P-BS-JD	-FEL			
Lift Capacity 24'' From F	rame	Refer to Tractor Manual for Ac	curate Lifting Capacity			
Weight		190 lbs (74.	5 kg)			
Spear Diameter		Conus 2 (4.4 cm)				
Number of Spears		1 Spear				
Spear Length		49" (1.24)	m)			
Total Spear Length - Frai	me to Tip	45" (1.14)	m)			
Hitch Type		John Deere Hook & Pin - D120, 120R, 220R, 300E, 300R,				
Number of Stabilizer Sp	ears	2 Spears				
Stabilizer Diameter		1 1/4" (3.1				
Stabilizer Length - Fram	e to Tip	14" (35.5 c				
Receiver Hitch		2" Receiv				
Adaptability		Additional (2) CONUS 2 Spear can be r	nounted at the bottom sleeve			
51	<u>7</u> 8"					
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	PRODUC	T PART NUMBER : HI-P-BS-FEL-JD	REV. NO.			
HOMESTEAD		CT DESCRIPTION : CLE-BALE SPEAR-FRONT END LOADER DEERE 2855 GIRTS F JAMESTOWN, N				
		- FAX 716-483-5398 WWW.HOMESTE				



	Technical Specification			
Model Numbers	HI-I-BS-JD-FEL			
Lifting Capacity	Refer to Tractor Manual for Accurate Lifting Capacity			
Unit Weight	155 lbs (59 kg)			
Spear Diameter	Conus 2 or 1 3/4" (4.4 cm)			
Number of Spears	1			
Overall Spear Length	49" (1.24 m)			
Spear Length - Frame to Tip	45" (1.14 m)			
Hitch Type	John Deere Hook & Pin - Compatible With: D120, 120R, 220R, 300E, 300R, 320R, 400E, 400R, 400X			
Number of Stabilizers	2			
Stabilizer Diameter	1 1/4" (3.1 cm)	1 1/4"		
		14"		
Stabilizer Length - Frame to T	14"			
Stabilizer Length - Frame to T Receiver Hitch	14"			
Receiver Hitch	14"           (35.5 cm)	8		
Receiver Hitch	14"       (35.5 cm)       2.0" Receiver	*		
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Description	Photo	Description	Photo
Bale Spear Conus 2 49"		Bale Spear With Receiver Assembly	
Conus 2 sleeve	0	Front Loader With Receiver	
Stabilizer spear 17" long		John Deere Front Loader With Receiver	
Stabilizer sleeve	P		



Description	Photo	Description	Photo
Bale Spear Conus 2 49"		3PT. BS Receiver Assembly	
Conus 2 sleeve		John Deere Front End Loader Receiver Assembly	
Stabilizer spear 17" long		John Deere Front End Loader Receiver Assembly	
Stabilizer sleeve	9,		



<b>Torque Chart For Metric Bolts</b>								
	Tigh	Tightening Torque						
Bolt Diameter (MM)	Class 8.8 Class 10.9					Class 8.8		10.9
	ft lbs	ft lbs	N-m					
5	7	9	9	12				
6	12	16	16	22				
8	30	41	40	54				
10	55	75	75	102				
12	100	136	135	183				
14	160	217	215	292				
16	245	332	335	454				
20	480	<mark>651</mark>	650	881				

Tora	ue Chart F	or Imr	perial	Bolts		
		Tightening Torque				
	Thursdo	ASTM A354		A354-		
Bolt Size	Thread Per		ASTM A449 /		SAE	
	inches	inches SAE Grade 5* Grade 8*		le 8*		
		ft lbs	N-m	ft lbs	N-m	
1⁄4	20	8	11	9	12	
5/16	18	17	23	18	25	
3/8	16	31	42	32	44	
7/16	14	49	66	52	70	
1⁄2	13	75	102	79	107	
9/16	12	109	148	114	154	
5⁄8	11	150	203	156	212	
3/4	10	266	361	277	376	
7/8	9	429	582	447	606	
1	8	644	873	670	909	
1 1/8	7	794	1077	949	1,287	
1 1/4	7	1,120	1519	1383	1,875	
1 3⁄8	6	1,469	1992	1757	2,382	
1 1/2	6	1,950	2644	2331	3,161	
1 3/4	5	2,286	3099	3678	4,988	
2	41⁄2	3,438	4661	5531	7,500	



# **TERMS & CONDITIONS**

# **Product Warranty to the Original Purchaser**

All Homestead Implements products carry a 12-month limited warranty against defects in materials and workmanship under normal use. This includes all components of each implement – including gearbox assemblies, PTO shafts, and hydraulic cylinders. The warranty does not cover components of the implements that are declared wear items. **This includes but is not limited to**: cutting edges, blades, tires, tines, hydraulic hoses, seals, slip clutches, and any other component of the implement that is used during normal operation.

This warranty becomes active upon the date of delivery. If a product or component fails during the warranty period, coverage is limited to repair by the manufacturer or replacement of the defective part, at the discretion of the manufacturer. This Warranty does not apply to any part or product which in Homestead Implements judgment appears to have been damaged through misuse, accident, or lack of proper maintenance or care. Misuse also specifically includes the buyer's failure to properly monitor and maintain correct oil levels, grease points, and driveline shafts.

The above warranties are valid only if the product: a) is assembled and installed according to manufacturer's specifications and instructions; b) has been properly maintained according to manufacturer's instructions; c) has not been altered by the addition or deletion of parts, or modified in any other manner; d) has not been subject to misuse, vandalism, negligence or damage by accident; e) buyer shall be required to provide the seller with prompt written notice and photo evidence if required; f) buyer shall comply with such instructions as the seller shall provide concerning the return of the defective product; g) product(s) has not been shipped outside the Continental U.S. prior to claim.

Homestead Implements warranties **do not cover**: a) vandalism; b) damage caused by incorrect assembly, installation or application (use); c) natural or man-made disasters; d) cosmetic changes in the product due to weathering, including paint fading or peeling; e) scratches, dents or marring caused by normal use or public exposure; f) damage caused by seasonal climatic differences or lack of proper maintenance; g) loss or damage due to personal transport or hauling; h) damage to components of the implement declared to be a wear-item.

Warranty claims must be filed within the Warranty period and must include a copy of the original invoice or purchase order. Furthermore, this Warranty should not be interpreted to render Homestead Implements liable for damages of any kind, direct, consequential, or to property. This Warranty does not extend to any expense or loss for labor, rental machinery, loss of crops, supplies, or for any other reason.

Except as specifically stated herein, all warranties (express or implied), including but not limited to any implied warranty of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose, are hereby excluded. This warranty excludes any liability other than expressly stated, herein, including, but not limited to, any incidental or consequential damages.

#### No Warranty to any purchaser other than the original purchaser.

# **Return Policy & Warranty Claims**

To return a product or to make a Warranty claim please contact a customer service representative at 833-625-0635 to receive a Returned Merchandise Authorization (RMA) number. This number must be

# **Warranty Information**



placed on the outside of the returned product(s). Returns/claims without an RMA number will be subject to a 25% restocking fee, providing the criteria below have been met\*.

Returns within 30 days of receipt are exchanged or the purchase is refunded completely. Returns after 30 days from the invoice date with an RMA number are subject to a 25% restocking fee. No returns accepted after 60 days.

\*For returns, all parts must be returned in the original package and not be damaged and must be in a condition that justifies resale. Returns that are incomplete unit(s) will be billed for the missing parts before any credit is issued. Credit will only be issued after inspection by our staff. <u>All returns must be</u> sent freight prepaid. We will not accept any package shipped C.O.D.

Warranty claims must be shipped with all original parts included should Homestead Implements confirm culpability for damage on the product. Homestead Implements will examine each Warranty claim individually and decide whether to repair or replace the item. If return shipping is required, <u>it must be</u> sent freight prepaid. We will not accept any package shipped C.O.D.

Homestead Implements will cover any return shipping on replacement or repaired parts.

Orders canceled after product ships are subject to freight charges and or restocking charges. Freight charges will be applied based on the actual costs, to and from, the shipping location and the original purchaser **only within the Continental U.S.** Canceling or returning item(s) results in loss of free freight eligibility. You will be responsible for all freight charges.

Returned items and Warranty claims may be shipped to Jamestown Advanced Products Corp., 2855 Girts Road, Jamestown, NY 14701

## Damages

Damages are to be reported to Jamestown Advanced Products as soon as possible, or no later than five business days after receipt of the shipment per the signed bill of lading. Should the product(s) become damaged during transit it is the customer's responsibility to notify the carrier's agent and the carrier's agent acknowledgment of such damage noted on the bill of lading. The customer is then to immediately notify Jamestown Advanced Products Corp of such damage and a claim will be filed.

Homestead Implements, and Jamestown Advanced Products, will not be responsible for charges incurred per the customer's request for outside service contractors to repair/alter/check any of our products without prior written approval.

# **Additional Information**

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