# Sharp Blades ENSURE BEST PERFORMANCE

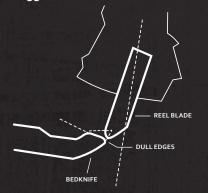
#### **KEEPING SHARP EDGES HELPS TO ..**

- Promote growth of healthy grass
- Optimize cutting unit performance
- Extend the life of the mower
- Maximize operator mowing time
- Allow the equipment to run most efficiently with fewer adjustments needed
- Provide the best possible aftercut appearance for the turf

#### **SHARPENING TIPS**

How do you know if sharpening is needed?

- Does not cut 2 sheets of Toro paper (Part #125-5610) when set up with light contact
- The grass is not cut cleanly
- The grass is off color, dull or it may have brown tips
- Streaks of uncut grass appear
- Stragglers left



This profile drawing of the blades shows the result of wear. The leading edges are rounded and the angle of the bedknife has worn to match the circle created by the blade path. Rounded edges on the reel blades and bedknife will cause the grass blades to be pinched and torn rather than sheared off cleanly.

### **OUR PROMISE TO YOU**

To best protect your investment and maintain optimal performance of your turf equipment, count on Toro genuine parts. When it comes to reliability, Toro delivers replacement parts designed to the exact engineering specifications of our equipment. For peace of mind, insist on Toro genuine parts.

### **TORO PROVIDES:**

- Industry Leading Fill Rates Your local distributor, supported by Toro's parts network, offers the parts you need when you need them.
- Part Availability Most local distributors deliver parts within 24 hours. Toro backs this promise with 48-hour delivery support.
- **Competitive Pricing** Toro is comparable to will-fit providers.
- Quality Genuine Toro service parts are the same parts used on the original equipment, ensuring maximum performance with less downtime.
- Unparalleled Customer Service Count on dedicated support for your Toro parts needs.
- **Peace of Mind** With genuine Toro parts, you get the right part with the correct specifications. There's no need to wonder if the part will work.

### INSIST ON THE BEST. INSIST ON GENUINE TORO REELS.

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### GENUINE TORO® PARTS Reels



# FOR SUPERIOR QUALITY OF CUT, TURN TO THE EXPERTS

## Genuine Toro Reels Are A Cut Above The Rest

While competitors cut corners to lower their costs, Toro has invested in technology to ensure each reel manufactured meets specific application and equipment specifications. Many will-fit manufacturers have reels that can make tall grass short, but many don't account for the after-cut appearance and quality of cut. Toro prides itself on the quality of the reel, the job it performs, and the time it saves for the operators.

This investment results in:

- A balanced reel Gives a longer wear life to the reel and bedknife
- Smaller run-out Operators spend less time grinding the reel to make it cylindrical

Robotically Welded – Toro uses robotic welding technology to ensure structural integrity. Each weld is made to the exact specifications for each reel in the correct location to help the reel withstand high impact when in use. Superior Blade Material – A combination of chemistry and heat treatment gives extended wear resistance and excellent impact toughness.

#### Straight Scallop -

With a straight scallop blade, you have the same land on the blade as it wears down. With proper grinding practices, you can maintain an edge similar to the original edge you started with.

#### Superior Run-Out -

The specifications for each reel are designed to maintain a high quality of cut for longer periods of time due to superior run-out.

Short Land Size – A short land size with minimal relief grind results in less wear on the reel blades

Blade Thickness – Toro's blades are designed thicker to tolerate impacts without significant damage to the reel.

**Strategic Weld Locations** – Toro blades are welded to the spiders on the back of the blade to help strengthen the blade if the reel is impacted.

BEST PRACTICES FOR MAINTAINING YOUR REEL

- Check bedknife-to-reel contact daily to help keep bedknife and reel edges sharp.
- Edge condition inspect edges to see if they are dull, nicked or bent from use. Any of these issues can lead to unacceptable after-cut appearance issues.
- **Backlapping** regular backlapping helps to maintain reel and bedknife sharpness longer between grindings.
- Relief Grinding reduces the abrasive wear between the reel blades and the bedknife.