

# OPERATING MANUAL

### MODEL 2670 RAISED BED PLASTIC MULCH LAYER

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#### !! Safety First !!

- ⚠ No riders beyond the speed of 3 MPH. Operators need to read and understand all the precautions.
- riangle Keep people away when lifting and lowering the machine.
- riangle Be careful when turning around; machine is 8' long.
- ⚠ Do not crawl under the machine when lifted.
- ⚠ Cover discs are sharp; stay clear.
- riangle Do not adjust the machine when it is moving.
- ⚠ Do not stand on machine.
- ⚠ Do not sit on machine except designated seat.
- ⚠ Rain-Flo is not responsible for accidents if any should occur.

#### **2670 Features**

- 80 HP FWD Minimum Tractor Size
- Minimum Row Centers; 54" with 3', 64" with 4' or 74" with 5' plastic
- Adjustable Plastic Width from 3' to 5'
- Adjustable Bed Height from 5" to 9"
- Adjustable Tension Brake on Plastic Roll Carriers
- Adjustable Row Markers
- Operator Seat
- Replaceable, Reversible Plow Share Blades
- UHMW Plastic Lined Bed Press
- Bed Press has adjustable side press plates, for More or Less Plastic Coverage
- Quality Powder Coated Paint

### **Options**

- Automatic Self Steering Ro-Trak for Hill Sides
- Single or Double Drip Tape Attachment
- Hydraulic Cover Disk Adjustment
- Crowned Bed Press for Level Fields
- Center Fillers; to Help Fill Center of Bed
- 400 lb. Ground Driven Dry Fertilizer Hopper
- Fumigation Tank Mounts with Gas Knives

#### Soil Preparation

- \* To build a uniform firm bed with no hollow spots, soil has to be prepared properly.
- \* All soils are different. Some (moist, sandy) soils make nicer square beds than others. You need to know what soil preparation works best with your soil.
- \* Machine performs the best if soil is mold-board plowed 6" 8" deep.
- \* Soil should be harrowed or roto-tilled until free of sod lumps.
- \* Proper moisture in soil is important to form nice firm beds. For best results, soil should not be powder dry or in muddy condition.

#### **Getting Started**

Before laying plastic, you may want to try out the machine making beds only; to get the feel of the machine.

Adjust 3-point top link on the tractor to level the machine.

Let the machine down fully and regulate the amount of soil in front of the machine with the length of the 3 point top link.

It is not necessary to pull more soil than needed to fill the bed. Pulling too much soil may cause tractor slippage, resulting in side drifting.

To get a higher, firmer bed, grower may want to pre-bed (make beds without laying plastic) then come back to lay plastic mulch. This will also help remove shallow spots in the bed. Disk blades can be removed when making beds only.

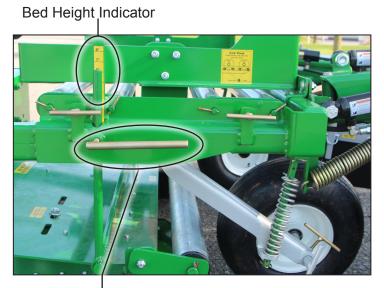


#### **Bed Height Adjustment**

Bed height is adjusted by lifting and lowering the bed press. Use label ruler behind pin indicator (top of pin) located on both sides of the machine to determine bed height(See below).

To adjust bed height, release the lock handles. Raising the bed is done by two people lifting the deck by hand, or by slowly driving forward with the 3-point hitch in the down position; the soil will lift the bed press. To lower the bed, slowly lift 3-Point hitch with the tractor to the desired height and lock the handles.

If your bed is not firm and has shallow spots in the center, add weight on the bed press, adjust the top link, and/or install the optional center of bed fillers.



Lock Handle Adjustment

**Important:** When bed height is adjusted, bed width (Page 7) and trench openers (Page 10) need to be adjusted accordingly.

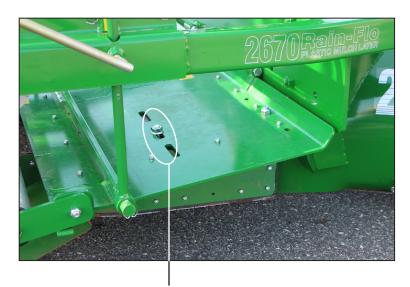
3 Ft. Plastic	4 Ft. Plastic	5 Ft. Plastic
Bed Height Bed Width	Bed Height Bed Width	Bed Height Bed Width
4"20"	4"30"	4"40"
6"16"	6"26"	6"36"
8"12"	8"22"	8"32"

Bed height and bed width can be adjusted between the above chart indications.

#### **Bed Width Adjustment**

The bed press has adjustable side plates (photo at bottom). These must be adjusted according to bed height by releasing the bolt and sliding the side plates in or out at the slot. *Make sure bolts are tight to keep them from slipping*. For setting, follow chart on machine or on Page 6. It is important to maintain enough plastic at the edge for proper coverage.

**NOTE**; For straight beds, each side must be equally adjusted.



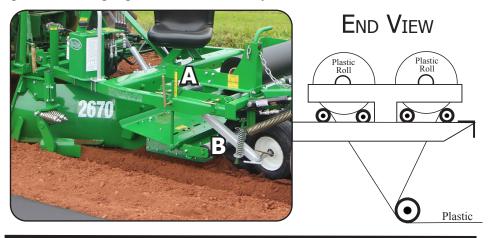
Adjustment Slot for Side Plates



Adjustable Side Plates

#### **Installing Plastic Rolls**

To install plastic rolls, place them on top of rollers (A). Pull end of plastic down in between rollers and underneath bottom roller (B). Secure plastic and drip tape at end of row. Only feed from one roll at a time.



#### **Plastic Tension**

Plastic rolls have a tension brake. Just a slight tension is needed.

**Note**; Setting brake tension too tight may affect the performance of the machine and can cause plastic to pull out from under press tires.



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#### **Press Wheel Adjustment**

Press wheels need to run at the bottom of the trench and not on the side to hold the plastic mulch properly. To adjust, loosen T-handle and make left/right changes as needed.

Plastic cross tension is adjusted by the angle of the tire. Rotate the axle to adjust the front of the press wheel on an inward angle to stretch the plastic the preferred amount.

The spring provides down pressure on the press wheel and is important for laying at 2+ mph. Adjust the down pressure by using pin. Avoid excessive spring tension which can cause the plastic to tear. Spring can also be removed if always laying at slow speeds.

Use less cross tension when laying biodegradable plastic mulch. Use only high quality plastic to avoid straight line tear.

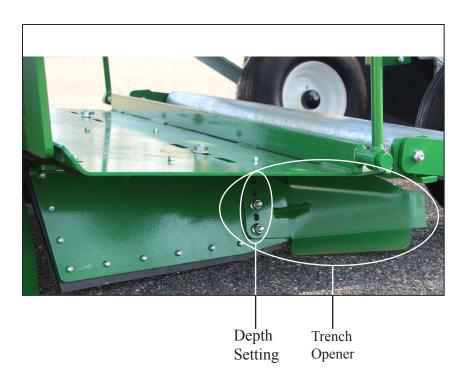


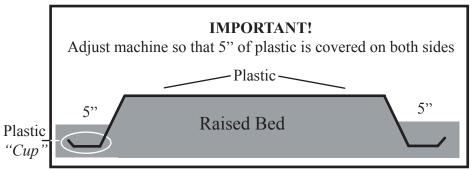
Position and angle adjustment

Down pressure adjustment

#### **Trench Opener Adjustment**

Trench openers are to cut a trench along the sides of the bed. This will give a 'cup' at the edge of the bed to prevent the plastic from blowing off. If bed height is adjusted, the trench opener has to be adjusted accordingly.





#### **Cover Disk Adjustments**

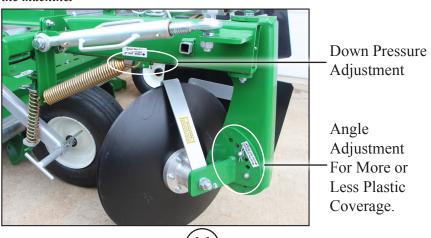
Cover disks and dirt shields need to be adjusted according to soil type and conditions. Use inside turnbuckles to set disks on a 45 degree angle. Make left / right adjustment as needed using the outside turnbuckles. They can be adjusted on-the-go without stopping.

For more or less coverage, tilt disk forward or backward as decal shows (pictured at bottom). Springs can be hooked into different slots to adjust down pressure on the disks.

For heavy clay soil tilt disks upright and use more down pressure. For sandy loam soil set disks flatter with less down pressure.



Hydraulic cover disks are an option and adjustments can be made from the seat on the machine.



#### Side Shovel Adjustment



Side shovels are used to loosen more soil for the cover disks. Adjust according to soil conditions or approximately 1" to 2" below moldboard.

Note; right side shovel is clamped further back on machine when using with optional dry fertilizer attachment.



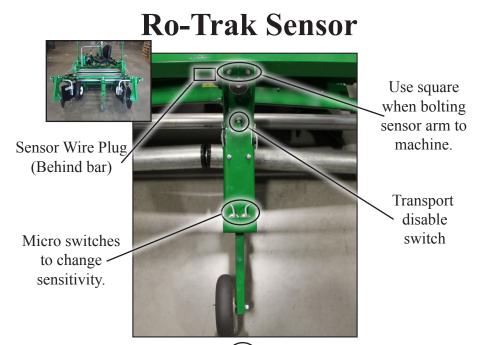
Notice the amount of soil side shovel is loosening for cover disk.

#### Auto Ro-Trak

- \*Ro-trak has the most benefits on hillsides and contours.
- \*Automatically steers to correct machine side drifting.
- \*Ro-trak is activated by a sensor at back of machine.
- \*Will help prevent the machine from "fish-tailing" on hillsides.

#### **Helpful Tips**

- \*When installing Hyd. pump, lead hoses through 3-Point A frame.
- \*Inspect and make sensor square to machine.
- \*Twelve volts can be supplied by tractor or a separate battery.
- \*Ro-Trak requires only low RPM PTO speed to function.
- \*Hollow bed can effect Ro-Trak performance.
- \*If machine has been setting for a period of time, it may be necessary to manually move the valve spools to get oil through the system.
- \*With PTO pump running, use a Phillips screw driver and push the silver tip of the spool inward approximately 1/4" (Page 14.)
- \*Manual Ro-Trak is operated with tractor Hyd. and must be steered by tractor operator.



#### Maintenance

- 1. Periodically check oil level. Low oil level may cause air to come into the system and effect Ro-Trak performance.
- 2. Change oil and filter every 200 hours or 3 years (ISO 46 Hyd. Oil).
- 3. Check for any damaged hoses or electric wires.

#### Ro-Trak not functioning? Check for these problems.

- **1.** Is the PTO engaged?
- **2.** Is a 12 volt battery properly connected?
- 3. Is the sensor at rear of machine plugged in?
- 4. Check oil level.
- **5.** Check for any damaged hoses or wires.
- **6.** Is sensor lifted 3" or more? (Sensor has transport cut off switch).
- 7. Do the indicator lights on solenoid light-up?
- **8.** If indicator lights light-up and Ro-Trak doesn't function, push in silver pins on solenoid spools (approximately ½" on either side).
- **9.** If indicator lights do not light up, undo plate on top of solenoid and check for loose wires.
- **10.** Steers only one way? Change bad steering switch in sensor.
- **11.** Call Rain-Flo at (717) 445-3000.

#### Auto Ro-Trak

Hyd. Oil Level

Solenoid Valve

Valve Indicator Valve Spools Silver Tip Lights Silver Tip



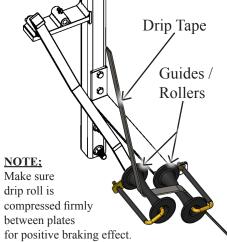


#### **Drip Irrigation Roll Carrier**



Slide drip roll onto roll carrier rod so that drip emitter will be turned up toward plastic (for less clogging).

Feed drip tape through the first guide on the swing arm and through the second guide that's bolted on the drip roll carrier frame. (See Sketch Below.)



#### **Drip Irr. Tape Placement**



Feed drip line through the guides on the spool carrier and into the drip line down pipe.

To avoid damaging drip tape with the press pan, adjust top of down pipe about 1" to 2" below the plastic mulch.

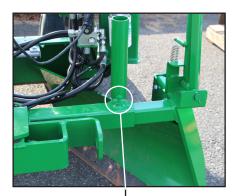
Turn drip emitters up toward the plastic for less clogging.

\_ Drip Line Down Pipe

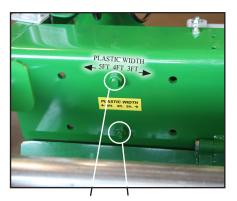
#### **Changing The Plastic Width**

The Model 2670 will lay 3', 4', or 5' wide plastic.

- (No.1) photo. Remove bolts at back end of bed shaper (No.2) photo and slide to appropriate setting. Make sure bolts are tight.
- 2 Adjust bed press side plates; remove bolts from bed press side plates and move to appropriate setting (No. 3) photo.
- 3 Adjust roll carrier; loosen bolts and slide bracket so plastic roll fits between bracket (No.4) photo. Adjust approximate 1½" wider than plastic width.



(No.1) Lock bolt



(No.2) Remove bolts on back side of bed shaper

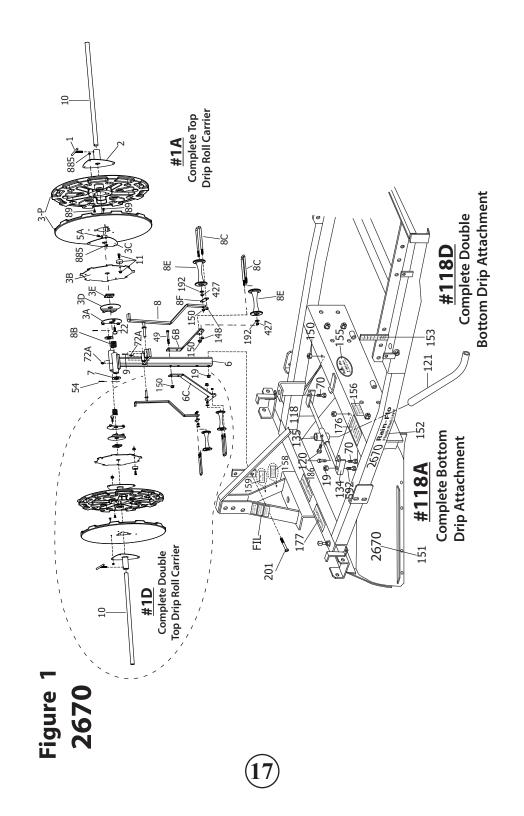


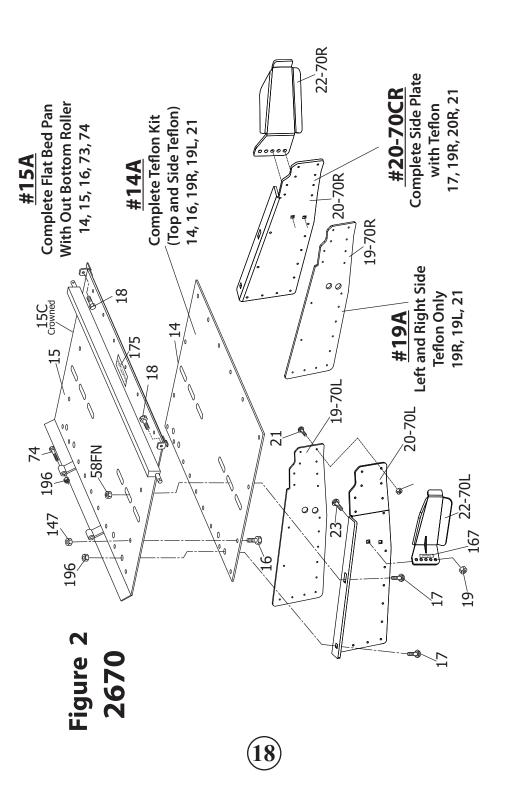
(No.3) Remove bolts from bed press side plates and move to appropriate setting. NOTE; For straight beds, each side must be equally adjusted.



(No.4) Roll holder and tire adjustment







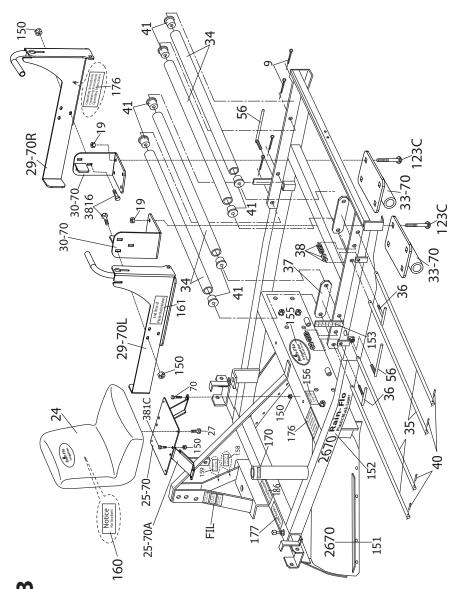
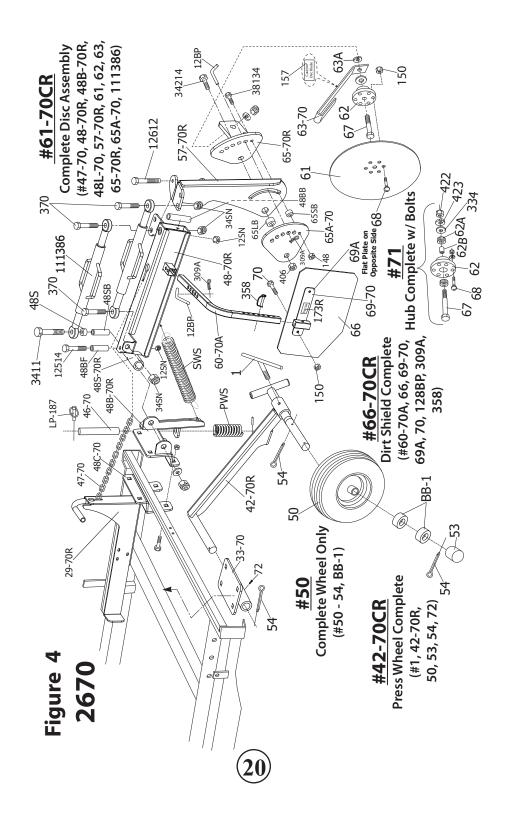
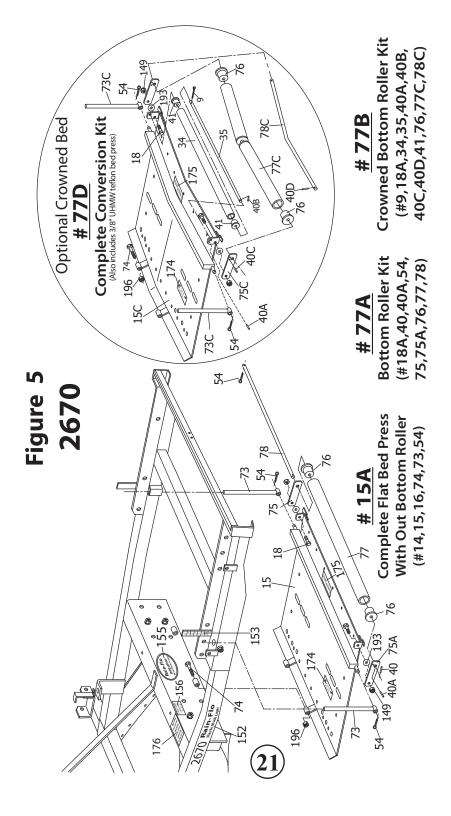
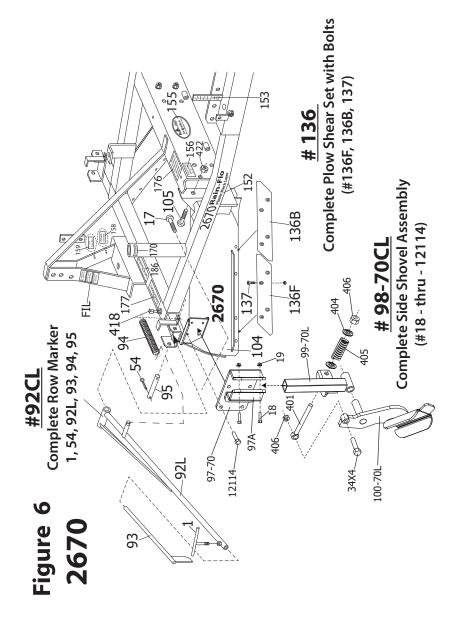
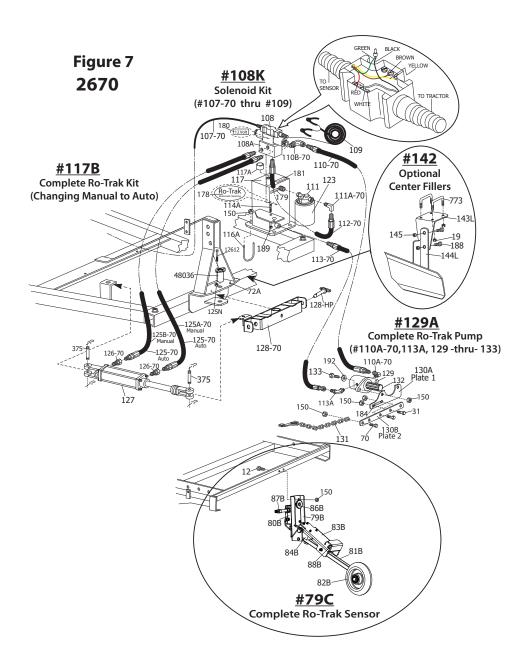


Figure 3 **2670** 









## Model 2670 Raised Bed Layer TEM # DESCRIPTION

ITEM#

1(9)	Tee Handle
	Complete Top Drip Roll Carrier
	Complete Double Top Drip Roll Carrier
	Roll Carrier Clamp
	Drip Attach Adjustable Brake Tension Plate
	Drip Attach Brake Plate
	Drip Attach Mounting for Brake Plate
	Drip Attach Brake Tension Plate Rotation Stop
	Drip Attach Teflon Brake Washer
	Drip Roll Side Plates
	3/8" x 1/2" Set Screw
5(2)	3/8" x 3/4" Plate Set Screw
6	Drip Roll Carrier Frame (Single or Double)
6B	Drip Attach Arm to Guide Drip Tape
	Drip Attach Arm to Guide Drip Tape (Double Drip)
7	
8	
	Drip Attach Brake Tension Spring for 1" Rod
	Drip Attach Arm U-Bolt %" x 2" x 6½"
	Drip Attach Arm II halt Blots Only
	Drip Attach Arm U-bolt Plate Only
9(7)	Cotter Pin[1/8"]
10	
	Rubber Brake Assembly
	38" x 21/2" Zinc Hex Bolt
12BP(4)	
12SN (6)	½" Zinc Stover Nut
13	Straight Grease Fitting
14	3/8" UHMW Plastic (Machine Serial# Needed)
14A	Complete Plastic Kit w/ Side Plates
	Bed Press Plate [Flat]
	Bed Press Complete w/o Bottom Roller
	Bed Press Plate [Crowned]
	1/4" x 7/8" Machine Screw
	5%" x 2" Carriage Bolt
18(4)	
19(10)	1/" Flance Nut
	Set ½" UHMW Plastic Side Plate (Serial # Needed)
	Left Side ½" UHMW Plastic Side Plate
	Right Side ½" UHMW Plastic Side Plate
	5/16" x 3/4" Carriage Bolt
	Left Side Complete Side Plate w/ Plastic
	Right Side Complete Side Plate w/ Plastic
	3/8" Bed Side Press Plate (Machine Serial # Needed)
	3/8" Bed Press Side Plate (Machine Serial # Needed)
	<sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> " x 1" Machine Screw
22(3)	5/16" x 1" Thumb Screw
	Left Side Trench Opener (24)
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#### ITEM#

22-70R	Right Side Trench Opener
23(4)	½" x 1½" Carriage Head Bolt
24	Cushion Seat
25-70	Seat Mounting
26(3)	
27(4)	
28	
29(2)	
30(2)	Roll Width Adjustment Plate
31(6)	<sup>3</sup> / <sub>8</sub> " x 1" Bolt
	½" x 4" Carriage Bolt
	Bottom Plate Roll Width Adjustment
	Plastic Mulch Support Roll
	3/4" Zinc Stover Nut
	3/4" x 4" Gr. 5 Zinc Hex Bolt
35(4)	
	Tension Tee Handle
37(2)	
	Tension Spring and Washer
40(9)	
40A (2)	
	3/16" x 1½" Roll Pin
40C	
40D	
41(8)	
	Left Side Press Wheel Arm Complete
	Right Side Press Wheel Arm Complete
42-70L	Left Side Press Wheel Arm
42-70R	Right Side Press Wheel Arm
47-70 (2)	Cover Arm Chain
48-70L	Left Side Cover Disk Support Arm
48-70R	Right Side Cover Disk Support Arm
48BB(2)	Back Disk Arm Bushing; 3/4" OD x 1/2" ID x 41/8"
	Front Disk Arm Bushing; ¾" OD x ½" ID x 4¼"
48B-70L	Left Side Disk Arm Swivel Bracket
48B-70R	Right Side Disk Arm Swivel Bracket
48C-70 (2)	Disk Arm Swivel Bracket Clamp
48S (2)	¾" x 1¾" Disk Arm Bolt Spacer
	Bushing For Swivel Bracket; 11/4" OD x 3/4" ID x 5.97"
48S-70L	Left Side Disk Arm Swivel Knuckle
	Right Side Disk Arm Swivel Knuckle
49(4)	¾" x 3" Zinc Grade 5 Hex Bolt
50(2)	Press Wheel Tire (#50 -thru- #54)
53(2)	
54(10)	
56(2)	
	Left Side Vertical Disk Mounting Bracket (25)
57-70R	Right Side Vertical Disk Mounting Bracket

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IIIIIII	B Esciul 11011
58(2)	Cotter Pin
58FN(2)	%" Flange Nut
	Dirt Shield Support Arm
61(2)	
	Left Side Complete Disk Assembly
	Right Side Complete Disk Assembly
62A(4)	205KP3 Posting
62B(2)	
63-70 (2)	
	Left Side Tee Bracket For Disk Hub Mounting
	Right Side Tee Bracket For Disk Hub Mounting
	Mounting Plate For Tee Bracket
	Large Disk Bracket Bushing; 11/8" OD x 3/4" ID x 7/16"
	Small Disk Bracket Bushing; 5%" OD x 3%" ID x 7/16"
66(2)	
	Left Side Dirt Shield Complete
	Right Side Dirt Shield Complete
67(2)	3/4" x 41/2" Hub Center Bolt
68 (12)	3/8" x 11/2" Button Socket Cap Bolt
69-70 (2)	Dirt Shield Bracket
	Dirt Shield Flat Plate Bracket
70(6)	
71(2)	
	1/4" x 90° Grease Zerk
72A (4)	1/4" NFT 45° Grease Zerk
	Bed Height Adjustment Rod [Flat Bed]
` ,	Bed Height Adjustment Rod [Crowned Bed]
74(2)	
	Right Side Bottom Roller Flex Plate [Flat Bed]
	Left Side Bottom Roller Flex Plate [Flat Bed]
	Bottom Roller Flex Plate [Crowned Bed]
	UHMW Bushing; Bottom Roller
	3" Galvanized Bottom Roller [Flat Bed]
	Complete Flat Bed Bottom Roller Kit
	Complete Crowned Bed Bottom Roller Kit
	3" Galvanized Bottom Roller [Crowned Bed]
	Raised Bed Crowned Press Pan Conversion Kit
	Bottom Roller Mounting Rod [Flat Bed]
	Bottom Roller Mounting Rod [Crowned Bed]
	Sensor Vertical Mounting Bracket
79C	Complete Ro-Trak Sensor Assembly
80B	
80A	¼" x ½" Bolt
81B	
	Sensor Tracking Wheel
83	
83B	
	Ro-Trak Sensor Aluminum Block Bearing
U-D	

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ITEM#	DESCRIPTIONRo-Trak Sensor Aluminum Block
85B	Ro-Trak Sensor Aluminum Block
86B	Ro-Trak Sensor Magnet
	Sensor Electric Plug Shroud [4 -Square]
	Sensor Electric Plug-In [4 -Square]
	Ro-Trak Sensor Proximity Sensor Switch
	½" x ¾" Carriage Head Bolt
90	5/16" x <sup>3</sup> /," Bolt
	Left Side Row Marker
	Right Side Row Marker
	Left Side Complete Row Marker
	Right Side Complete Row Marker
9201	Row Marker Extension
93(2)	Row Marker Extension
94(2)	Dow Marker Lings Din
	Row Marker Hinge Pin
97-70 (2)	Side Shovel Mounting Bracket
	Side Shovel Bracket Clamp
	Left Side Complete Side Shovel Assembly
98-70CR	Right Side Complete Side Shovel Assembly
99-70L	Side Shovel Stem; Left Side
	Side Shovel Stem; Right Side
100-70L	Side Shovel Shank; Left Side
100-70R	Side Shovel Shank; Right Side
104(2)	Scraper Mold Board
	<sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> " x 2" Carriage Bolt
107	Rear Sensor Wire
108	
	Aluminum Manifold
	Solenoid Kit (Includes Wiring Harness)
	Sensor Wire to Battery
	Hose, Pump Pressure Side
110B-70	Hydraulic Block Elbow
111	
111A-70	Hyd. Filter Head Elbow Fitting
112-70	Hydraulic Hose; Filter to Solenoid Manifold
	Hydraulic Hose; Pump Intake Side
113A	Hydraulic Pump Elbow
114 A	5/16" x 2½" Socket Head Cap Bolt
115(2)	Hydraulic Tank Mounting Plate
116(4)	3%" x 4" Bolt
	3/8" x 2" U-Bolt For Oil Resevoir
117	
117A	
	Complete Ro-Trak Kit (Manual to Auto)
	Dripline Cross Bar
118A	Complete Single Bottom Drip Attachment
118D	Complete Double Bottom Drip Attachment
120 (2)	½" x 1½" Hex Bolt
121	Dripline Down Pipe
123	Oil Filter
125-70 (2)	Hydraulic Cylinder Hose [Auto Ro-Trak]
125A-70	Hyd. Cylinder Hose [Manual Ro-Trak], Front Hose
	Hyd. Cylinder Hose [Manual Ro-Trak], Back Hose (77
127	Hydraulic Cylinder

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#### ITEM#

_		2 25 01111 11011	
	128-70	Steering Bar	
		Steering Bar Hitch Pin	
		Hydraulic Pump	
		Ro-Trak Pump Complete	
	130A	Pump Support (Plate 1)	
		Pump Support (Plate 2)	
		Chain w/ Snap	
	132	PTO Coupling	
	133(5) .		
	134	Bottom Drip Bolted Angle Iron	
	135	Drip Pipe Holder Bracket	
		Plow Shears Set Complete	
	136B(2).	Back Plow Shears	
		Front Plow Shears	
	137 (9)	3/8" x 11/4" Plow Bolt	
		Left Side Top Center Filler Bracket	
		Right Side Top Center Filler Bracket	
	1431	Left Side Center Filler Plow Bracket	
	144L	Dight Side Center Filler Plow Bracket	
		Right Side Center Filler Plow Bracket	
	145(2).	7/16" Hex Nut	
	146(16)		
	147(10)		
	148(3) .	<sup>3</sup> /8" Nylon Lock Nut	
	149(2).		
	151(2).	Mold Board Label	
	152(2).	Side Label	
	153(2).	Bed Height Label	
	154(2).	Caution Label for Roll Holder	
	155(2).	Rain-Flo Oval Logo Label	
	156	Plastic Width Label	
	157(2).	Disc Scraper Caution Label	
	158	Center of Bed Filler Label on 'A' Frame	
		Sway Bar Label on 'A' Frame	
	160	Important Notice Label on Seat	
	161(2).	End View Label for Roll Holder	
	162(4).	More Coverage Label	
	167(2).	Deeper Trench Label	
	168	Notice Label on Drip Attach	
		"Turn Drippers Up For Less Clogging" Label	
		Direction Arrow for Drip Attach	
		Drip Attach Brake Adjustment Plate Label	
		Shovel Holder Label	
		Left Side Label for Disk [Standing in Back]	
		Right Side Label for Disk [Standing in Back]	
		Left Side Label for Dirt Shield [Standing in Back]	
		Right Side Label for Dirt Shield [Standing in Back]	
		Bed Width Label	
	175(2).	Feed Plastic Under Roller Label	_
	176(2).	Operating Instruction Label	()
		Feed Hoses Through 'A' Frame Label	4
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ITEM	#
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178		.Oval Ro-Trak Label
179		.Oil Level Label
180		.12 Volt System Label
181		.Hydraulic Oil Label
		.Make Sensor Square Label
		.Ro-Trak Chain Caution Label
		.This Side Up Label
		.Serial Number Label
		.7/16" x 11/2" Hex Bolt [For Center Fillers]
		.5/16" Nylon Lock Nut
191	(2)	.5/8" Locking Washer
193	(6)	.½" Flat Washer
		.5/16" Flange Nut
		.5/8" Nylon Lock Nut
		.7/16" Flat Washer
		.7/16" Locking Washer
199		.1¼" Nylon Lock Nut
		.½" x 3¼" Bolt
309A		
334		.3/4" SAE Flat Washer
		.Cylinder Pin
		.Eye Bolt For Side Shovel
		.Pressed Washer
		.Spring For Side Shovel
406	(6)	.3/4" Nylon Lock Nut
		.5/8" x 11/2" Sq. Head Set Screw
422	(6)	.3/4" Hex Nut
423	(2)	.3/4" Locking Washer
427(	(22)	.¾" Nut
433	(6)	.5∕8" Hex Nut
592		.½" x 2" Hex Bolt
		.1/2" x 4" x 3-1/16" Center Filler 'U' Bolt
3411	(2)	.3/4" x 11" Gr. 5 Zinc Hex Bolt
12114	(8)	.½" x 1¼" Gr. 5 Zinc Hex Bolt
		.½" x 5¼" Gr. 5 Zinc Hex Bolt
		.½" x 6½" Gr. 5 Zinc Hex Bolt
		.3/4" x 21/4" Gr. 5 Zinc Hex Bolt
		.3/8" x 13/4" Gr. 5 Zinc Hex Bolt
		.Steering Bar Pin
		.Disk Arm Turnbuckle (13", 11/8" ACME)
		.Front Instruction Label
		.3/16" x 1" Lynch Pin
		Press Wheel Compression Spring
SWS	(2)	.Disk Arm Spring

#### **Helpful Tips**

- \* Adjust 3-point top link on tractor to level machine.
- \* Periodically check for shallow spots in bed; hollow bed will effect planting and hinder plant growth.
- \* We recommend two or more people when laying plastic mulch to maintain proper machine adjustment.
- \* A sizable tractor is needed for stability and lifting power. Minimum tractor size for Model 2670 is 80 HP.
- \* This machine can also be used for a bedder only, (without laying plastic). The rear cover disks and tires can be removed for this application.
- \* Avoid over steering; rear cover disk will move too far and cut into plastic. Careful steering will also provide more uniform coverage.
- \* Stretching plastic in length and side to side will help plastic from blowing off.
- \* Check drip tape down pipe for wearing to avoid damaging drip tape from sharp edges.

#### Warranty

All Rain-Flo mulch layers have a two year warranty against defects in material and workmanship.

If any part is found defective, return the defective part with Serial No. of the machine. If Rain-Flo finds it defective, it will be replaced or repaired at no charge.

Call Customer Service at (717) 445-3000.



#### TROUBLESHOOTING

1. PROBLEM: Machine tends to drift sideways causing press wheels to

come off the plastic.

**SOLUTION:** \*Pull less soil soil by lengthening 3-point top link.

Pull just enough to fill the bed firm.

\*Ensure the tractor's sway bars are locked.

\*Tractor may be too small.

\*On Auto Ro-Trak machines, make sure Ro-Trak is

functioning properly.

**2. PROBLEM:** Cover disk not getting enough soil to cover plastic

**SOLUTION:** \*Tilt disks back to dig in more (Page 11).

\*Set side shovels deeper (Page 12).

\*Increase down pressure on disks (Page 11).

\*Bed press side plates not set correctly for bed height

(Page 6 & 7).

**3. PROBLEM:** Plastic not staying under press wheel.

**SOLUTION:** \*Tension is too tight on plastic roll carrier.

\*Bed press side plates not set correctly for bed height

(Page 6 & 7).

**4. PROBLEM:** Ro-Trak not functioning.

**SOLUTION:** \*Follow Ro-Trak information; Page 13 and 14.

**5. PROBLEM:** Beds aren't firm and shallow spots in center.

**SOLUTION:** \*Adjust top link.

\*Soil not tilled deep enough.

\*Add weight on bed press.

\*Tractor's 3-point not lowered completely or draft control lifting up.

\*Install optional center fillers on mulch layer.

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