

Quick Setup Instructions for
SNAPPER®
*21" VARIABLE SPEED
REAR DISCHARGE
WALK BEHIND MOWERS
EUROPEAN MODELS*



Models

ESPV21675 (7800253)

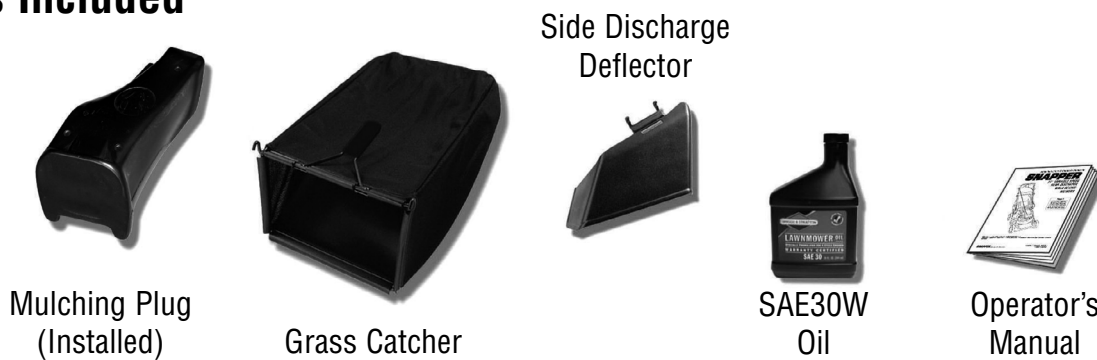
ESPV21675 Overview



Items that you will need

Unleaded Fuel (minimum 87 octane)
Utility Knife

Items Included




1 Unpack the mower

- Cut all four corners of the box from top to bottom.
- Remove all items from around the mower.
Remove the clear plastic sheet from the top of the engine.
- Locate and identify the items included with the mower.

2 Read the manuals

- Carefully read all the manuals supplied with the mower. They contain important safety, operating, and maintenance information.

⚠ WARNING	
	Failure to read and follow instructions in the operator's manual could result in death and/or bodily injury.

3 Unfold the handle

- Turn the knobs (A, Figure 1) on either side of the lower handle 1/4 turn to retract the locking pins.
- Raise the lower handle, aligning it with one of the three sets of holes in the handle bracket (most users will prefer the middle position).
- Turn the knobs to release the locking pins and secure the lower handle.
- Loosen, but do not remove, the upper knobs (B) on the handle. Remove the cardboard slats.
- Raise the upper handle to the operating position, and tighten the upper knobs.



Figure 1

4 Set up the recoil rope handle

- Hold the bail control against the handle, and pull the recoil rope handle out to the rope guide (A, Figure 2) on the handle. Hook the recoil rope into the rope guide (it might be a tight fit).

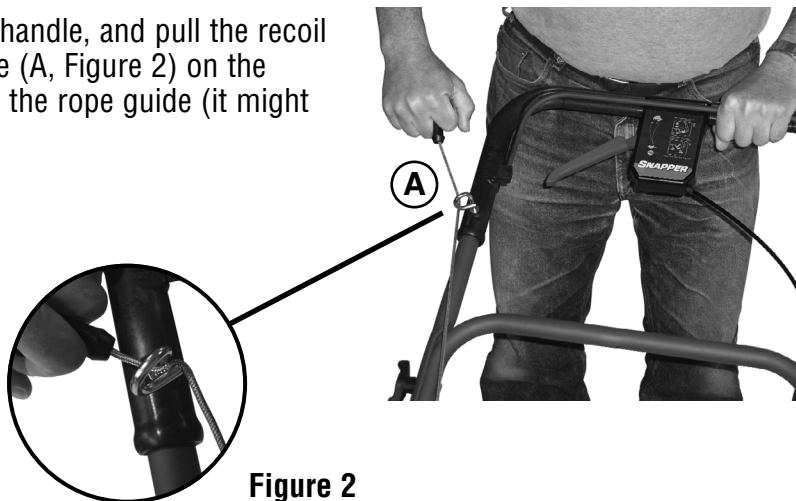


Figure 2

5 Add oil and fuel

- Move the mower outside to a flat, level surface.
- Remove the oil fill cap (A, Figure 3). Add the entire contents of the supplied oil container to the engine. Replace the oil fill cap.

IMPORTANT Mower is shipped without oil in engine. Failure to add oil will result in engine damage.

- Remove the fuel fill cap (B). Add clean, fresh, UNLEADED fuel with a minimum of 87 octane, leaving one inch of space from the top of the tank for fuel expansion.

IMPORTANT Fuel tank holds less than 1/2 gallon.
IMPORTANT DO NOT mix oil with fuel.

- Replace the fuel fill cap, and wipe up any spills.



Figure 3

6 Start the mower

- Move the cutting height adjust lever (A, Figure 4) to the desired cutting height.
- Set the mower to mulch, discharge or bag. (See 3-in-1 instructions.)
- Hold the bail control (A, Figure 5) against the drive handle.
- Pull the recoil rope handle (B) until the engine starts.
- To engage the drive system, slowly pull the drive lever (C) back. To increase ground speed, slowly pull the drive lever farther back. To decrease ground speed, slowly release the drive lever.
- To disengage the drive system, release the drive lever.
- To stop the engine and blade, release the bail control.

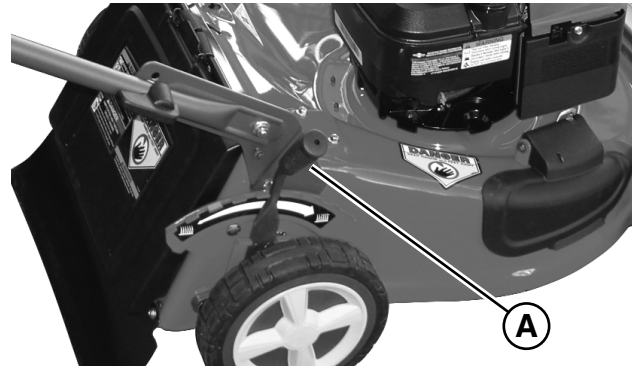


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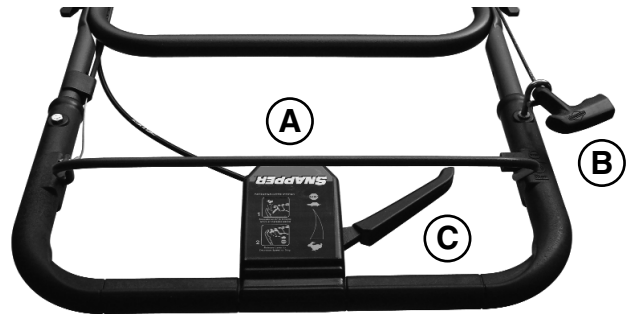




Figure 5

 WARNING	
	Running engines give off carbon monoxide, an odorless, colorless, poison gas. Breathing carbon monoxide can cause nausea, fainting, or death.
Operate this product ONLY outdoors. Keep exhaust gas from entering a confined area through windows, doors, ventilation intakes or other openings. DO NOT operate this product inside any building or enclosure, even if windows and doors are open.	

3-in-1: Convert from mulching to bagging...

1 For mulching:

- Leave the mulching cover and the installed mulching plug in place (Figure 6).

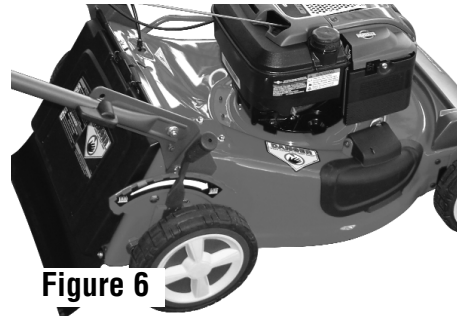


Figure 6

2 To convert to bagging:

- Lift the rear door, and remove the installed mulching plug (Figure 7).
- Holding the rear door open, attach the grass catcher (Figure 8) to the rear of the mower.
- Make sure the hooks (A, Figure 9) on either side of the catcher frame hook onto the rear door rod (B).
- Release the rear door (it will lay on top of the grass catcher).



Figure 7



Figure 8

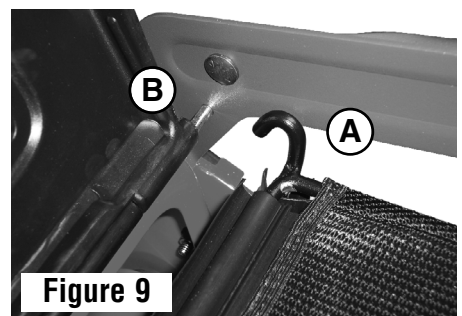


Figure 9

...to side-discharge:

3 To convert to side-discharge:

- Make sure the mulching plug is installed in the rear of the mower.
- Lift the mulching cover (A, Figure 10).
- Install the side discharge deflector (B) onto the mower deck. Make sure the upper tabs (A, Figure 11) of the deflector are hooked behind the mulching cover rod, and the deck tab sticks up through the locking slot (B).
- Release the mulching cover (it will lay on top of the side discharge deflector).



Figure 10

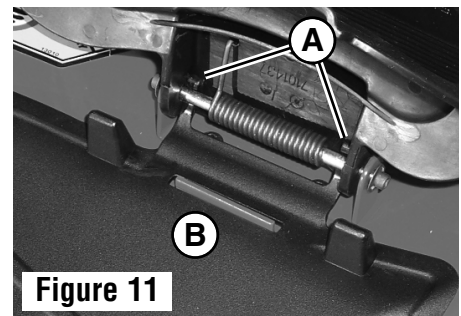


Figure 11

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