



TRAINING OUTLINE

COURSE TITLE: _____ **DATE:** _____ **INSTRUCTOR:** _____

LOCATION: _____ **TIME:** _____ **COMPANY:** _____

Safety training was conducted on the above date by the instructor indicated. The following line items identify the topics covered during the training session.

SUMMARY OF TRAINING

- 1) Introduction
 - a) Standards
 - b) Why Training
- 2) Anatomy & Components
 - a) Warning Symbols
 - b) Riding Mower
 - c) Interior
 - d) Exterior and Underside
 - e) Zero-Turn Mower
 - f) Throttle
 - g) Clutch
 - h) Choke
 - i) Power Take-Off
 - j) Mower Deck
 - k) Safety Devices, Seat Belt
 - l) Grass Chute
 - m) Pulleys and Belts
 - n) Blades
 - o) Boom Mower
 - p) Boom Arm
 - q) Boom Rest/Clutch
 - r) Cutter/Flail Head
 - s) Rotary Head
 - t) Cutter Bar/Blade
 - u) Safety Shielding
 - v) Mounting System
 - w) Master Switch
 - x) Windows
 - y) Operator Protection Screen
 - z) Pull-Behind Mower



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- aa) Steel Bars
- bb) Operator's Manual
- cc) Nuts, Bolts
- dd) Muffler
- ee) Hydraulics
- ff) Tires/Wheels
- gg) Controls
- hh) Engine Check
- ii) Spark Plug
- jj) Spark Arrestor/Arrestor
- kk) Valves
- ll) Air Filter
- mm) Oil and Fuel
- nn) Labels
- oo) Lights
- pp) Protective Structures
- qq) Hoods
- rr) Lawn Diseases

3) Principles of Stability

- a) Balance and Leverage
- b) Center of Gravity
- c) Dynamic Conditions
- d) Slopes
- e) Proper Seating
- f) Ground and Site Conditions

4) Safe Operations

- a) Training
- b) Operator's Manual
- c) Know Your Machine
 - i. Steering Wheel vs. Zero-Turn
 - ii. Park Brake
 - iii. Controls
 - iv. Gas Pedal
 - v. Blades
 - vi. Fueling
 - vii. Operating
 - viii. Mounting and Dismounting
 - ix. Starting the Mower



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- x. Weight
- xi. Direction
- xii. Turning
- xiii. Speed
- xiv. Transporting
- xv. Other Precautions
- xvi. Backing Up
- xvii. Pace
- xviii. Extension Cords
- xix. Siphoning Gas
- xx. Seatbelts
- xxi. PPE

d) Know Your Worksite

- i. Trees
- ii. Wet Grass
- iii. Pedestrians
- iv. Traffic
- v. Lighting
- vi. Finishing

e) Communication, Hand Signals

5) Hazards

- a) Distractions
- b) Overheating
- c) Power Lines/Electrocution
- d) Glass
- e) Plastic, Other Debris
- f) Wires, Cables, Chains
- g) Bites, Stings
- h) Poisonous Plants
- i) Heat Stress
- j) Cold Stress
- k) Fatigue
- l) Weather
- m) Emotional, Physical
- n) Accident Profile #1
- o) Accident Profile #2
- p) Accident Profile #3
- q) Accident Profile #4



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- r) Accident Profile #5
- s) Accident Profile #6
- t) Accident Profile #7
- u) Accident Profile #8

6) Conclusion