

PDCP

INSTRUCTIONS MANUAL



MARCHESAN

IDENTIFICATION

Dealer: _____

Owner: _____

Firm / Farm: _____

City: _____ State: _____

No. of the Certificate of Guarantee:_____

Serial / No.: _____

Date: ____/____/____ Invoice No.: _____

Product: _____

Notes: _____

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Introduction

PDCP no Till Planter, is suitable for no till planting in any fields and direct drilling of wheat, oats, barley and grasses, simultaneously or independent, Row units with parallelogram system for more flexibility with excellent results on pasture renovation and planting of large seeds.

Row units with parallelogram system for more flexibility and to follow uneven ground.

The TRA gear box allows quick change of sprockets without the help of tools. A great range of sprocket combinations adjusts the quantity of fertilizer and large seeds for different crops.

Independent seed and fertilizer boxes in the rear and in the back of the planter. The location of the boxes benefits continuous and quick flow through the conductors.

Ratchets disconnect automatically the mechanism of fertilizer and seed distribution when maneuvering and transporting.

Scarifier spindle distant from coulter blade; fertilizer depth according to agronomical norms; unaligned seed rows and scarifier spindles distant from coulter blades help to prevent clogging when operating over high straw residues. Scarifier spindles are optional equipment for the fine seed rows.

This instruction manual includes the required information for the best performance of your planter. The planter operator should read the contents of this manual thoroughly and carefully before operating the equipment and should make sure to follow the safety guidelines.

In order to clear any other points, or in the event of any technical problem that may arise during your work, please contact your Dealer, that, in alliance with our own Technical Assistance Department, are able to assure the full operation of your TATU Planters.



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To the owner

The acquisition of any TATU product assures to the original purchaser the following rights:

- Warranty certificate;
- Instructions manual;
- Technical assistance by the dealer on equipment delivery .

The owner has the obligation of inspect the conditions of the product on delivery, as well as knowing the warranty terms.

Special attention should be given to safety recommendations, operation cares and maintenance of equipment.

Be sure to read and understand this instructions for adjusting and operating the equipment as reported in this manual. Check each item referred to obtain an efficient operation and maximum trouble free performance. Remember an equipment which is properly lubricated and adjusted saves your time, labor and fuel. This manual should be read by Operators and maintenance personal.

Important



- **Only people who own a full knowledge of the tractor and equipment, must operate them;**
- **Marchesan is not responsible for any damage caused by accident on transporting, incorrect utilization or inadequate storage;**
- **After the operating season, clean and inspect your equipment, preventive maintenance pays dividends.**
- **Your Dealer has original equipment parts, which assure proper fit and best performance.**

General information

Right and left hand side indication is made observing the planter from the rear.

To order any parts or request technical assistance services it is required to provide the data contained on the nameplate, which is located on the chassis of the planter.

MODELO		DATA	
SÉRIE/Nº		PESO	
MARCHESAN IMPLEMENTOS		 MARCHESAN	
E MÁQUINAS AGRÍCOLAS "TATU" S.A.			
AV. MARCHESAN, 1979 - MATÃO - SP - BRASIL			
FONE: (16) 3382-8282 - FAX: (16) 3382-1009			
CNPJ: 52.311.289/0001-63 - Inscr. Est. 441.000.151.114			

NOTE

The warranty shall not be applied to any equipment, or any part thereof which has been altered elsewhere than at the place of manufacture, or which the original purchaser thereof at retail, has used or allowed to be used parts, not made or supplied by Marchesan S/A.

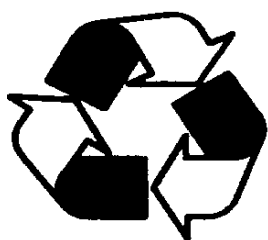
To the operator



Dear User!

Respect the ecology. Don't throw trash away. This gesture of goodwill helps to protect our environment.

Be careful with environment



Don't spill combustible oil, batteries and filters. These trashes in contact with soil reach the sub – layer, which directly damage the environment. Look for information to delivery this contaminate elements, to who knows to re-cycle or re-use them.

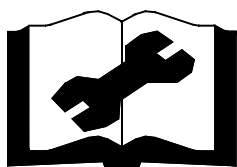
Operation safety



- In order to avoid accidents the safety aspects must be carefully kept.
- This symbol is a warning used for accident prevention.
- The instructions followed by this symbol concern the safety of the operator or third parties; therefore they must be read and carefully kept.

The PDCM planter is easy to operate, but requires basic and indispensable handling cares.

- Keep in mind that **SAFETY** requires **CONSTANT ATTENTION, OBSERVATION AND PRUDENCE** during planting, transportation, maintenance and storage of the planter.



Read and understand the information about before realizing adjustments and maintenance.

To the operator



Never use your hands to check hydraulic leaks, escaping oil under pressure, may have sufficient pressure and may have sufficient force to penetrate the skin, maybe cause several injuries.



Never attempt to change the adjustments, clean or lubricate the equipment, when the same is turned on or in movement.



Be careful when moving in steep graders. Risk of overturn.



Be careful about the use of fertilizer or chemicals. These products in any contact with skin, can be cause any serious injury to the body.



Keep the entrances and work places clean and safe from oil, grease. Risk of accidents.



Never transport the equipment on rough roads. When operating, avoid to make sharp turns, that may cause tire contact with the equipment.



The presence of any other people on the tractor or equipment is strictly forbidden.



Use extreme caution when circulating with the equipment under electrical power lines, any contact may result severe shocks, injuries or death.



For your protection and safety, always wear adequate clothes and shoes during operation of the equipment.



Always use the cylinder transport locks when transporting the equipment.

To the operator



- During work or transportation only the operator is allowed on the tractor.
- Do not allow children to play in proximity of or on the planter, no matter whether latter is in operation, being transported or in storage.
- Get to know intimately the terrain before planting begins. Stake out danger spots or obstacles.
- Adopt speeds compatible with the conditions of the terrain or roads passed through.
- Use equipments for your own protection.
- Wear adequate clothes and shoes. Avoid wearing clothes which are either too loose or too constricting and which might catch on rotating parts of the equipments.
- Never operate the equipment without its safety devices.
- Be careful when coupling the traction bar.
- Before lifting or lowering the planter, make sure there are no people or animals near or under the equipment.
- Never attempt change the adjustments, clean or lubricate with the equipment, in movement.
- Always switch off the engine and set the parking brakes before leaving the tractor seat.
- Only drive the equipment using tractors with the appropriate power.
- Carefully check the transport width on narrow locations.
- Be careful with transport width when passing through narrow spots.
- Each time you disconnect the planter on the field or in the shed make sure the equipment is on level and firm ground and resting on the parking stands, adequately supported.
- See general safety instructions on the counter cover of this manual.

When transporting the equipment by truck or trailer



Marchesan does not recommend the traffic of the equipment on highways, since serious safety risks concerns such practice, in addition to being prohibited by current Traffic Laws in force. To transporting the equipment for long distances use truck or trailer, however, the safety instructions should be followed carefully:

- Always use an adequate loading dock to load or unload the equipment, never use a ditch bank, because this practice is very dangerous and could be result in serious injuries or may causing death.
- Use a suitable Hoist when lifting the equipment to the truck or trailer.
- Make use of the planter's parking stands to support it correctly.
- The planter draw bar should be raised and locked in vertical position, or be removed and tied to the load.
- Latch down the deposit lids and other movable parts which may come loose and cause accidents.
- Use sufficient fastenings (cables, ropes, chains, cord, etc.) to immobilize the equipment during transportation.
- After 8 to 10 kilometers of transporting, please inspect the cargo conditions. Always Repeat this procedure for every 80 to 100 kilometers of transporting. Give more attention when transporting on rough roads, steep graders, and other adverse conditions.
- Be careful with transport height, specially when passing under electrical power lines and bridges. Risk of shock and serious injuries.
- Observe all the laws and regulations about the height and width limits of cargo. When transporting the equipment by truck or trailer. If necessary, use banners, lights and other devices to give the adequate warning for the drivers/operators of another vehicles.

To the operator

Safety stickers

The safety stickers are a warning of some points that require more attention in the equipment. The safety stickers always should be kept in good conditions. If they are damaged or become illegible, should be replaced. Marchesan supplies this stickers upon indication of the respective part numbers.



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Model	Code
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PDCP - No Till Planter for Cereal and Pasture

	SPACINGS (mm)	USEFUL WIDTH (mm)	BOX CAPACITY			REQUIRED TRACTOR (hp)	WIDTH X HEIGHT X LENGHT (mm)
			FINE SEEDS EACH	GREAT SEEDS EACH	FERTILIZER EACH		
PDCP	13/13F	2200	130 L		223 L	75	3350 x 1620 x 3800
	13/11F						
	13/9F						
	13/7F						
	13/6F						
	13/6G	2200		35 L	223 L	75	3350 x 1620 x 3800
	13/5G						
	500, 550, 600, 650, 700						
	13/3G	2200	130 L	35 L	223 L	75	3350 x 1620 x 3800
	13/9F/3G						
	17/17 F						
	17/15F						
	17/11F						
	17/9F	2950	173 L		293 L	90	4020 x 1620 x 3800
	17/8F						
	17/8G						
17/7G	2950		35 L	293 L	90	4020 x 1620 x 3800	
17/6G							
500, 550							
17/5G	2950						
600, 650, 700							
17/4G	2950	173 L	35 L	293 L	90	4020 x 1620 x 3800	
17/12F/4G							
	F 21, 23 e 26 G 70						

F = Fine Seeds.
G = Large Seeds.

Technical specifications

ARTICULATED DRAWBAR with extensor arm that makes hitching to the tractor and levelling easy. Movable fixation to adapt any spacing between rows.

MAINFRAME with two tubes 100 x 100 x 6,35 mm, diagonal arrangement, to fix the rows with high capacity of absorption and distribution of loads. One tube 80 x 80 x 4,75 mm and other with 120 x 80 x 4,75 mm.

HYDRAULIC CIRCUIT with double-action cylinders and flow divider valve. Use simple command.

DRIVING WHEELS follow uneven ground and ensure uninterrupted functioning of the dispensers. - **Tires** 6.50 x 16 make for better traction and less soil compaction.

AUTOMATIC RATCHETS for fertilizer and seed metering.

TRA (GEAR BOX) - FOR QUICK CHANGE OF SPROCKETS

- **Fertilizer sprockets** featuring 43 different sprocket combinations, providing a vast range of fertilizer metering for different crops without any need to modify chain length.

Distribution of granulated commercial fertilizer NPK*, in the spacing of 700 mm: **Until to 646 Kg/ha**

* Auger of 2" - Average density 1,12 ton./m³ (Tons per cubic meter).

- **Seed sprockets** permitting 23 different rotations, providing a vast range of seed metering for different crops.

BOXES OF FERTILIZER metallic, each with capacity of 250 Kg. Fertilizer distribution through the **Augers of 2"**, in triangular profile, with internal anti-adherent covering. Larger precision and uniformity in the whole planting.

BOXES OF FINE SEEDS metallic, each with capacity of 117 Kg. Distribution through Helical Chamfered **Rotors**.

PLATFORM OF SERVICE centralized, anti-skid, in the total width of the equipment to facilitate the provisioning, with **stirrup and handrails**.

16" PLAIN COULTER BLADES with oscillating and floating movements for closely following uneven ground and efficiently cutting the straw under different soil conditions.

FINE SEED ROW UNITS mounted on parallelogram provide adjustment of pressure against the soil. - **16" x 15" unaligned double-discs** are mounted with two conical roller bearings on each hub, - **Scrapers** for adjustable discs.. - **Press Wheels** of cast iron, with adjustment of the pressure on the soil and adjustable scraper.

LARGE SEED ROW UNITS with polyethylene seed hoppers holding 35 liters. **Seed metering** with horizontal seed plates specifically drilled for different crops and grain sizes. **Depth controls** with flexible rubber bands act on the double discs and ensure uniform seed placement.

PRESS WHEELS of cast iron - **Plastic seed box and seeds distributor** with horizontal blades for different cultures and grain sizes. - **Standard seed discs:** 01 for Sorghum. - **Optional seed discs:** Corn, Soybean, Bean, Deslinted Cotton, Rice, Sunflower, etc...

ROW UNIT

Row unit

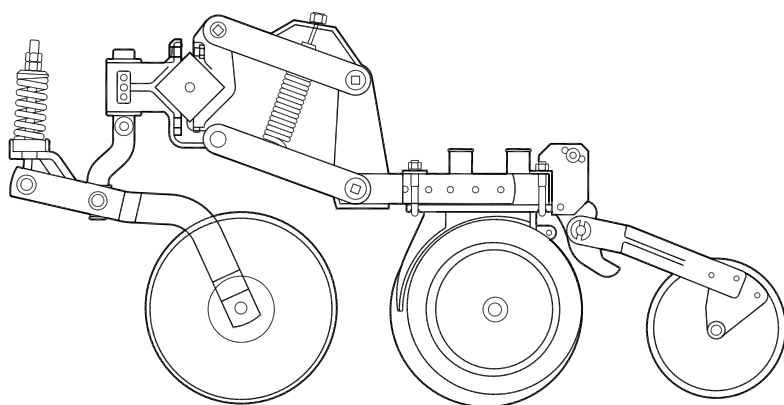
Oscillating and floating 16" Ø unaligned Coulter blades. Fine seed rows mounted on parallelogram, with unaligned 15" x 15" Ø double-discs, scrapers for adjustable discs and iron press wheel.

Big seed rows mounted on parallelograms, with unaligned 15" x 15" Ø double-discs, scrapers for adjustable discs and depth control limiters and "V" shaped press wheels.

Unaligned fertilizer rows, with unaligned 15" x 15" Ø double-discs and separately supplied scarifier spindle.

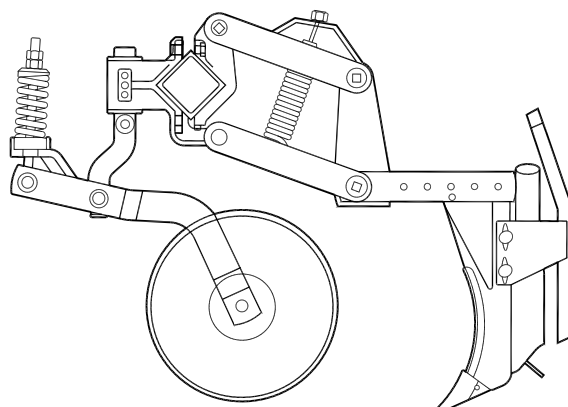
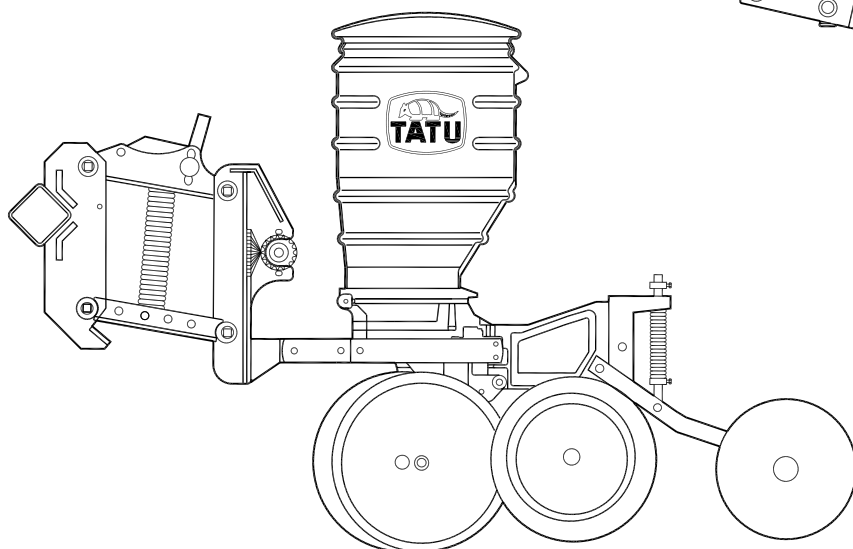
Fertilizer placement: In the same alignment and under the seeds.

NOTE Place the fertilizer separated (below) 40 to 60 millimeters from the seeds, in order to avoid emergence damages



Fine Seeds Row

Large Seeds Row

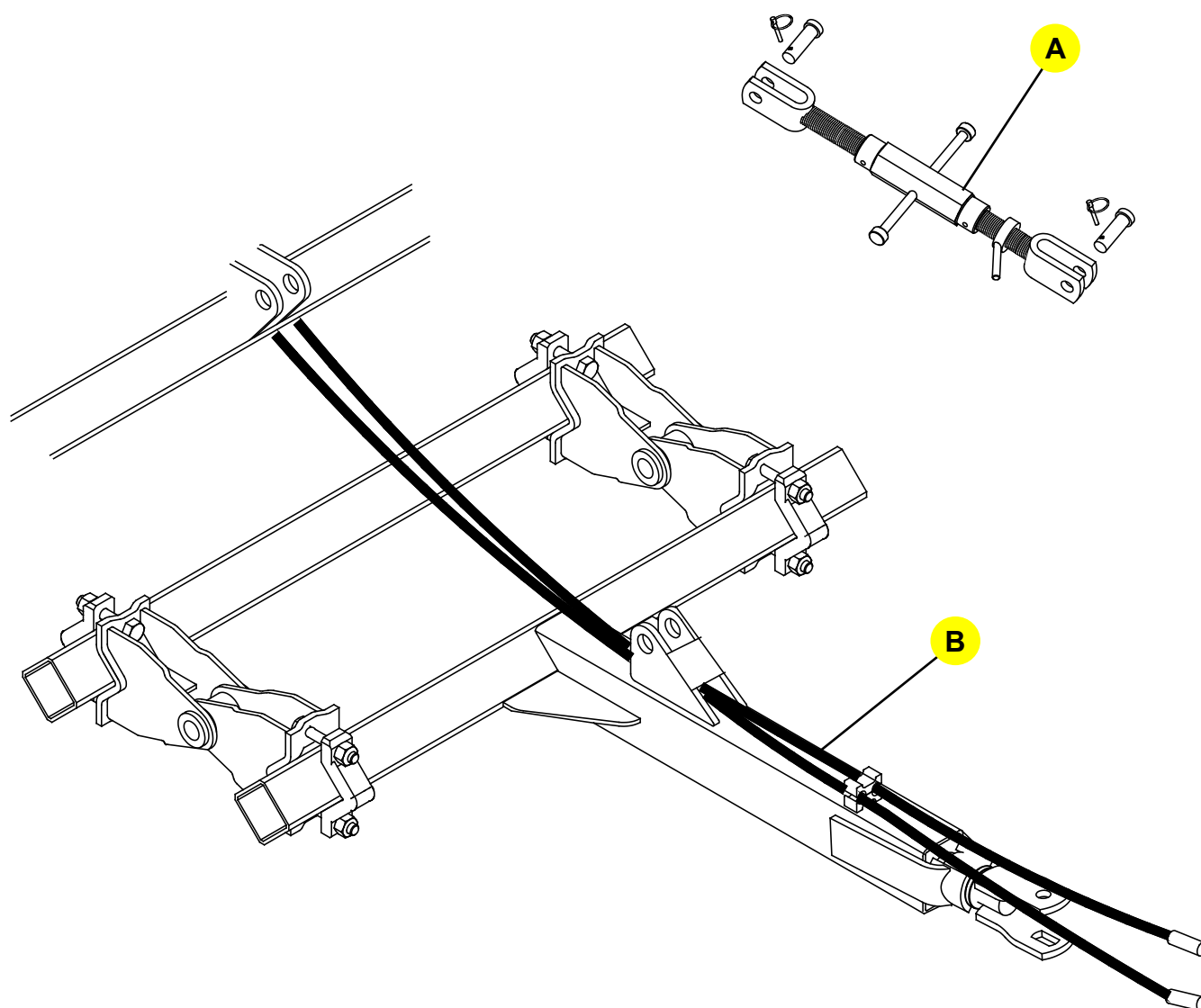


Assembly

PDCP planter already leaves the factory mounted, if necessary to dismount, make the assemble again according to the orientations to proceed:

Drawbar assembly

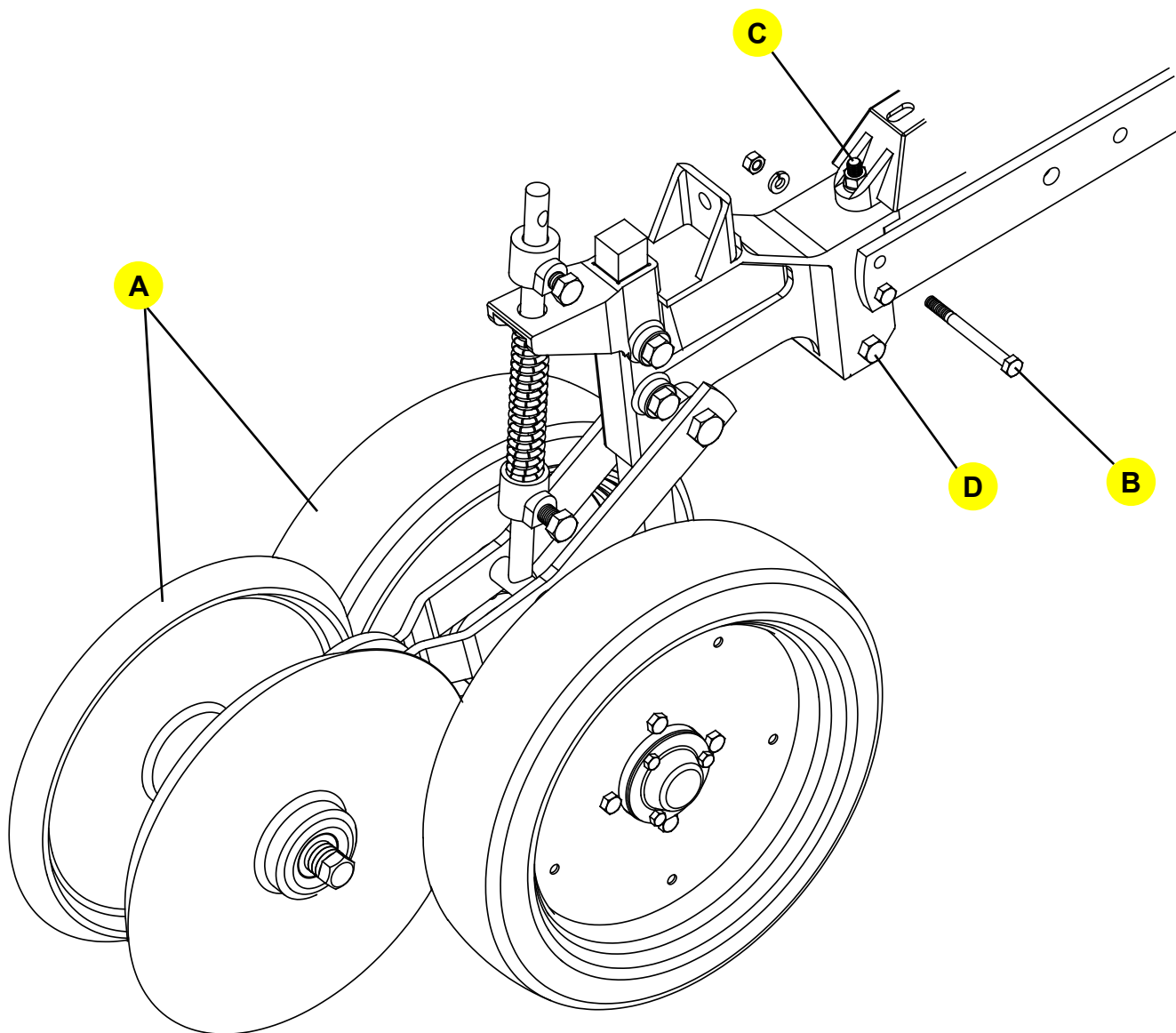
- Fasten the stabilizer (A) in the drawbar and in the mainframe.
- Assembly the hoses (B).



Assembly

Depth control gauge wheels and press wheels assembly

Install the sets of depth control and press wheels (A) in the back of row units using bolts (B, C and D), lock washers and nuts that are delivered in their fitting place.

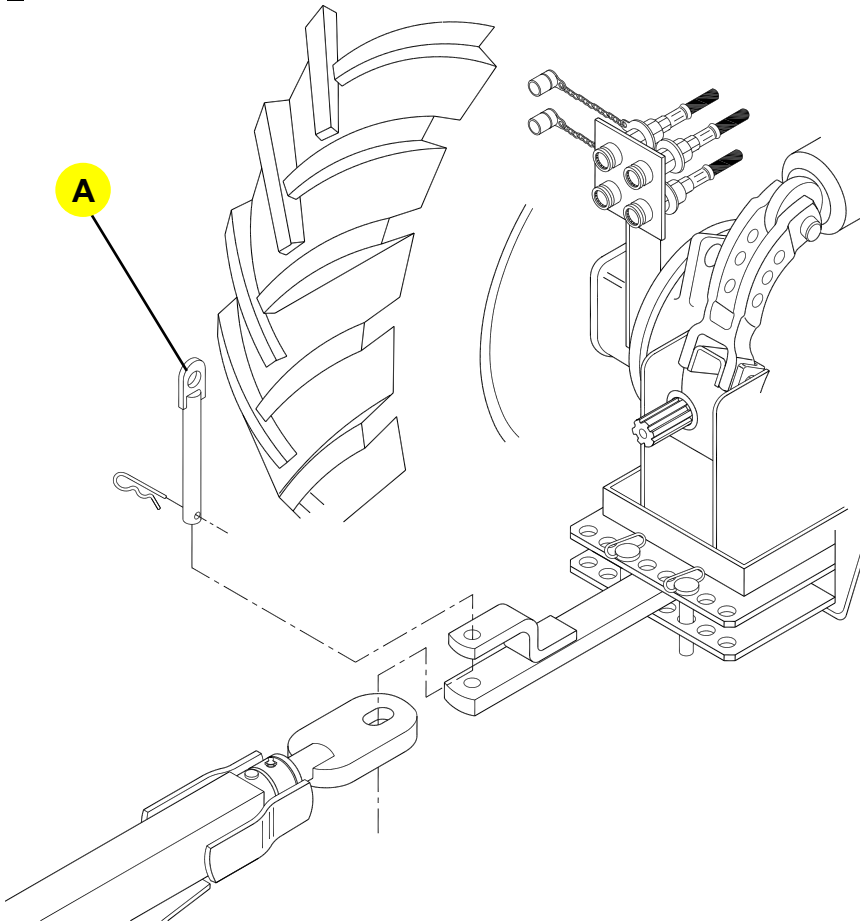


Preparing for work

Preparing the tractor

If necessary, add counterweights on the front and rear wheels of the tractor.

Hitching to the tractor



Hitch the planter drawbar to the tractor with pin (A) and lock.

If necessary use the planter stabilizer (B) to raise or lower the hitch.

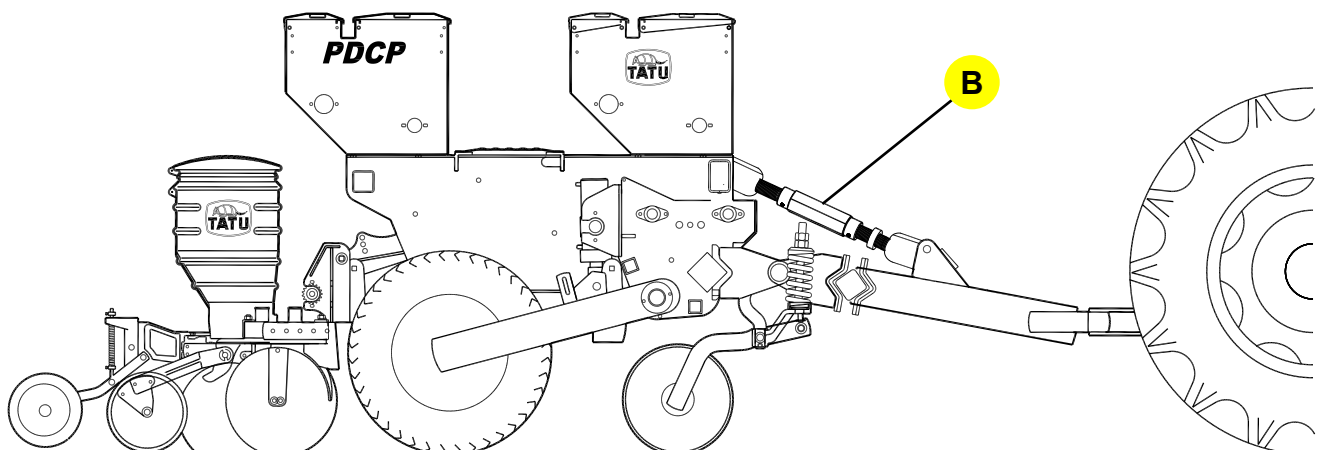
The tractor drawbar must be always fixed in the center position.

We recommend to remove the movable end of the tractor drawbar.

Clean and connect the hose couplers to the tractor hydraulic.

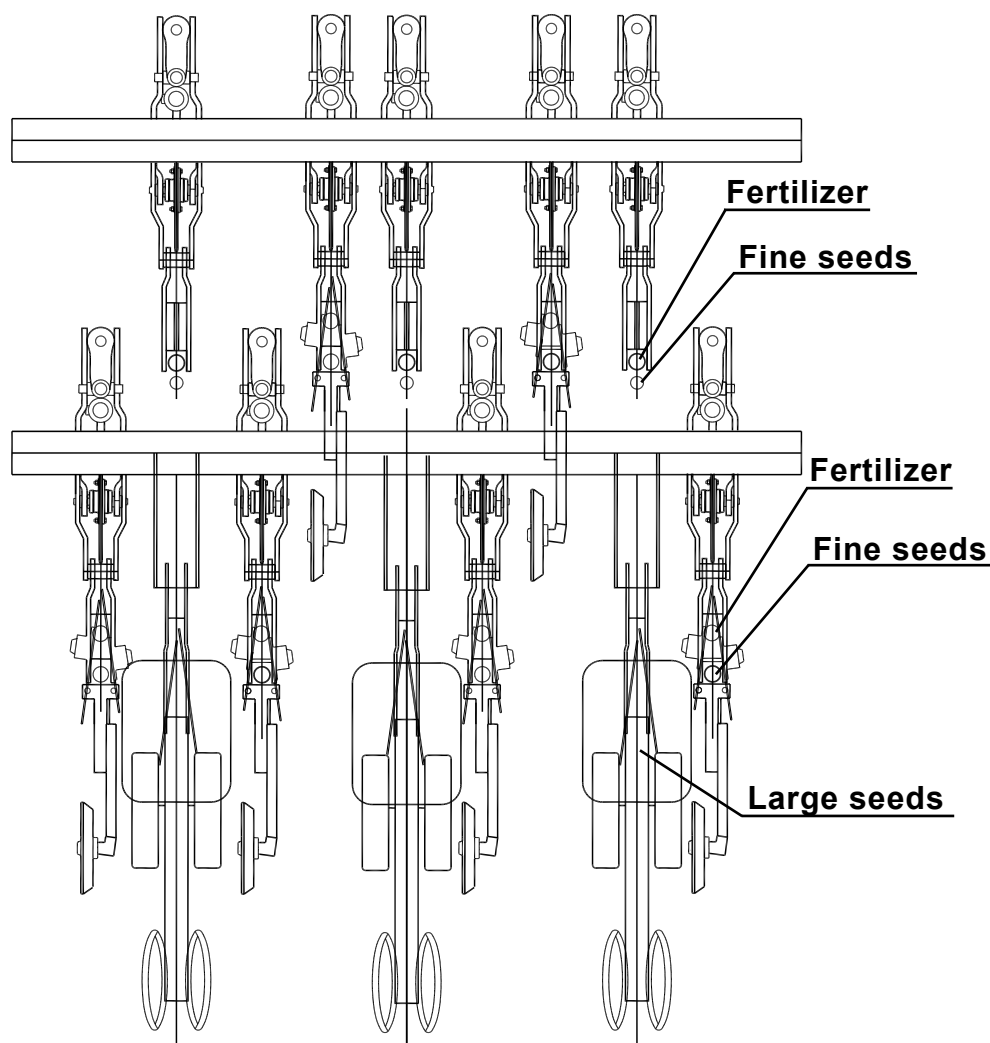
Leveling the planter

- Use the stabilizer (B) on a level ground for front to rear planter leveling.



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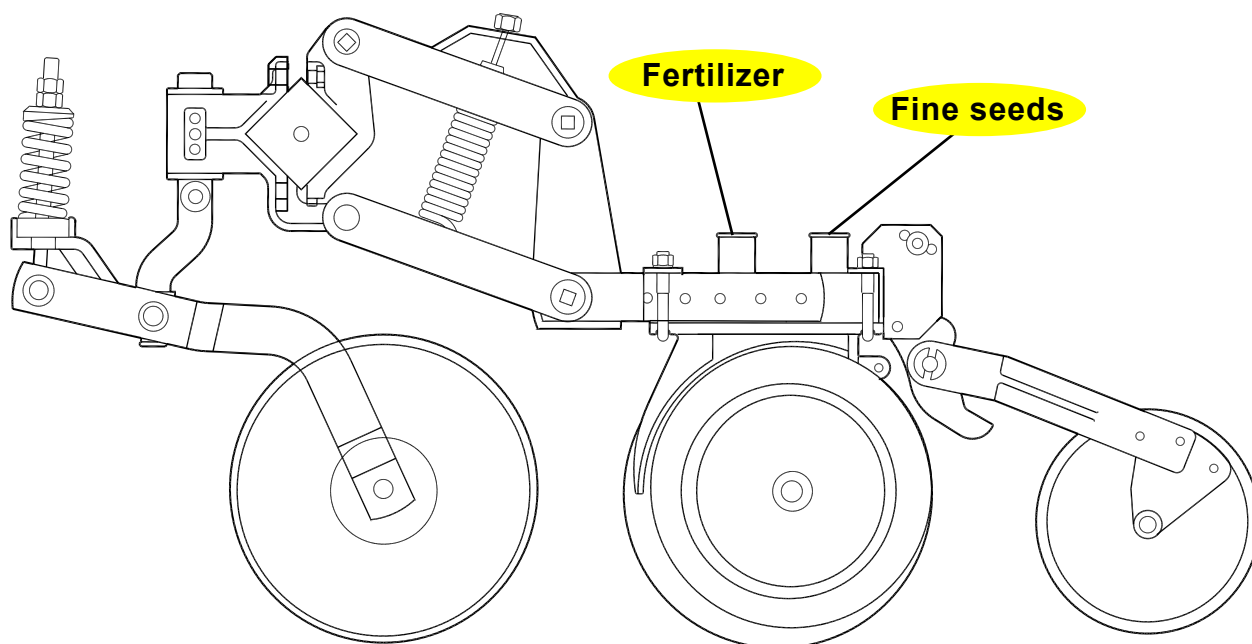
Lay-out of the rows



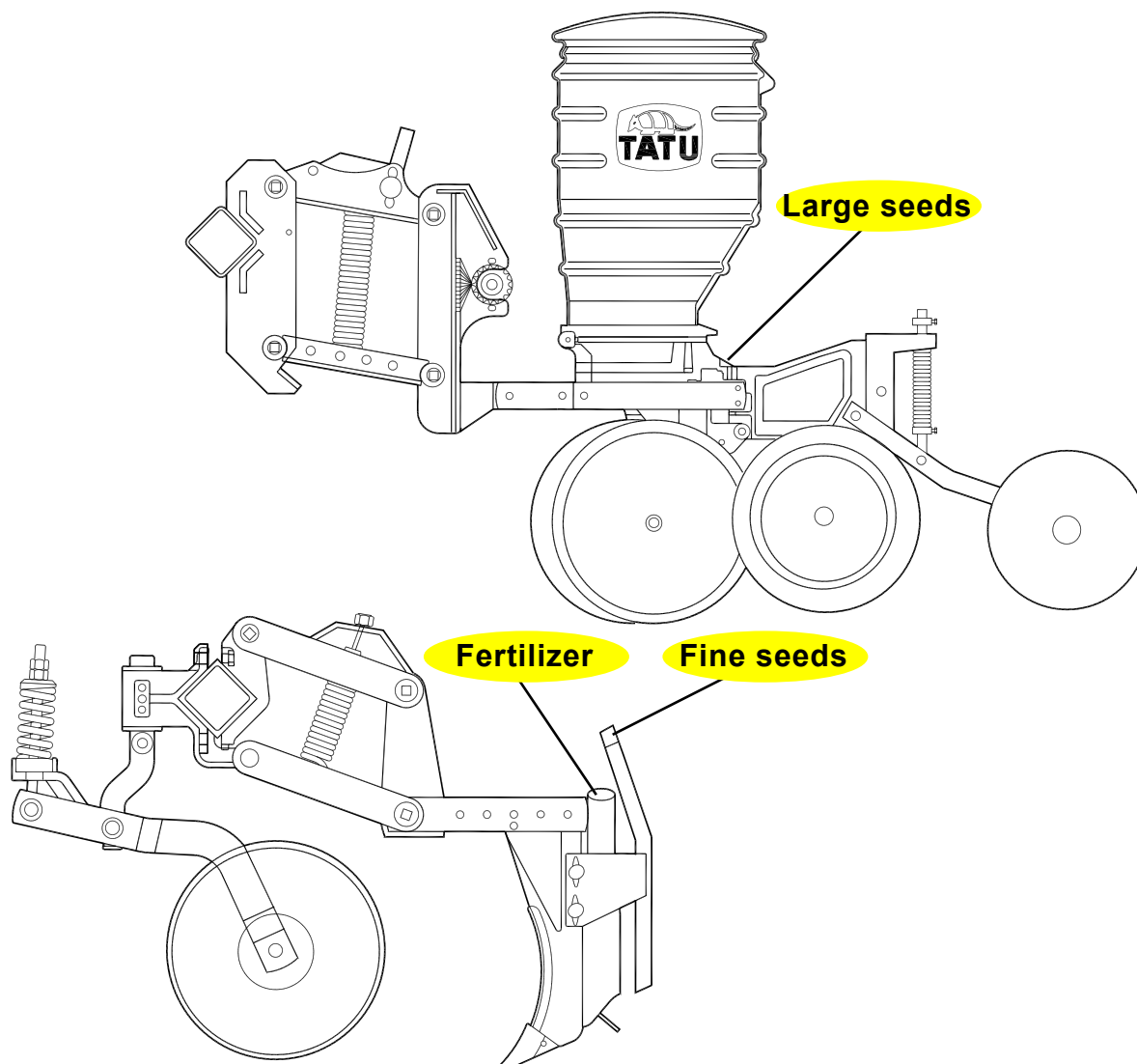
Configuration of the rows (Fine and large seeds)			
Mainframe of 13 rows		Mainframe of 17 rows	
Fine Seeds (Wheat and others)			
PDCP 13/6F	6 rows - spacing 400	PDCP 17/8F	8 rows - spacing 400
PDCP 13/7F	7 rows - spacing 300	PDCP 17/9F	9 rows - spacing 300
PDCP 13/9F	9 rows -spacing 250	PDCP 17/11F	11 rows - spacing 250
PDCP 13/11F	11 rows - spacing 200	PDCP 17/15F	15 rows - spacing 200
PDCP 13/13F	13 rows - spacing 175	PDCP 17/17F	17 rows - spacing 175
Large Seeds (Sorghum, Corn, others)			
PDCP 13/3G	3 rows - spacing 900	PDCP 17/4G	4 rows - spacing 900
PDCP 13/4G	4 rows - spacing 550 to 700	PDCP 17/5G	5 rows - spacing 600 to 700
PDCP 13/5G	5 rows - spacing 450 to 500	PDCP 17/6G	6 rows - spacing. 500 to 550
PDCP 13/6G	6 rows - spacing 400	PDCP 17/7G	7 rows - spacing 450
		PDCP 17/8G	8 rows - spacing 400
Configuration of the rows (Pasture renovation)			
PDCP 13/9F/3G	9 rows - spacing 21,23,26	PDCP17/12F/4G	12 rows - spacing. 21,23,26
	3 rows - spacing 700		4 rows - spacing 700

Preparing for work

Fine seed rows



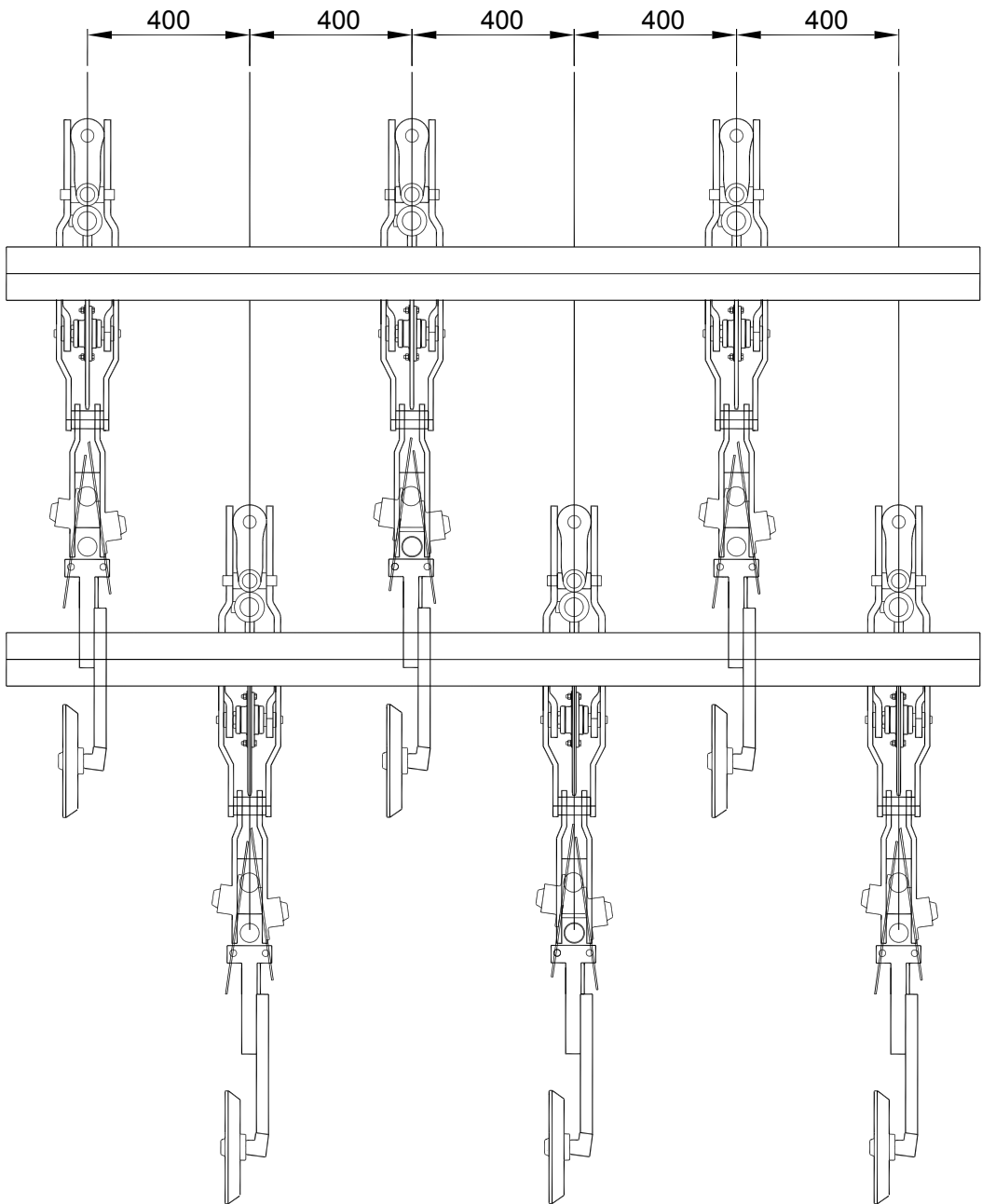
Large seed rows



Preparing for work

Fine seed

Type	PDCP 13/6F
Fine seed rows.....	6 - with spacing of 400 mm
Useful width of the mainframe	2200 mm
Fertilizer capacity	223 Liters (250 Kg) - each box
Fine seeds capacity.....	130 Liters - each box
Tractor hp required	75
Width x Height x Length	3350 x 1620 x 3800 mm



Preparing for work

Fine seed

TypePDCP 13/7F

Fine seed rows 7 - with spacing of 300 mm

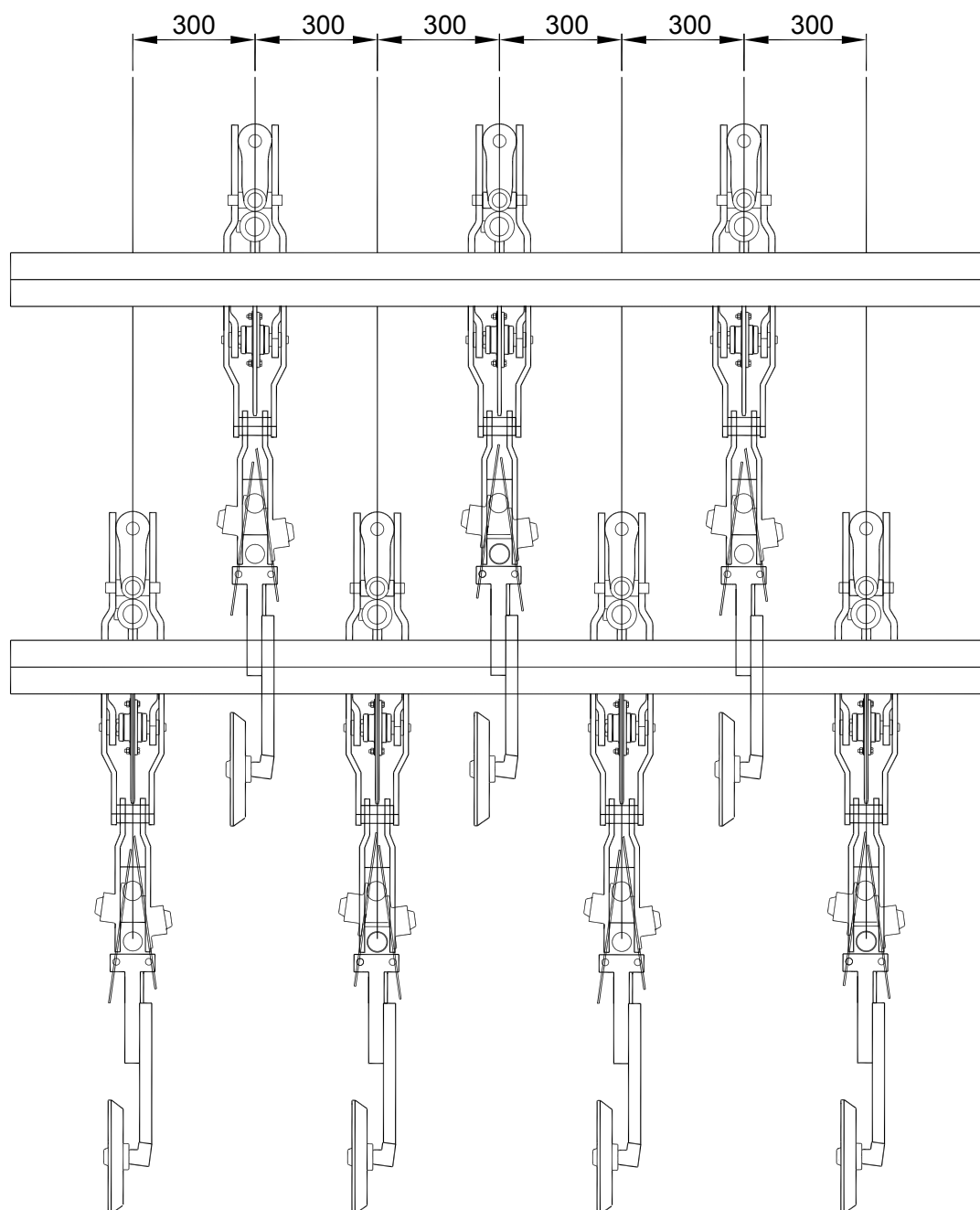
Useful width of the mainframe2200 mm

Fertilizer capacity 223 Liters (250 Kg) - each box

Fine seeds capacity..... 130 Liters - each box

Tractor hp required 75

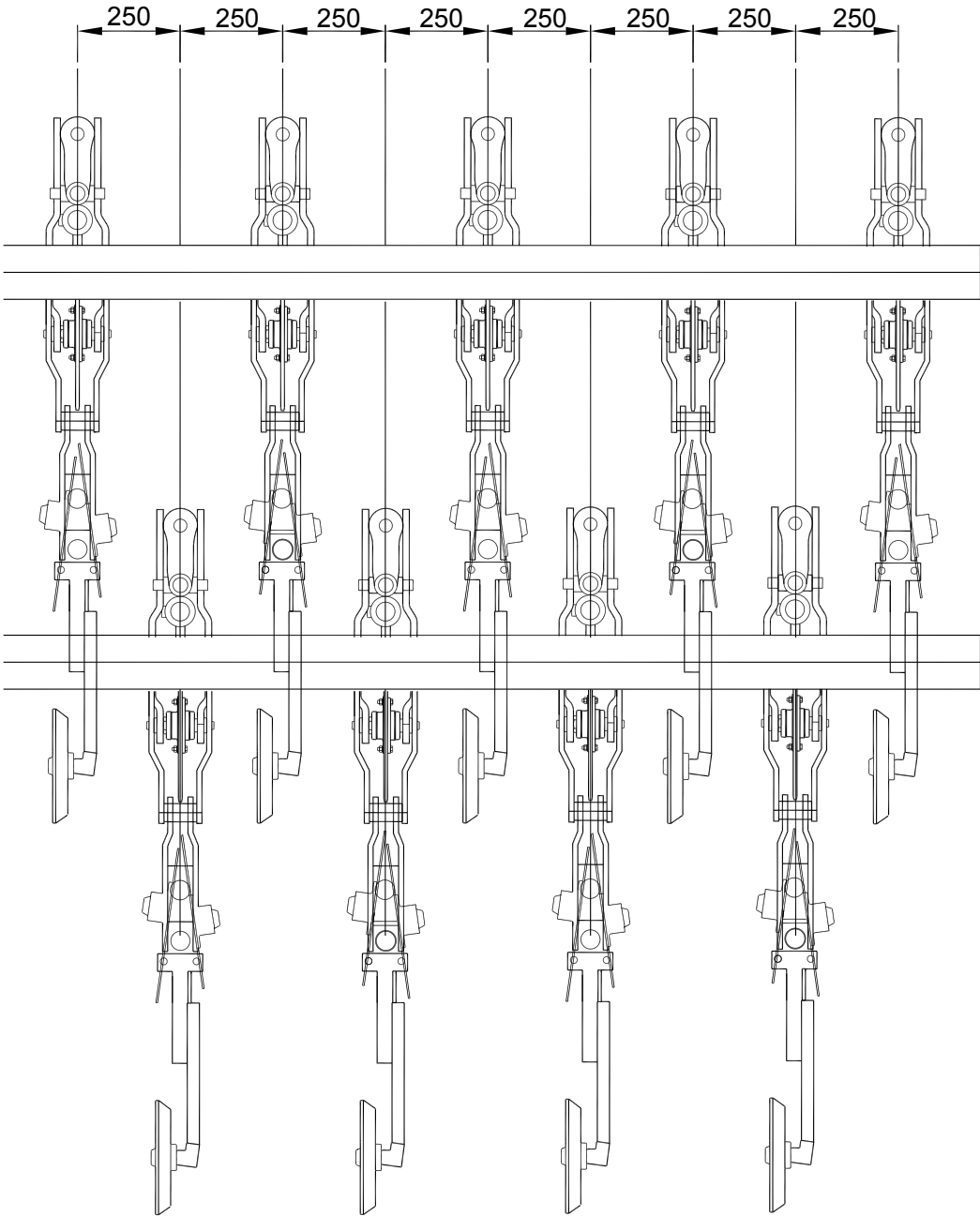
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Fine seed

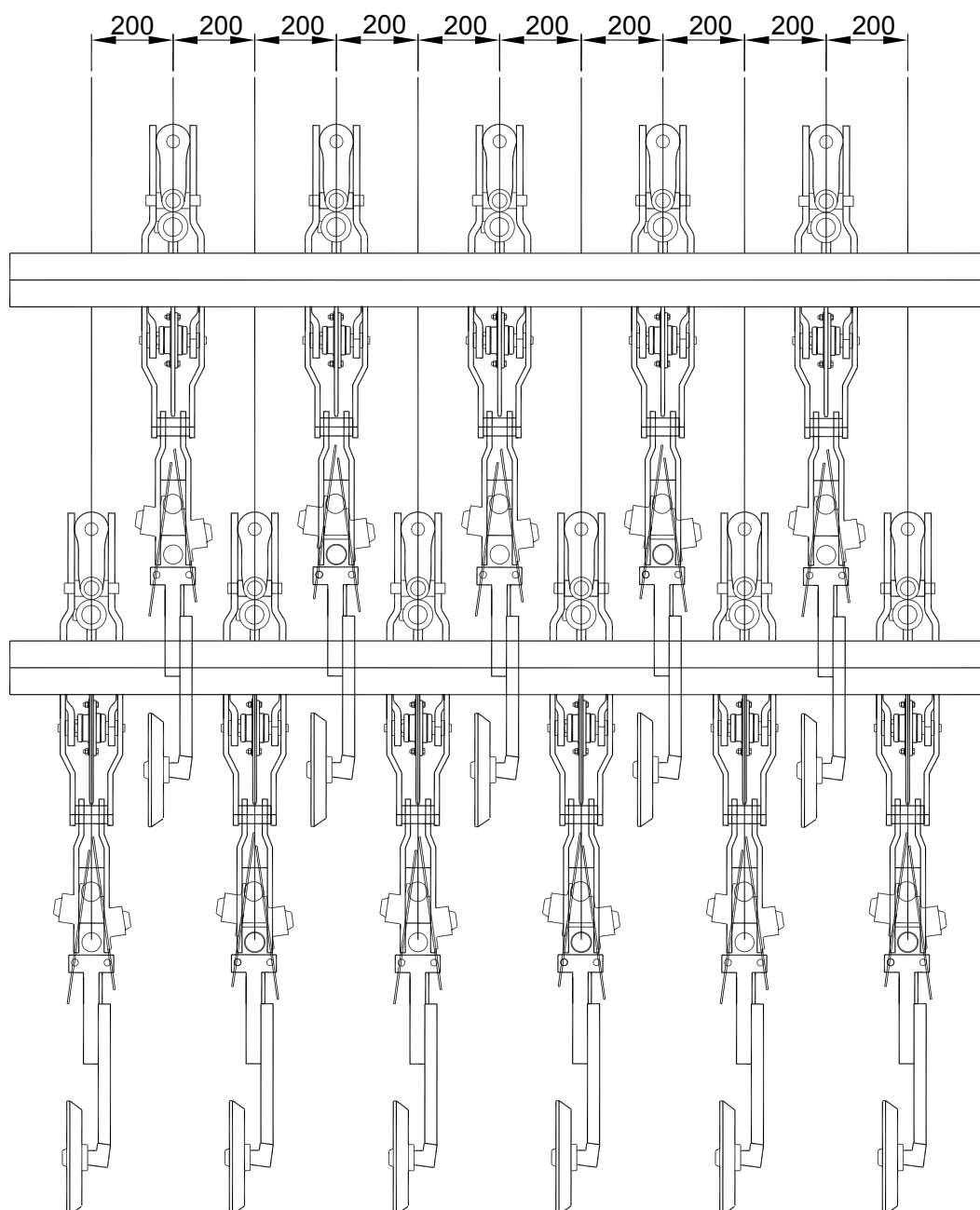
Type	PDCP 13/9F
Fine seed rows	9 - with spacing of 250 mm
Useful width of the mainframe	2200 mm
Fertilizer capacity	223 Liters (250 Kg) - each box
Fine seeds capacity	130 Liters - each box
Tractor hp required	75
Width x Height x Length	3350 x 1620 x 3800 mm



Preparing for work

Fine seed

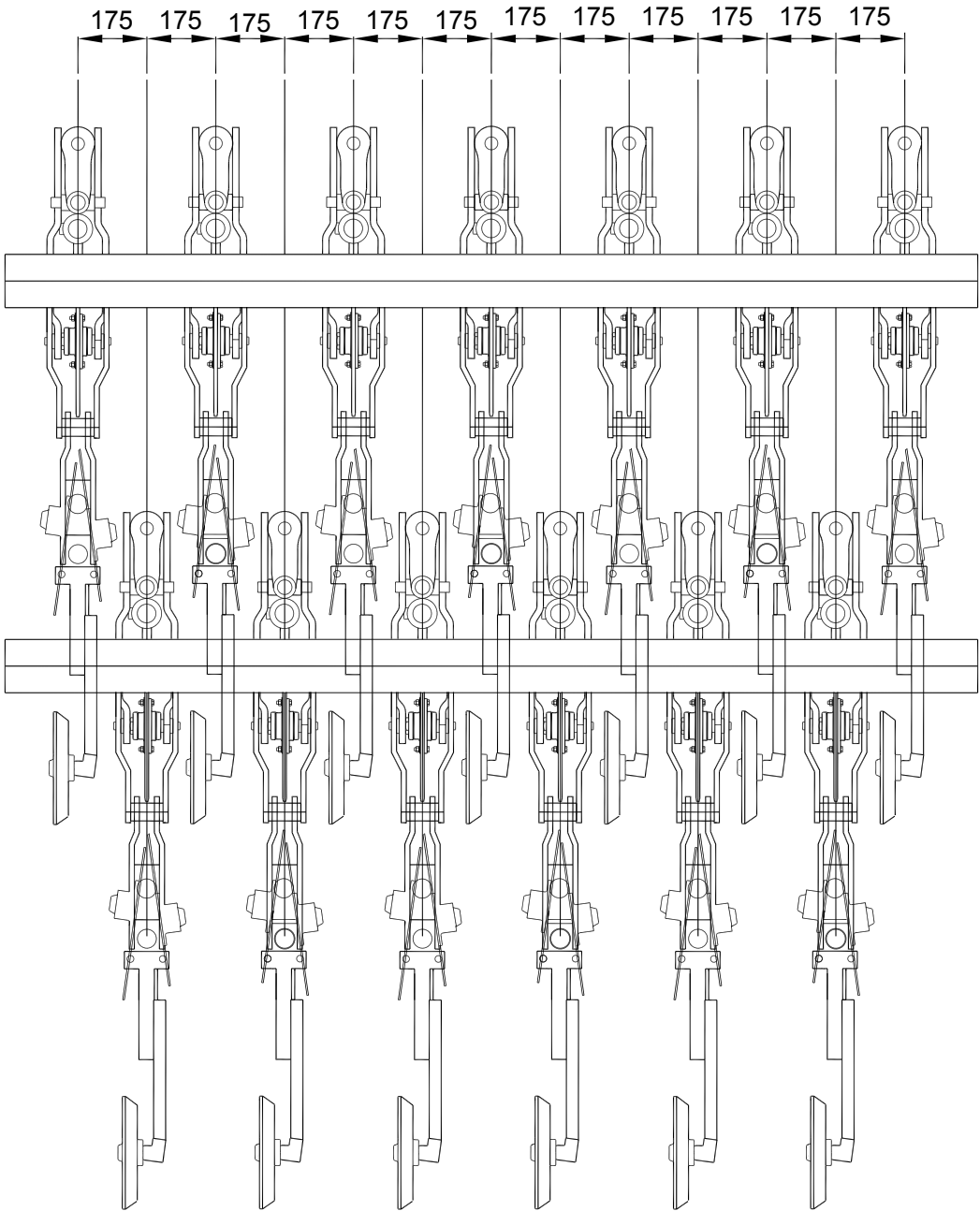
Type	PDGP 13/11F
Fine seed rows	11 - with spacing of 200 mm
Useful width of the mainframe	2200 mm
Fertilizer capacity	223 Liters (250 Kg) - each box
Fine seeds capacity	130 Liters - each box
Tractor hp required	75
Width x Height x Length	3350 x 1620 x 3800 mm



Preparing for work

Fine seed

Type	PDCP 13/13F
Fine seed rows.....	13 - with spacing of 175 mm
Useful width of the mainframe	2200 mm
Fertilizer capacity	223 Liters (250 Kg) - each box
Fine seeds capacity.....	130 Liters - each box
Tractor hp required	75
Width x Height x Length	3350 x 1620 x 3800 mm



Preparing for work

Fine seed

TypePDCP 17/8F

Fine seed rows 8 - with spacing of 400 mm

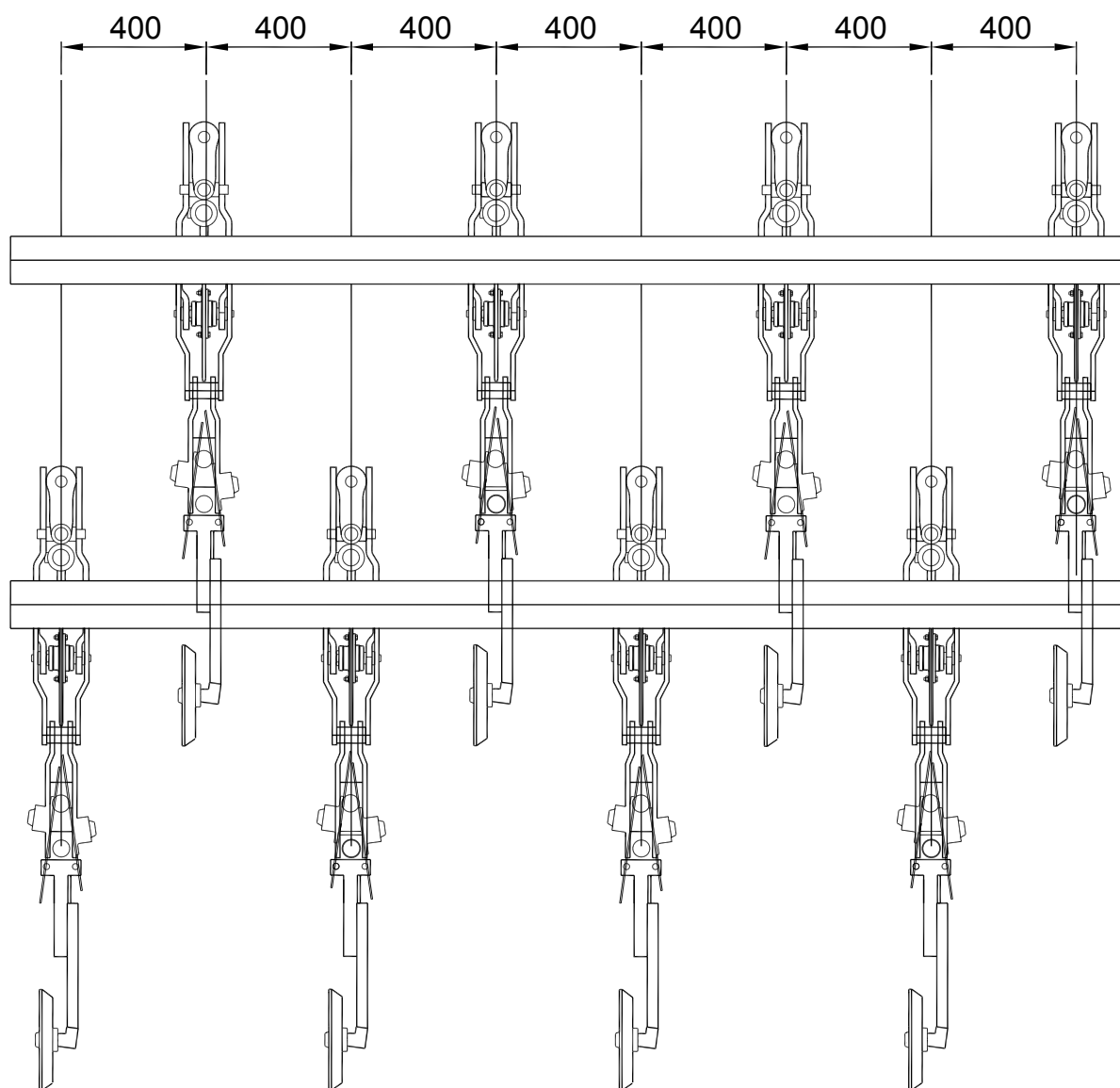
Useful width of the mainframe2950 mm

Fertilizer capacity 293 Liters (328 Kg) each box

Fine seeds capacity..... 173 Liters - each box

Tractor hp required 90

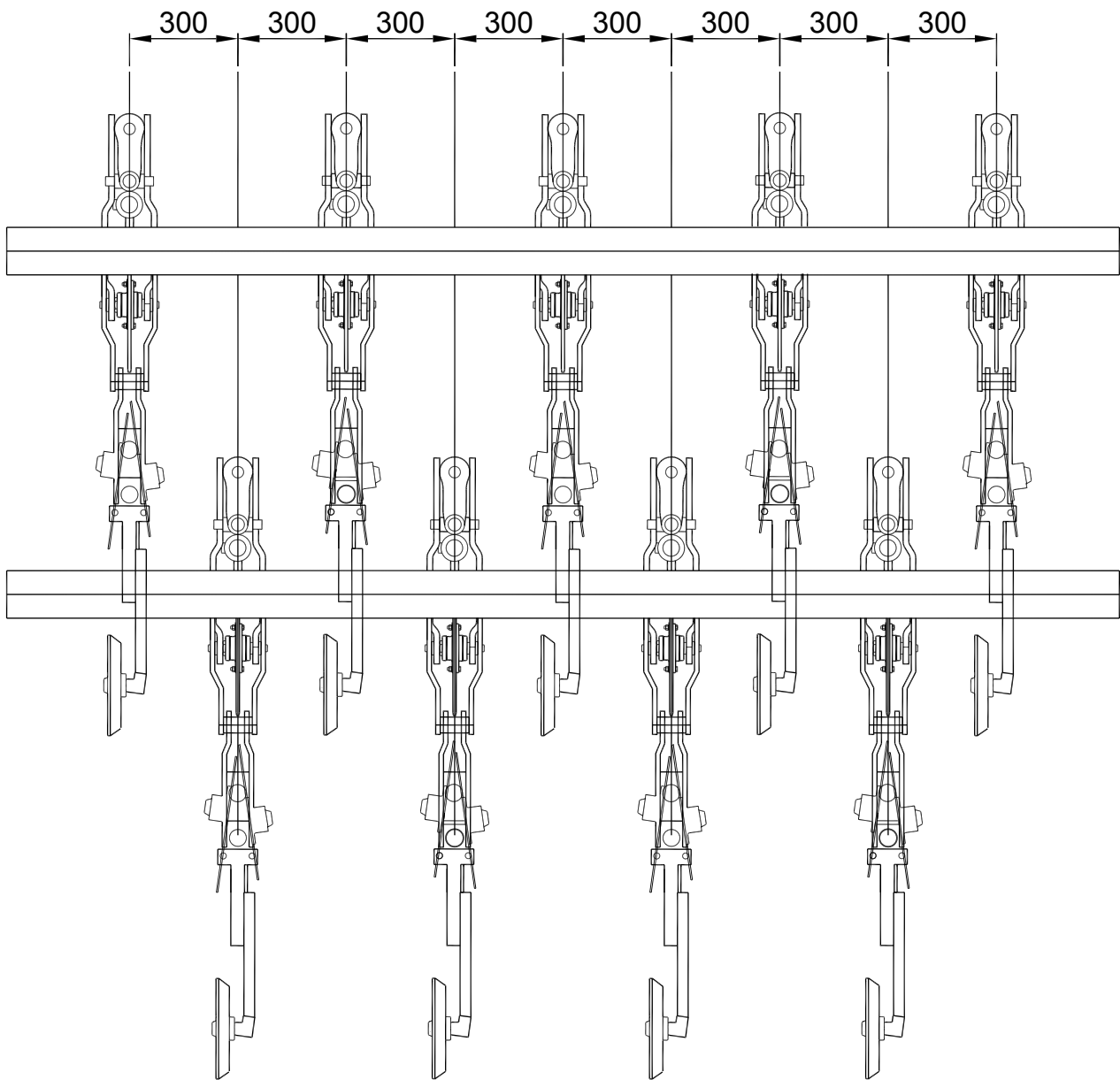
Width x Height x Length 4020 x 1620 x 3800 mm



Preparing for work

Fine seed

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Tractor hp required	90
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Preparing for work

Fine seed

Type PDCP 17/11F

Fine seed rows 11 - with spacing of 250 mm

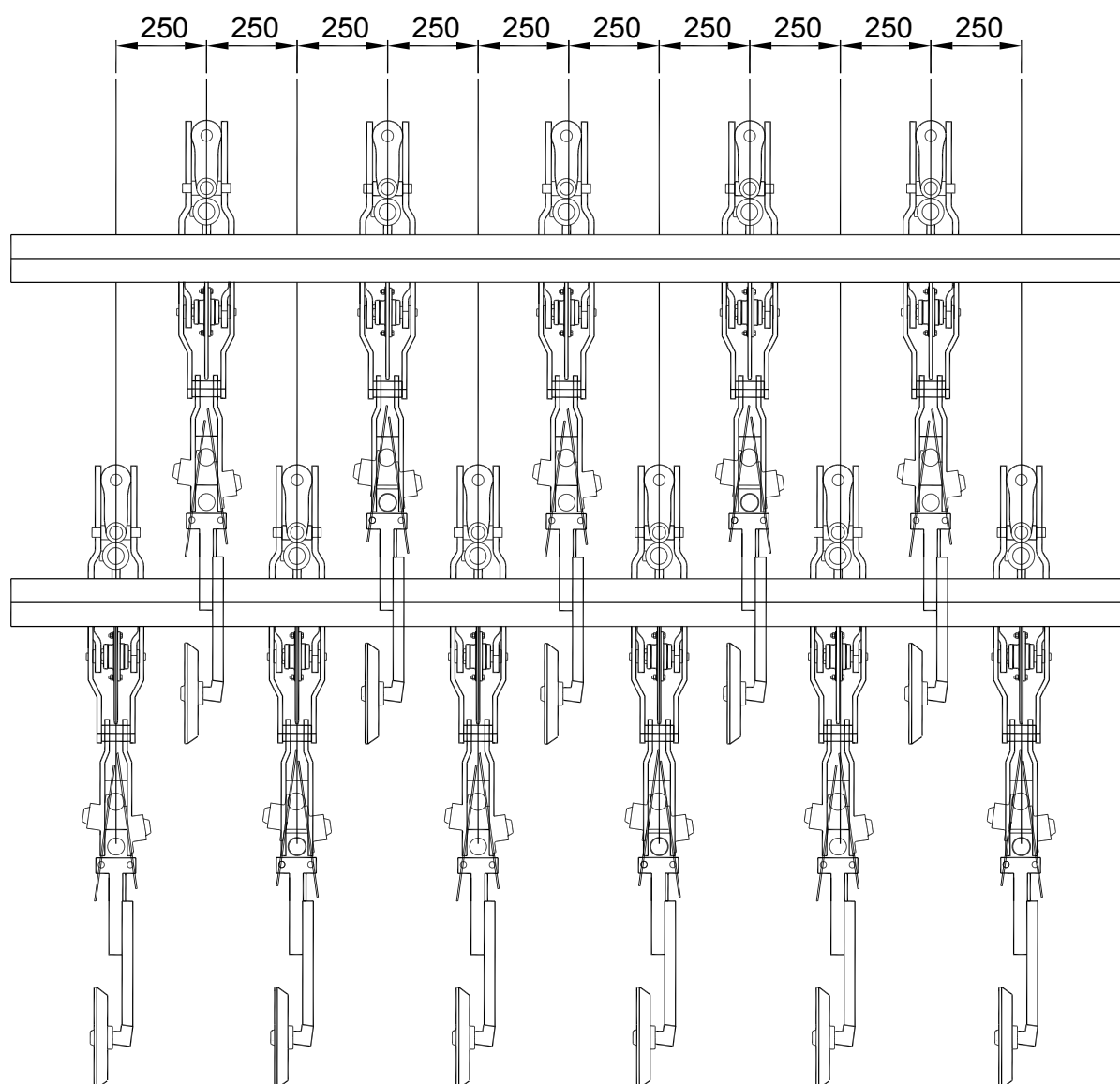
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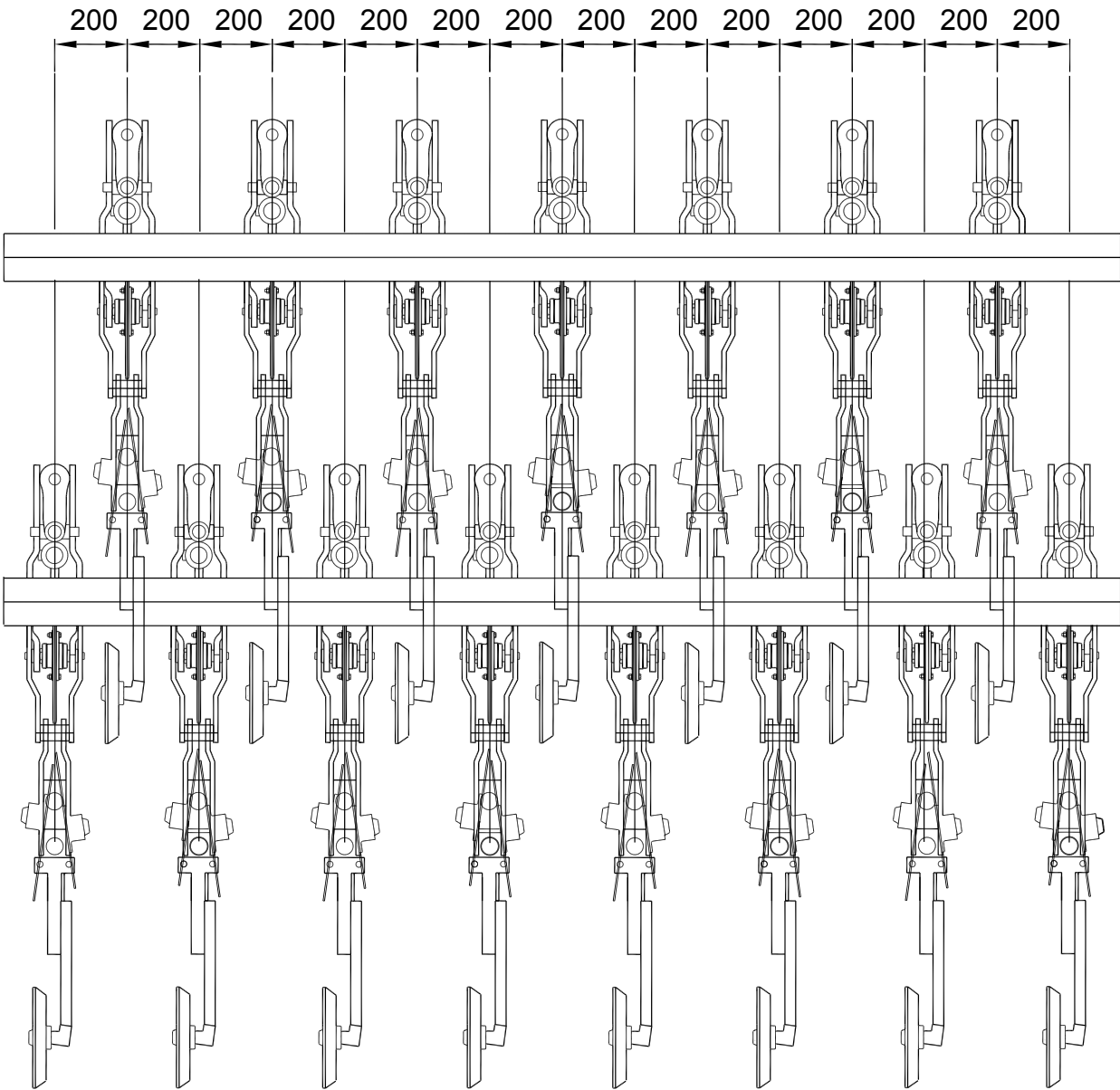
Width x Height x Length 4020 x 1620 x 3800 mm



Preparing for work

Fine seed

Type	PDCP 17/15F
Fine seed rows	15 - with spacing of 200 mm
Useful width of the mainframe	2950 mm
Fertilizer capacity	293 Liters (328 Kg) each box
Fine seeds capacity	173 Liters - each box
ractor hp required	90
Width x Height x Length	4020 x 1620 x 3800 mm



Preparing for work

Fine seed

TypePDCCP 17/17F

Fine seed rows 17 - ith spacing of 175 mm

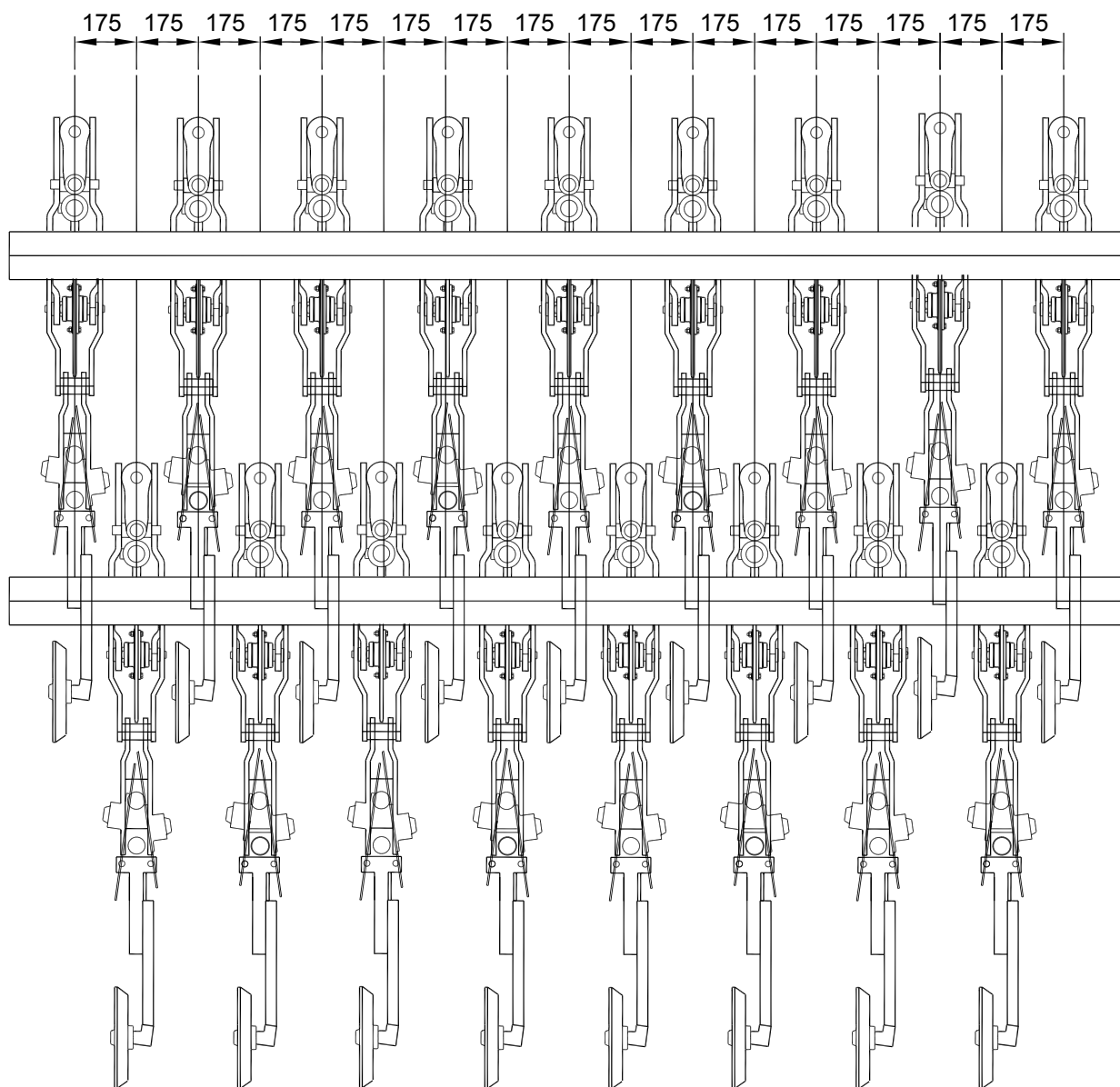
Useful width of the mainframe2950 mm

Fertilizer capacity 293 Liters (328 Kg) each box

Fine seeds capacity..... 173 Liters - each box

tractor hp required 90

Width x Height x Length 4020 x 1620 x 3800 mm



Preparing for work

Large seed

Type PDGP 13/3G

Rows of large seeds 3 with spacing of 900 mm

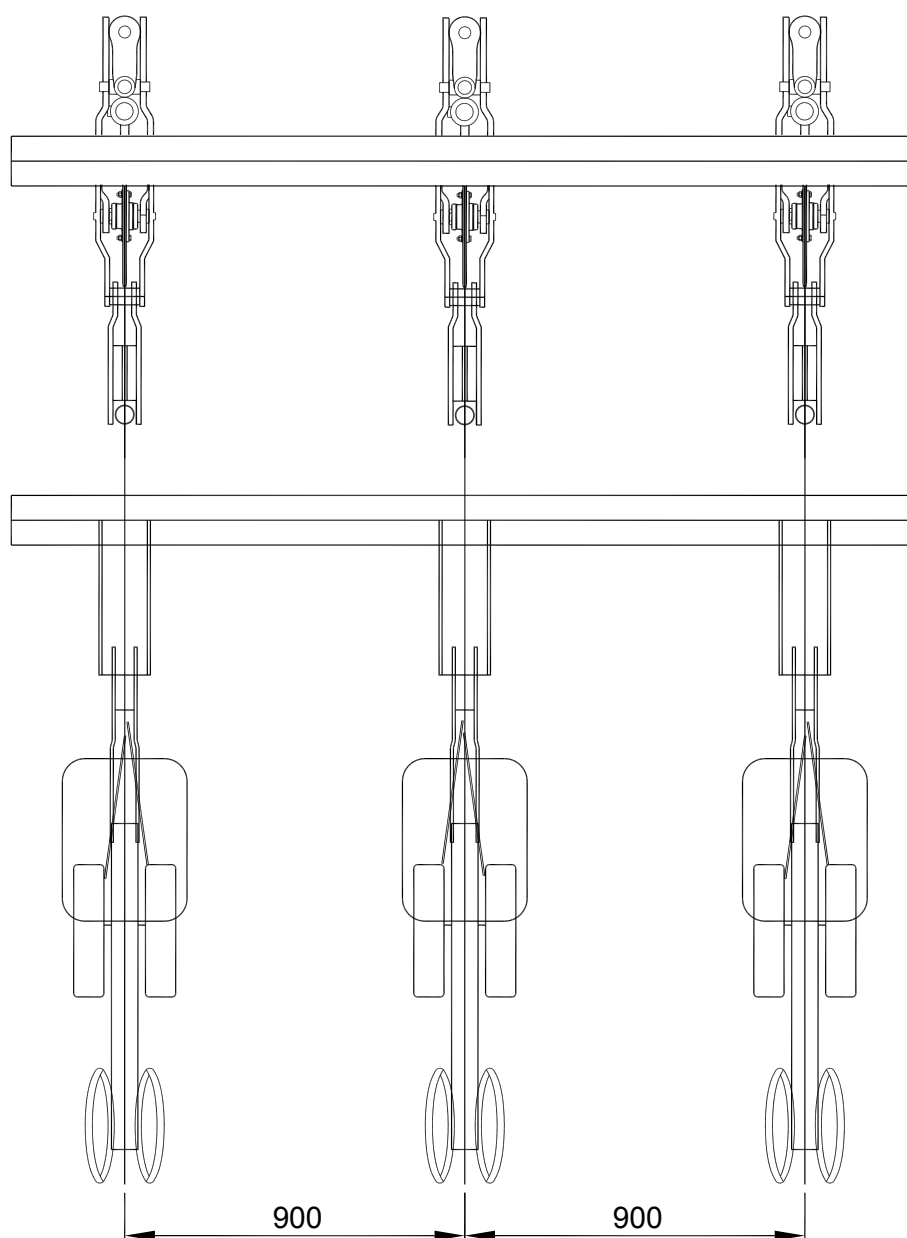
Useful width of the mainframe 2200 mm

Fertilizer capacity 223 Liters (250 Kg) - each box

Capacity of large seeds 35 Liters - each box

Tractor hp required 75

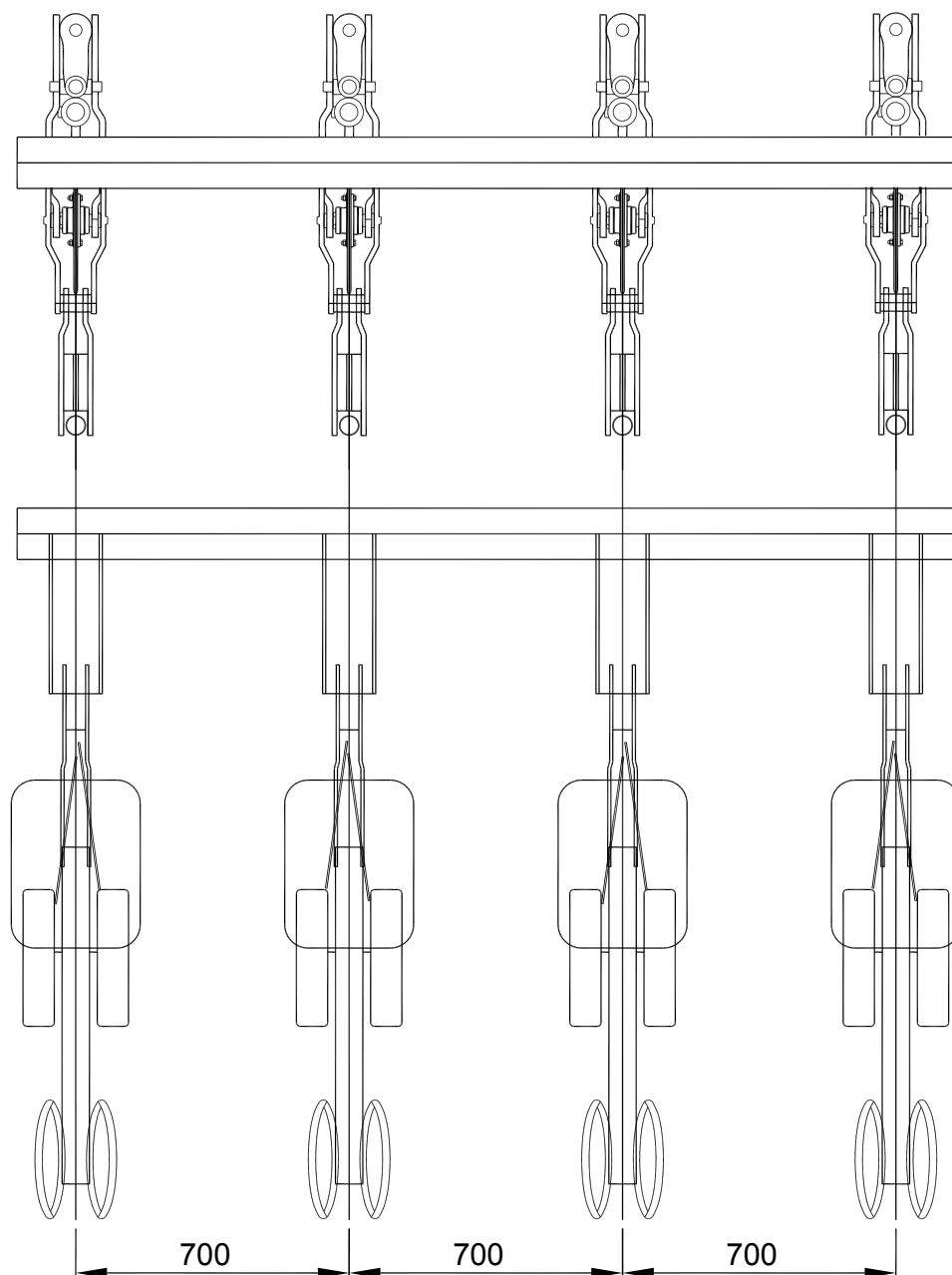
Width x Height x Length 3350 x 1620 x 3800 mm



Preparing for work

Large seed

Type PDCP 13/4G
Rows of large seeds 4 - with spacing of 700 mm
Useful width of the mainframe 2200 mm
Fertilizer capacity 223 Liters (250 Kg) - each box
Capacity of large seeds 35 Liters - each box
Tractor hp required 75
Width x Height x Length 3350 x 1620 x 3800 mm



Preparing for work

Large seed

Type PDCP 13/4G

Rows of large seeds 4 - with spacing of 650 mm

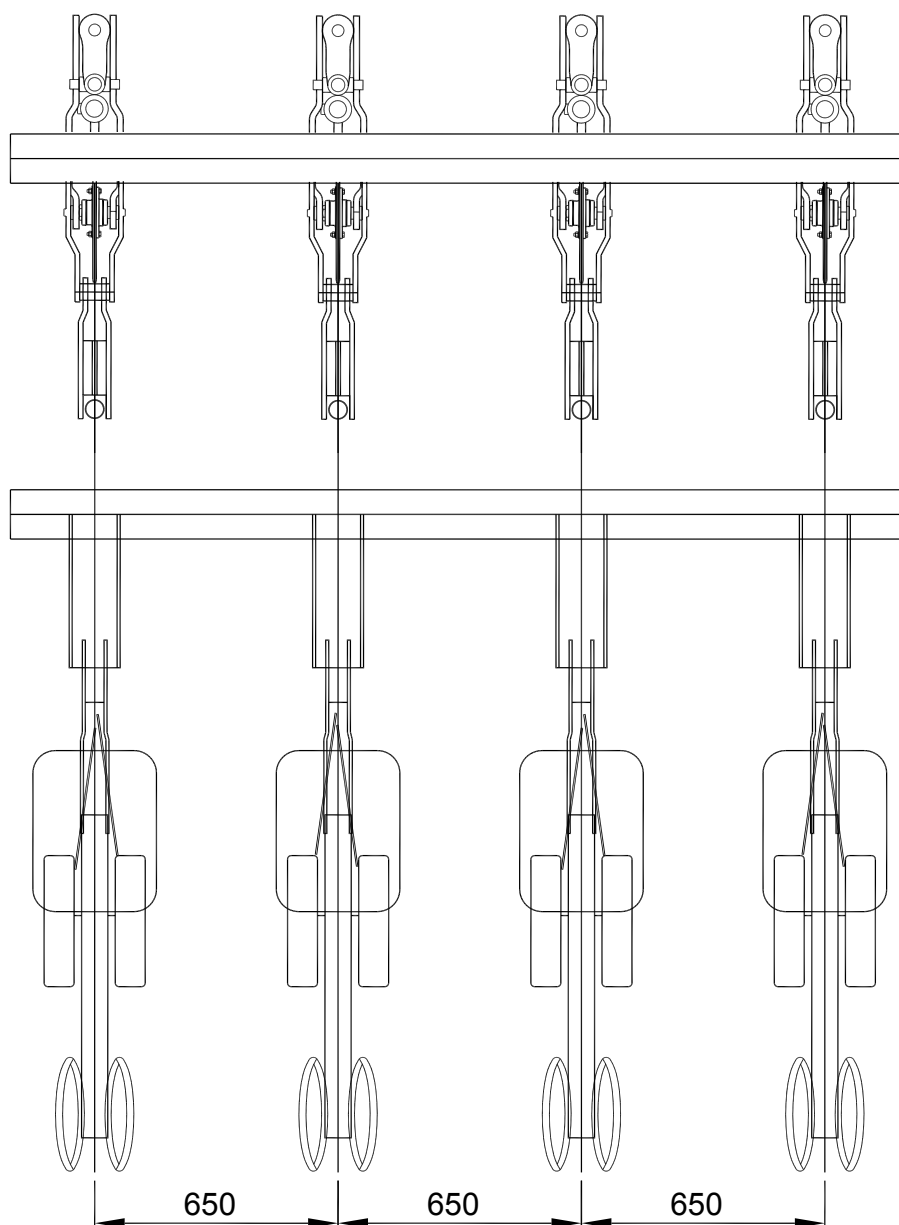
Useful width of the mainframe 2200 mm

Fertilizer capacity 223 Liters (250 Kg) - each box

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Tractor hp required 75

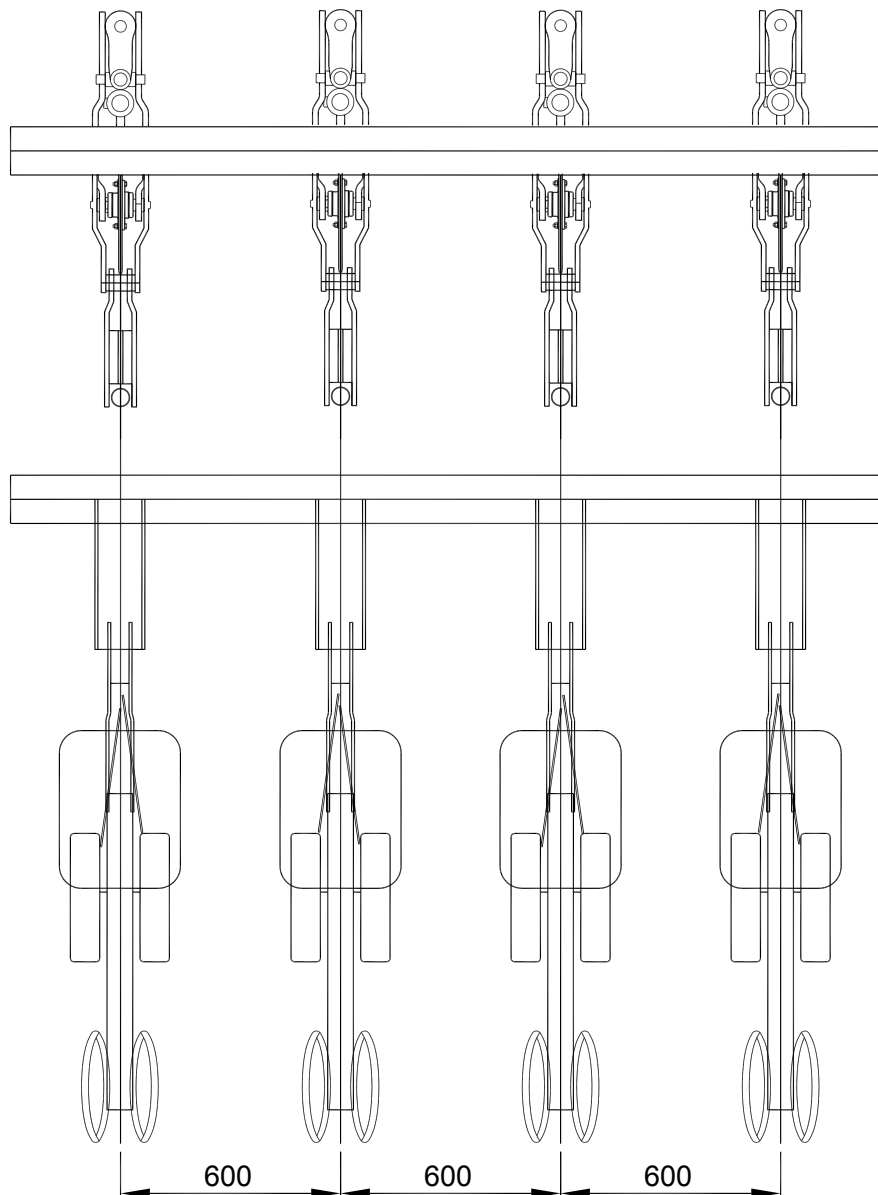
Width x Height x Length 3350 x 1620 x 3800 mm



Preparing for work

Large seed

Type PDCP 13/4G
Rows of large seeds 4 - with spacing of 600 mm
Useful width of the mainframe 2200 mm
Fertilizer capacity 223 Liters (250 Kg) - each box
Capacity of large seeds 35 Liters - each box
Tractor hp required 75
Width x Height x Length 3350 x 1620 x 3800 mm



Preparing for work

Large seed

Type PDCP 13/4G

Rows of large seeds 4 - with spacing of 550 mm

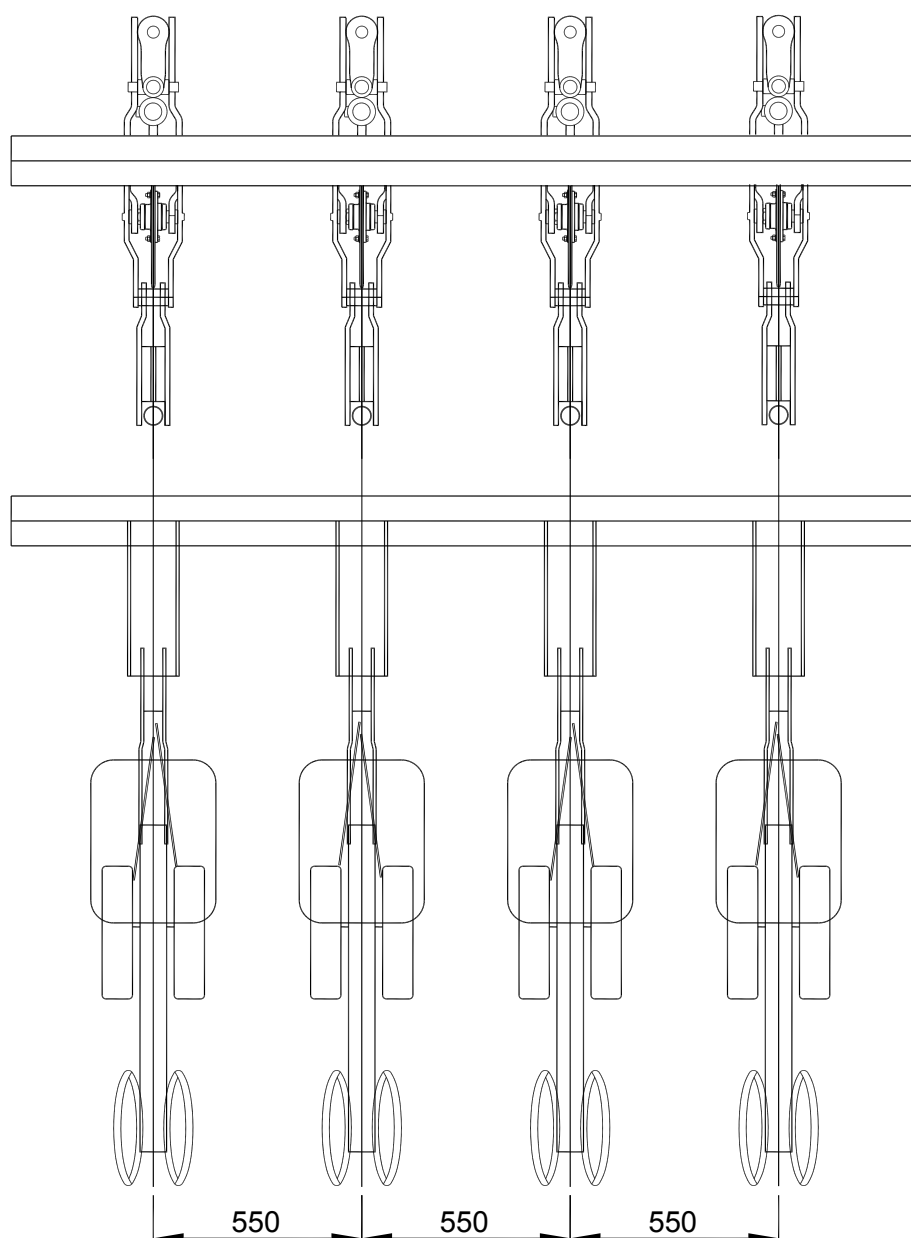
Useful width of the mainframe 2200 mm

Fertilizer capacity 223 Liters (250 Kg) - each box

Capacity of large seeds 35 Liters - each box

Tractor hp required 75

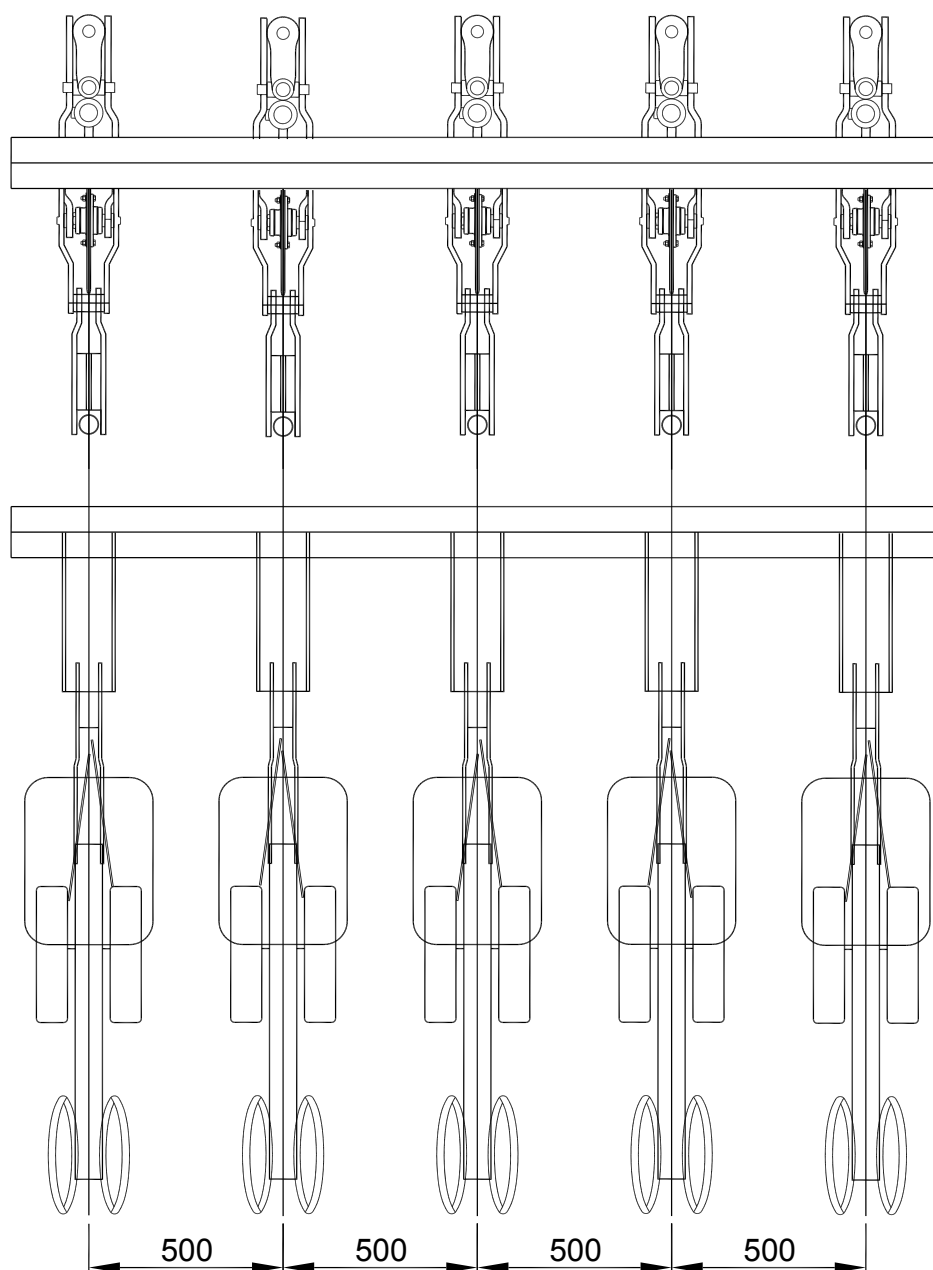
Width x Height x Length 3350 x 1620 x 3800 mm



Preparing for work

Large seed

Type PDCP 13/5G
Rows of large seeds 5 - with spacing of 500 mm
Useful width of the mainframe 2200 mm
Fertilizer capacity 223 Liters (250 Kg) - each box
Capacity of large seeds 35 Liters - each box
Tractor hp required 75
Width x Height x Length 3350 x 1620 x 3800 mm



Preparing for work

Large seed

Type PDCP 13/5G

Rows of large seeds 5 - with spacing of 450 mm

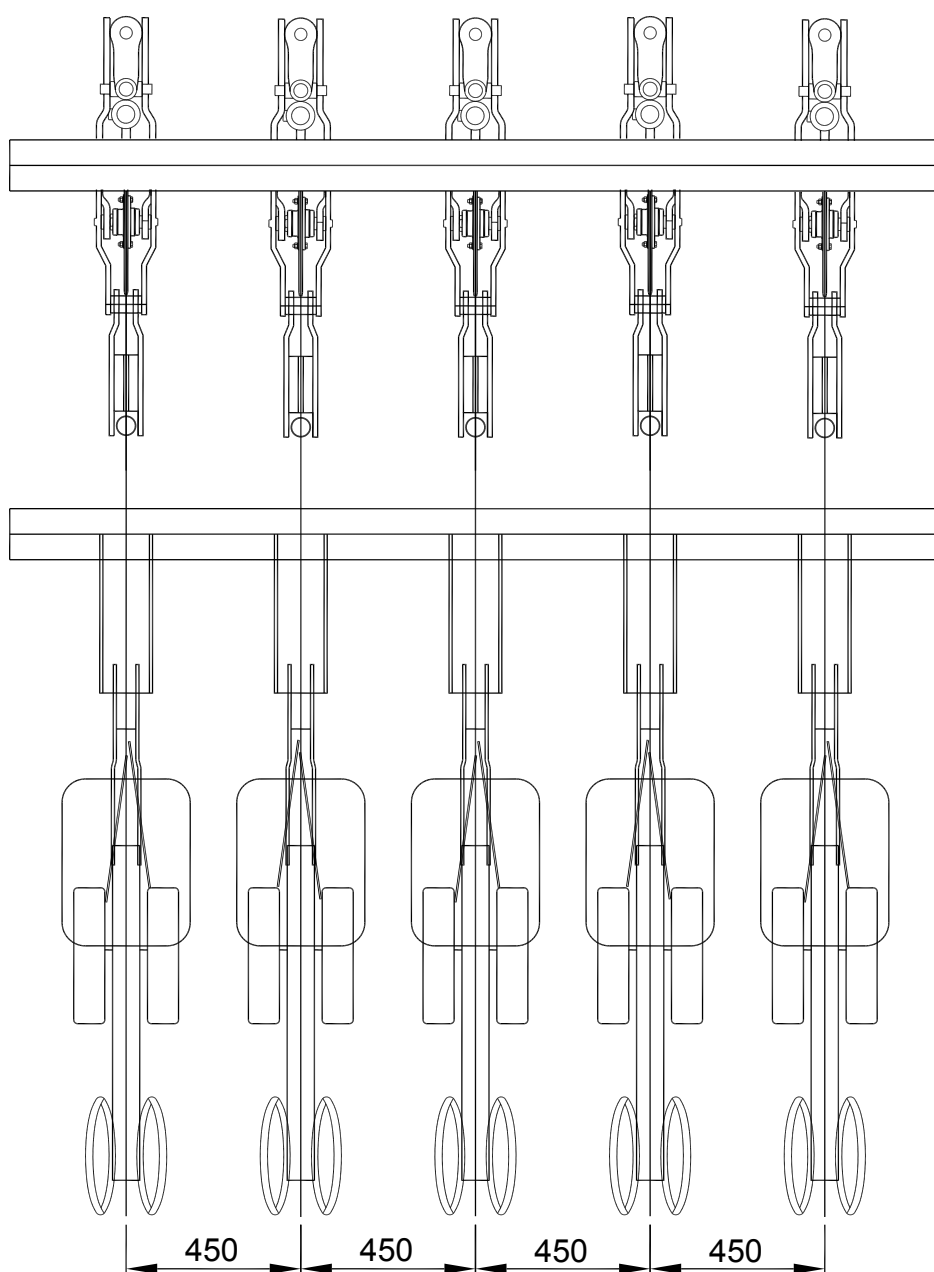
Useful width of the mainframe 2200 mm

Fertilizer capacity 223 Liters (250 Kg) - each box

Capacity of large seeds 35 Liters - each box

Tractor hp required 75

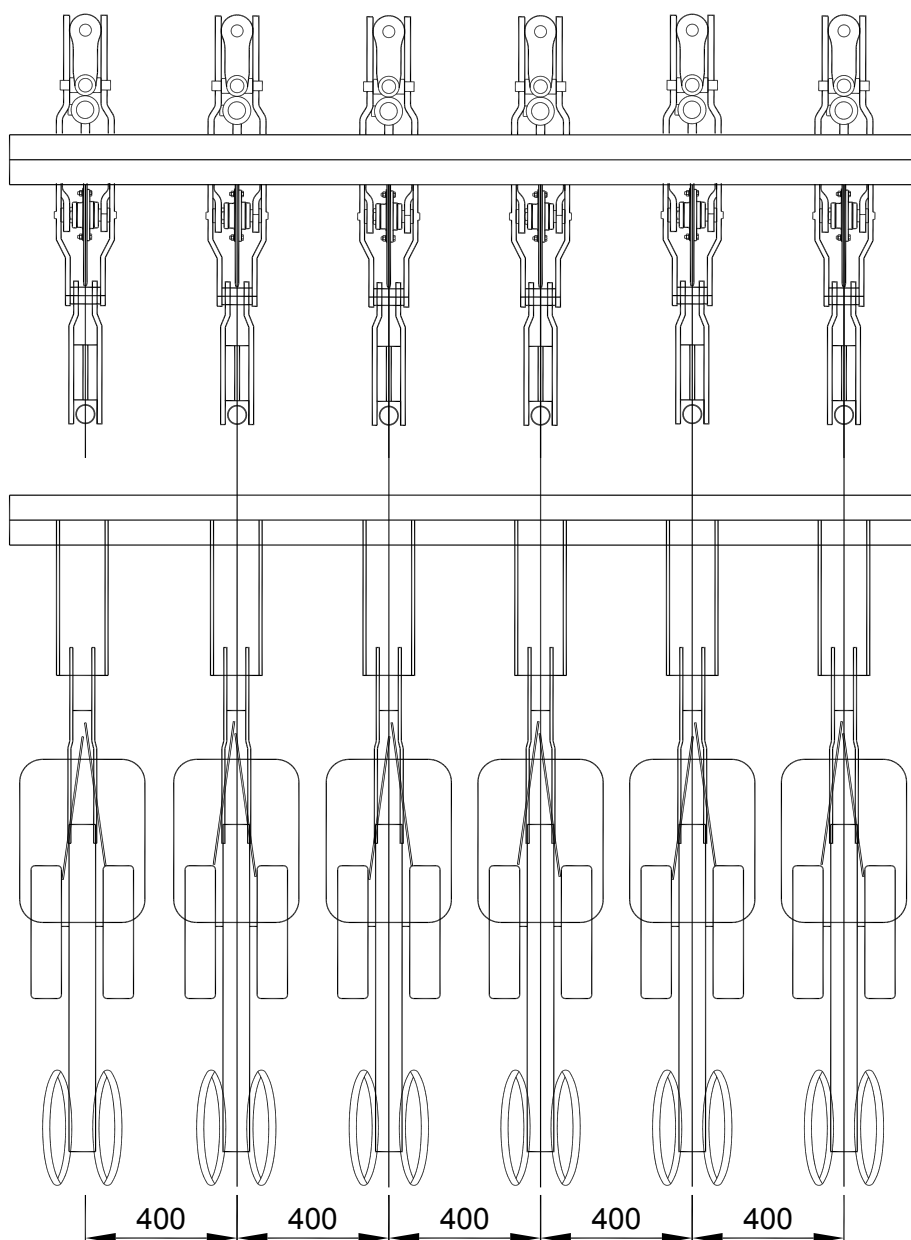
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Preparing for work

Large seed

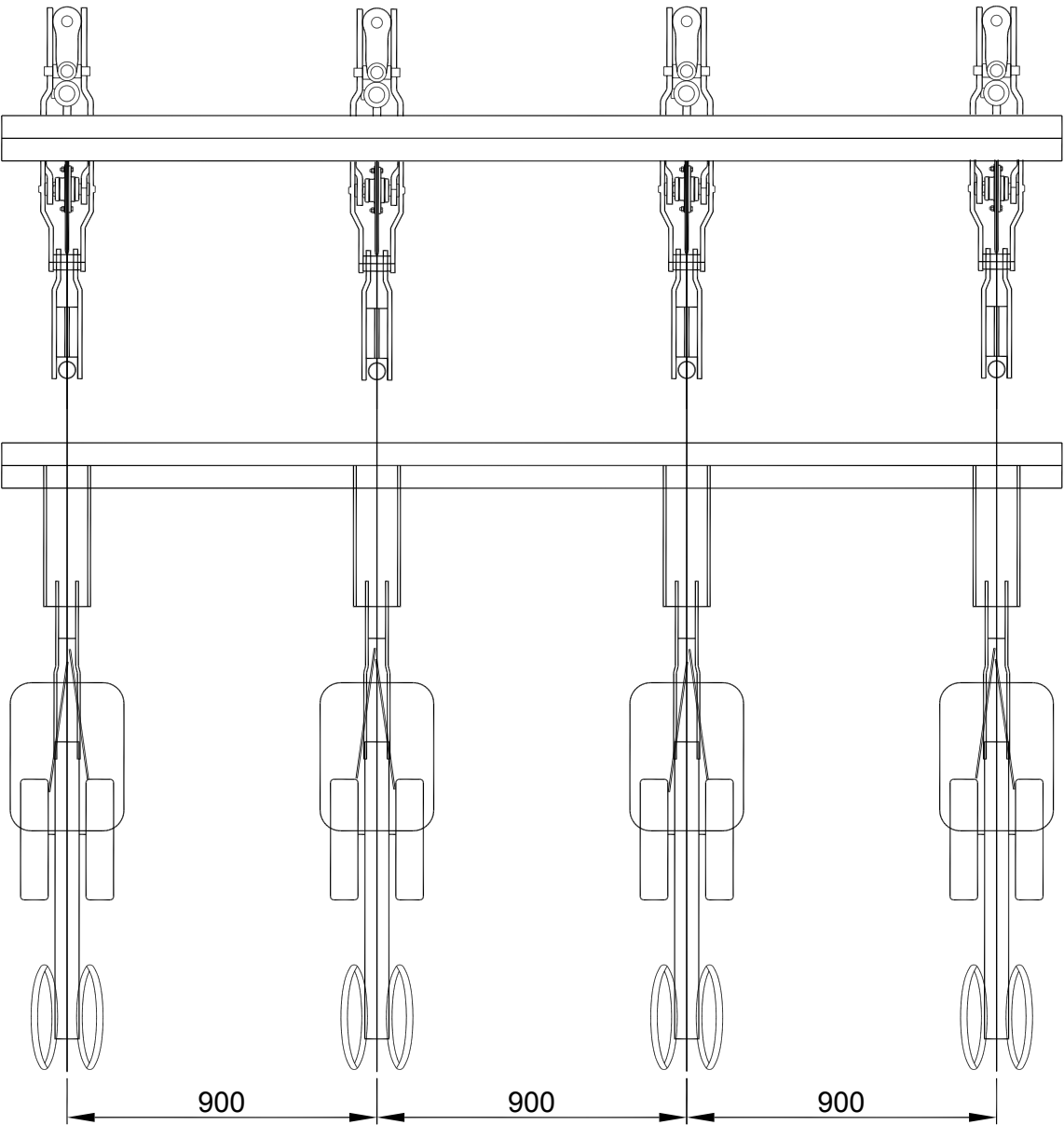
Type	PDCP 13/6G
Rows of large seeds	6 - with spacing of 400 mm
Useful width of the mainframe	2200 mm
Fertilizer capacity	223 Liters (250 Kg) - each box
Capacity of large seeds	35 Liters - each box
Tractor hp required	75
Width x Height x Length	3350 x 1620 x 3800 mm



Preparing for work

Large seed

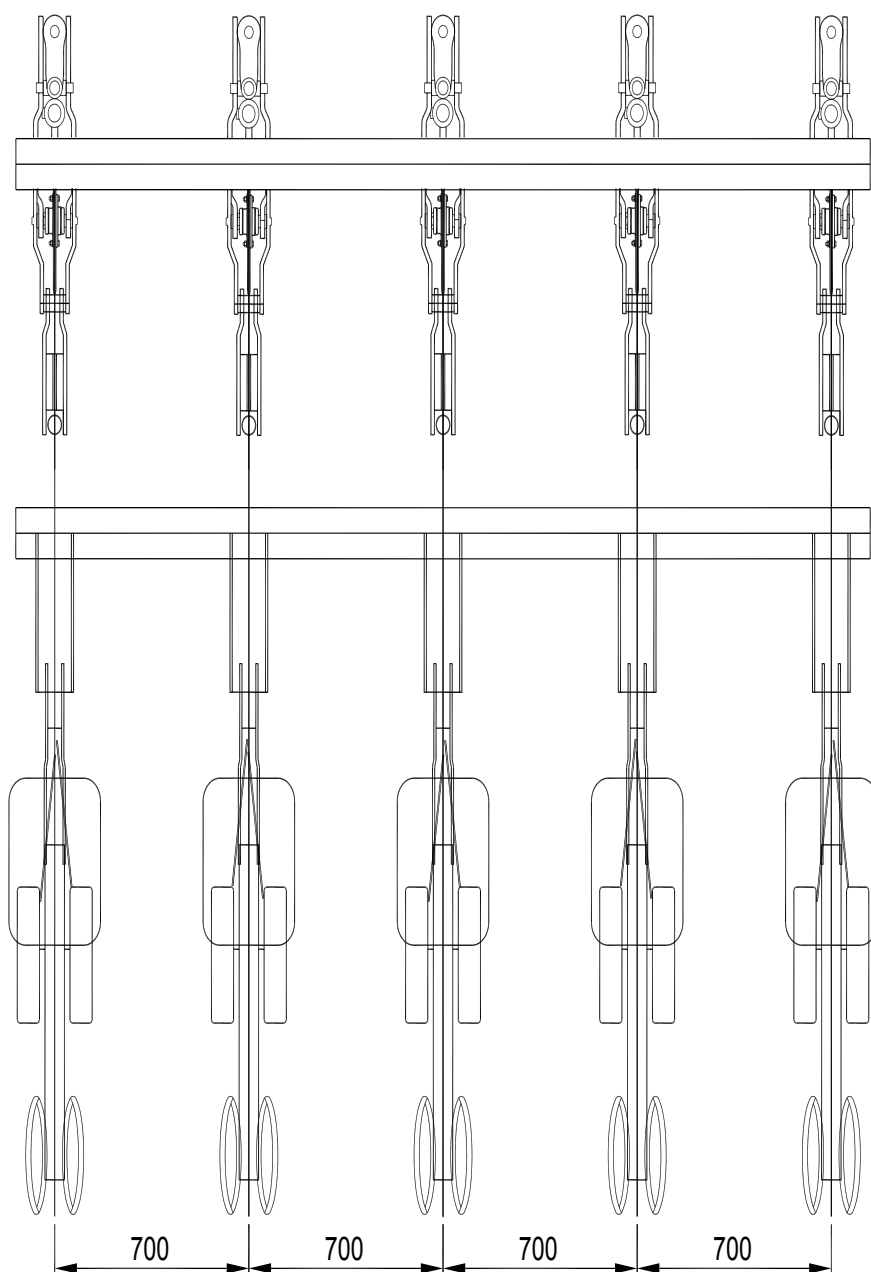
Type	PDPC 17/4G
Rows of large seeds	4 - with spacing of 900 mm
Useful width of the mainframe	2950 mm
Fertilizer capacity	293 Liters (328 Kg) each box
Capacity of large seeds	35 Liters - each box
Tractor hp required	90
Width x Height x Length	4020 x 1620 x 3800 mm



Preparing for work

Large seed

Type PDCP 17/5G
Rows of large seeds 5 - with spacing of 700 mm
Useful width of the mainframe 2950 mm
Fertilizer capacity 293 Liters (328 Kg) each box
Capacity of large seeds 35 Liters - each box
Tractor hp required 90
Width x Height x Length 4020 x 1620 x 3800 mm



Preparing for work

Large seed

Type PDCP 17/5G

Rows of large seeds 5 - with spacing of 650 mm

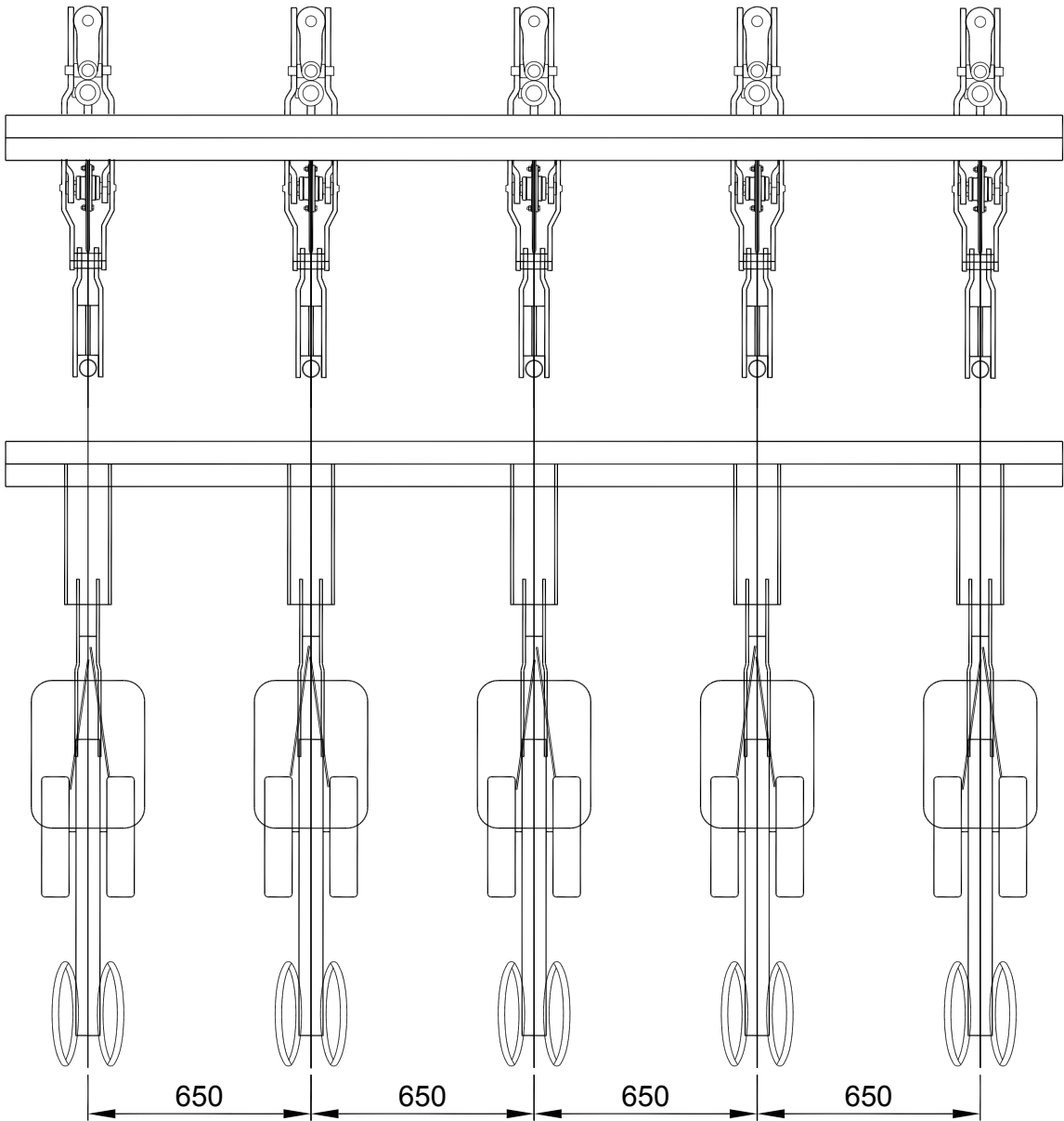
Useful width of the mainframe 2950 mm

Fertilizer capacity 293 Liters (328 Kg) each box

Capacity of large seeds 35 Liters - each box

Tractor hp required 90

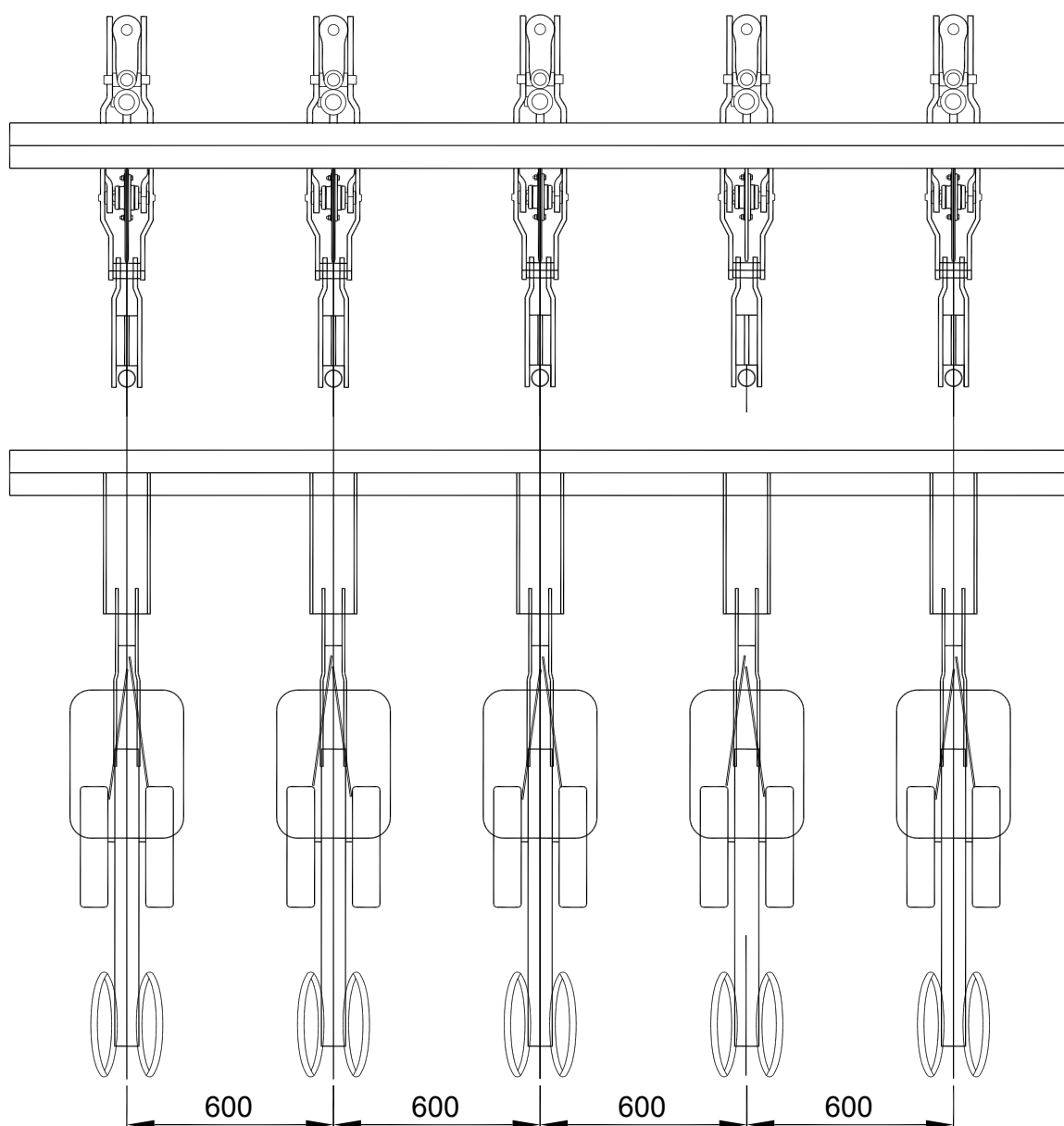
Width x Height x Length 4020 x 1620 x 3800 mm



Preparing for work

Large seed

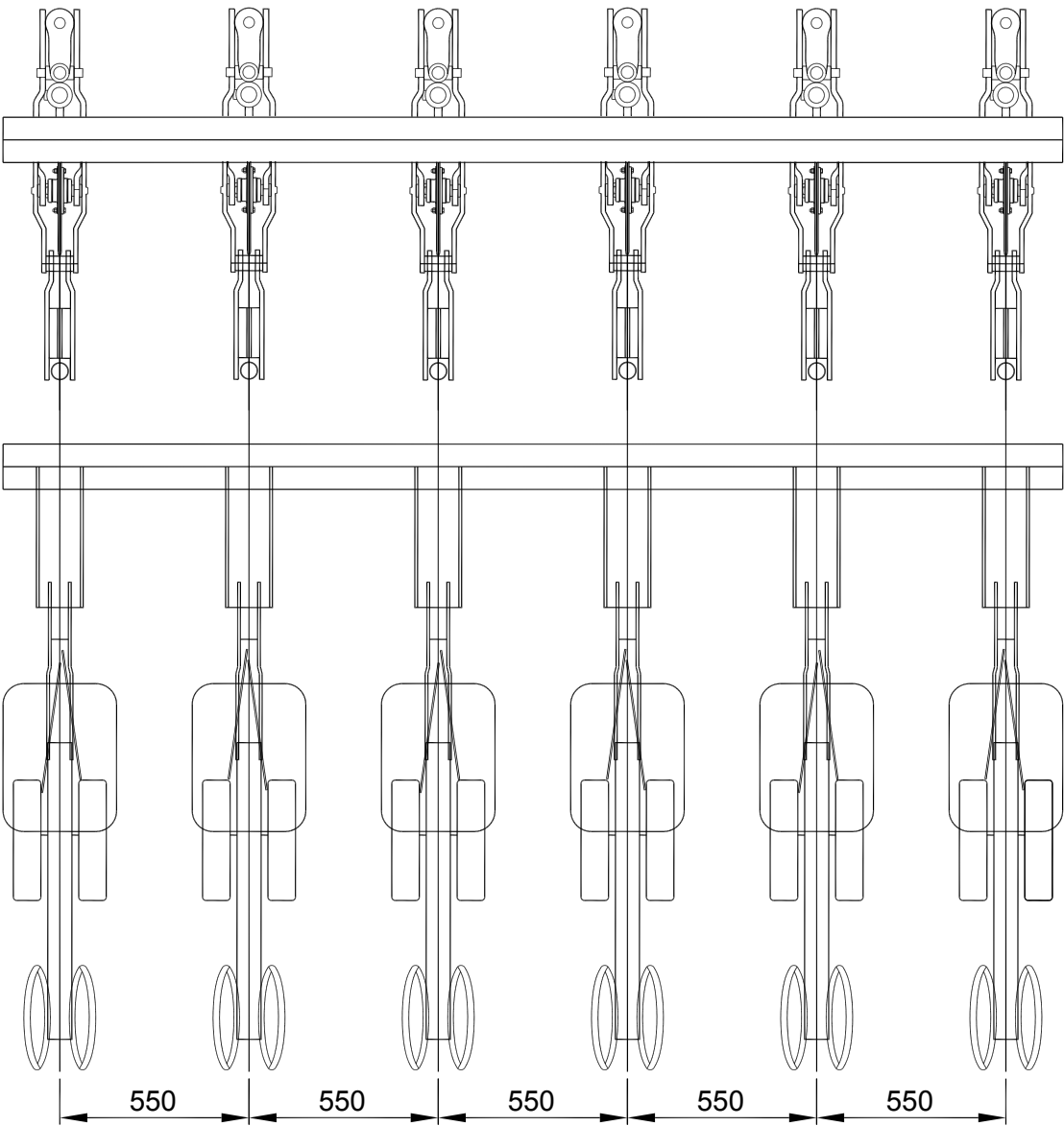
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Rows of large seeds 5 - with spacing of 600 mm
Useful width of the mainframe 2950 mm
Fertilizer capacity 293 Liters (328 Kg) each box
Capacity of large seeds 35 Liters - each box
Tractor hp required 90
Width x Height x Length 4020 x 1620 x 3800 mm



Preparing for work

Large seed

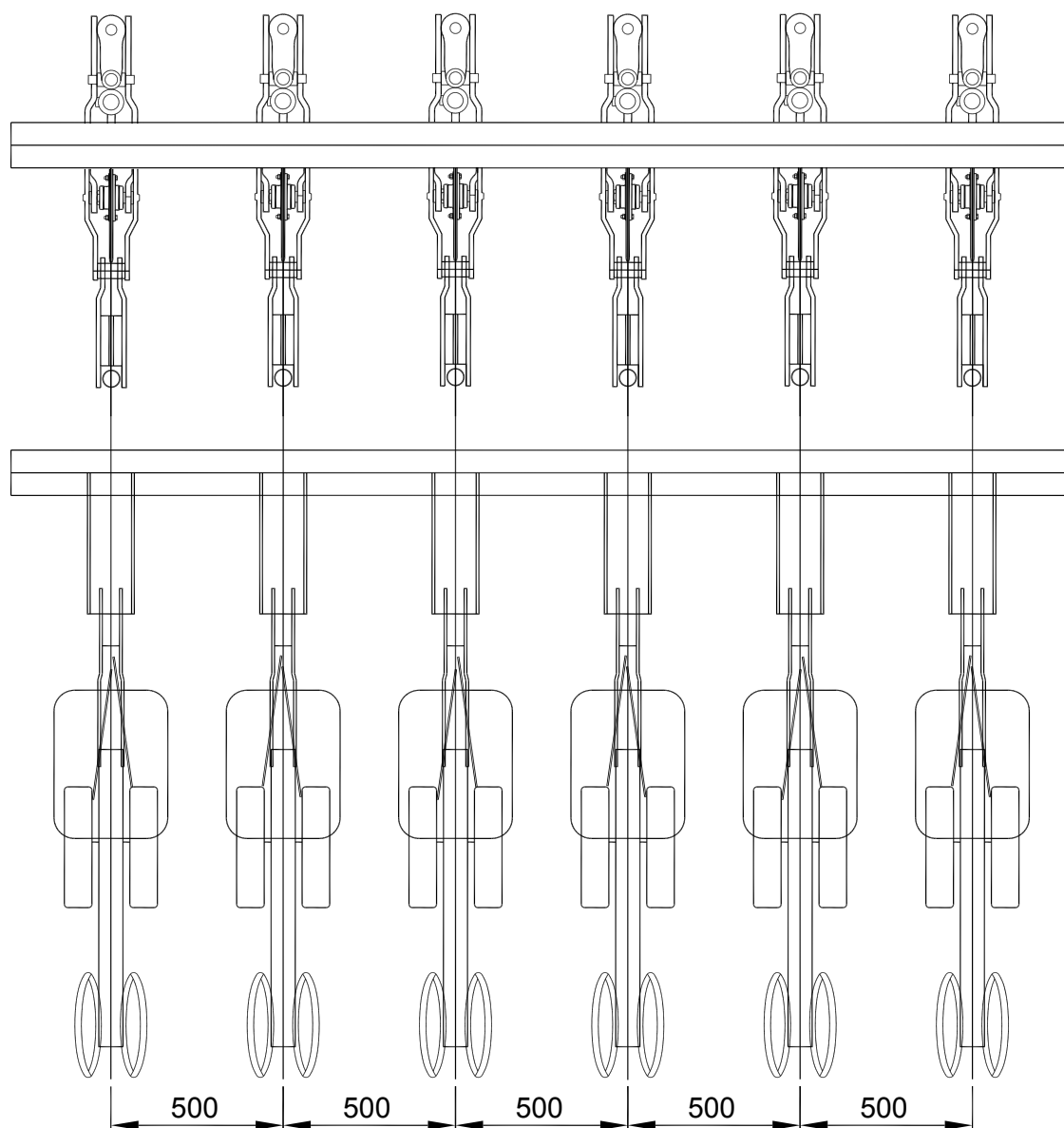
Type	PDCP 17/6G
Rows of large seeds	6 - with spacing of 550 mm
Useful width of the mainframe	2950 mm
Fertilizer capacity	293 Liters (328 Kg) each box
Capacity of large seeds	35 Liters - each box
Tractor hp required	90
Width x Height x Length	4020 x 1620 x 3800 mm



Preparing for work

Large seed

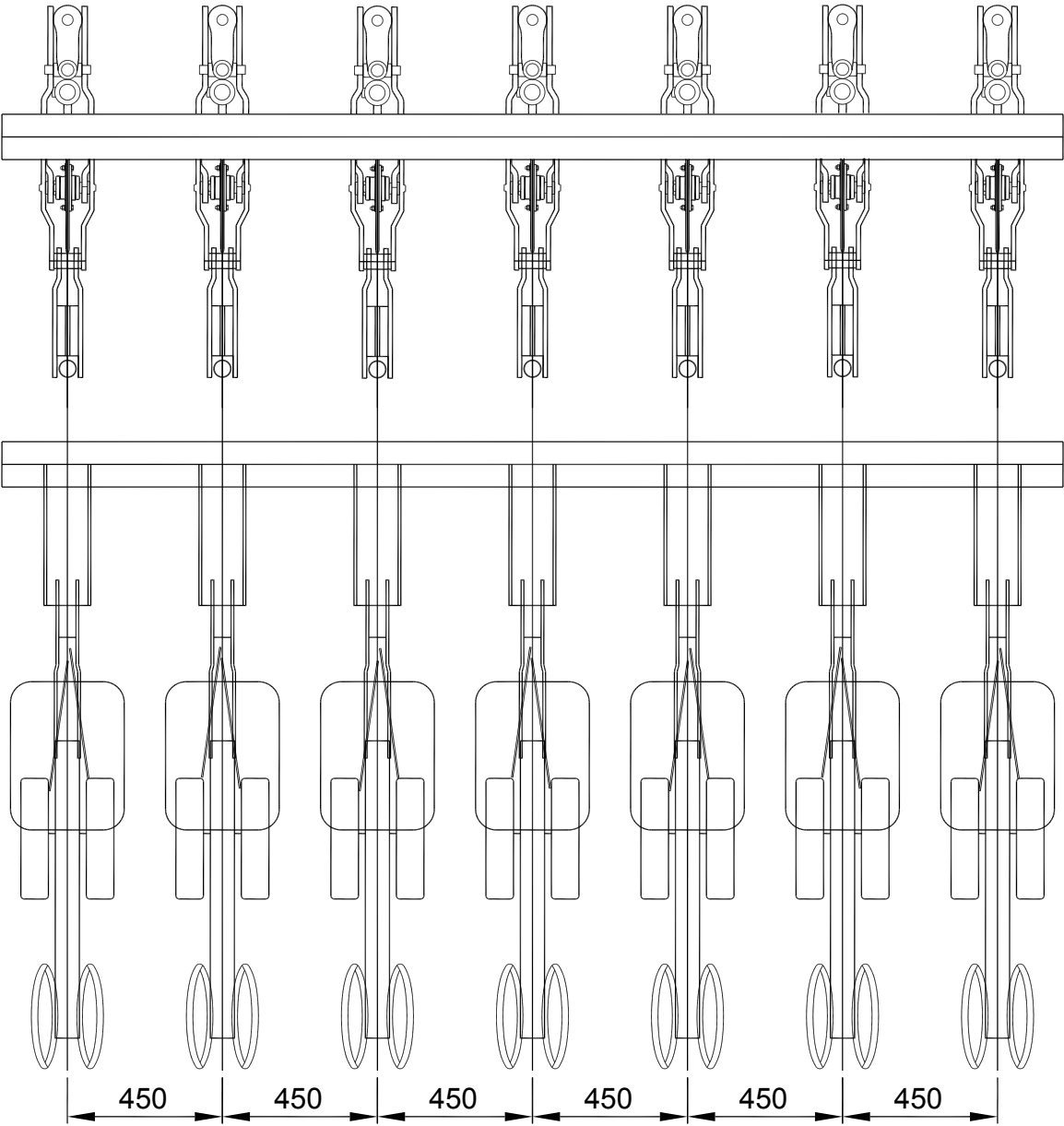
Type PDCP 17/6G
Rows of large seeds 6 - with spacing of 500 mm
Useful width of the mainframe 2950 mm
Fertilizer capacity 293 Liters (328 Kg) each box
Capacity of large seeds 35 Liters - each box
Tractor hp required 90
Width x Height x Length 4020 x 1620 x 3800 mm



Preparing for work

Large seed

Type	PDCP 17/7G
Rows of large seeds	7 - with spacing of 450 mm
Useful width of the mainframe	2950 mm
Fertilizer capacity	293 Liters (328 Kg) each box
Capacity of large seeds	35 Liters - each box
Tractor hp required	90
Width x Height x Length	4020 x 1620 x 3800 mm



Preparing for work

Large seed

Type PDCP 17/8G

Rows of large seeds 8 - with spacing of 400 mm

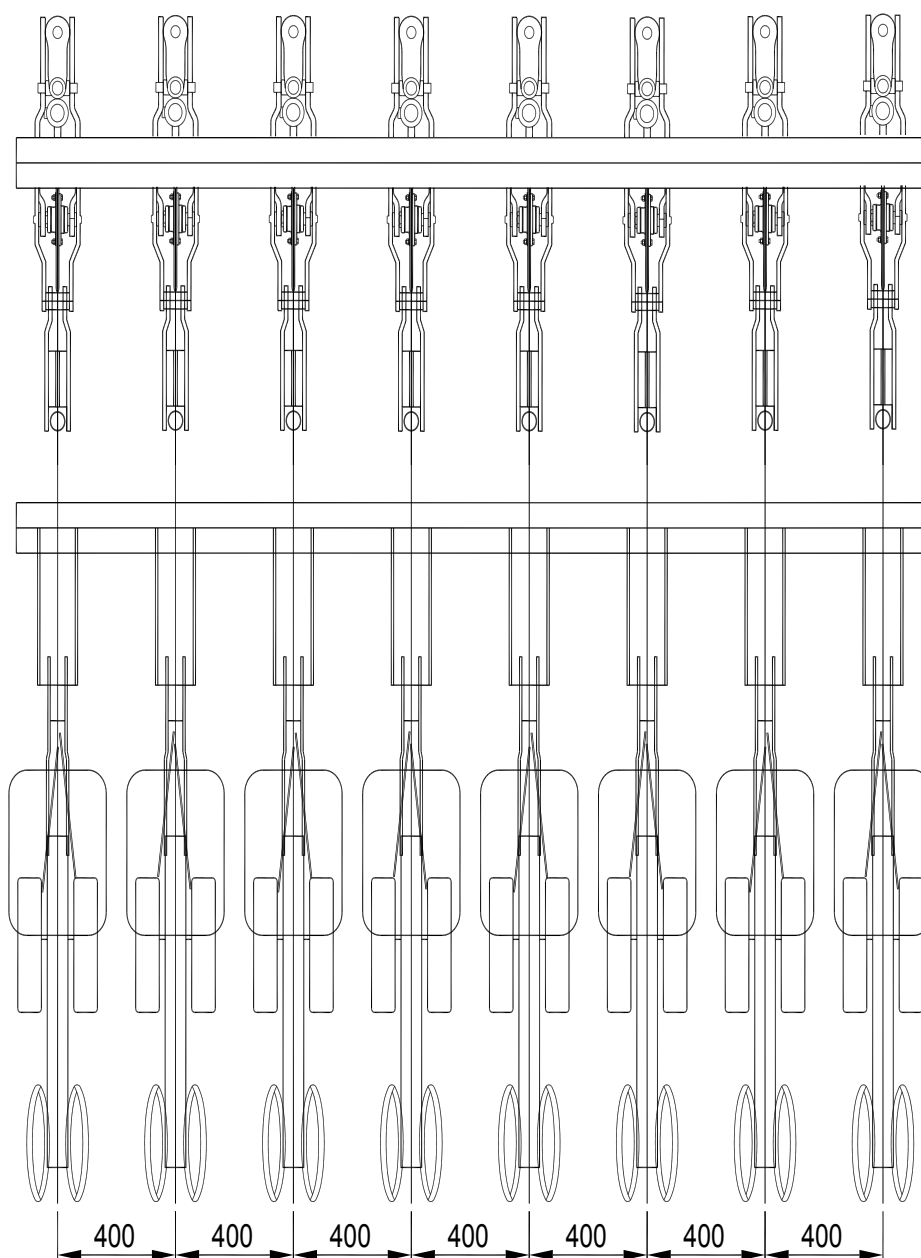
Useful width of the mainframe 2950 mm

Fertilizer capacity 293 Liters (328 Kg) each box

Capacity of large seeds 35 Liters - each box

Tractor hp required 90

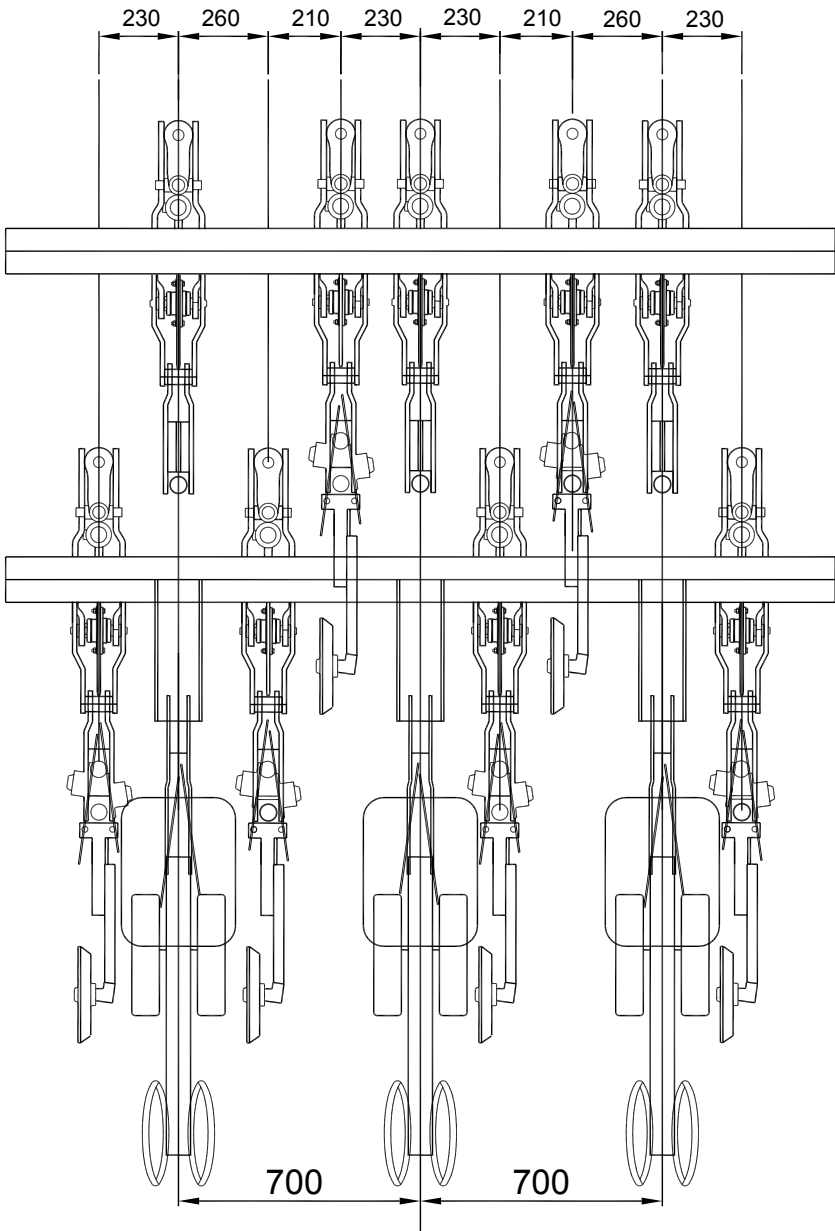
Width x Height x Length 4020 x 1620 x 3800 mm



Preparing for work

Pasture renovation

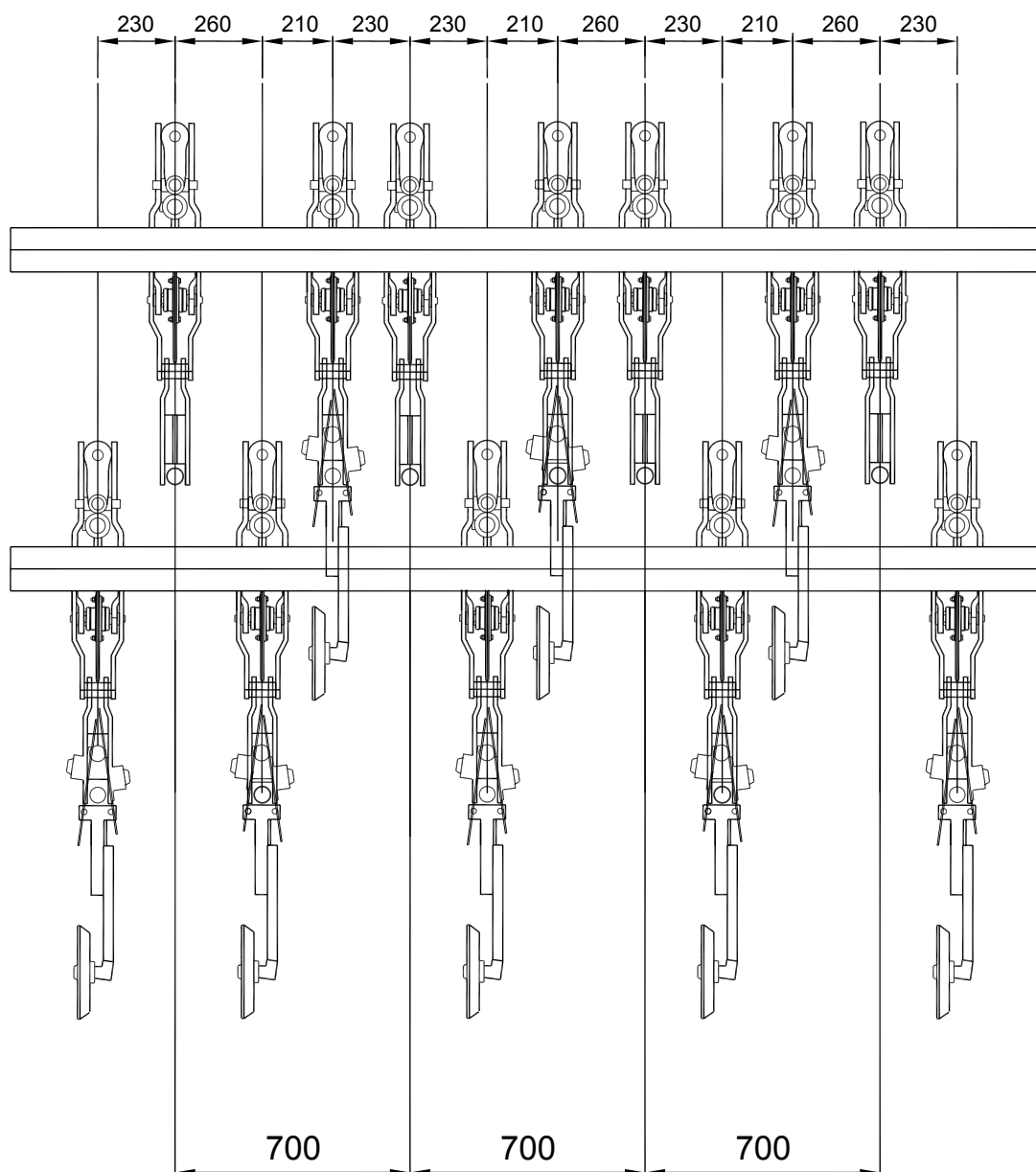
Type	PDGP 13/9F/3G
Fine seed rows	9 - with spacing of 210, 230, 260 mm
Rows of large seeds	3 - with spacing of 700 mm
Useful width of the mainframe	2200 mm
Fertilizer capacity	223 Liters (250 Kg) each box
Fine seeds capacity.....	130 Liters - each box
Capacity of large seeds	35 Liters - each box
Tractor hp required	75
Width x Height x Length	3350 x 1620 x 3800 mm



Preparing for work

Pasture renovation

Type	PDCP 17/12F/4G
Fine seed rows	12 - with spacing of 210, 230, 260 mm
Rows of large seeds	4 - with spacing of 700 mm
Useful width of the mainframe	2950 mm
Fertilizer capacity	293 Liters (328 Kg) each box
Fine seeds capacity	173 Liters each box
Capacity of large seeds	35 Liters each box
Tractor hp required	90
Width x Height x Length	4020 x 1620 x 3800 cm



Preparing for work

Procedures to change spacings

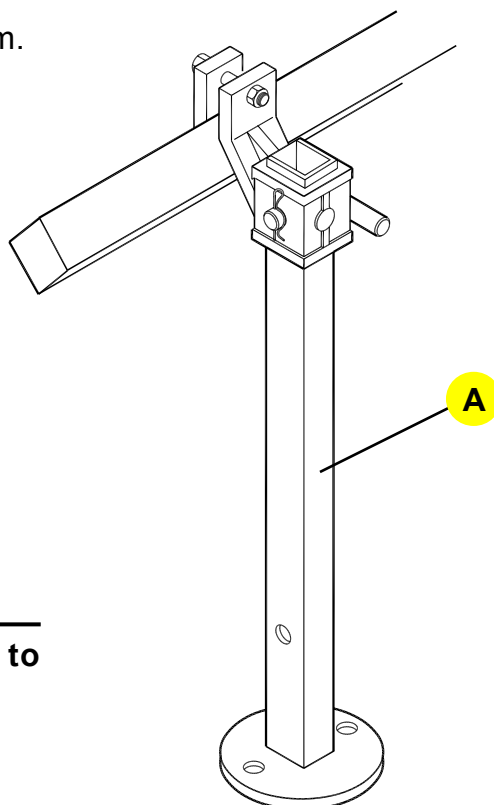
Change the spacings in clean place, plan and firm.

- Lower the parking stands (A).

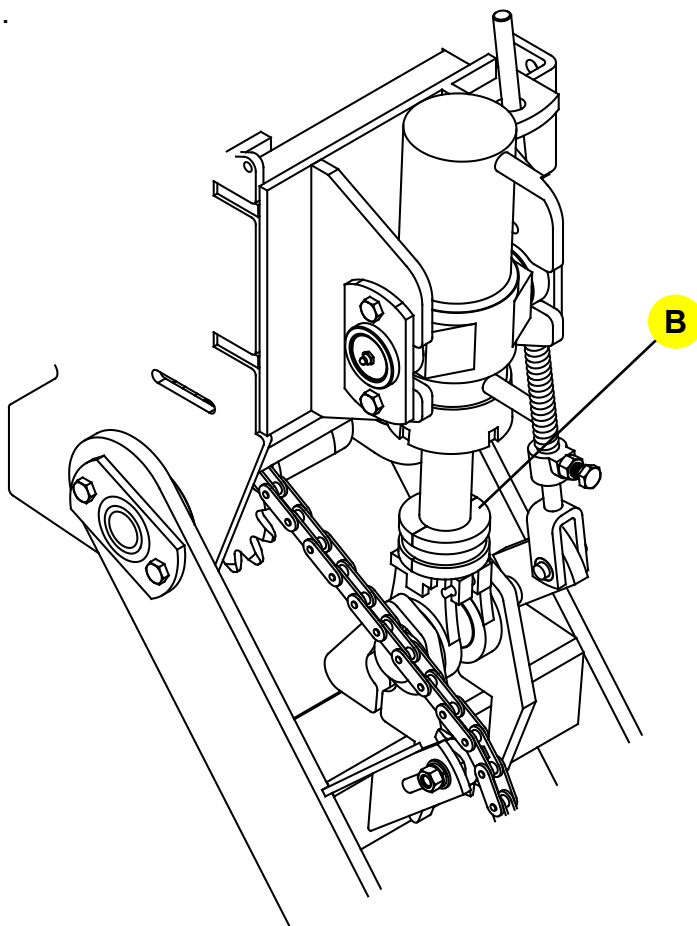


ATTENTION

Verify if the planter is supported to avoid accidents.



1) Lift the equipment and put the safety locks (B) in the cylinder rod, then you can deslocate the rows.



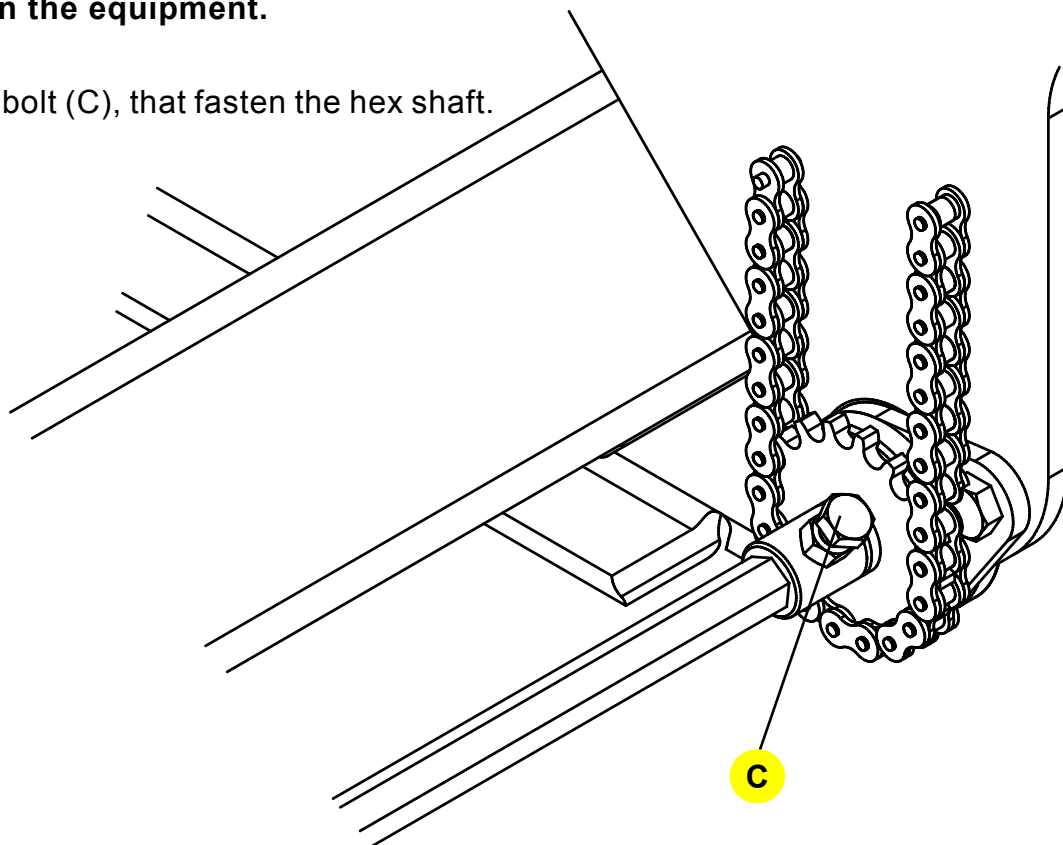
Preparing for work

Procedures to change spacings

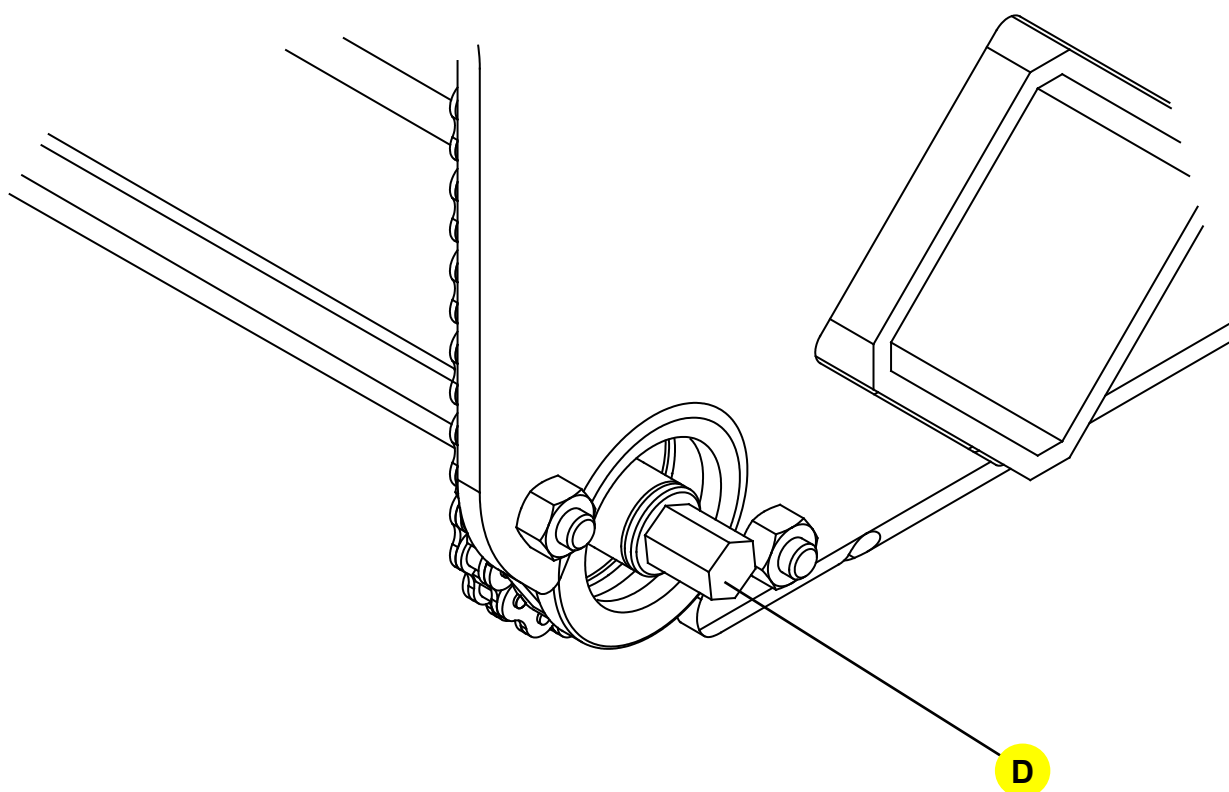
ATTENTION

The following instructions are necessary to remove or put any row in the equipment.

2) Loose the bolt (C), that fasten the hex shaft.



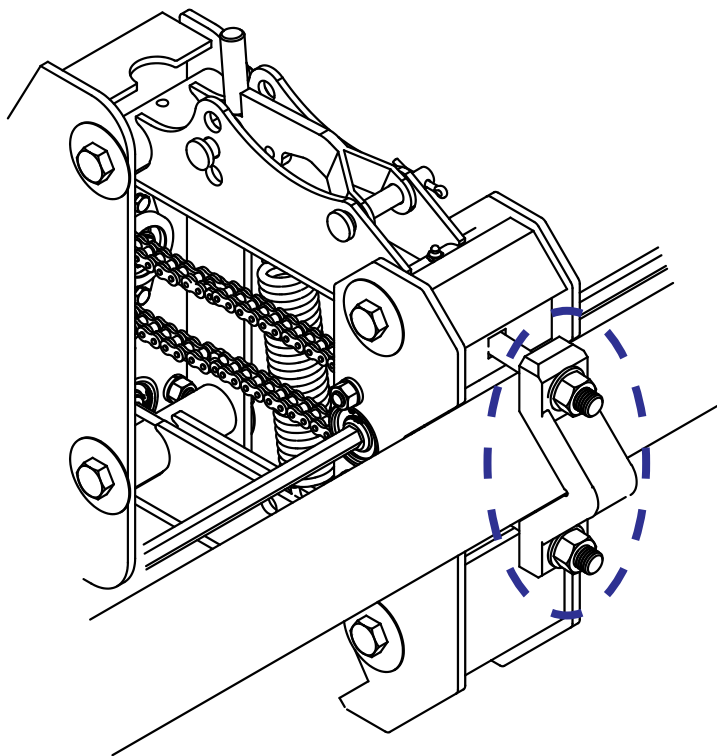
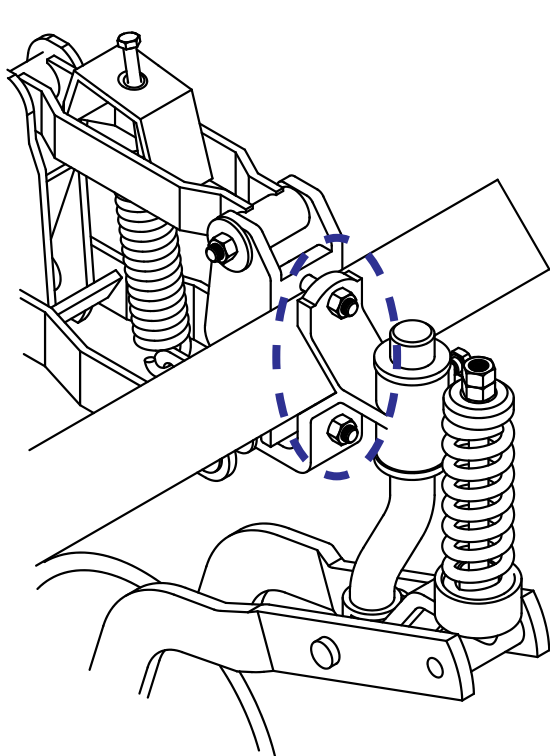
3) Totally remove the hex shaft (D).



Preparing for work

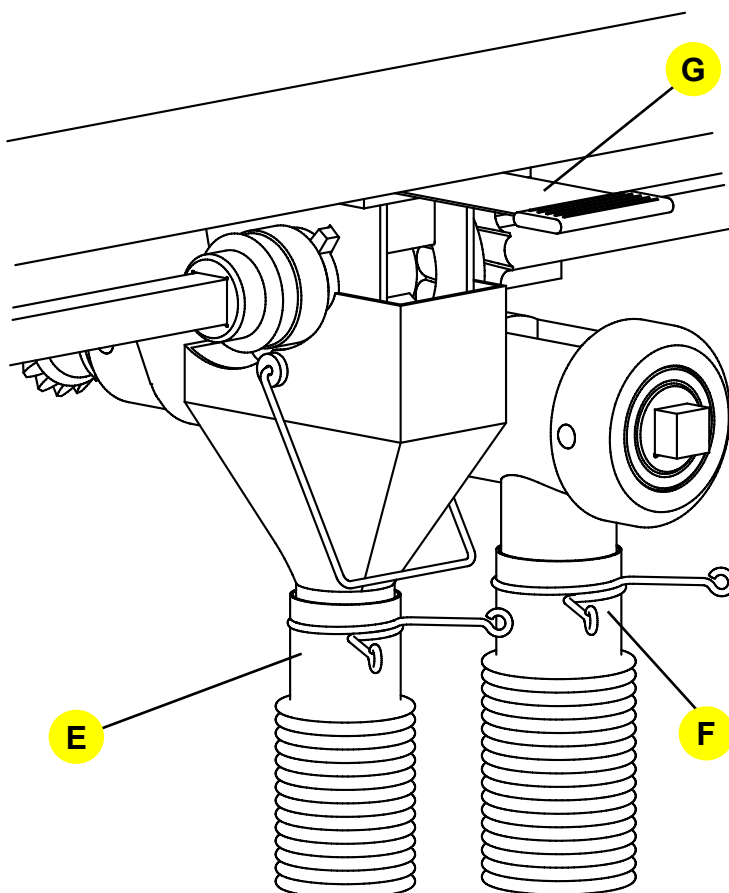
Procedures to change spacings

4°) Loose the nuts that fasten the rows to deslocate them in the mainframe.



5°) Remove the seed conductors (E) and the fertilizer (F), together with the rows, loosen the fasteners that fasten the nozzle.

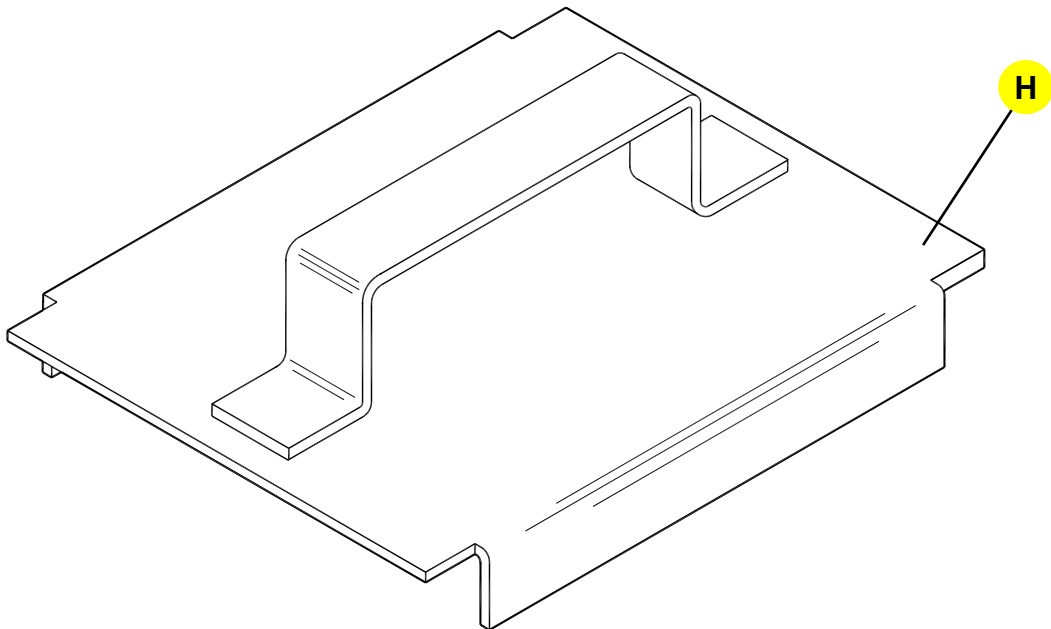
6°) Stop the exit of seeds with the switch (G), in the rows that be removed.



Preparing for work

Procedures to change spacings

7º) To close the fertilizer metering, fit the cover (H), on the augers that won't be used.



IMPORTANT

Fasten all the components paying special attention to the following points:

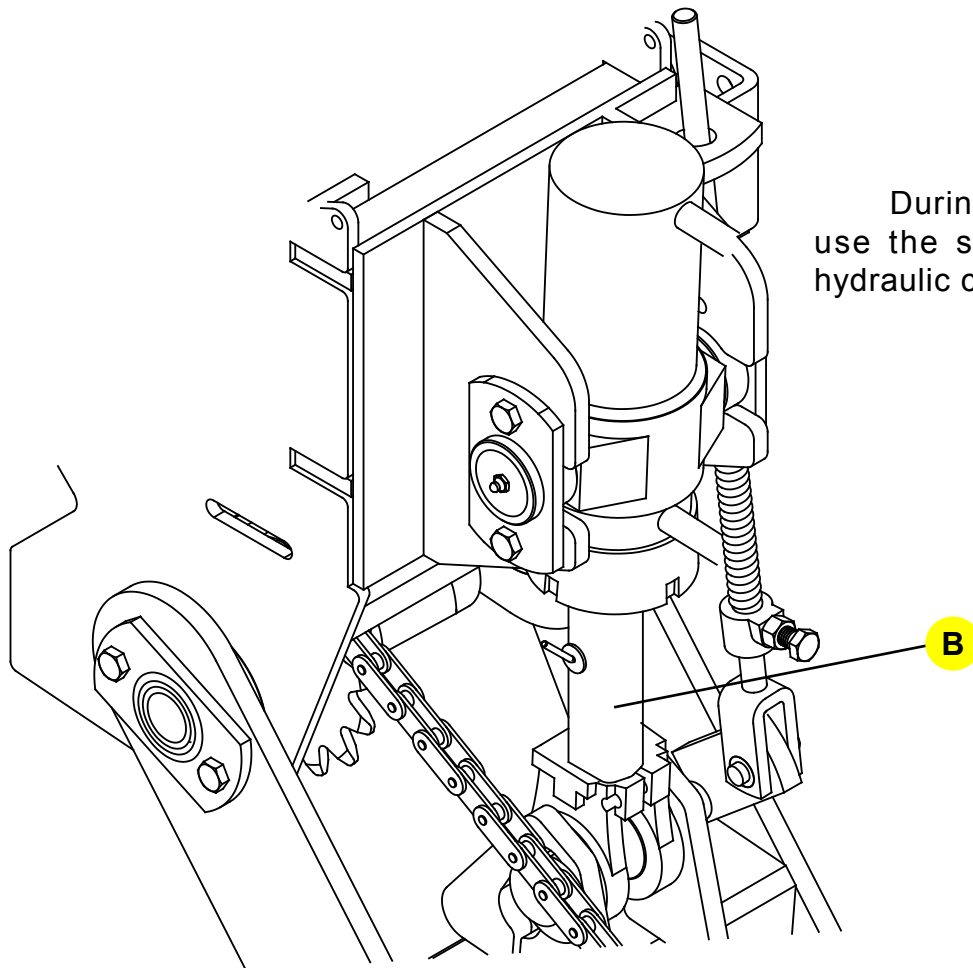
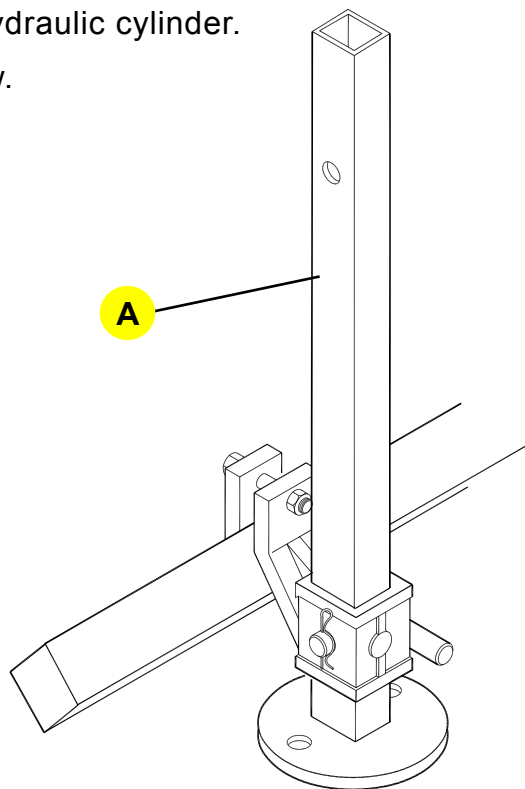
- The tightening of the nuts that fasten the seed rows in the chassis should be made gradually, avoiding to tighten each nut totally at once.
- The same is valid between a row and another; that is to say, don't totally tighten at once a row, but gradually.
- Inserting these operations of tightening the nuts of a row and passing for other should be made by rotating the hexagonal bars, to maintain the correct alignment and to avoid braking.
- The adjustment of the set screws with bushings that fix the hexagonal bars, will be made at last.
- Verify the correct alignment of the chains (carrying wheels to the clutches).

Preparing for work

Getting the planter ready for transportation

Raise the rows completely by functioning the hydraulic cylinder.

Lift the parking stands (A) as per drawing below.



During transportation always use the safety locks (B) on the hydraulic cylinder rods.

Preparing for work

Planning planting operations - Correct stand

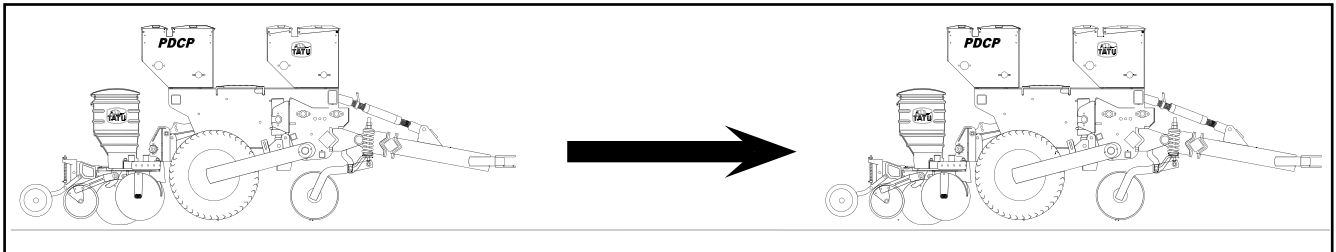
Always consider that the **plant population at the harvest time** is smaller than the number of seeds indeed distributed in the planting operation due to factors as: germination, physical purity, vigor (Supplied in the packing of the seeds), besides insects and diseases that can happen during the plant lives.

Also consider that during the planting operation occurs slippage or skidding of the planter carrying-wheels according to the local working conditions.

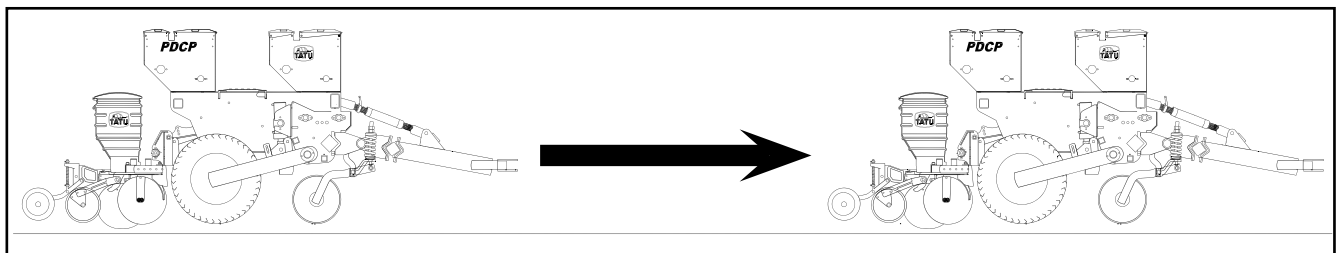
See the **slippage index calculation** for the planter in your field conditions:

This index is obtained by comparing the amount of planter carrying-wheel turns when hoppers are empty, with filled hoppers, by running the planter in the field.

With the planter empty and usually hitched to the tractor, mark a starting point in the ground and in the planter carrying-wheel. Move the machine until complete 10 (ten) turns of the carrying-wheels. Measure and write down the traveled distance.



Fill up the planter hoppers, repeat the previous procedure and write down the traveled distance.



Calculation:

$$\frac{\text{Filled Distance} - (\text{minus}) \text{ Empty Distance}}{\text{Empty Distance}} \times 100$$

NOTE The tires should have the same design, same inflation pressure and same down pressure adjustment on the springs of the wheels.

Preparing for work

To obtain a population of 50,000 plants per hectare, at the harvest time, with seeds containing:

Germination Index = 95%

Physical purity = 90 and

Slippage Index = 1.03 (3%)

the following calculation should be made to know how many seeds should be distributed in a hectare.

$$\text{Seeds/ha at the planting time} = \frac{50,000}{0.95 \times 0.90} = 58,479.5 \times 1.03 = \mathbf{60,233.88}$$

To know the amount of seeds per meter, per 10 meters, etc..., calculate how many linear meters of rows exist in a hectare, in the desired spacing.

$$\text{Example: } \frac{10,000}{0.85 \text{ m}} = 11,764.70 \text{ linear meters, like this } \frac{60,233.88}{11,764.7} = \mathbf{5,1198}$$

Approximately **5.12** seeds per meter.

Procedure before planting

• Before start planting, make a general inspection in the planter, tightening all the bolts and nuts. Also, verify the conditions of all the pins and cotter pins, to avoid future damages. Repeat this operation after the first day of work.

NOTE

- It is recommended to fill up the planter in the working area.
- Don't transit with loading excess.

- Check the tires inflation. Maintain the same pressure for both (**75 psi**).
- Verify the presence of any strange object inside the hoppers, that can damage the metering mechanisms.
- Lubricate all the grease fittings appropriately.

Ideal travel speed

The planter operates with larger efficiency in the range of 5 to 7 Km/h.

NOTE

Planting corn, operate in the range of 5 to 5,5 km/h. It is necessary to maintain the constant speed during all planting operation.

Preparing for work

Use of powdered graphite

The powdered graphite should be mixed to the seeds to facilitate the metering and increase the service life of the distribution mechanism.

QUANTITY OF GRAPHITE PER KILOGRAM OF SEED

Type of seed-metering system:	Seeds treated with insecticide		
	Small and round	Large and round	Flat
Horizontal seed plates	04 grams	02 grams	04 grams

- The graphite should not be admixed before the treatment of the seeds.
- The graphite should not be admixed to the insecticide for the treatment of the seeds.
- For seeds without treatment use only one half of the quantities of graphite mentioned in the table above.

List of planter standard seed plates

For corn	28 holes.....	Ø 12 mm	4,5 mm
For corn	8 holes	Ø 9 mm	4,5 mm
For soybean.....	90 holes.....	Ø 9 mm	5,5 mm
For soybean.....	100 holes.....	Ø 7 mm	5,5 mm

ATTENTION

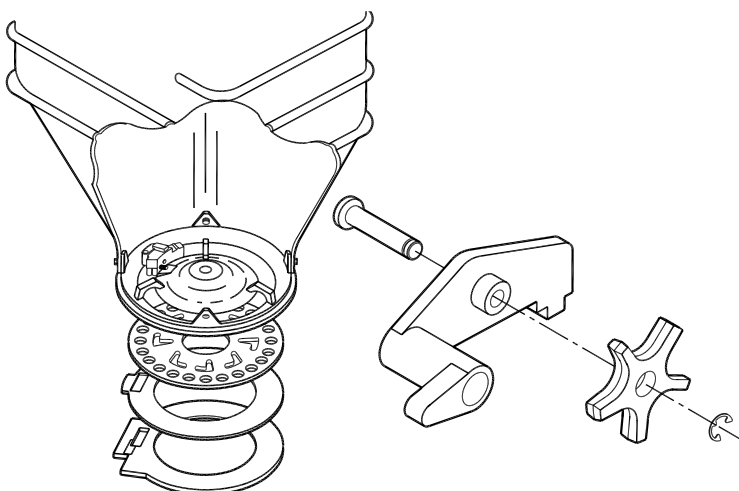
The number of discs provided with each planter is the same as the number of row units.

For a list of optional seed discs see page 68.

NOTE

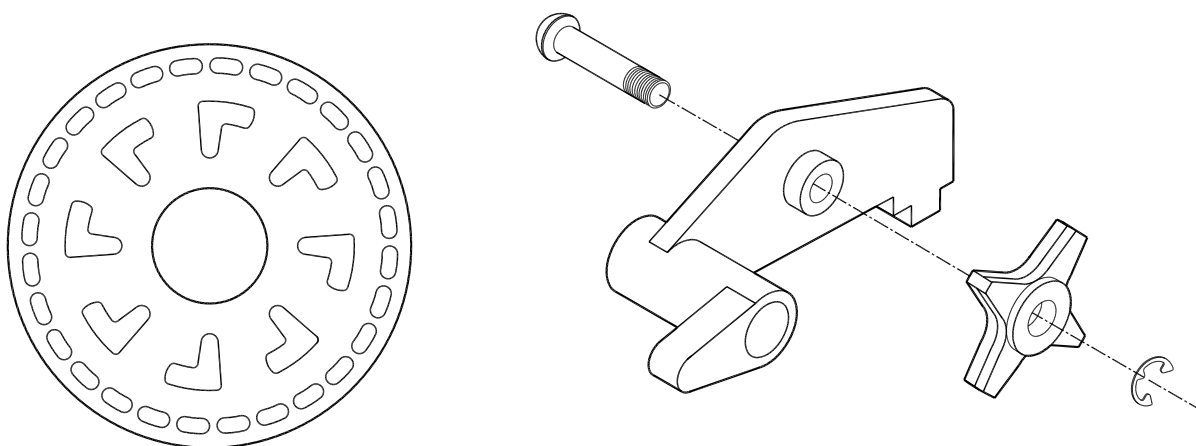
The housing of the disc with seat is 8.5 mm. The thickness of the seat should always complete 8.5 mm, however:

- If using a 4.5 mm thickness disc, the seat should be 4.0 mm.
- For a 5.5 mm thickness disc, use a 3.0 mm seat.
- For an 8.5 mm thickness disc, do not use seat.

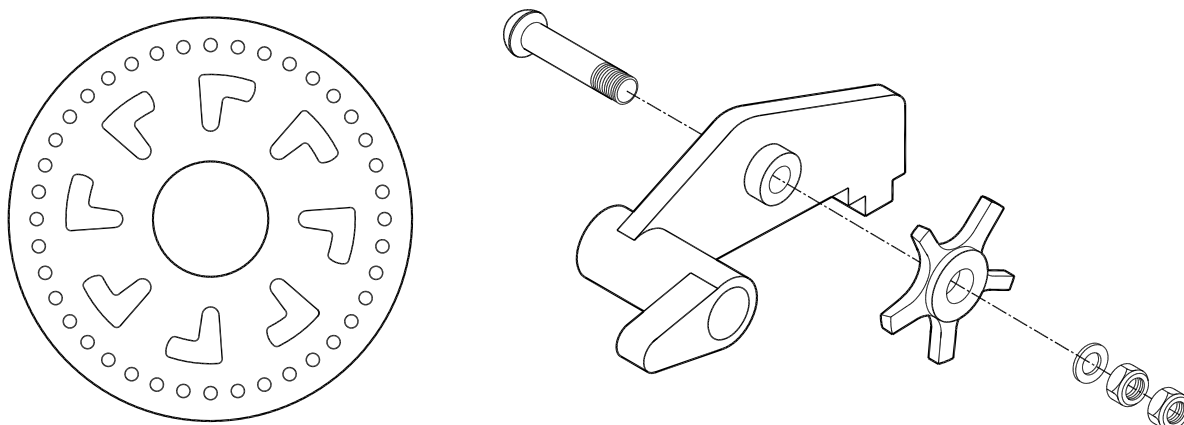


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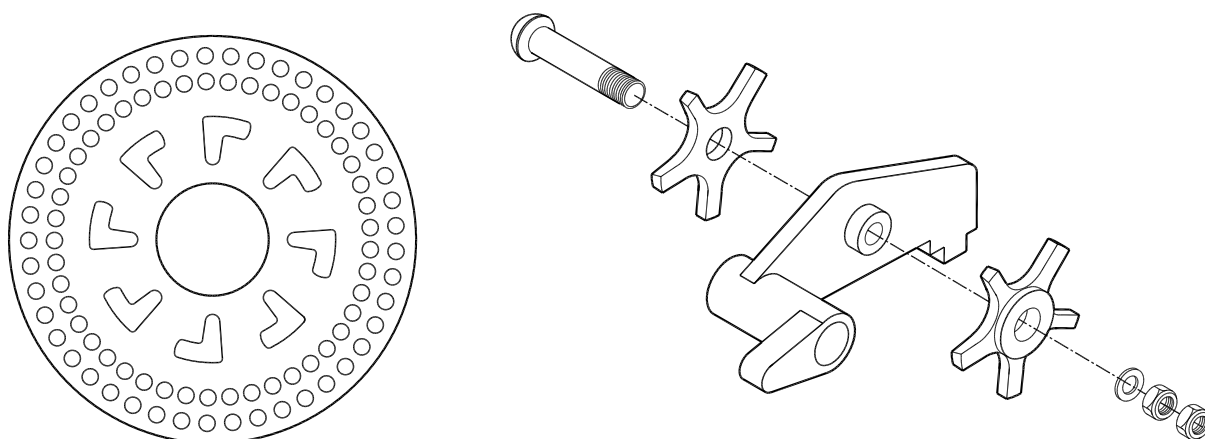
- Special attention should also be paid to the supports with the seed toothed rollers, as well as the proper operation of all seed ejectors.
- Support with 5-tooth roller is factory assembled and can be used with all disks with a row of holes or slots, ex.: For corn – holes; for soybeans, cotton – slots; beans, etc...
- The corn disc with slotted holes uses a 4-tooth roller, provided as spare.



- For sorghum planting, special rollers are required to fit to the holes and carry out their function.



- For soybean discs with double row of holes, you must use the support with double roller.



Adjustments and operations

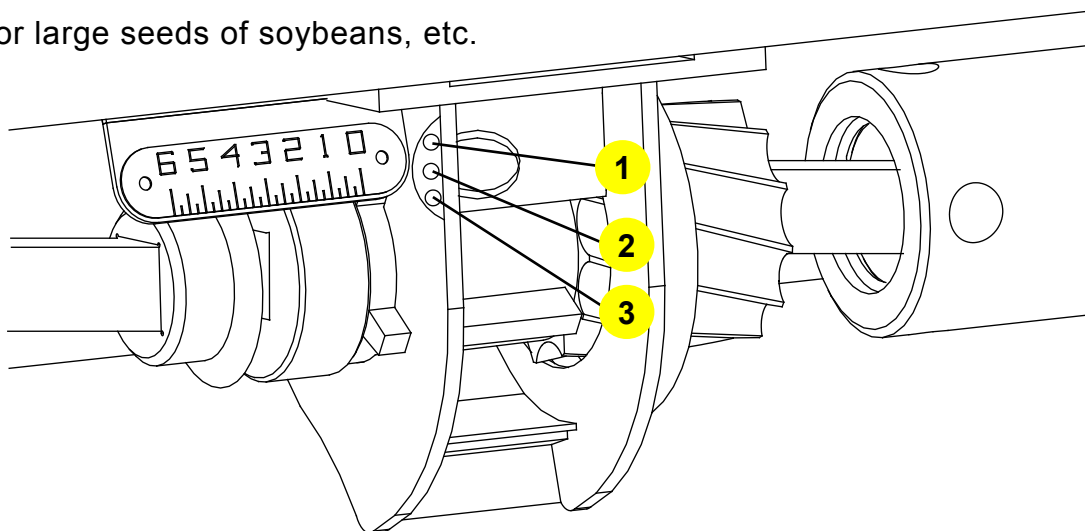
Distribution of fine seeds

The fluted feed cup has 03 (three) adjustment positions, used for different grain sizes, being:

Point 1 - For small seeds of wheat, rice, oats and similar.

Point 2 - For medium large seeds of soybeans, rice, peas, etc.

Point 3 - For large seeds of soybeans, etc.



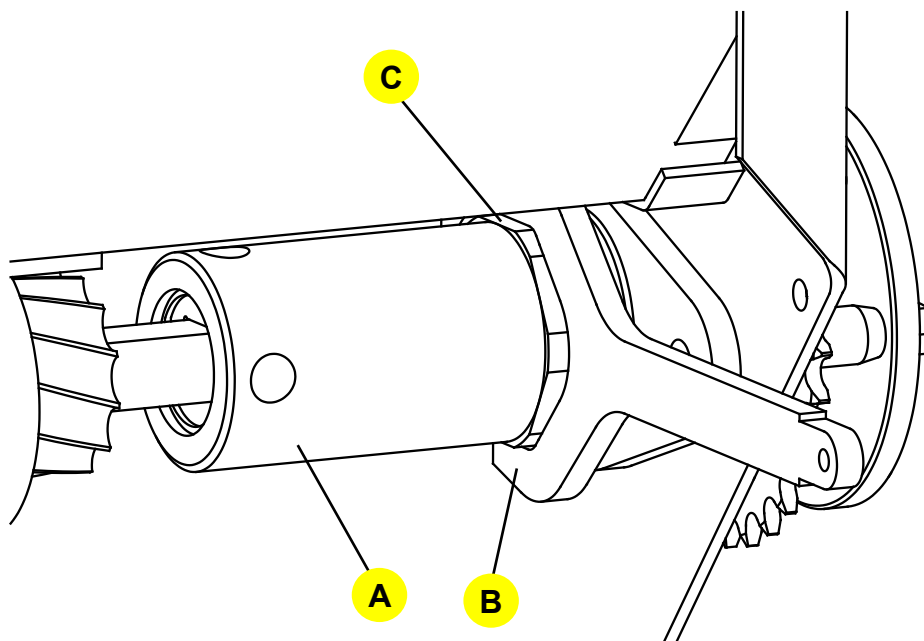
ATTENTION

Non observance of above instructions may entail:

- Damgeg seeds;
- Alteration of distributed quantities.

Seed quantities are selected by adjusting, with a wrench (B), the bushing (A) which activates the opening of the rotors in accordance with the adjusted scale graduation.

This adjustment is achieved by loosening the lock nut (C) using the wrench (B).



Adjustments and operations

Seed distribution table (Wheat)

Opening of rotors = Point 1 **page 53.**

Scale	Grams per row of 50 meters	QUANTITIES IN KG PER HECTARE FOR THE DIFFERENT SPACINGS BETWEEN ROWS			
		175 mm	200 mm	220 mm	250 mm
0,5	25	28	25	23	20
1,0	54	62	54	49	43
1,5	84	96	84	76	67
2,0	117	134	117	106	94
2,5	152	174	152	138	122
3,0	185	211	185	168	148
3,5	226	258	226	205	180
4,0	277	317	277	251	222
4,5	296	338	296	269	237
5,0	336	384	336	305	269
5,5	361	413	361	328	289
6,0	377	431	377	342	302
Hectare = 10.000 m²		Average speed adopted = 07 Km/h.			
Note: See on page 60 how to carry out practical test for seed fall					

Seed distribution table (Rice)

Opening of rotors = Point 1 **page 53.**

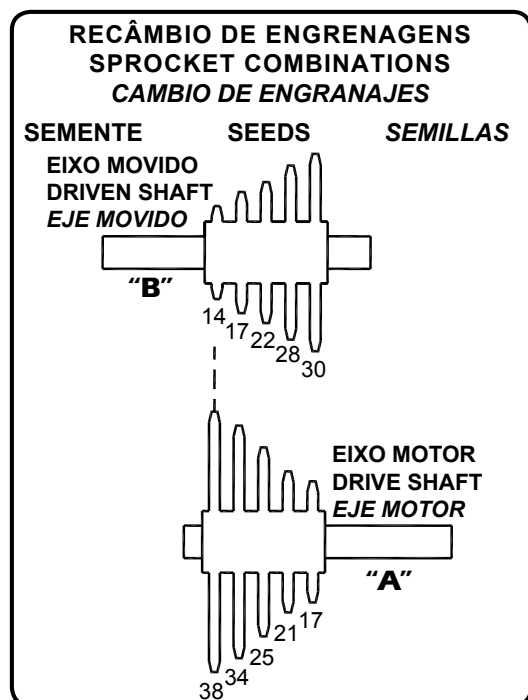
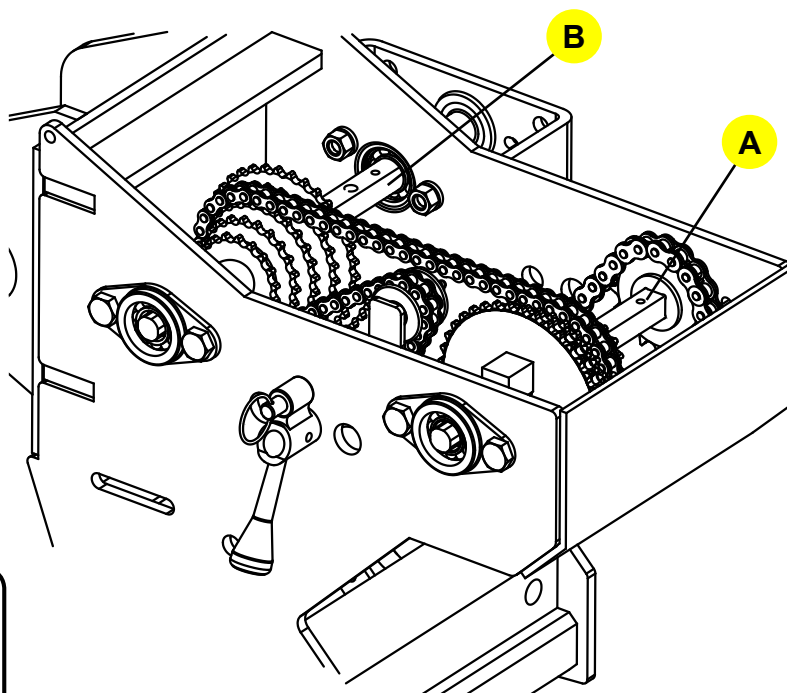
Scale	Grams per row of 50 meters	QUANTITIES IN KG PER HECTARE FOR THE DIFFERENT SPACINGS BETWEEN ROWS							
		175 mm	200 mm	220 mm	250 mm	316 mm	350 mm	400 mm	450 mm
0,5	13	15	13	11	10	8	7	6	5
1,0	28	32	28	25	22	18	16	14	12
1,5	43	49	43	39	34	27	25	22	19
2,0	60	68	60	55	48	38	34	30	27
2,5	78	89	78	71	62	49	45	39	35
3,0	99	113	94	90	79	63	57	50	44
3,5	116	132	116	105	93	73	66	58	52
4,0	134	153	134	122	107	85	77	67	60
4,5	158	180	158	144	126	100	90	79	70
5,0	172	196	172	156	137	109	98	86	76
5,5	190	217	190	173	152	120	109	95	84
6,0	207	236	207	188	166	131	118	104	92
Hectare = 10.000 m ²									

Adjustments and operations

Distribution of large seeds - Calibrating

The amount of seed plate holes or slots, the size of the holes or slots, as well as the seed plate thickness vary according to the grain size and the desired plant population.

Adjust the seed rate per linear meter through the sprocket combinations of the Drive Shaft {A} (17, 21, 25, 34, and 38 teeth) and Driven Shaft {B} (14, 17, 22, 28 and 30 teeth).



Procedures for the sprockets handling

- Move the lever to alleviate the chain tightener and lock with the pin in the hole.
- Move the lever to alleviate the chain tightener and lock with the pin in the hole.
- Loosen the lever liberating the lock pin.

IMPORTANT

Find on the following pages the different seed rates for several crops, according to the sprocket combinations.

The correct seed plate matching to the used seeds is very important. Never mix seeds of different sizes.

The seed and fertilizer distribution tables of this manual, should be used as a reference to start the planter calibration. Factors as slippage index of the planter carrying-wheels (skidding), working speed, tires inflation and field conditions can introduce values a little different from those indicated in the tables. Therefore, it is always indispensable to make the practical distribution tests as indicated on the page 60 of this manual.

Seed distribution table - 05.03.03.1993

TABELA DE DISTRIBUIÇÃO DE SEMENTES															
TABLE FOR DISTRIBUTION OF SEEDS															
TABLA DE DISTRIBUCIÓN DE SEMILLAS															
Número de Furos / Rasgos Number of Holes / Slots Número de Agujeros		24	28	34	34	34	38	38	40	40	40	40	64	90	100
Qtde. Sementes por Furo/Rasgo Quantity of Seeds per Hole/Slot Cantidad de semillas por Agujero		1	1	1	2	5	2	3	1	2	3	1	1	1	1
Engrenagens/Sprockets/Engranajes		Sementes em 10 Metros*			Sementes em 1 Metro*										
Eixo Motor Drive Shaft Eje Motor	Eixo Movido Driven Shaft Eje Movido	Seeds in 10 Meters*			Seeds in 1 Meter*										
		Semillas en 10 Metros*			Semillas en 1 Metro*										
17	30	19,4	22,7	2,8	5,5	13,8	6,2	9,2	3,2	6,5	9,7	5,2	7,3	8,1	
17	28	20,8	24,3	2,9	5,9	14,7	6,6	9,9	3,5	6,9	10,4	5,6	7,8	8,7	
21	30	24,0	28,0	3,4	6,8	17,0	7,6	11,4	4,0	8,0	12,0	6,4	9,0	10,0	
21	28	25,7	30,0	3,6	7,3	18,2	8,1	12,2	4,3	8,6	12,9	6,9	9,6	10,7	
17	22	26,5	30,9	3,8	7,5	18,8	8,4	12,6	4,4	8,8	13,3	7,1	9,9	11,0	
25	30	28,6	33,3	4,0	8,1	20,2	9,1	13,6	4,8	9,5	14,3	7,6	10,7	11,9	
25	28	30,6	35,7	4,3	8,7	21,7	9,7	14,5	5,1	10,2	15,3	8,2	11,5	12,8	
21	22	32,7	38,2	4,6	9,3	23,2	10,4	15,5	5,5	10,9	16,4	8,7	12,3	13,6	
17	17	34,3	40,0	4,9	9,7	24,3	10,9	16,3	5,7	11,4	17,1	9,1	12,9	14,3	
34	30	38,9	45,3	5,5	11,0	27,5	12,3	18,5	6,5	13,0	19,4	10,4	14,6	16,2	
25	22	39,0	45,5	5,5	11,0	27,6	12,3	18,5	6,5	13,0	19,5	10,4	14,6	16,2	
34	28	41,6	48,6	5,9	11,8	29,5	13,2	19,8	6,9	13,9	20,8	11,1	15,6	17,4	
21	17	42,4	49,4	6,0	12,0	30,0	13,4	20,1	7,1	14,1	21,2	11,3	15,9	17,7	
38	30	43,4	50,7	6,2	12,3	30,8	13,8	20,6	7,2	14,5	21,7	11,6	16,3	18,1	
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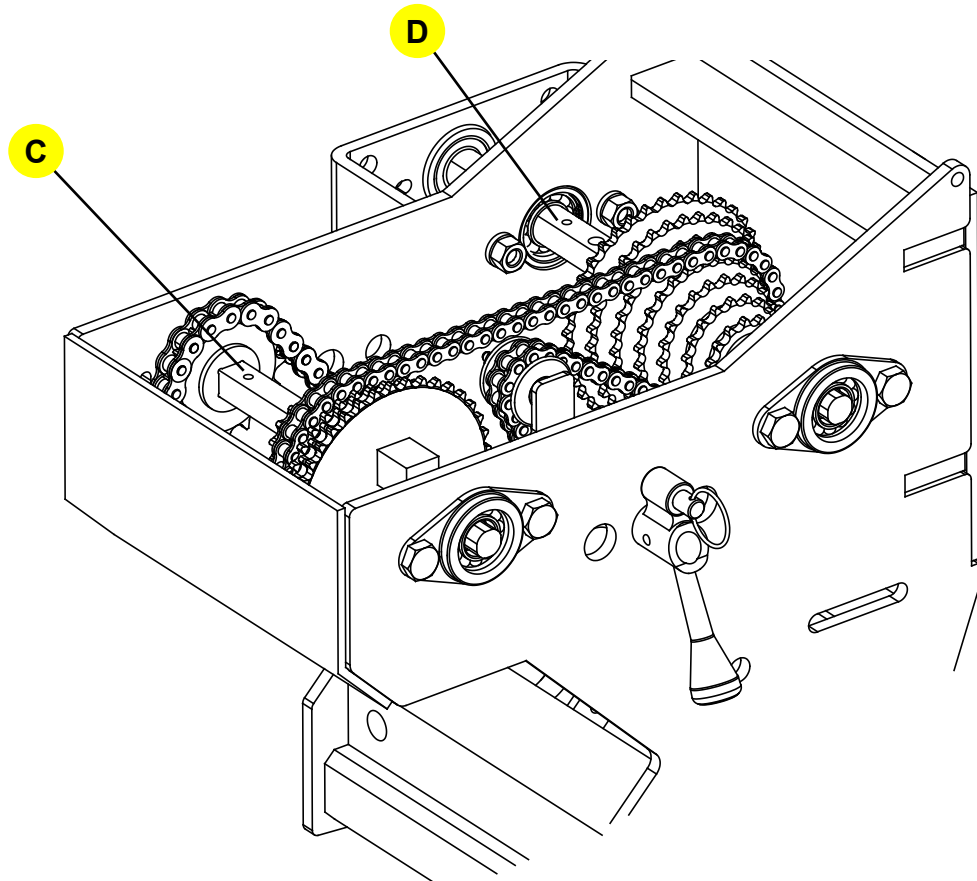
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* Metro Linear / Linear Meter / Metro Lineal

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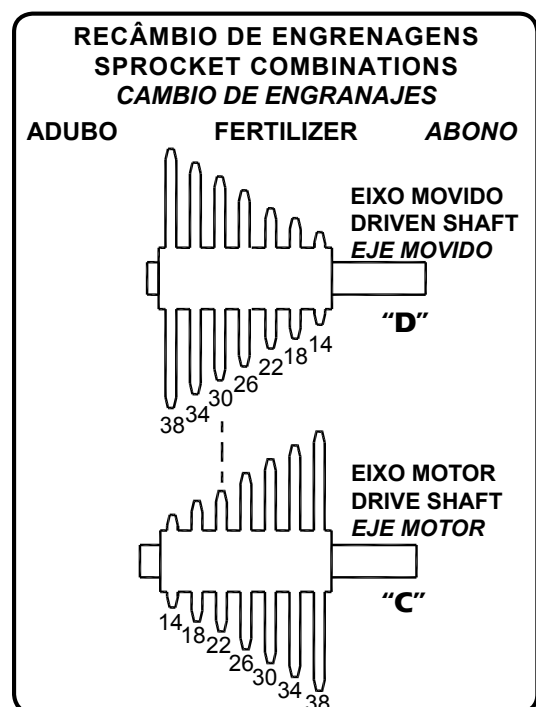
Fertilizer distribution

Fertilizer is distributed through the steel auger dispensers and the different quantities are adjusted by means of the sprocket combinations of the drive shaft (C) and the driven shaft (D).



Procedure for the sprocket handling

- Move the lever to release the chain tightener and lock with the pin in the hole.
- Shift the sprocket cone on the shaft, aligning the chosen sprocket with the chain.
- Release the lever removing the lock pin.
- Fertilizer rates for various spacings are shown in tables on page 59; they vary according to the pitch of the auger dispensers and the number of sprocket teeth used.



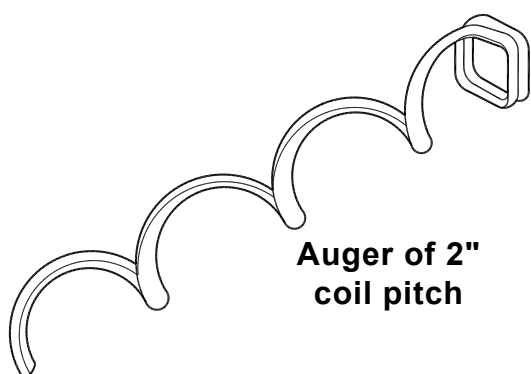
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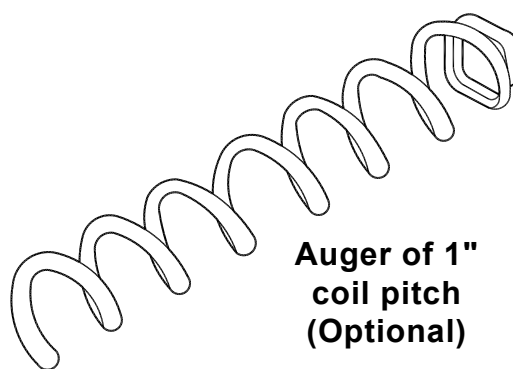
Table (A) page 59 indicates quantities resulting from use of auger 2" coil pitch (Standard). This auger transports approximately 35 grams of commercial granulated fertilizer, per turn.

Table (B) page 59 indicates quantities resulting from use of auger 1" coil pitch (Optional). This auger transports approximately 17 grams of commercial granulated fertilizer, per turn.

The seed and fertilizer distribution tables should be used as a point of reference for starting adjustment of the planter. Slippage, working speed, tire pressure and field conditions may determine values slightly different from those indicated on the tables.



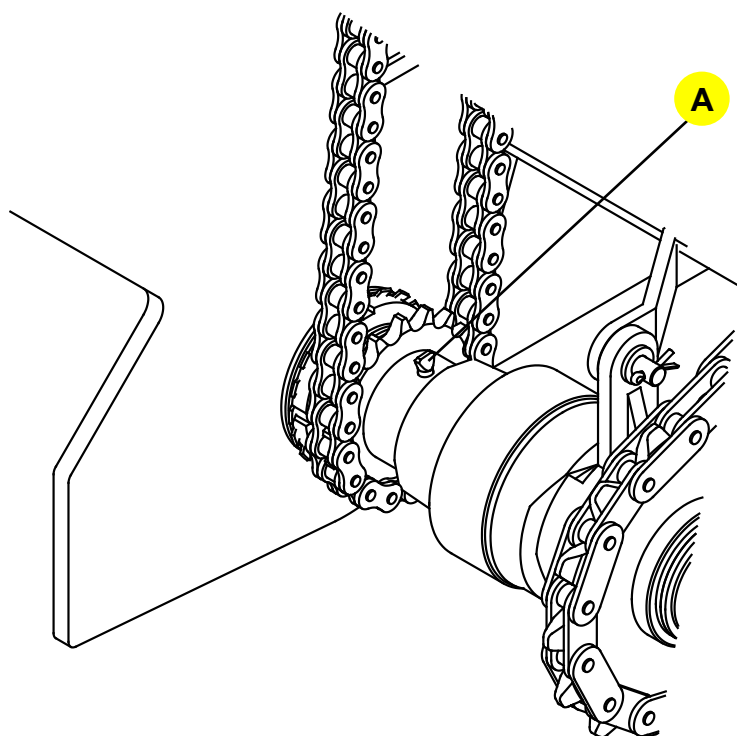
**Auger of 2"
coil pitch**



**Auger of 1"
coil pitch
(Optional)**

Fuse pins of the transmission

To protect the fertilizer and seed system, the equipment possesses fuse pins (A). Always necessary substitute for one that is ORIGINAL.



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Important

The data figuring on the previous tables (seeds and fertilizer) may vary for different reasons. Special attention should therefore be paid to the following section:

Practical test for seed and fertilizer metering

The most appropriate place for checking seed and fertilizer rates is on the field where planting will take place. Proceed as follows:

- Use whenever possible the tractor and operator that will be doing the actual planting;
- The correct tire pressure is important and should be **75 PSI** for both tires.
- Stake out the test distance; to take as an example the fertilizer table, this distance is 50 linear meters.
- The planter hoppers should be at least half full. Before entering the marked out area drive a few meters to completely fill the distributors.
- Place collection bags at the fertilizer and seed exit points (use preferably plastic bags). Block the seed dispenser exits with tow.
- Drive the tractor in the demarcated area at the same speed as will be adopted for planting the entire area.

Recommended speeds:

5 to 5.5 km/h for planting corn and sunflower;

6 to 6.5 km/h for planting beans/sorghum/acid delinted cotton seeds

7 Km/h for planting soybeans.

- Now just weigh the fertilizer contained in the bags and compare the result with the weights figuring on the 2nd line of the tables on the previous page (grams per row of 50 meters). Remove the tow from the seed dispensers and count the seeds.
- Make the comparison with the table and if necessary repeat the test with modified adjustments.
- After achieving the desired values and while still in the field, drive the tractor at the same speed, but drop the fertilizer and seeds onto the ground for better verification of the uniformity of distribution.
- The check re distribution of soybeans can be done in **number of seeds per linear meter**, using adjustments as enumerated above.

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- The variation of work speed affects uniformity of seed distribution.
- Whenever a different seed lot is used or a change of the fertilizer manufacturer occurs, it becomes necessary to make new checks.
- It is important that after the first day of planting all the adjustments are rechecked.
- Never modify the adjustments when your planter is in motion.

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Auxiliary calculation for fertilizer distribution

For distribution of different quantities of fertilizer using spacings and areas different from those presented in the tables, we suggest a quick calculation in which the figures used can be substituted by other data of your choice by just employing the formula below which contains the following elements:

a = Area to be fertilized (m²).

b = Spacing between rows (m).

c = Quantity of fertilizer to be distributed in the given area (Kg).

d = Distribution test distance (m).

x = How many grams will be dropped in "d" ?

$$\text{Formula: } x = \frac{b \times c}{a} \times d$$

Example:

A = 10.000 m²

B = 0,90 m

C = 250 kg

D = 50 m

X = ?

$$X = \frac{0,90 \times 250 \times 50}{10.000}$$

X = 1.125 kg ou

X = 1.125 grams per row of 50 m.

In continuation, adjust the machine for distribution of the quantity calculated or which matches it closest in the pre-determined test area.

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Oscillating coulter blades (No-till seeding)

The coulter blades are designed for lateral oscillation, to follow uneven ground.

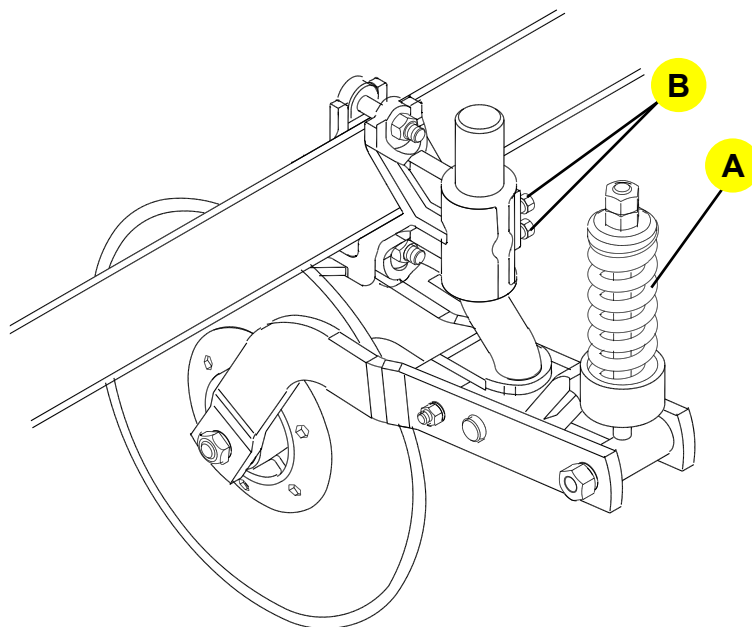
During work **do not do any tight turns** which may damage the row components.

The vertical oscillation (also called flotation) of the blades is provided by the springs (A) which must preserve the factory adjusted pressure and allow the necessary articulation to follow the contours of the ground and surmount obstacles.

The adjustment of the blade height in relation to the ground (use bolts B) exists for increasing or diminishing the blade cutting depth

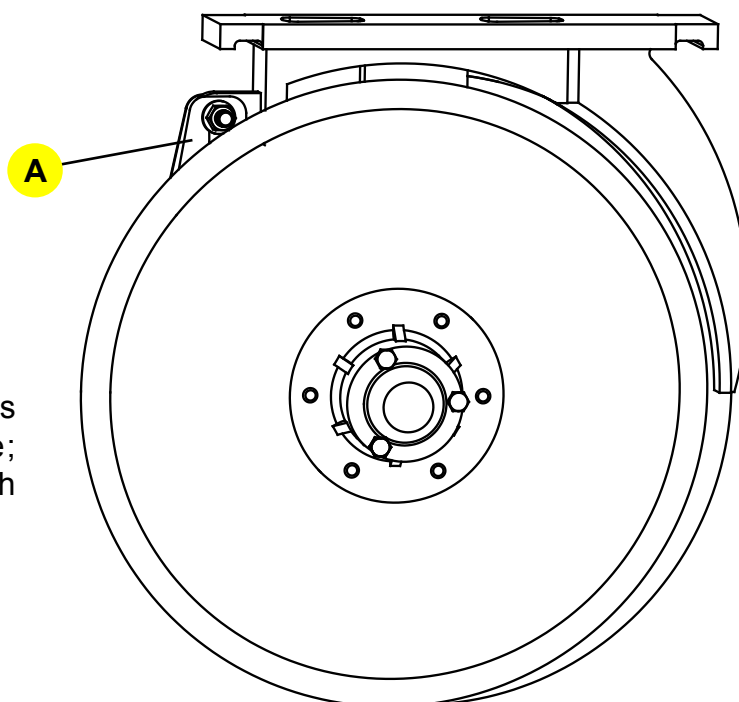
Avoid excessive soil penetration of the coulter blades.

Under ideal conditions of depth penetration the blade flange must not touch the ground.



Opening of furrows and positioning of fertilizer in soil

- Fertilizing in the same line and below the seed.
- The opening of the furrow for fertilizer placement can be done through unaligned double-discs or scarifier spindle.



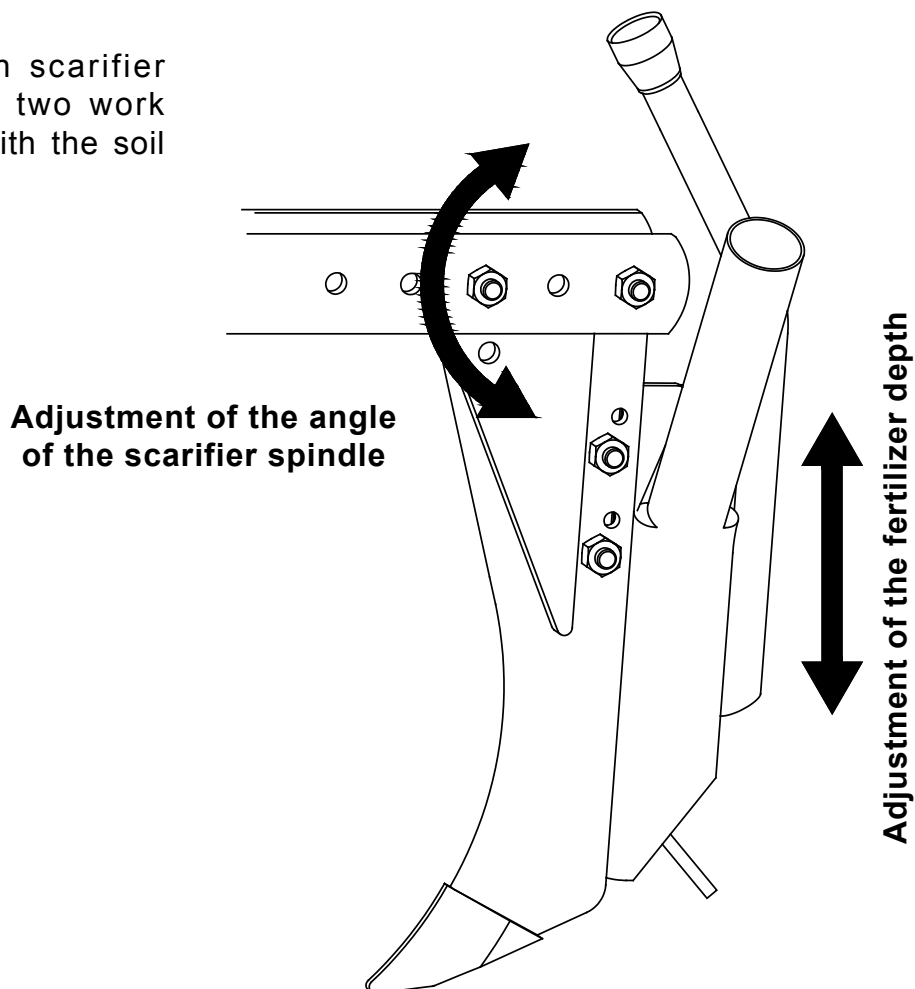
Unaligned Double-Discs:

These discs feature internal scrapers (A) that are flexible and adjustable; they serve for removing the soil which accumulates between the discs.

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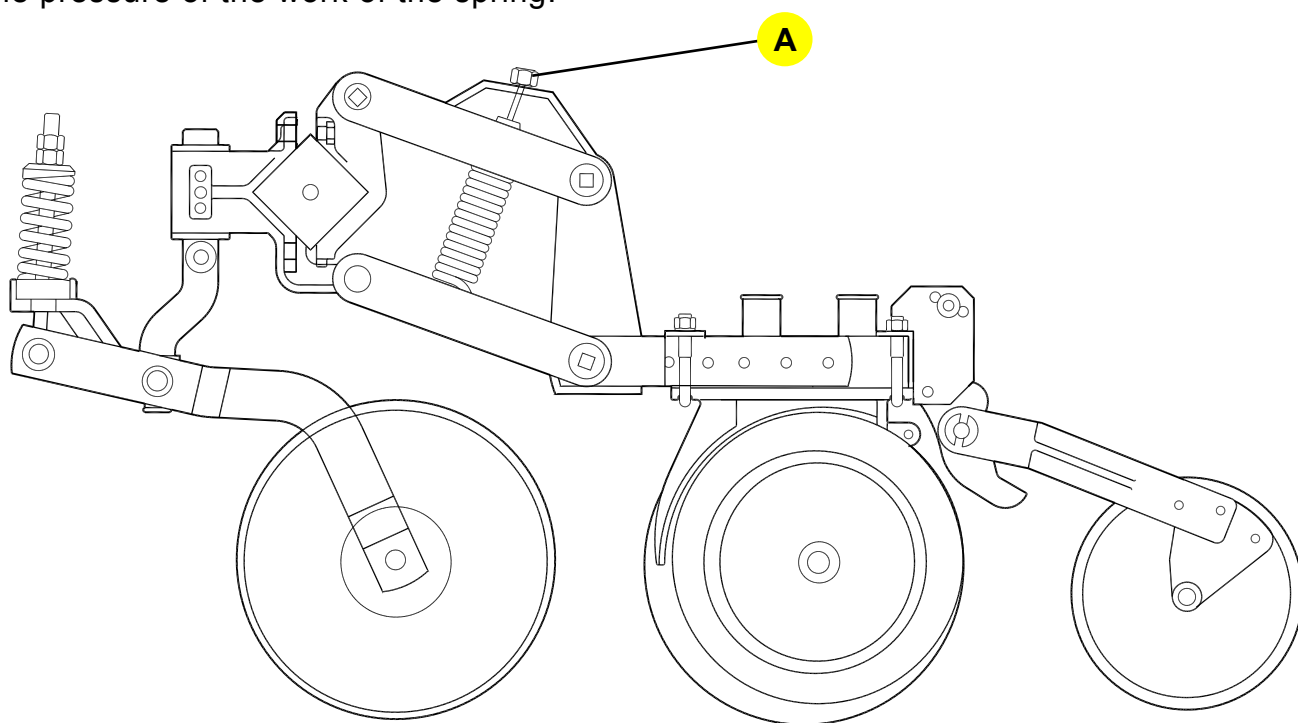
Scarifier spindle

When fertilizing with scarifier spindles note that it has two work positions, in accordance with the soil and desired depth.



Depth of fertilizer

The bolt (A) of the spring of the parallelogram adjusts the depth, according to it changes the pressure of the work of the spring.



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Opening the seed furrows

The furrows for seeds are open through unaligned double-discs; that also possess flexible and adjustable scrapers (A) in order to remove the soil accumulated in their internal parts.

The seed row units possess adjustments to control the working down pressure on the ground.

Holes of the superior parallelogram arm:

"1" - Bigger down pressure;

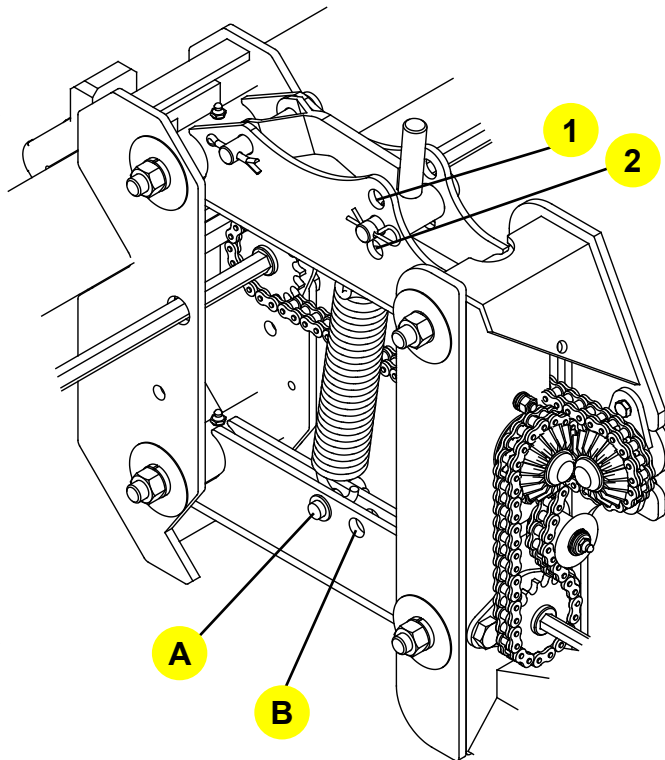
"2" - Smaller down pressure.

- Holes of the inferior parallelogram arm:

"A" - Bigger down pressure;

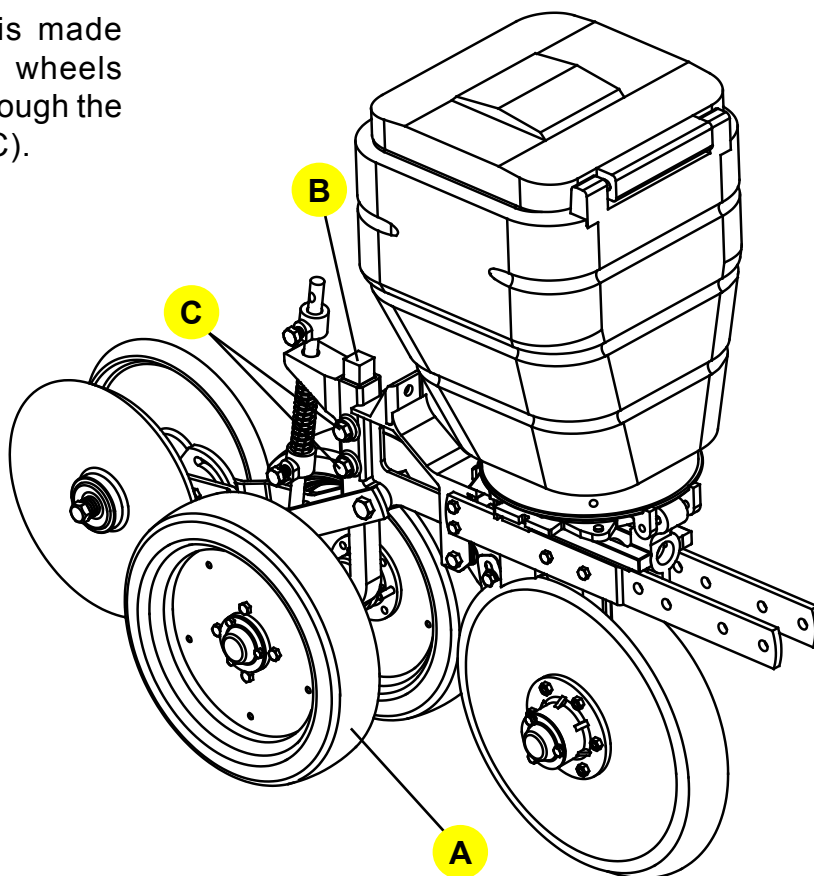
"B" - Smaller down pressure.

Establish the same adjustment in all the row units.



Depth of the great seeds

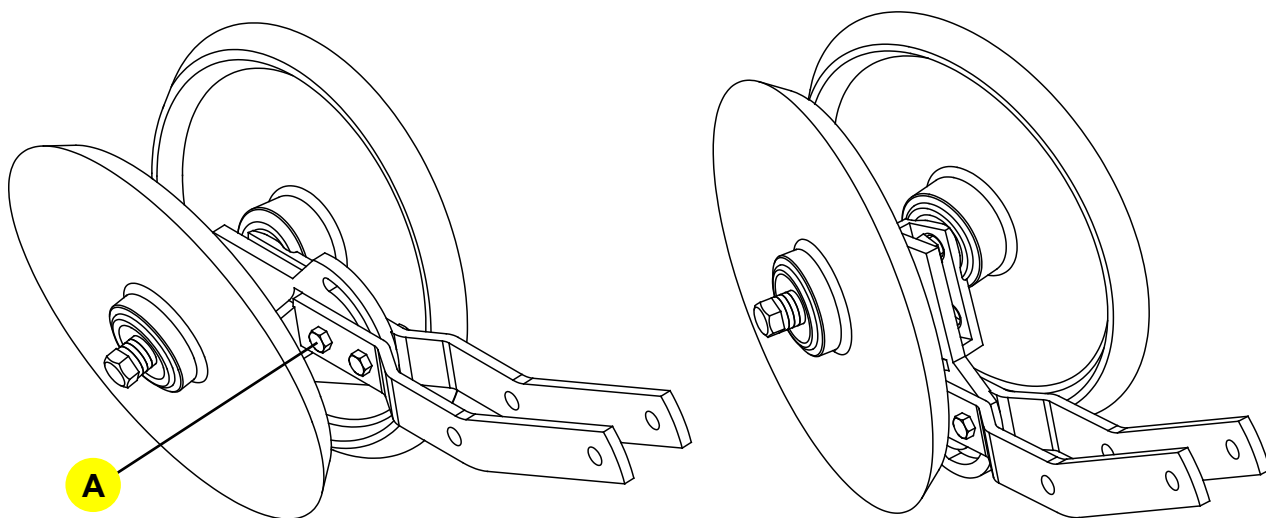
The seed depth control is made individually through the gauge wheels (A), that possess adjustments through the handler (B), through the bolts (C).



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Adjusting the press wheels

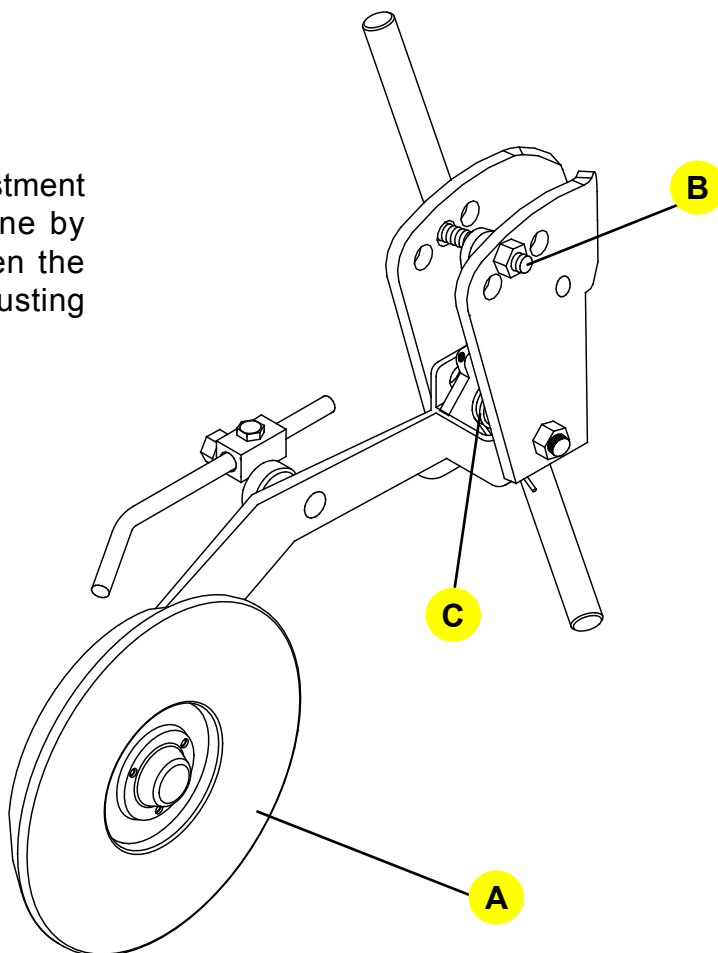
The press wheels in "V" shape firm the soil around the seed and are able to work in two positions according to the soil type and conditions of the straw. For this, remove the bolts (A) and rotate them completely. Each producer should judge the best position for his property, depending of the soil type, with straw, topography and installed culture.



NOTE

During adjustment of the press wheels it is important to consider the type of soil, type of seed and depth planting, for not affecting the plants emergence.

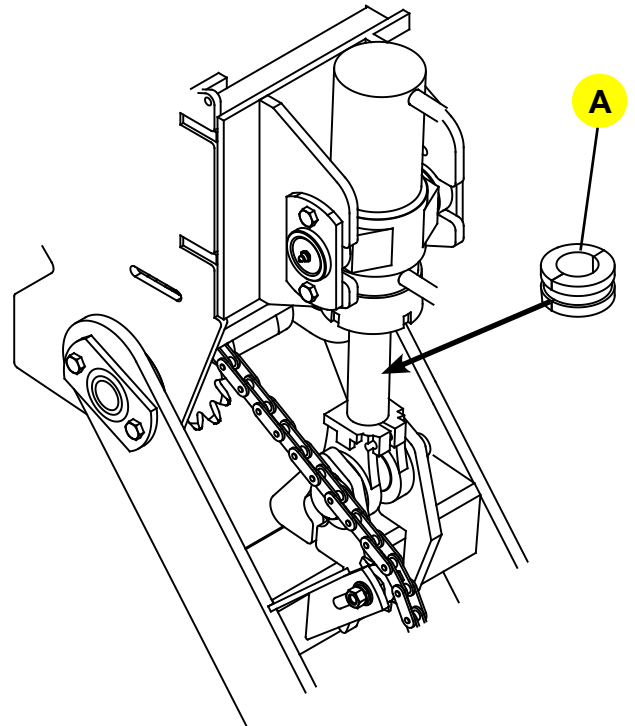
The iron press wheel (A) permits adjustment of pressure against the soil which is done by switching the position of the bolt between the existing holes on the support (B), or by adjusting the pressure spring (C).



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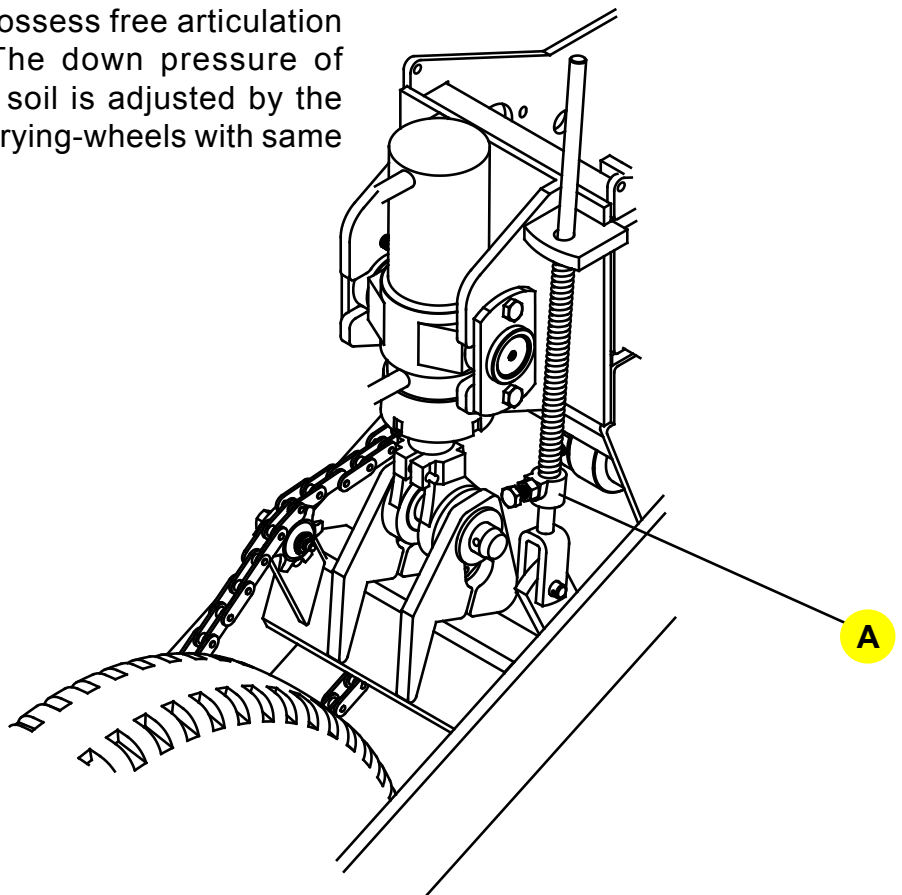
Auxiliary depth control

In light and loose (sandy) soils it may become necessary to use the rod stop (A) to help depth control.



Adjusting the carrying-wheel springs

The carrying-wheels possess free articulation to accompany the land. The down pressure of the carrying-wheels on the soil is adjusted by the bushings (C). Set all the carrying-wheels with same down pressure adjustment.



NOTE

- Always apply the same inflation in both tires.
- Never work with tires of different design or widths.

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Operations - Important points



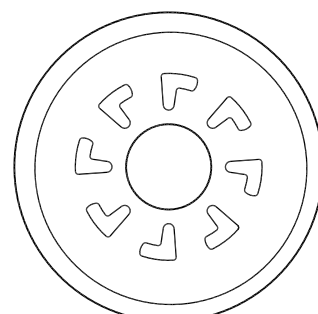
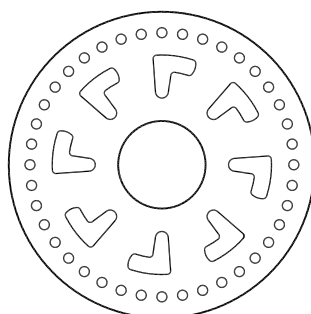
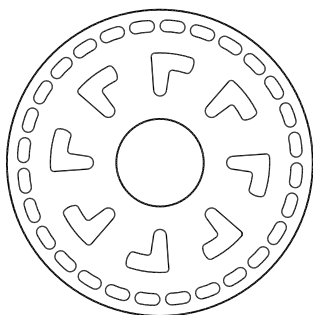
- Tighten nuts and bolts after the first day of planting. Check conditions of the pins and cotter pins.
- Strictly comply with the lubrication intervals.
- Correct tire pressure is important; both tires should show the same pressure **(75 PSI)** to maintain uniformity of planting.
- When filling the planter check whether the planter is correctly coupled to the tractor. Look out also for any alien object inside the hopper which may damage the metering devices.
- Always use seeds and fertilizer free of sludges.
- Inspect the seed metering devices twice a day and if necessary clean them of any residue of chemical products.
- Verify correct functioning of the fertilizer distribution system at least twice a day.
- Maintain the machine levelled.
- Verify periodically the adjustments made when planting started.
- Pay special attention to the position of the fertilizer in relation to the seeds.
- Check carefully the seed depth and the compaction pressure.
- It is important to maintain a constant speed during the whole planting operation.
- The tractor draw bar must remain locked in center.
- Never make maneuvers or use reverse gear with the row units touching the ground.
- Before proceeding with any verifications at the machine lower it to the ground and turn off the tractor engine.
- As formerly mentioned, the planters can be adjusted in several different ways; however, only local conditions can show which is the adjustment best suited.
- For adjustment and verification of the cutting parts of the machine it is necessary to disconnect the ratchets to avoid waste of seeds and fertilizer.

Optional

Seed plates

Optionally MARCHESAN supplies perforated, slotted cell or blind seed plates, for several crops, according to list below:

For CORN	24-Cell.....	Ø 11 mm.....	4.5 mm -	0502020351
For CORN	24-Cell.....	Ø 9.5 mm.....	4.5 mm -	0502020366
For SOYBEAN / BEANS	40-Cell.....	9 x 14 mm.....	5.5 mm -	0502020407
For SOYBEAN	94 Cell.....	Ø 8,0 mm.....	5.5 mm -	0503031933
For SOYBEAN	40-Cell.....	9 x 14 mm.....	8.5 mm -	0502020329
For SOYBEAN	34-Cell.....	10 x 16 mm.....	8.5 mm -	0502020328
For BEANS.....	34-Cell...	10 x 16.5 mm.....	5.5 mm -	0502020333
For BEANS.....	38-Cell.....	9 x 19.5 mm.....	5.5 mm -	0502020408
For BEANS / DELINTED COTTON....	40-Cell.....	7 x 12 mm.....	4.5 mm -	0502020419
For BEANS / DELINTED COTTON....	64-Cell.....	6 x 11 mm.....	4.5 mm -	0502020585
For SORGHUM.....	40-Cell.....	Ø 6 mm.....	5.5 mm -	0503032007
For RICE	40-Cell.....	7 x 17 mm.....	5.5 mm -	0502020346
For SUNFLOWER.....	28-Cell.....	4.5 x 12 mm.....	3.0 mm -	0503032008
For SUNFLOWER.....	28-Cell.....	6 x 13 mm.....	4.5 mm -	0502020554
BLIND	Ø 190 mm.....		8.5 mm -	0502020340
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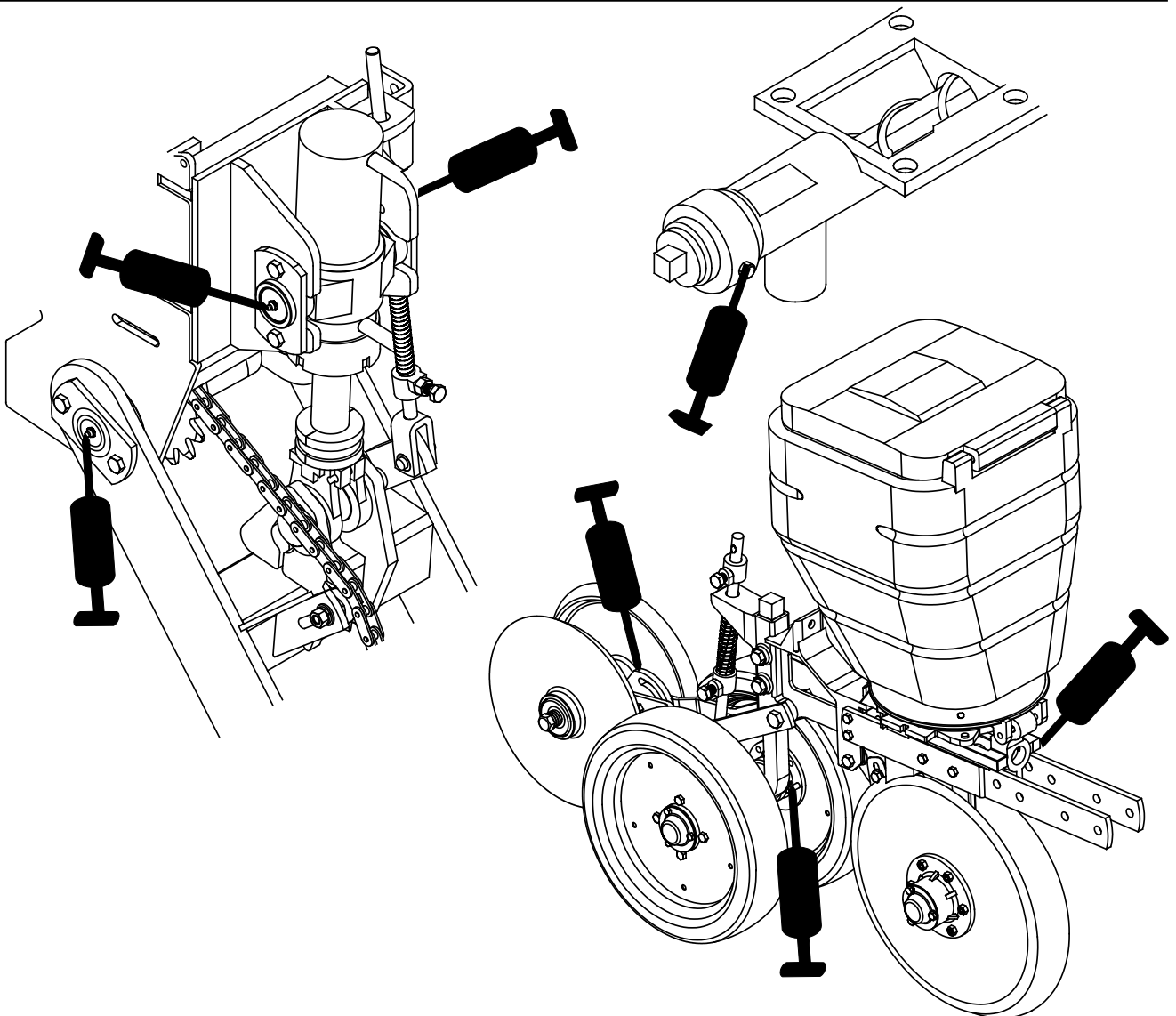
Lubrication

In order to reduce the wear and tear caused by the friction of the moving equipment parts, correct lubrication as explained below is necessary:

- Be sure to use a quality lubricant of proven efficiency and purity, avoiding the use of products contaminated by water, soil, etc.
- Use a grease of medium consistency.
- Remove the crown of old grease around the articulations.
- Clean the grease fittings with a cloth before introducing new lubricant, replacing defective fittings.
- Introduce a sufficient quantity of new grease.

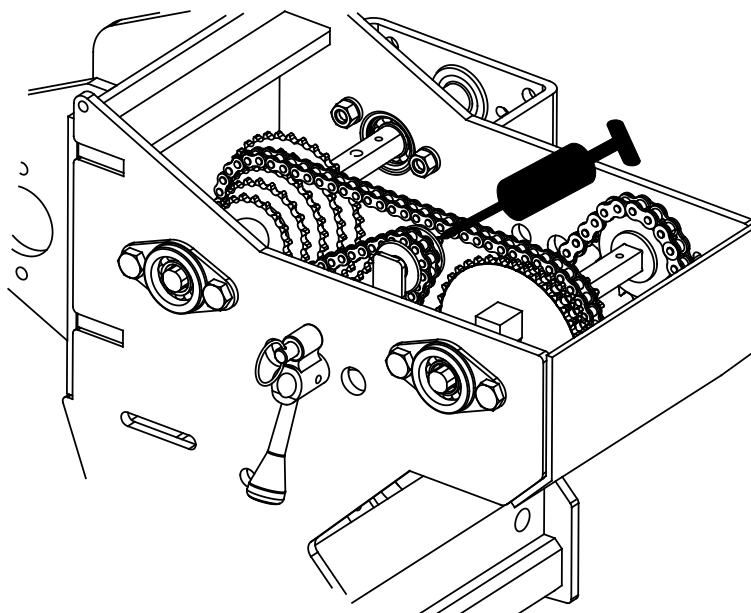
IMPORTANT Comply strictly with the lubrication intervals for the various grease fittings.

Lubricate every 10 hours of service

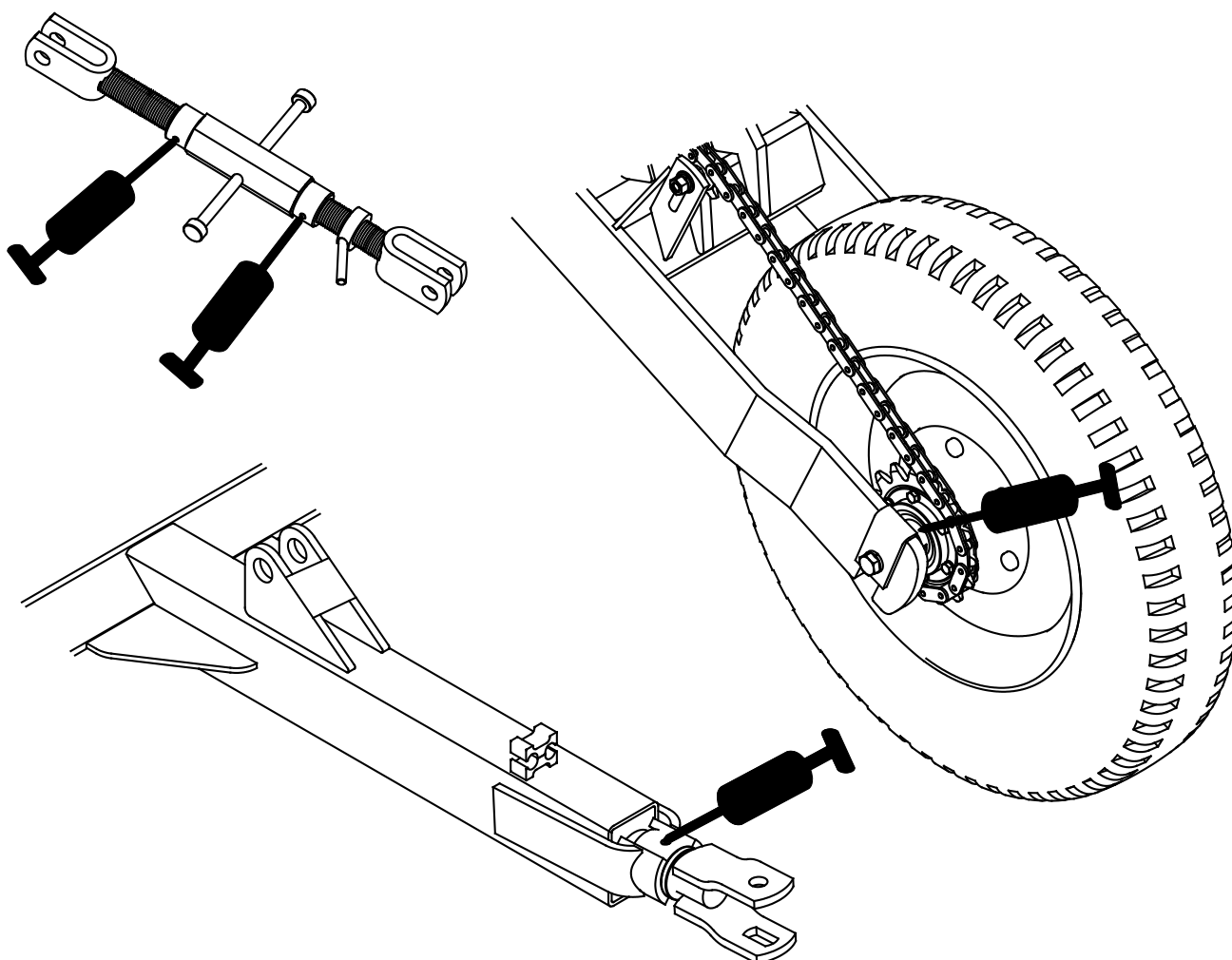


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Lubricate every 10 hours of service



Lubricate every 50 hours of service



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Cleaning of the fertilizer and seed deposits

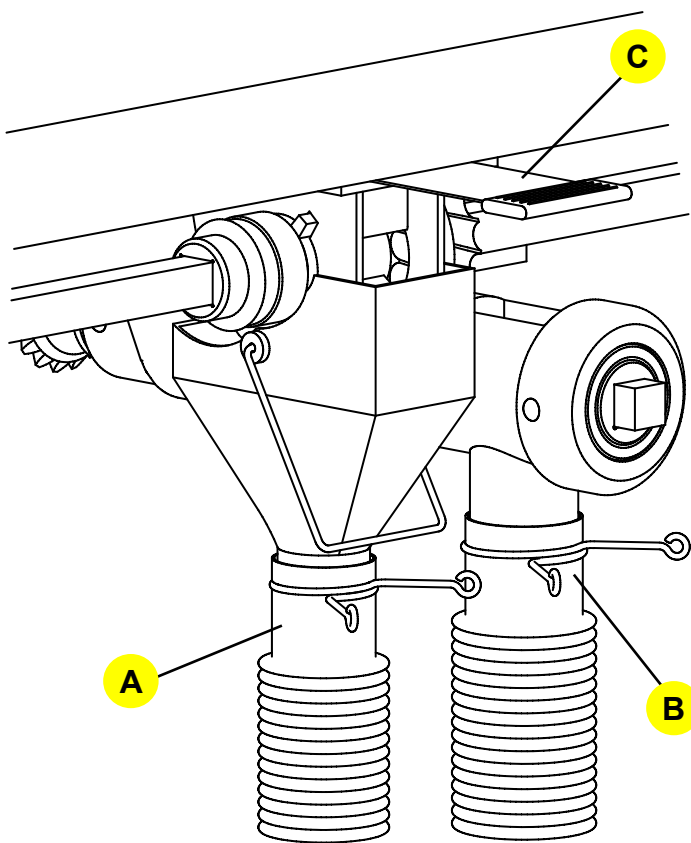
- Remove the seed (A) and fertilizer (B) dispensers completely. Wash them with water and neutral soap. Wash the whole machine only with water.

- Remove totally the seed switch (C), leaving the exit holes unobstructed.

- Wash the whole machine, mainly the fertilizer and seed deposits. Using a key of 19 mm (3/4"), rotate the shafts of the fertilizer deposit and play a water jet again.

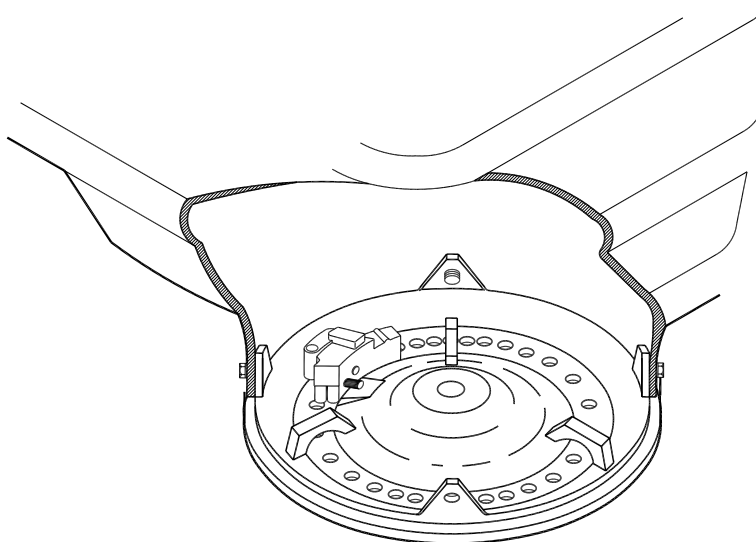
- Remove all the transmission chains of the machine (seed and fertilizer), in the end of the cultive, cleaned and stored in a container with oil, until the next cultive.

- When preparing the machine to restart the cultive before put the chains, using a key of 19 mm (3/4"), rotate the deposit shafts of fertilizer and seed and verify if they aren't locked.



Cleaning the deposits of great seeds

It is necessary to make a general cleaning in each seed metering daily. For this it is enough to remove the seed plate and observe the cutoff mechanism operation. By doing so, the best planting stand will be assured.



NOTE

When using graphite powder with treated / inoculated seeds, it is necessary to clean the seed cutoff mechanisms inside twice a day.

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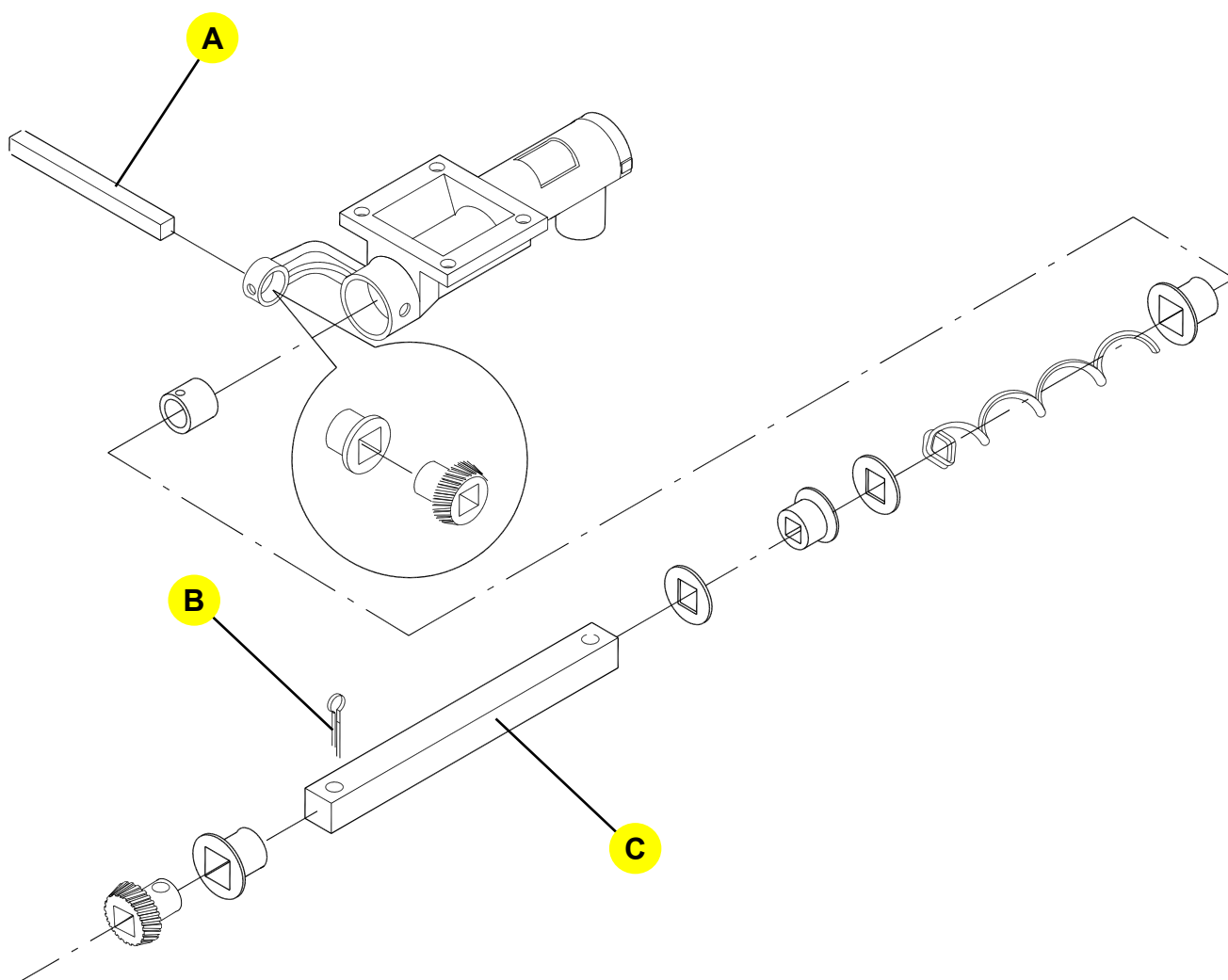
Maintenance of fertilizer metering

For correct fertilizer metering maintenance or any type of repairs to its internal part procede as follows:

- Remove completely the transversal square shafts of the fertilizer deposit.
- Remove the bolts that fasten the metering to the bottom of the fertilizer hopper.
- Remove the spring pins (B) and loosen the bolt which leaves the square shaft totally free; disassemble it completely and replace the respective parts.

IMPORTANT

- Do not forget to lubricate daily the dispensers as cautioned under item "lubrication", thus avoiding future problems.
- Use exclusively TATU original spare parts.

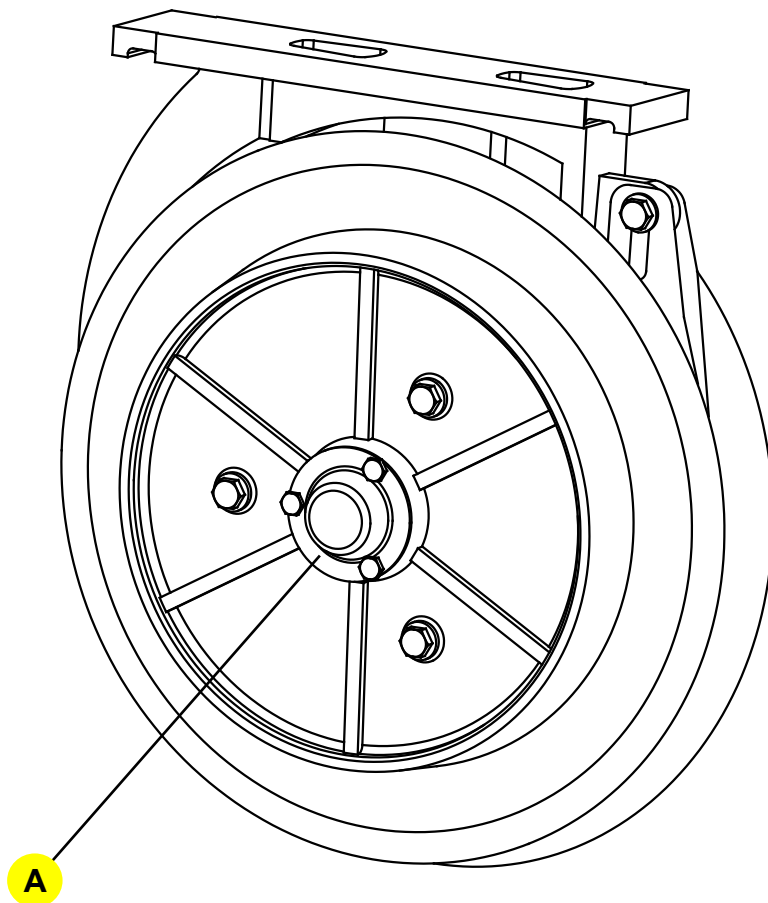


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Maintenance of the unaligned double-discs

Periodically it is necessary to make the maintenance in the unaligned double-discs of the planter, following the instructions below:

- Period for maintenance: Approximately each 500 planted hectares.
- Remove the protective hubcap (A), after loosening the mounting bolts.
- Wash the hub with diesel or kerosene for remove the old grease.
- Check for the looseness in the bearing, if necessary adjust them through the slotted nut.
- Install the hubcaps again, tightening the bolts.



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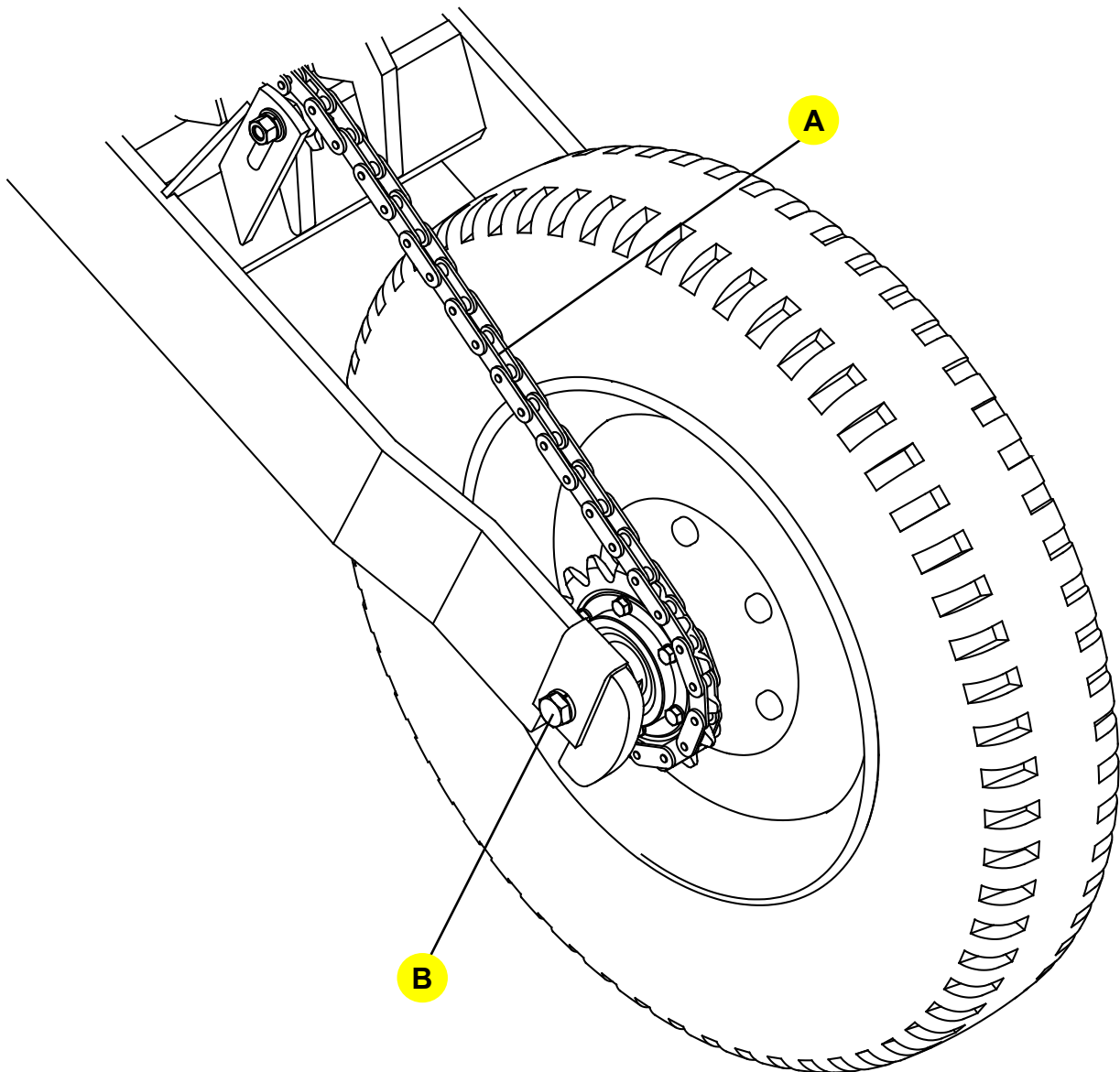
How to change tires

If the planter tires have to be repaired proceed as follows:

- Support the machine with the front parking stands;
- With the aid of a hydraulic jack lift the back of the machine and remove the tire.
- It is not necessary to detach the whole transmission driving assembly; just remove the chain (A), the castel nut (B) and the lock.

NOTE

Above measures should take place on firm and level ground. Make sure that the machine is properly supported. Avoid any accidents.



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Planter maintenance

- Wash the machine with water only;
- Remove the transmission chains (seed and fertilizer), keeping them bathed in oil until the next planting season;
- Wash the fertilizer augers in order to remove residues;
- Check all rotating parts of the planter for wear. If necessary, replace these parts and get the machine ready for the next planting season;
- Touch up the paint, especially at the hoppers;
- Spray the whole machine with protecting oil; never use used engine lubricant oil.
- Clean and lubricate all the grease fittings;
- After repairing and servicing the planter, park it in a clean, covered and dry place;
- Remove the extensor arm and articulate the draw-bar upwards, locking it;
- Maintain the planter properly supported and preferably avoid the contact of the cutting parts and tires with the soil.

NOTE Use only TATU original spare parts.

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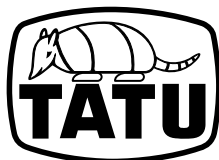
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