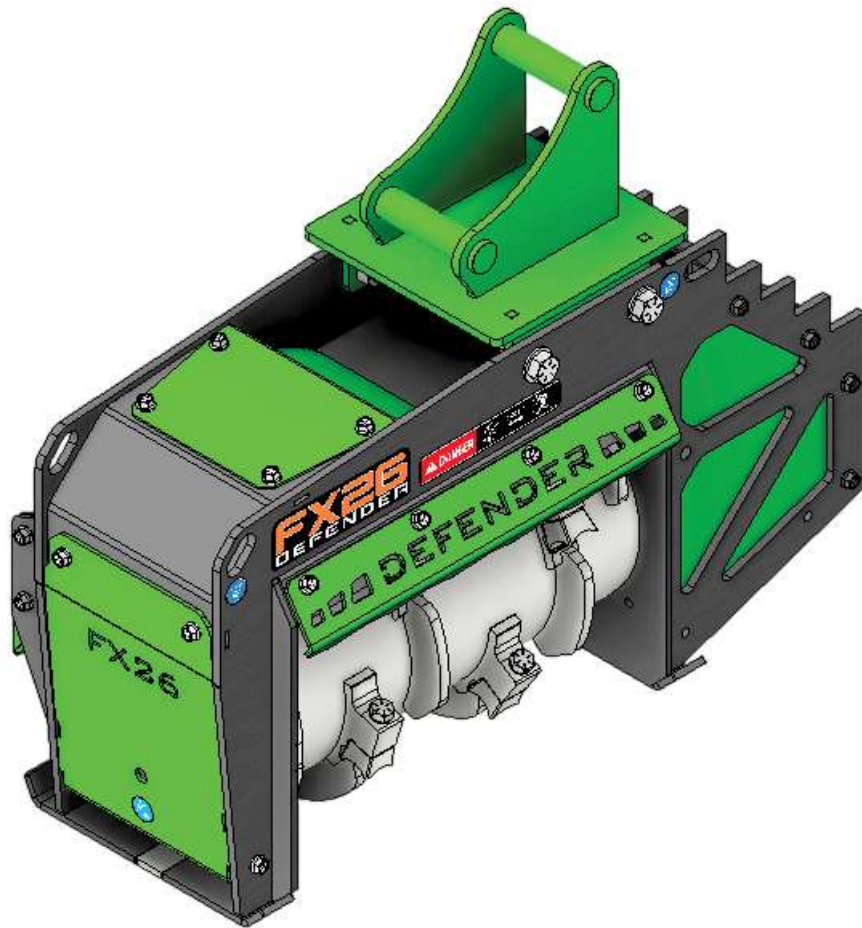


FX26 Defender  
Forestry Mulcher  
Owners Manual



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# Thank You

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Dear Customer,

We appreciate your purchase of a BrushHound attachment. The purpose of this manual is to familiarize you with the operation, adjustment, and maintenance of your new attachment. It was meticulously designed and constructed in accordance with the highest industry standards to provide you with years of dependable service. Before endeavoring to operate the machine, you must read this manual thoroughly and comprehend its operation. BrushHound reserves the right to make modifications to design and specifications, as well as additions and enhancements to its product, without incurring any obligation to retrofit previously manufactured items. If you ever require additional information, please contact your authorized dealer or customer service.

BrushHound designed this attachment with operator safety as one of its primary considerations. This attachment was designed with shielding, simple adjustments, and other safety features whenever practicable. Ensure that you and your employees read and comprehend this manual. Only responsible individuals who have been trained to operate in a secure manner and who have read and comprehend this manual should operate any machinery.

***Before accepting the equipment, verify the pre-delivery checklist thoroughly with the sales representative. See pg.5***

***Ensure that all operators have a comprehensive understanding of the operation, adjustment, and safety principles outlines in this manual.***

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# Safety

Safety messages are provided in this manual to describe possible risk during operation, maintenance and transportation. These messages are intended to convey known hazards but cannot be construed to describe all possible risks.

Signal words in Safety Messages:



## DANGER

Danger: Indicates immediate risk of serious injury or death.



## WARNING

Warning: Indicates possibility of serious injury or death.



## CAUTION

Caution: Indicates possibility of minor injury.

## NOTICE

Notice: Indicates possibility of property damage, possible machine failure but no immediate risk to personal injury.

Failure to heed any of these warnings may result in personal injury or death.

## Operational Safety

Before operating this machinery read the owner's manual thoroughly. Properly train all Operators. It is the Owner's responsibility to ensure all Operators are properly trained in the appropriate language. Use OSHA approved eye, ear and head protection to protect the Operator from flying debris and noise. Never use drugs or alcohol before or during operation of this machine. Only operate this machine when it is in good working order on an appropriate power unit that is in good working order, and with all guards and safety devices in place and functioning. Never allow children or other people to ride on this machine.



## DANGER

Keep bystanders and children of the clear work area during operation as debris can be discharged and cause serious injury or death. Maintain a minimum distance of 300 ft.



## DANGER



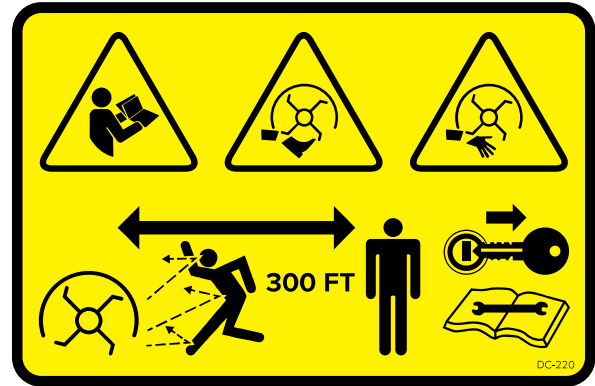
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## **DANGER**

Risk of death or injury if moving parts are touched, or are brought into contact with any person. Keep away from all moving parts. Keep guards in place while operating.

Operate only with clear visibility, never in dusty, foggy conditions or at night. Risk of collision or contact with personnel. Crushing, piercing or cutting hazard.



## **WARNING**

Avoid operation that would allow hydraulic lines to be pinched or severed. In the event of a hydraulic leak, hydraulic fluid may have sufficient force to penetrate skin. Do not use any body part to check for leaks. High pressure oil can cause severe injury or death.

Disengage hydraulics, shut off engine and allow all movement to stop before leaving the operator's position to adjust, lubricate, clean or unclog the machine. Do not try to uncouple hydraulic hoses unless the pressure has adequately dissipated.

Risk of serious injury or death due to thrown debris or broken knives. Do not operate closer than 300 ft to people, unprotected roadways or public areas without properly securing or warning protecting against accidental ingress. Risk of fire due to knife contact with stones, concrete, steel or other hard objects. Sparks can ignite dry grass, wood chips or other flammable material. Do not operate in dry grass, severe fire risk areas or in an area actively burning or recently burned. Consult local requirements around operation during Fire Weather Watch or Red Flag Warning conditions.

## **CAUTION**

Rotating parts, Hydraulic hoses, motors and valves generate heat when operating. Do not touch when hot. Allow to cool before maintaining.

Risk of crushing, pinching or cutting due to motion of machine while maintaining. Ensure all energy is dissipated from hydraulic lines before maintaining. Secure power unit and attachment against motion with wheel chocks, or appropriately sized stands as required.

Remove key from power unit and read manual before maintaining. Risk of accidental motion if key is engaged on power unit. Knives wear parts and damaged components can have sharp edges that cause cuts or lacerations. Wear protective gear and handle these parts with care.



# Basic Operation

## Pre-Delivery Checklist

- ☐ Check all nuts and bolts for correct torque.
- ☐ Check for shipping damage. If damaged, do not use the attachment until parts have been replaced or repaired.
- ☐ Check that all hydraulic hoses and fittings are tight.
- ☐ Check that all warning signs (decals) and safety treads are on the attachment and in their correct location. Replace any damaged signs or safety treads.

**Review all safety information outlined in safety section of manual before proceeding with any operation of attachment.**

## Storage

### 1. Storage Between Jobs

- Clean the attachment thoroughly (see Cleaning the Attachment, Pg. 13).
- Lubricate the Attachment as recommended (See Lubrication section for lubrication details Pg10).
- Check wear parts and replace as necessary.
- Store in clean, dry place.

### 2. Storage On Power Unit

When leaving the Attachment unattended while still attached to the Power Unit:

- Find a suitable, flat location to leave the Power Unit and Attachment.
- Lower the Attachment to the ground after disengaging the auxiliary hydraulic circuit. Make sure both ends rest securely to prevent tipping when disconnected.
- Turn off Power Unit and remove ignition key. Wait for drum to completely stop rotating before leaving unattended.

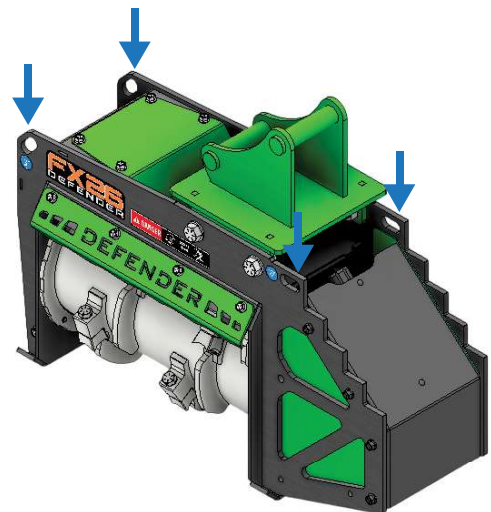
## NOTICE

This BrushHound attachment was custom matched to the power unit specified at purchase. Although it may fit various machines, it is designed to work only with power units that share the same mount and hydraulic specifications. Connecting to a different unit can cause damage. If another power unit must be used, contact a BrushHound dealer first.

The individual handling this BrushHound attachment should have experience with safely attaching and detaching standard buckets from backhoes and excavators. Always perform the attachment on flat ground, free from pinch points and blades to avoid injury, and make sure hoses are clear of the mounting plate during process.

## Transporting Attachment

- When transporting attachment separate from Power Unit, secure using straps or chains rated for the placed weight. Keep both skid shoes fully supported flat feet and level.



# Basic Operation

## Attaching to Power Unit

- Secure the correct mount for the Power Unit to the BrushHound product using the four 1in bolts provided.
- Position the Power Unit's arm and fasten the mount just like a bucket.
- Link the Attachment's hydraulic lines to the auxiliary circuit of the Power Unit. If the Power Unit lacks this circuit, pull the thumb all the way back and utilize the thumb hydraulic circuit. For specifics on hose connections to the Power Unit, refer to the "Hydraulic Plumbing" section.
- Ensure all connections are tight and quick couplers are fully engaged.

Required: Pressure, Return, Case Drain.

- Set the Power Unit to the "Hydraulic Breaker Mode" (one-way flow).

## NOTICE

Operation without case drain will result in motor failure.



Case Drain

Pressure

Return

## Removal from Power Unit

- Choose a stable, level area to place the Attachment, ensuring it remains upright.
- Turn off the auxiliary hydraulic circuit and gently lower the Attachment until it touches the ground. Both front and back skid shoes should be in contact with the ground.
- Allow the drum to come to a complete stop and wait for the hydraulic system to depressurize before getting close to the attachment.
- Release the locking mechanisms on the mount of the Power Unit.
- Elevate the boom to separate it from the Attachment.



## WARNING

Risk of crushing injury. Secure against movement.

| Attach              | Remove                  |
|---------------------|-------------------------|
| <p>Mount Hookup</p> | <p>Mount Disconnect</p> |

# Basic Operation

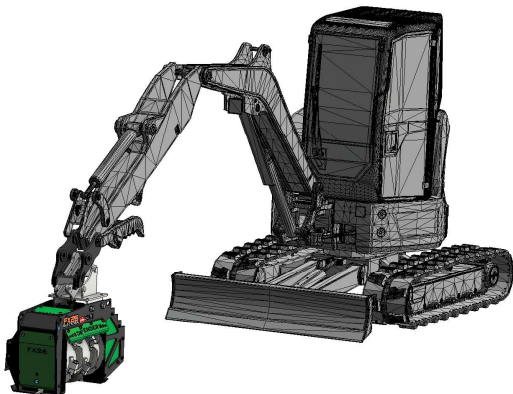
## ATTENTION

The operator using this BrushHound attachment should have proper training and wear appropriate safety gear. Before starting the power unit, ensure the attachment is correctly assembled and installed, including mount and hydraulic connections, and that all safety are devices on both the power unit and attachment are functioning properly. Keep the work area clear of bystanders and children.

## Starting Procedure

- Check that the attachment is in the down position and that the blades are not in contact with the ground. Start engine and set throttle to idle. Never engage above idle speed.
- Ensure Power Unit is set to the “Hydraulic Breaker Mode” (one-way flow). With the engine at low RPM engage the auxiliary hydraulic flow.
- Slowly bring the throttle up to maximum flow. If the Attachment produces excessive noise or vibration, disengage the auxiliary hydraulics and shut down the Power Unit immediately. Determine the cause of the problem and correct it before continuing with its operation.

Attachment is ready for operation.



## Shut Down Procedure

- Disengage the auxiliary hydraulics and prepare the attachment for storage or transport (refer to the “Storage and Transport” section for proper storage instructions Pg5). Turn off the power unit, set the parking brake, and wait for the attachment to stop rotating. Allow the hydraulic circuits to release pressure back to the reservoir, as they can remain pressurized even when turned off. Only approach or let others approach the attachment when it's safe to do so.
- Inspect the hydraulic motor, motor protection valve, and other areas visually for signs of excessive heat, debris, build-up, or leaks.

## CAUTION

Avoid touching hot or sharp areas with bare skin, as they can cause injury. Never check for hydraulic leaks with hands, as the fluid pressure can pierce the skin, necessitating immediate medical attention. Use a piece of cardboard or paper to check any suspected leak.

## NOTICE

FX Series attachments are crafted to handle a variety of vegetation, from grass and dense brush to medium-sized trees. To achieve optimal results, assess the state of the land and vegetation to be cut. When using this tool, always introduce larger branches or dense brush into the attachment's side where the blades strike downwards (the inlet side).



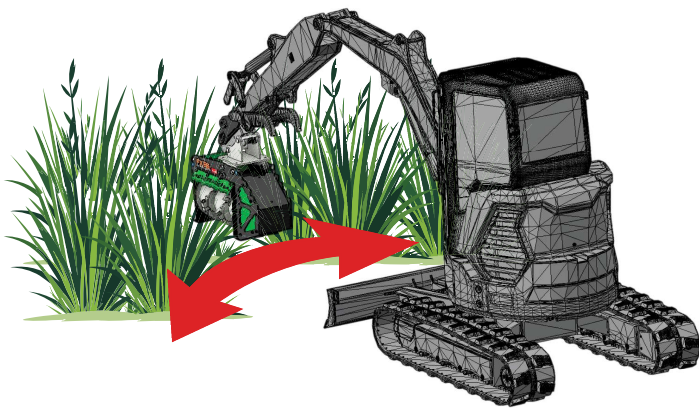
## Running The Attachment

### 1. House Rotation Shredding Technique

This technique is for working with lighter brush on mostly level terrain.

- Move the house control from side to side, keeping the cutter head just above the ground.
- With the Power Unit stationary, rotate the housing to let the attachment glide over the ground, maintaining the chosen cutting height.
- After clearing a section, advance the Power Unit forward.
- Make sure to leave sufficient gap between the edge of the vegetation and the housing for clear visibility.
- Resume the cutting process.

For denser brush, make multiple passes or move at a slower pace, especially if performance seems to decrease.

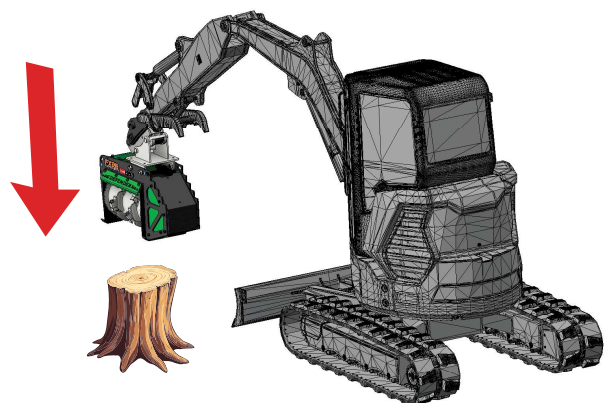


House Rotation Shredding

### 2. Top Down Shredding Technique

This method is ideal for thicker brush and trees.

- Begin from a stationary position.
- Elevate the boom and angle the head so its almost perpendicular to the tree. Ensure the knives aren't visible to avoid ejecting material at the cab/operator.
- If the tree's height exceeds the boom's reach and is relatively thin at its tallest point, the FX Series is designed to cut into the tree from the inlet side. This helps in trimming the tree top.
- Once the tree top is removed, start working downwards.
- Use a side-to-side sweeping motion if needed, grinding the stump until it's level with the ground. Avoid contact with ground.
- Shred any debris that might have fallen from the tree during the process. This eliminates the need for manual cleanup by crews.



Top Down Tree Shredding



# Basic Operation

## Basic Guidelines

This attachment operates most efficiently when the knives are sharp and rotating at full RPM. The recommended shaft speed for this unit is 1700-2200 RPM.

Before starting a job, inspect the work area and remove any hidden hazards, such as large rocks, utility lines, fencing, and concealed debris like broken glass or bottles. Projected debris may pose risks to operators, pedestrians, livestock, or cause property damage, so it is crucial to ensure the area is clear prior to commencing work.

During the work area inspection, watch for bees, fire ants, poison ivy, or poison oak. Additionally, be mindful of unsuitable working conditions, like overly saturated grounds that can create slippery conditions. Identifying potential hazards in the area will not only improve productivity but also enhance safety.

Overloading or “lugging down” the cutter can significantly reduce its cutting capacity and cause an increase in hydraulic oil temperature. Pay attention to the cutter drum speed, and lift it out of the cut until maximum speed is regained before resuming the operation.

## NOTICE

Avoid using this attachment as bucket for digging up roots or spreading piles of dirt. Such misuse can cause damage that is not covered by the warranty, and repairs may be costly.

Do not operate the attachment unless the safety guards are securely fastened in place.

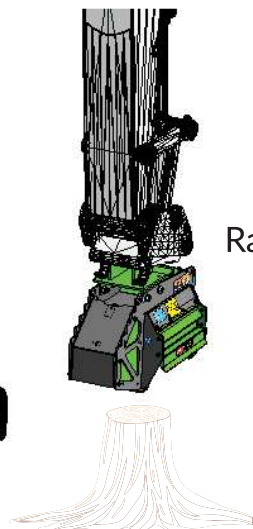
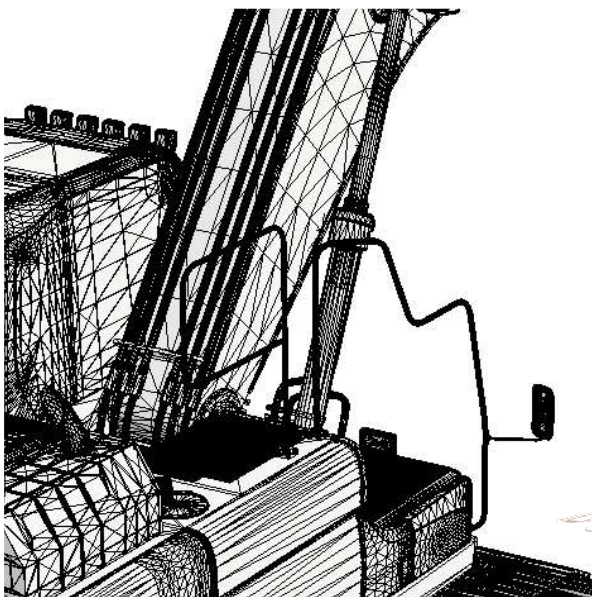
Abuse may be indicated by drum damage or premature knife failure. To prevent abuse, always reduce the cutting load before the cutter drum speed drops significantly.

## CAUTION

Never permit bystanders to be close to the mowing or brush cutting operations, nor allow them to climb on the machine.

## DANGER

Knife failure can injure or kill.



Angle Up To  
Avoid Ejecting  
at Operator

Raise To Clip Tall Trees

# Adjustments & Maintenance

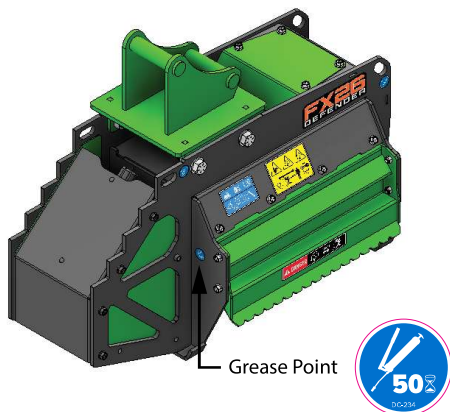
## NOTICE

Before proceeding with any adjustments or maintenance, review all safety information provided in the safety section of the manual to ensure proper procedures are followed.

### Lubrication

The FX Series included two lubrication points, identified by a blue sticker (DC-234) (50Hrs) grease fittings. Use only BrushHound-approved grease or a compatible grease with similar specifications and EP additives. Bearings use NLGI grade 2 460 grease. When grease escapes from the bearing seals, this suggests excessive greasing. Expelled black grease with a burnt smell could indicate a history of over-greasing.

| Procedure | 10HR Daily | 50HR Weekly | 300 Hours         |
|-----------|------------|-------------|-------------------|
| Knives    | Inspect    |             | Rotate/Replace    |
| Bearings  | Inspect    | Grease      |                   |
| Hoses     | Inspect    |             |                   |
| Guards    | Inspect    |             | Check Bolt Torque |



Grease Point

Any selection from this **Blue Group** of greases are equivalent

### Grease Comparison

|                           |            | KINEMATIC VISCOSITY cSt |            |
|---------------------------|------------|-------------------------|------------|
|                           |            | TEMP DEG C              | TEMP DEG C |
| NAME                      | NLGI GRADE | 40                      | 100        |
| SCHAEFFER 228             | 2          | 555                     | 36.5       |
| PH66 MULTIPLEX FS460      | 1.5        | 460                     |            |
| MOBILITH SHC460           | 2          | 460                     |            |
| SHELL GADUS S3 V460D 2    | 2          | 460                     |            |
| MYSTIK JT-6 SYNTHETIC 460 | 2          | 460                     | 59.1       |
| MYSTIK JT-6 MULTIPURPOSE  | 2          | 460                     | 59.1       |
| PH66 MULTIPLEX 460        | 2          | 415                     | 26.8       |

### 1. Idle Bearing

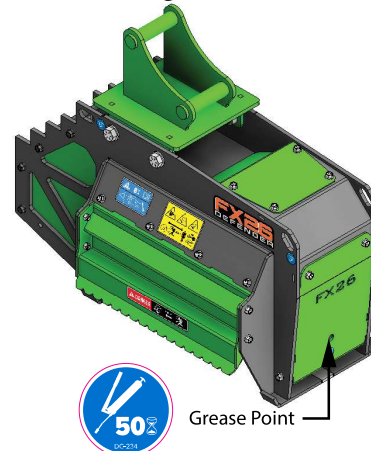
The idle bearing can be found beneath the Idle Side Bearing Cover, equipped with a grease fitting on the mounting flange. It's factory filled with premium grease. Apply 1 pump of grease every 50 hours.

If bearing are frequently exposed to wet conditions, more frequent greasing may be necessary. Do not use Molybdenum grease.

### 2. House Drive Bearings

The motor spindle has a set of 2 angular contact bearings in a housing on the drive shaft with a grease fitting located on the side cover. The housing comes pre-packed with high quality grease and requires. Apply 1 pump of grease every 50 hours. If the motor is removed or the bearings changed, the housing should be repacked as follows:

- 50% fill inside bearing
- 100% fill in housing



Grease Point

# Adjustments & Maintenance

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## Wearable Component Maintenance

### 1. Rubber Isolation Disk

The disk, found between the drive side end plate and bearing housing, dampens vibrations from the drum and motor. It lasts over 1000 hours but requires regular checks for wear. If it's thin, torn, or when the cutter drum is removed, replace it.

## NOTICE

Disk failure will cause damage to attachment.

### 2. Hydraulic Hoses

Regularly inspect the hydraulic hoses inside the motor guards. They are positioned to minimize wear from contact with metal surfaces, but heavy vibration may cause them to shift. Check for signs of excessive wear during routine maintenance.

### 3. Bearings

Bearing failure can result in excessive vibration, noise or even the complete seizing of the cutter drum. Signs of impending bearing failure may be subtle and hard to identify without the right diagnostic tools. It is recommended to replace bearings every 1500-2000 hours of operation, depending on the environment and equipment usage.

### 4. Safety Guards

Safety guards are crucial for protecting the operator, bystanders, and surrounding property. They must never be removed during operation. Make sure each safety guard is in good condition and able to perform its protective function. Replace any worn or rust-damaged guards to ensure safety. Clean and paint guards to protect them.

## CAUTION

Operating without guards in place can expose moving parts or allow debris to be thrown without proper containment. Risk of injury to operator, bystander.

### 5. Safety Decals

Safety decals are vital for informing the operator and bystanders about potential hazards associated with the machine. Always ensure these decals are easily visible and unobstructed. If they become faded or worn, replace them to maintain clear communication of safety warnings.

# Adjustments & Maintenance

## Knife Maintenance

The FX series is engineered for forestry mulching, making it crucial to maintain sharp knives for optimal cutting efficiency. The standard cutting tool is a hardened steel knife, featuring multiple cutting surfaces for sharpening, rotation, or replacement. Ensuring the knives are sharp and well maintained guarantees top performance.

### NOTICE

Operating with missing knives causes harmful vibrations, resulting in shaft, bearing or frame damage.

#### 1. Rotating

The standard knife provided features 4 cutting surfaces, permitting up to 3 rotations in the field where replacement parts or sharpening equipment may be unavailable.

To rotate the knife:

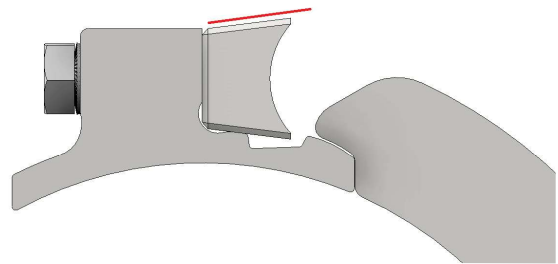
- Loosen the retention bolt.
- First rotation 180°, second rotation 90°, and third rotation at 180°. (See diagram)
- Re-tighten to 150 ft-lbs with a grade 8 bolt.



Take note that the limiter on the knife holder prevents the sharp corner from being centered; this is intentional, as the U-shaped surface is the cutting portion, not the corner.

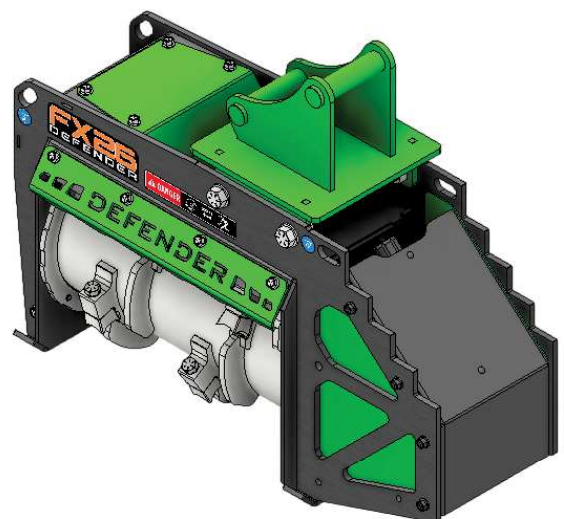
#### 2. Sharpening

To sharpen the knives in the holder, use a grinder. Align the grinder with the flat V-shaped side and surface the outer edge of the knife. (See diagram).



#### 3. Replacing

Remove the knife by unbolting it and replace it with a new one, tightening to 150 ft-lbs using a grade 8 bolt. Use ant-seize on bolt and mating surface of knife. See parts Pg.18 for knife selection.



# Adjustments & Maintenance

## Cleaning The Attachment

Cleaning the Attachment regularly will help prolong the life of both the paint and the safety decals as well as minimize the risk of unintentional fire.

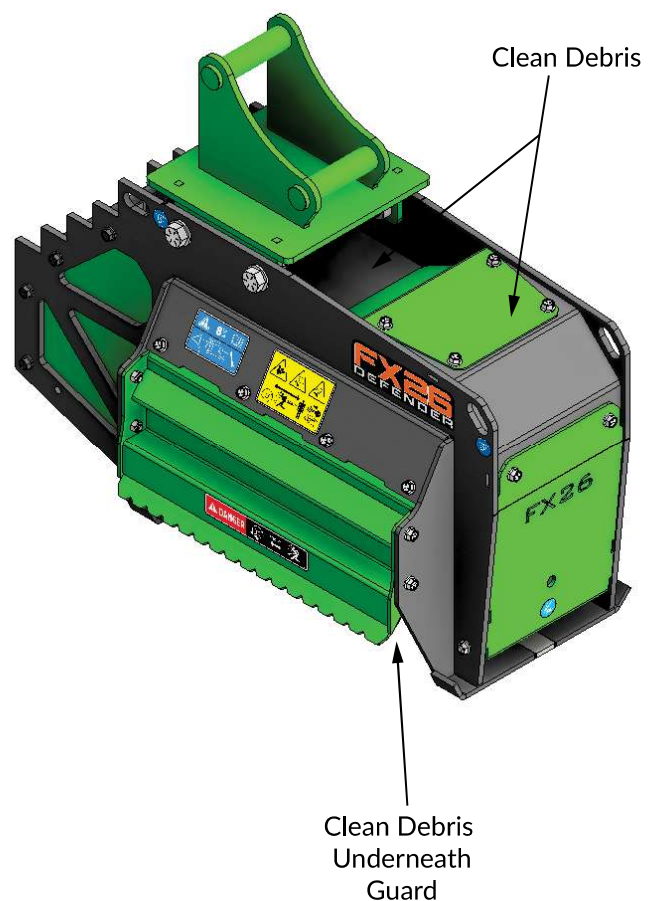
- Check for excessive grease in the bearing areas, clean off any excess found.
- Clear debris from the hydraulic hose area, bearing area or any other area that may experience heat.
- Clean the inside and top of the Attachment with a pressure washer, removing any accumulated mud, grass or other debris. Mud build up on the cutter drum can cause imbalance.
- Touch up paint where needed to prevent rust.

## Optional Mounts

This Attachment is originally manufactured with a mount tailored for the Power Unit. However, to use the Attachment on multiple Power Units, additional units are available to purchase. To attach a mount, align its holes with those on the attachment, then use the 4 supplied 1in bolts, securing them with the included nuts and washers. Before switching Power Units, consult your BrushHound Dealer to ensure compatibility.

## NOTICE

Changing Power Units may also require a new motor size.





# Adjustments & Maintenance

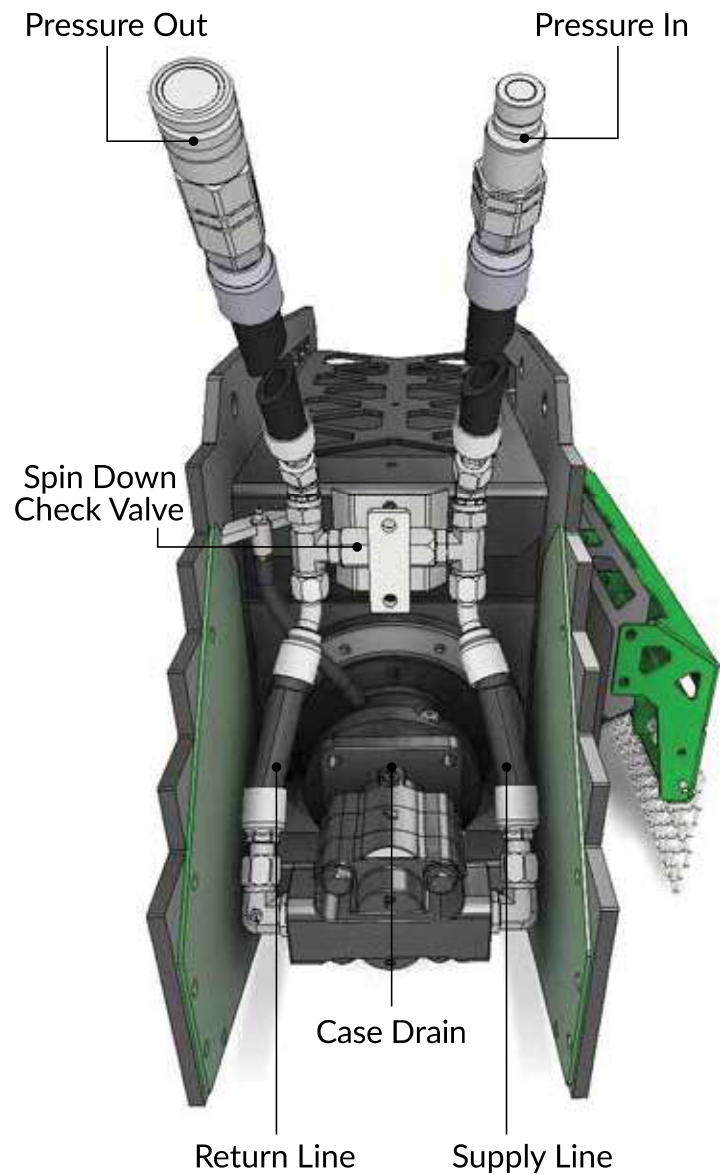
## Hydraulic Maintenance

### CAUTION

Before performing any maintenance on the hydraulics of this Attachment, ensure that circuit is depressurized. If there is a suspected leak, use a piece of cardboard for inspection. DO NOT use hands to feel for leaks.

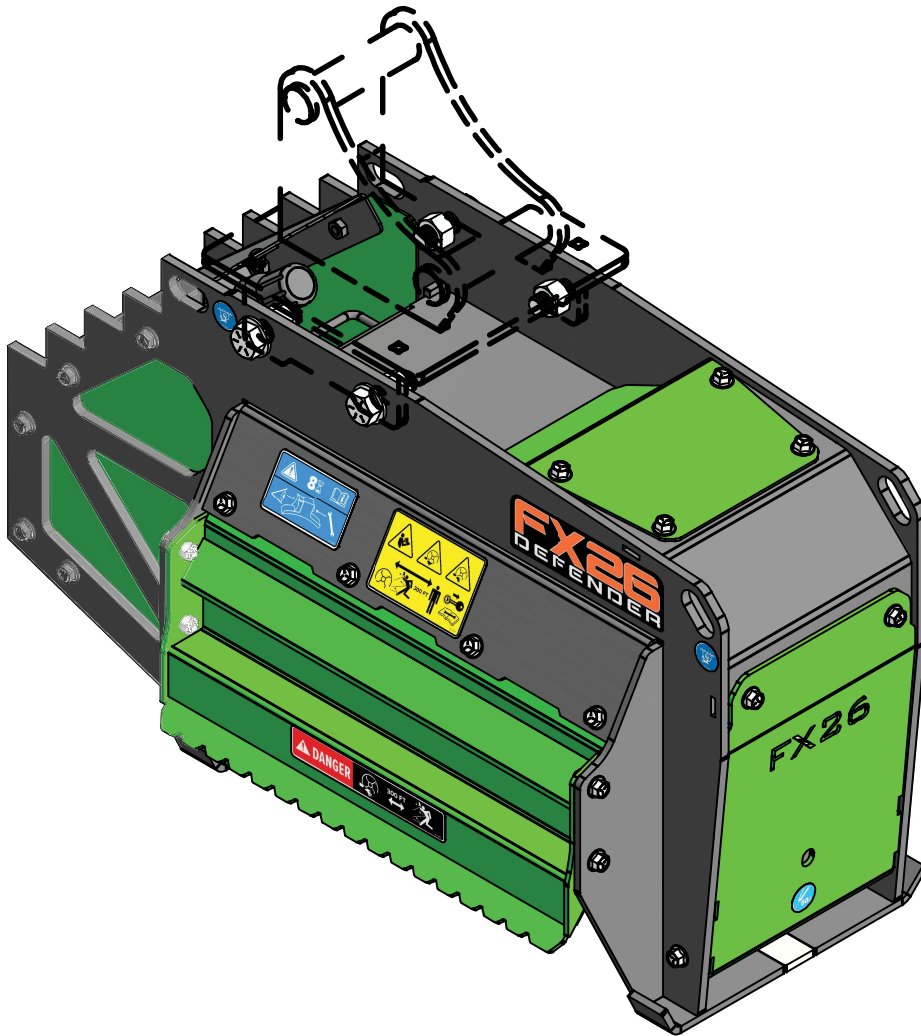
The hydraulic circuit should be connected as follows:

- **Pressure In** - This attaches to the Power Unit's high pressure line. On some units it may be necessary to switch the male and female quick connectors to match the Power Unit configuration.
- **Check Valve** - Protects the motor from cavitation that would damage the motor's internal seals by allowing spin down.
- **Supply Line** - Connects the pressure port of the check valve to the pressure port of the motor.
- **Return Line** - The return line should connect the out port side motor port to the relief port of the MPV.
- **Pressure Out (return line out)** - Connect to the return side of the Power Unit hydraulic circuit.
- **Case Drain** is required to protect the shaft seal of the hydraulic motor. Power unit manufacturers offer OEM kits and there are several aftermarket kit available. Consult a local dealer for support.



Case Drain Example

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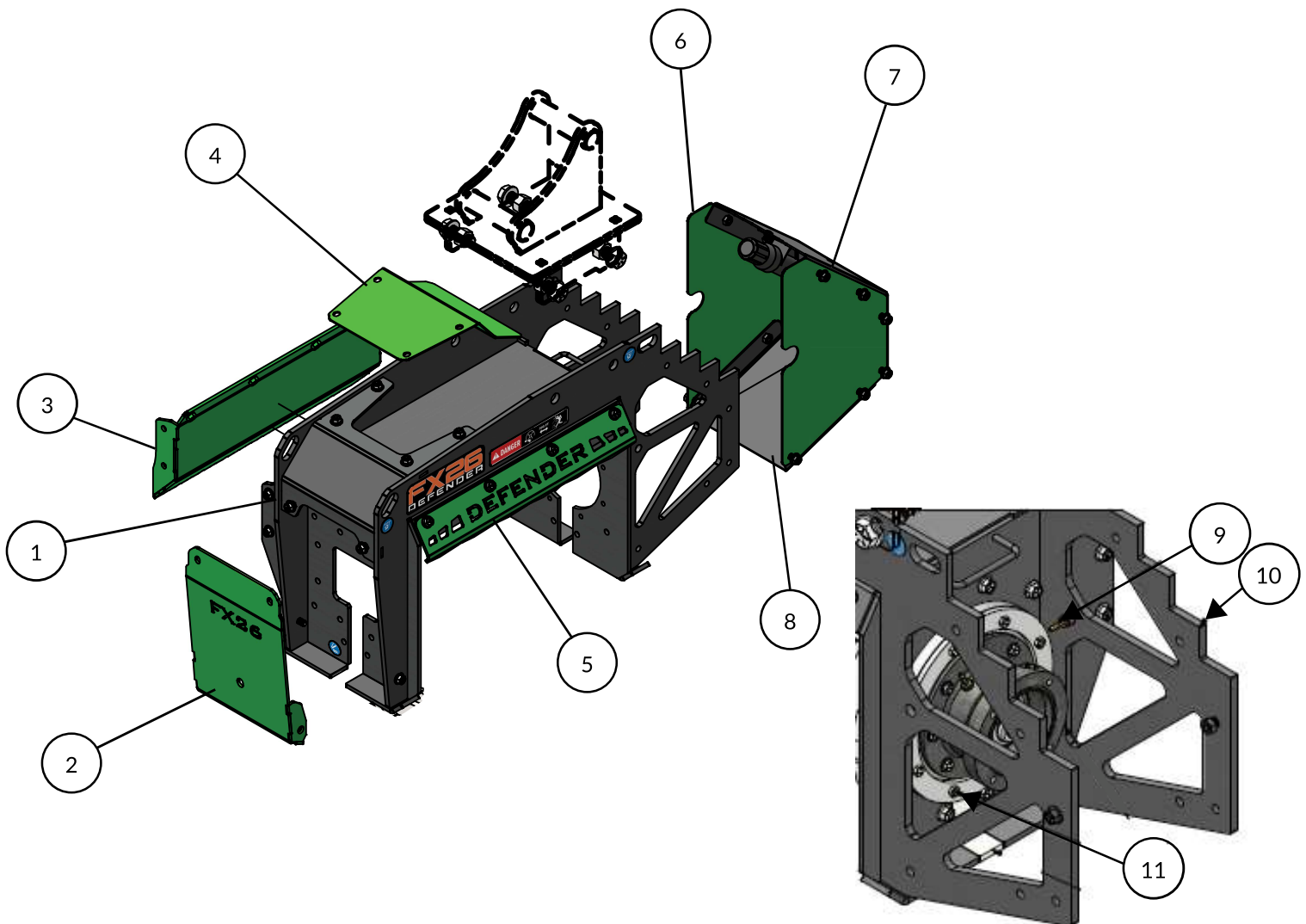
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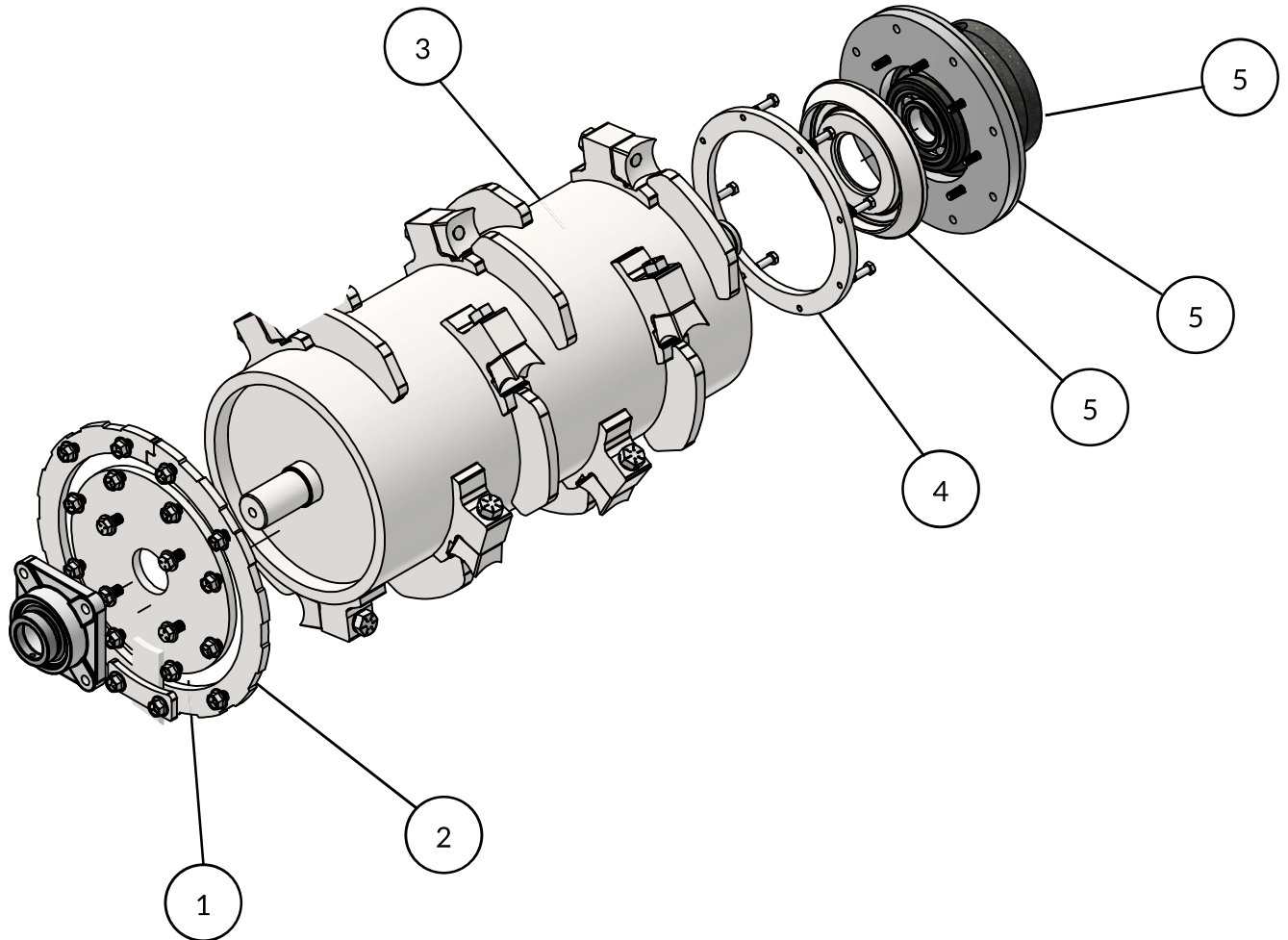
# TOP LEVEL ASSEMBLY

| ITEM | DESCRIPTION                      | PART NUMBER | QTY |
|------|----------------------------------|-------------|-----|
| 1    | FHCS 1/2-13 X 1.25 GR5 CL ZN     | 90129A127   | 20  |
| 2    | ASY NOSE GUARD                   | 11006       | 1   |
| 3    | ASY EJECTOR DOOR                 | 10999       | 1   |
| 4    | COVER UPR FRONT                  | 11008       | 1   |
| 5    | EJECTOR BNDMT                    | 11074       | 1   |
| 6    | GUARD MPTPR SIDE                 | 11075       | 2   |
| 7    | TOP GUARD                        | 11077       | 1   |
| 8    | MOTOR GUARD LOWER                | 11079       | 1   |
| 9    | HOSE FITTING, PUSH LOCK STRAIGHT | HY-2430     | 1   |
| 10   | FX26 SHIELD WELDMENT             | 07784       | 1   |
| 11   | HHCS 3/8-16 x 2.0 GR5 CLZN       | 91247A632   | 8   |



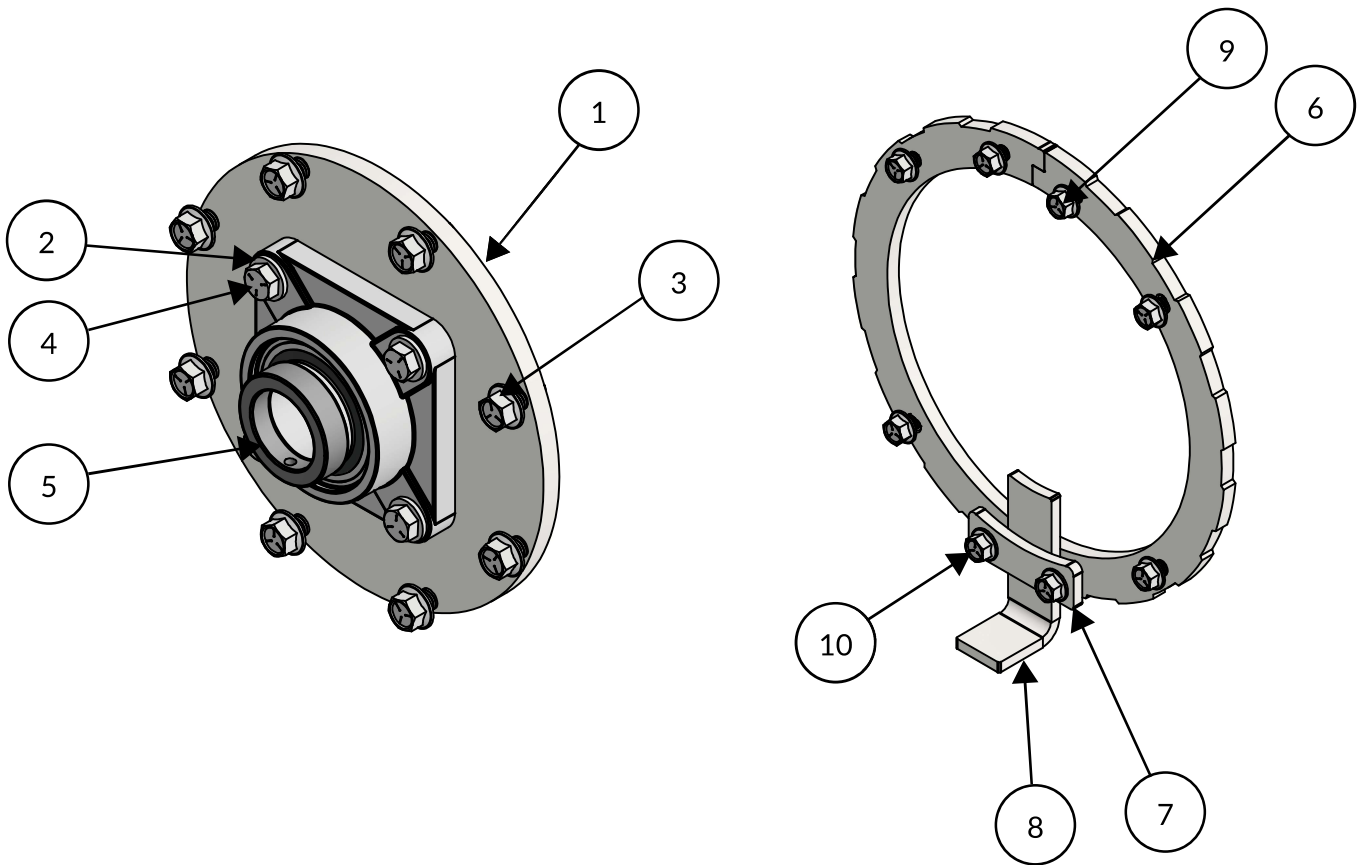
# CUTTER DRUM ASSEMBLY

| ITEM | DESCRIPTION                       | PART NUMBER | QTY |
|------|-----------------------------------|-------------|-----|
| 1    | ASY IDLE WIRE GUARD AND BEARING   | 11007       | 1   |
| 2    | ASY WIRE GUARD OUTER              | 10994       | 2   |
| 3    | ASY CUTTER DRUM                   | 10986       | 1   |
| 4    | ASY WIRE GUARD DRIVE              | 11081       | 1   |
| 5    | EX SPINDLE HSNH ASY WITH BEARINGS | 06288       | 1   |



# IDLE WIRE GUARD AND BEARING ASSEMBLY

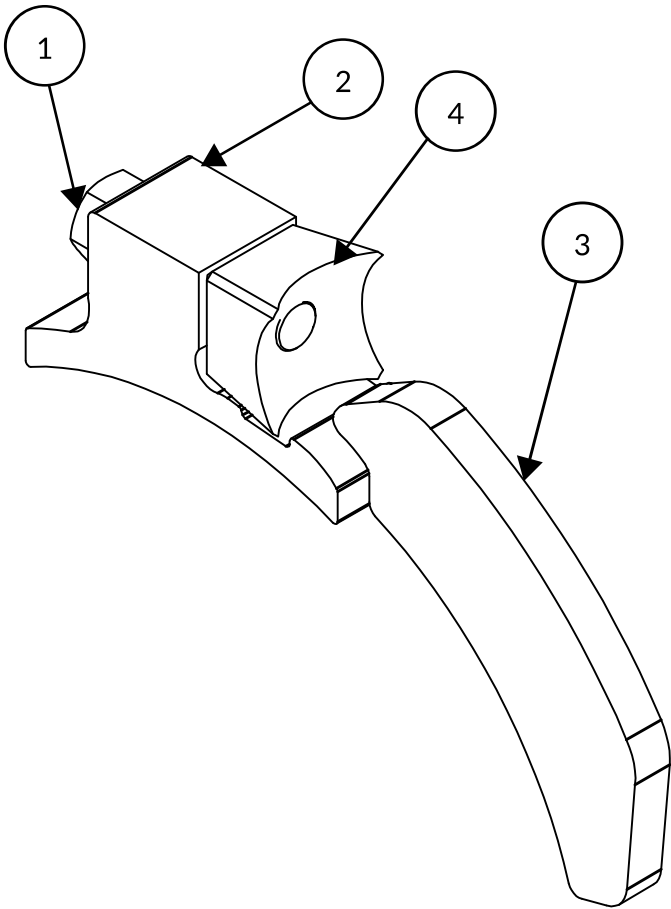
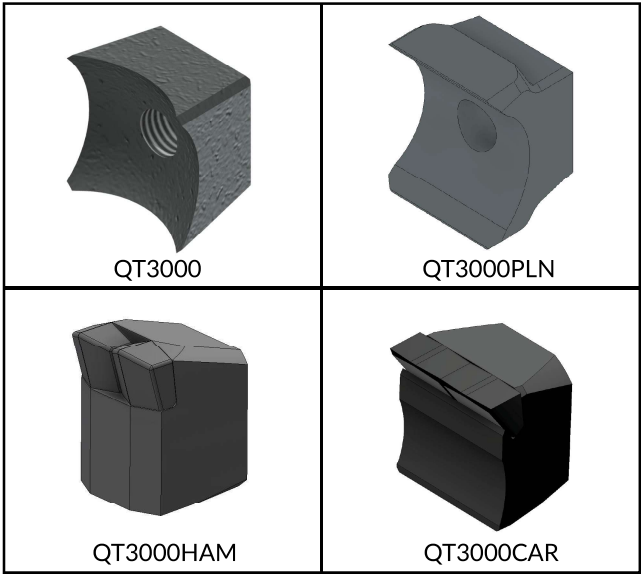
| ITEM | DESCRIPTION                        | PART NUMBER | QTY |
|------|------------------------------------|-------------|-----|
| 1    | WIRE GUARD INR IDLE                | 10992       | 1   |
| 2    | WASHER 1/2 SAE ZINC GR5            | 90126A033   | 4   |
| 3    | FHCS 1/2-13 x 1.0 GR5              | 90129A126   | 8   |
| 4    | HHCS 1/2-13 x 1.75                 | 92865A718   | 4   |
| 5    | BEARING 1 15/16 BALL 4 BOLT FLANGE | CD-1801     | 1   |
| 6    | OUTER WIRE GUARD PIECE             | 10993       | 2   |
| 7    | GAP FILLER BOLT PLATE              | 11473       | 1   |
| 8    | GAP FILLER                         | 11080       | 1   |
| 9    | FHCS 1/2-13 x 1.0 GR5              | 90129A126   | 6   |
| 10   | FHCS 1/2-13 x 1.25 GR5 CL ZN       | 90129A127   | 2   |



# TOOL HOLDER ASSEMBLY

| ITEM | DESCRIPTION                | PART NUMBER | QTY |
|------|----------------------------|-------------|-----|
| 1    | HHCS 3/4-16 X 3.0 GR8 YLZN | 91257A877   | 1   |
| 2    | TOOL HOLDER 12IN PIPE 2IN  | 08841       | 1   |
| 3    | BITE LIMITER 12.75 ID LONG | 08599       | 1   |
| 4    | KNIFE 2IN                  | QT3000      | 1   |

Knife Options



# DECALS

| ITEM | DESCRIPTION                  | PART NUMBER | QTY |
|------|------------------------------|-------------|-----|
| 1    | DECAL FX26 BRANDING          | DC-352      | 2   |
| 2    | BRUSHHOUND BRANDING          | DC-116      | 1   |
| 3    | INSPECT KNIVES TORQUE        | DC-242      | 1   |
| 4    | ROTATING CUTTER DRUM         | DC-222      | 3   |
| 5    | READ BEFORE OPERATING        | DC-220      | 1   |
| 6    | TIE DOWN POINT               | DC-232      | 4   |
| 7    | GREASE 50 HOURS              | DC-234      | 2   |
| 8    | PROP 65 WARNING              | DC-308      | 1   |
| 9    | PRODUCT REGISTRATION QR CODE | DC-354      | 1   |
| 10   | KEEP GUARDS IN PLACE         | DC-296      | 4   |

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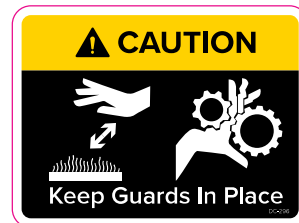
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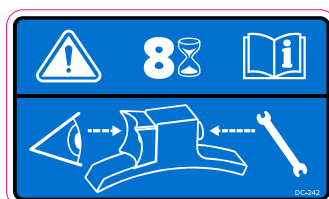
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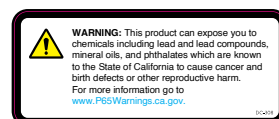
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