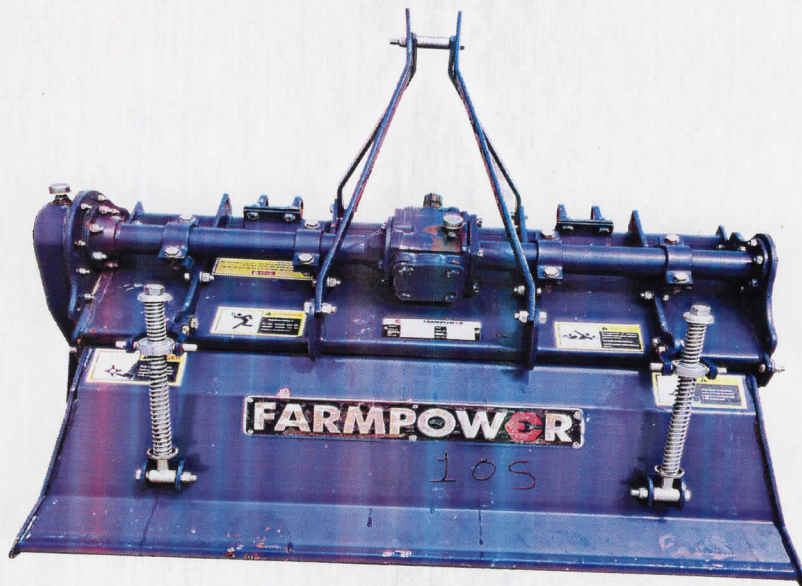


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**ESCORTS, FPCSSG-105, FARMPOWER
ROTAVATOR (TRACTOR MOUNTED)**



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4.11 Lubricants:

Sl. No.	Particulars	As recommended by the manufacturer	As used during test
1	Primary Gear box	SAE140	Oil originally filled in the machine was not changed
2	Secondary Gear box	SAE140	
3	Rotor Hub	Servo AP3 Grease	As per recommended
4	Propeller Shaft	Servo AP3 Grease	As per recommended

5. RUNNING – IN

Not recommended by the manufacturer.

6. LABORATORY TEST**6.1 Hardness:** - The surface hardness of blade was recorded as under: -

Description	As per IS: 6690:1981 (HRC)	Hardness as observed (HRC)	Remarks
Edge portion	53 to 59	50.0 to 54.2	Does not conform
On shank portion	37 to 45	50.0 to 54.2	Does not conform

6.2 Chemical composition

The chemical composition of blades is tabulated as under:-

Constituents	As per IS: 6690-1981		Composition as observed (% of weight)	Remarks
	Carbon Steel	Silicon Manganese steel		
Carbon (C)	0.70 -0.85	0.50-0.60	0.3491	Does not conform
Silicon (Si)	0.10 -0.40	1.50-2.00	0.3101	Does not conform
Manganese (Mn)	0.50 -1.0	0.50-1.00	1.2150	Does not conform
Sulphur (S)	0.05(max)	0.05(max)	0.0210	Conforms
Phosphorous (P)	0.05(max)	0.05(max)	0.0425	Conforms

7. FIELD PERFORMANCE TEST

The field tests of the implement comprising of dry land operation was conducted for 37.84 hours respectively to assess the performance of the implement. The performance of implement is reported in **Annexure-I** for dry land operations respectively.

Observations of field performance test are summarized in the ensuing table:

Summary of Field Performance Test

Sl. No.	Parameters/operations	Dry land operation
I	II	III
1.	Tractor used	Mahindra Yuvraj-215
2.	Gear used	L-2
3.	Type of soil (Refer IS:7926-1975)	Sandy loam
4.	Average soil moisture (%)	6.7 to 15.0
5.	Bulk density of soil (g/cc)	1.66 to 1.89
6.	Average speed of operation (kmph)	2.84 to 3.20
7.	Avg. wheel slip (%)	0.70 to 7.61
8.	Average depth of cut (cm)	8.8 to 10.6
9.	Avg. working width (cm)	106 to 117
10.	Area covered (ha/h)	0.272 to 0.325
11.	Time required for one ha (h)	3.07 to 3.68
12.	Field efficiency (%)	80.9 to 90.6
13.	Fuel consumption	
	l/h	1.54 to 2.18
	l/ha	5.47 to 7.52
14.	Average PTO power utilized (kW)	NR

7.1 Dry land operation**7.1.1 Rate of work**

- The rate of work was recorded as 0.272 to 0.325 ha/h and the speed of operation varies from 2.84 to 3.20 kmph.
- The time required to cover one hectare was recorded as 3.07 to 3.68 h.

7.1.2 Quality of work

- The depth of operation was recorded as 8.8 to 10.6 cm.
- Average working width was observed as 106 to 117 cm.
- Field efficiency was observed as 80.9 to 90.6 %.

7.2 Labour requirement

In all, two skilled operators are needed to ensure continuous operation of machine for day long period.

7.4 Wear analysis (on mass basis)

Wear of hatchet blades (on mass basis) was measured and recorded in ensuing table:

Percentage wear of rotavator blades on mass basis:

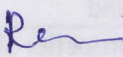
Sl. No.	Initial mass of blade (g)	Mass of blade after 37.84 hr. of operation (g)	Difference of weight (g)	Percentage of wear (%) after 37.84 hr.	Percentage of wear on hour basis (%)
1.	779.6	771.6	8.00	1.03	0.03
2.	782.4	774.0	8.40	1.07	0.03
3.	779.2	770.0	9.20	1.18	0.03
4.	784.2	772.7	11.50	1.47	0.04
5.	788.8	772.5	16.30	2.07	0.05

19	Literature	Operator manual, service manual and parts catalogue should be provided	Provided	Conforms
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11. COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

- 11.1 The specifications of implement hitch, does not conform in toto to the 4468 (Part-1)1997. Hence, it is recommended that implement should be provided with the hitch conforming to relevant Indian Standards.
- 11.2 Dimensions of PIC of implement do not conform in toto to IS: 4931-1995 and therefore, it should be looked in to for corrective action.
- 11.3 The chemical composition of blades does not conform to as per IS: 6690-1981. This needs to be looked into for corrective action at production level.
- 11.4 Safety guard on P.T.O. drive shaft is not provided. It **MUST** be looked into.
- 11.5 The working width of rotavator does not conform to the requirement of Critical Technical Specifications. It **MUST** be looked into.
- 11.6 The number of blade does not meet the requirement of Critical Technical Specifications. It **MUST** be looked into.
- 11.7 The outer diameter of rotor shaft does not meet the requirement of Critical Technical Specifications. It **MUST** be looked into.
- 11.8 The rotor diameter with blade does not meet the requirement of Critical Technical Specifications. It **MUST** be looked into.
- 11.9 **Technical Literature-**
A booklet named operator cum service manual with parts catalogue was provided for reference doing testing. However, the operator cum service manual needs to be update as per IS: 8132-1999.

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