

## WEED THRASHER™ Information Sheet

Please read before attempting to install and use the Weed Thrasher

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### NOTE: READ ALL SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USE!

To obtain the most efficient grass cutting results from your Weed Thrasher follow all instructions carefully.

Please note that we cannot be held responsible for any problems that may occur as a result of not following the recommendations for the use of the Weed Thrasher and Monster Cutters™. **It is also vital that you follow your trimmer manufacturer's safety and operating recommendations on how to use your specific yard trimmer.**

Always make sure that the yard trimmer is switched off before changing cutters. Cutters are only to be used for cutting grass and weeds and not for any other purposes.

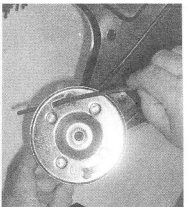
**Please note** that when using a trimmer model below 25cc you may have to shorten the cutters slightly to allow the trimmer to operate at full power. Be sure that your trimmer is turned off and shorten the cutters by clipping approximately one inch off the narrow cutter end (end without the ball).

### SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

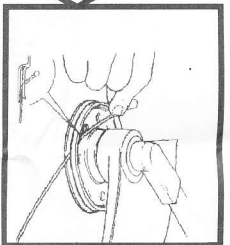
- Always obey your trimmer manufacturer's safety and operating instructions.
- Always use body and eye protection when operating a yard-trimming machine.
- Do not operate with any person or animal within 50 yards of the yard trimmer.
- Switch the machine OFF when handling the Weed Thrasher trimmer head or when replacing the cutters.
- Check the trimmer head for any potential defects prior to use.
- Before starting to trim, inspect the area to be cut for any foreign objects including, but not limited to, glass, cans, rocks, sticks, metal, or wire.
- Never operate the yard trimmer when under the influence of drugs or alcohol.
- If any unusual vibration or noise occurs when using the yard trimmer, stop immediately and check for damage.
- In the event you are unable to install the Weed Thrasher head, go to your local yard trimmer sales and service location for assistance.

Need more Monster Cutters? Visit your local retailer or go to [www.weedthrasher.com](http://www.weedthrasher.com)

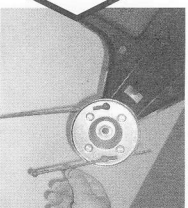
## Loading the Monster Cutters™



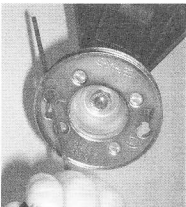
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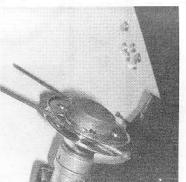


Install the cutters by holding the ball end in your hand and sliding the small end down the rectangular keyhole. Keep the cutter between the Weed Thrasher plates. Pull cutter through rectangular hole until the ball end snaps in place and pivots in the circular hole. You can load the cutters from either the top or bottom of the Weed Thrasher.



DO NOT insert cutters directly through circular hole.

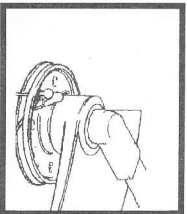
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DO NOT install cutters through the side of the Weed Thrasher head.

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## Removing the Monster Cutters™



To replace your Monster Cutters, push the ball end up or down out of the loading slot by using another Monster Cutter. Pull out the used Monster Cutter and replace.



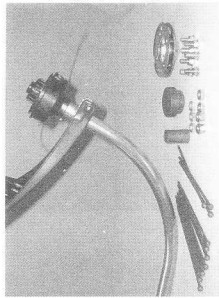
NOTE: A small screwdriver or similar flat edge tool may also be used to remove the Monster Cutter from the bottom of the Weed Thrasher head. Don't force it! Don't bend the head unit.

### WARNING

- Always follow your trimmer manufacturer's safety and operating recommendations on how to use and operate your specific lawn trimmer.
- Always operate your Weed Thrasher trimmer head with two Monster Cutters. **Never** just one.
- Always use eye protection and safety equipment when trimming.
- Always make sure that your trimmer is switched off and the Weed Thrasher is no longer in motion before changing the Monster Cutters.

## Weed Thrasher™ Installation Instructions

**Always follow your trimmer manufacturer's safety and operating recommendations on how to use and operate your specific lawn trimmer.** In the event you are unable to install the Weed Thrasher head, go to your local yard trimmer sales and service location for assistance.

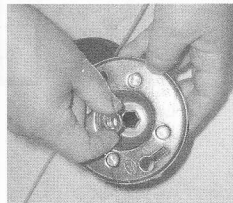


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\*Before installation, you will need to remove the red glider cap from the Weed Thrasher (use a screwdriver)

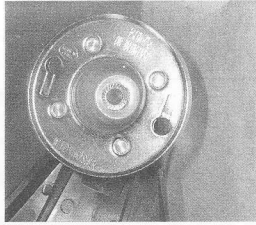
**Step 1:** Follow your trimmer manufacturer's instructions for removing the existing head/spool from your yard trimmer. The threaded shaft should be exposed. Shaft will either be threaded on the inside or the outside. If the shaft has NO threading, the Weed Thrasher will not install.

**For short shaft follow 3A, 4A, & 5A**



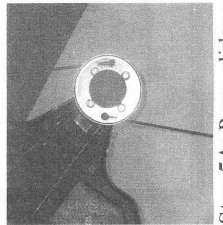
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**Step 3A:** Place nut or bolt into the well of the Weed Thrasher.



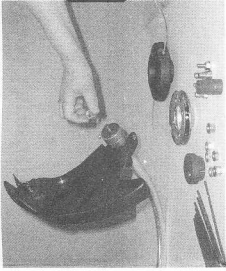
4A

**Step 4A:** Using your thumb, hold nut or bolt firmly in place on the Weed Thrasher head. Slide the head onto the shaft and turn the Weed Thrasher head with nut or bolt together to fasten. Firmly hand-tighten.



5A

**Step 5A:** Press glider cap firmly into Weed Thrasher head.



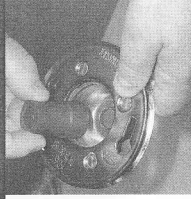
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### Short Shaft

**Step 2:** Locate the correct nut or bolt from the installation kit that fits your trimmer. (Tip: You may be able to use the nut or bolt that was holding on the old head/spool.) You will either need one nut or one bolt. Nuts and bolts install either clockwise or counterclockwise. Do not tighten as nut or bolt will need to be removed from the trimmer for step 3A (short shaft) or 3B (long shaft).

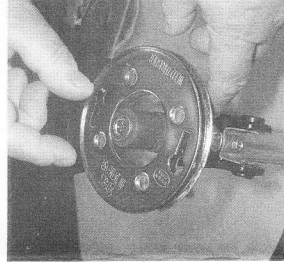
### Long Shaft

**For long shaft follow 3B, 4B, & 5B**



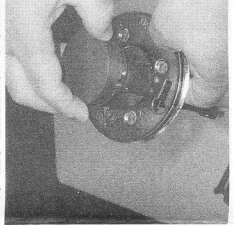
3B

**Step 3B:** Firmly press the sleeve into the well of the Weed Thrasher head.



4B

**Step 4B:** Place nut or bolt into the sleeve. Slide the Weed Thrasher head, sleeve, and nut or bolt onto the trimmer's shaft. Turn as one unit to fasten onto the trimmer. Firmly hand-tighten.



5B

**Step 5B:** Press glider cap firmly into Weed Thrasher head.

**Attention!** Do not return your Weed Thrasher. Go to [www.weedthrasher.com](http://www.weedthrasher.com) or call customer service at 1-800-822-3770 ext. 503 for assistance.