

Lubricate the Pivot Arms

Service Interval: Every 50 hours

1. Move the rear wheel cutting height levers to the center setting.
2. Locate the grease fitting on the underside of the mower deck. Wipe the grease fittings with a clean rag (Figure 23).

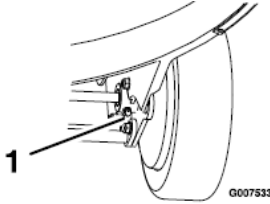


Figure 23

1. Grease fitting

3. Install a grease gun onto the fitting and gently apply 2 or 3 pumps of #2 multi-purpose lithium base grease.

Note: Excessive grease pressure may damage the seals.

Lubrication Chart			
Fitting Locations	Initial Pumps	Number of Places	Service Interval
1. Pivot Arms	2	2	50 Hours
2. Gear Case	1	1	100 Hours

Lubricate the Gear Case

Service Interval: Every 100 hours

Note: Lubricating the gear case as specified will yield maximum gear case life.

1. Stop engine, wait for all moving parts to stop.
2. Remove the grass bag.
3. Install a grease gun onto the fitting through the gear case access cover opening (Figure 24).

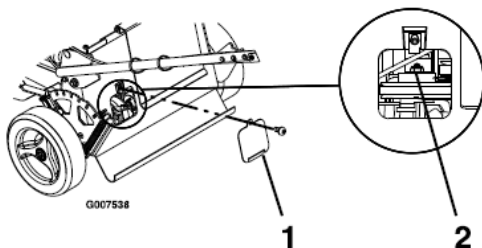


Figure 24

1. Gear case access cover
2. Grease fitting

4. Gently apply one to two pumps of #2 multi-purpose lithium-base grease.
5. Install the grass bag.