

SEASONAL CHECKLIST / Storage preparation

Mower — Storage preparation

For gasoline mowing equipment. Confirm whether the engine is two- or four-stroke before selecting lubricant.

Model: _____ Date: _____ Miles / hours: _____

- ☐ Record the mower and engine model, hours, oil requirement, and storage date.
- ☐ Disable starting as instructed in the manual before cleaning or working near blades.
- ☐ Remove grass and debris, clean and dry the mower, and inspect for damage.
- ☐ Complete the specified oil and filter service for a four-stroke engine; use the correct fuel/oil procedure for a two-stroke.
- ☐ Follow the engine's fuel-storage instructions: draining and treated-fuel storage are not interchangeable procedures.
- ☐ Inspect the air filter and battery if fitted; store as directed and record spring service needs.

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Notes / next service: _____

References: [AMSOIL: lawnmower winter storage](#) · [AMSOIL Gasoline Stabilizer](#); [read current directions](#). Reviewed October 7, 2026. Clearwater Oil planning prompts supplement the equipment manual.

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- ☐ Review the storage notes and inspect for leaks, damaged wiring, and animal nesting.
- ☐ Check the engine oil level or two-stroke fuel mixture as applicable before starting.
- ☐ Inspect the air filter, fuel lines, and spark plug according to the manual.
- ☐ With starting disabled, inspect blades, guards, belts, and fasteners; arrange repairs as needed.
- ☐ Check the battery if fitted, restore the machine to operating condition, and follow the manual's start procedure outdoors.
- ☐ Verify safety controls and record hours and the next service checkpoint before mowing.

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