Rake Adjustment Guide

A guide to adjusting a hay rake for clean raking and low loss, for operators setting up before the season. Work through the steps in order, and keep notes on what you decide for future reference.

Farm / unit: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

1. Read the operator's manual
2. Inspect tines and teeth
3. Check ground contact
4. Set rake height and angle
5. Adjust windrow width
6. Test on a small area
7. Check for leaf loss
8. Record the best settings

YOUR NOTES

TIP Shut down and lock out the rake before making any adjustments.