Baler Knotter Troubleshooting Guide

A step-by-step troubleshooting guide for baler knotter problems, helping operators work through common causes of missed or poorly tied knots in a logical order.

Farm / unit: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

1. Shut down baler and engage safety lockout
2. Inspect twine path for snags and wear
3. Check twine type against operator's manual
4. Look at billhook and knife for damage
5. Check twine disc and holder condition
6. Clean dust and debris from knotter area
7. Verify knotter timing per the manual
8. Replace worn parts and test tie
9. Record the fix for future reference

YOUR NOTES

TIP Work one adjustment at a time and test after each, so you know which change actually fixed the knotter.