Machinery & Equipment | CHECKLIST

Log Splitter Safety Inspection

A safety inspection checklist for log splitters that covers wedge, beam, hoses, guards, and controls before splitting wood.

Farm / unit: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

ITEM	OK	FIX	N/A
Frame and welds free of cracks	☐	☐	☐
Wedge sharp and secure	☐	☐	☐
Hoses and fittings free of leaks	☐	☐	☐
Hydraulic fluid level checked	☐	☐	☐
Controls and handles work smoothly	☐	☐	☐
Engine and fuel checked	☐	☐	☐
Work area is level and clear	☐	☐	☐
Eye, ear, and hand protection used	☐	☐	☐
Hands kept clear of the wedge and log	☐	☐	☐

NOTES / REPAIRS NEEDED

TIP Never use your hands to clear or steady a log while the ram is moving.