

Post Auger

Purpose

To ensure Post Auger is operated in a safe responsible manner, to avoid injury to operator or damage to property.

Safety Equipment Required

- Goggles or Safety Glasses
- Gloves

Operating Safety

Front end loader mounted. Hydraulic powered - 6 inch, 9 inch, and 12 inch bits. Pioneer hydraulic fittings.

- 1) Wear appropriate eye and ear protection.
- 2) Ensure bystanders are clear, before moving or operating post auger.
- 3) Only an experienced operator, knowledgeable in the operation of a post auger should be allowed near, or in control of the post auger.
- 4) Contact all utility companies before operating post driver, **OR Call: Alberta 1 Call (1- 800 - 242 - 3447)**
- 5) Remain clear of overhead power lines when operating post auger. Contact with overhead power line could cause severe injury or death.
- 6) Use extreme caution on uneven terrain to avoid potential tipping.
- 7) Relieve hydraulic pressure before attaching or detaching hydraulic connectors.
- 8) Use extreme care when attaching or detaching auger unit from loader. Keep feet clear of drop zone, and avoid standing/working under raised loader/bucket.