

MULCH LAYERS

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Userfriendly



Step up to the open rear frame to load mulch rolls, which simply sit and turn on the top two carriage rollers. Feed material under spring-loaded ground roller.

Low-profile roll carriage

Roll sets low to the ground to minimize effects in windy weather.





Adjustable roll brake

Easy-start mulch rows

Lift spring-loaded tuck wheels by hand to quickly start mulch rows.



Buyers Guide

Mulch Layers apply rolls of mulch material on flat land or pre-formed raised beds and can adjust for up to 8" bed height, in general. High-Clearance Mulch Layers have features to lay plastic mulch over beds up to 12" high.

Bedder-Layer Combos form raised beds and apply mulch in one pass. Separate Bed Shapers and Mulch Layers have many benefits.

We offer models with advantages in price, features and/or weight. Mulch layers simply roll on top of loose seedbed soil so heaviness of equipment is not essential to gentle handling of mulch but can be relevant to field speed, acreage, longevity. Opening disks are normally set inside of tractor wheels, which avoids burial of mulch in the wheel track.

Model 2133 offers all in features and price for any fresh-market farm. *"Junior"* **Model 1723** is built the same weight as 2133 but 1-foot narrower for compact tractors and less a few features - ideal for small farm budgets. **Model 4333** is the one with extra iron for bigger acreage and bigger Category-2 tractors with hired operators.

Model 2333 is the same as 2133 but features a heavier Category-1 hitch, which is also quick-hitch compatible. Tillage shanks can be added to loosen wheel compaction in front of opening disks on 2333 or 4333, typically with application of row cover.

See following pages for descriptions of each model. 3row Mulch Layers are also available.

All models operate with the same fundamentals and produce a tight, firm mulch finish

Tractor requirements

Mulch Layers simply roll on loose seedbed soil, which requires little pulling power. Tractors big enough to straddle mulch row can also pull and lift it.

