



BAHAR BIC/78 POWER WEEDER



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Machine- 361/1181	BAHAR BIC/78 POWER WEEDER	COMMERCIAL (ICT)
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Manufacturer : M/s. Chongqing Keye Power
Machinery Manufacture Co. Ltd.,
Hailong Industrial Park, Baishiyi
Town, Jiulongpo District, Chongqing,
China .

Applicant : M/s. Bahar Agrotech,
993, Dapoli - Dabhol Road, At. Post
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Maharashtra – 415 712, **India**

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17. COMMENTS & RECOMMENDATIONS

17.1 Engine Performance:



- 17.1.1 The maximum power and rated power were observed as 4.7 kW under natural ambient condition against the declared value of 4.0 kW respectively.
- 17.1.2 Specific fuel consumption of engine corresponding to maximum power was recorded as 294 g/kWh against the declared value of 285 g/kWh. This should be looked into for corrective action
- 17.1.3 Max. Torque was observed as 15.47 Nm against the declared value of 14.0 Nm.
- 17.1.4 Back up torque of engine was observed as 3.13 %, against the declared value of 11 %. This should be looked into for corrective action.
- 17.1.5 **During varying speed test of engine at both natural & high ambient conditions after attaining max. torque at 15.47 Nm & 15.00 Nm respectively, while further loading, sudden drop of engine speed and thick black smoke was noticed.**
- 17.2 Max. Noise at operator's ear level was observed as 94 dB (A), which is higher than the limit specified by the ILO. Therefore, this should be looked into for corrective action
- 17.3 The amplitude of mechanical vibration on most of the assemblies of the Power Weeder was observed up to the maximum extent of 320 microns, Which is directly concerned with Operator's Health, Safety and Comfort. Besides, it also adversely affect the useful life of the components. In view of the above, this should be taken care for corrective action.
- 17.4 The hardness of rotary blades conforms to the requirement of IS 6690:1981 (Reaffirmed 2012).
- 17.5 The chemical composition of rotary blades conforms to the requirement of IS 6690:1981.
- 17.6 The provided labeling plate should be as per the requirement IS.

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17.7 Technical literature:

Owner's manual and parts catalogue of power weeder in separate booklets were supplied with the test sample for reference during the test. It is however, recommended that same may be revised and bought out in Hindi & other regional languages as per IS 8132:1999 (Reaffirmed 2004) for the sake of user & technical personnel.

TESTING AUTHORITY:

B.N. DIXIT AGRICULTURAL ENGINEER	
Dr. P.P. RAO DIRECTOR	

18. APPLICANT'S COMMENTS

Para No.	Our reference	Applicant's comments
18.1	17.1.2 & 17.1.5	We will inform the same thing to our principal manufacturer to look into it.
18.2	17.2	We will inform to manufacturer
18.3	17.3	We will try for the provision of some vibration dampening devices to deduce the vibration
18.4	17.6	We will look into it
18.5	17.7	We will try to implement your suggestion