



Combine Harvester Blade Inspection Checklist

Pre-Inspection & Safety

Initial checks and safety protocols before visually inspecting the blades.

Date of Inspection

Enter date...

Time of Inspection

Inspection Location (Field/Lot)

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Harvester Model

- ☐ Model A
- ☐ Model B
- ☐ Model C
- ☐ Other (Specify)

Operator Name

Write something...

Weather Conditions

- ☐ Clear
- ☐ Cloudy
- ☐ Rain
- ☐ Dusty

Brief Description of Current Field Conditions

Write something...

Blade Condition - General

Overall assessment of blade condition, looking for common issues.

Overall Blade Condition

- ☐ Excellent
- ☐ Good
- ☐ Fair
- ☐ Poor
- ☐ Unacceptable

Estimated Total Operating Hours (since last blade replacement/sharpening)

Enter a number...

Describe any noticeable abnormalities (e.g., unusual noise, vibration)

Write something...

Observed Issues (check all that apply)

- ☐ Rust/Corrosion
- ☐ Cracks
- ☐ Significant Wear
- ☐ Deformation
- ☐ Missing Pieces
- ☐ None

Blade Material Type (if known)

Write something...

Number of Blades Currently Installed

Enter a number...

Blade Style (if applicable)

- ☐ Standard
- ☐ Flex
- ☐ Conical
- ☐ Spiral
- ☐ Other

Leading Edge Inspection

Detailed examination of the leading edge for wear, chipping, and damage.

Maximum Wear Depth (mm)

Enter a number...

Edge Damage Type(s)

- ☐ Chipping
- ☐ Rolling
- ☐ Worn
- ☐ Cracked
- ☐ None Observed

Number of Blades with Chipping

Enter a number...

Number of Blades with Rolling

Enter a number...

Detailed Description of Edge Damage (if any)

Write something...

Overall Leading Edge Condition

- ☐ Excellent
- ☐ Good
- ☐ Fair
- ☐ Poor

Photo of Leading Edge Wear

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Blade Tip Inspection

Focus on the tips of the blades, as these are most susceptible to damage.

Number of Blade Tips with Minor Chipping (less than 0.5 inch)

Enter a number...

Number of Blade Tips with Moderate Chipping (0.5 - 1 inch)

Enter a number...

Number of Blade Tips with Severe Chipping/Damage (greater than 1 inch)

Enter a number...

Overall Tip Condition Assessment

- ☐ Excellent - No visible damage
- ☐ Good - Minor chipping
- ☐ Fair - Moderate chipping
- ☐ Poor - Significant damage


Detailed Description of Any Unusual Tip Damage (e.g., cracking, bending)

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Are any tips bent or out of alignment?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

Upload photos of damaged blade tips (optional)

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Blade Shank & Mounting Hardware

Examination of the shank and mounting hardware to ensure secure attachment and integrity.

Shank Material Condition

- ☐ Excellent
- ☐ Good
- ☐ Fair
- ☐ Poor
- ☐ Damaged

Bolt/Nut Condition

- ☐ No Issues
- ☐ Minor Rust
- ☐ Moderate Rust
- ☐ Significant Rust/Corrosion
- ☐ Damaged Threads
- ☐ Missing

Number of Cracked Shanks

Number of Loose Bolts

Lock Washer Condition

- ☐ Present & Intact
- ☐ Present & Damaged
- ☐ Missing
- ☐ N/A - Not Applicable

Notes on Shank/Hardware Condition

Write something...

Blade Angle & Alignment

Checking and verifying the correct blade angle and alignment relative to the reel and cutterbar.

Left Blade Angle (Degrees)

Enter a number...

Right Blade Angle (Degrees)

Enter a number...

Center Blade Angle (Degrees)

Enter a number...

Reel Speed Setting (Reference)

- ☐ Low
- ☐ Medium
- ☐ High
- ☐ Automatic

Blade Alignment Method

- ☐ Visual Comparison
- ☐ Laser Alignment Tool
- ☐ Dial Indicator

Notes on Alignment Adjustments (if any)

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Blade Alignment Status

- ☐ Within Tolerance
- ☐ Requires Adjustment
- ☐ Outside of Tolerance

Post-Inspection & Documentation

Final checks, recording findings, and recommendations for repair or replacement.

Summary of Findings

Write something...

Blade Condition Score (1-10)

Enter a number...

Recommended Action

- ☐ Replace Blades
- ☐ Sharpen Blades
- ☐ Monitor & Re-Inspect
- ☐ Repair (Specify Below)

Details of Repair (if selected above)

Write something...

Date of Inspection

Enter date...

Time of Inspection

Inspector Signature

Inspector Name

Write something...

Machine ID/Serial Number

Write something...