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Model: CMEMW213 | Brand: CRAFTSMAN

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the safe and effective operation, assembly, and maintenance of your CRAFTSMAN CMEMW213 Electric Push Lawn Mower. Please read and understand all instructions before using the product.



Figure 1: Overall view of the CRAFTSMAN CMEMW213 Electric Push Lawn Mower, highlighting the fold-over handle, 3-in-1 mulching/bagging/side discharge, 13 AMP motor, and adjustable height setting.

SAFETY INFORMATION

Always prioritize safety when operating the lawn mower. Failure to follow safety instructions can result in serious injury.

- Keep children and pets away from the mower during operation.
- Never allow children to operate a lawn mower.
- Wear appropriate personal protective equipment, including eye protection, hearing protection, and sturdy footwear.
- Inspect the mowing area for objects that could be thrown by the blade before starting.
- Ensure the extension cord is properly rated for outdoor use and the amperage of the mower. Avoid cutting the cord.
- Disconnect power before performing any maintenance or clearing clogs.

PRODUCT FEATURES

- **Powerful Motor:** 13 Amp motor with 20-inch deck for efficient cutting through tall grass.

- **Mowing Versatility:** 3-in-1 design for mulching, bagging, and side discharging.
- **Adjustable Height:** Single lever height adjustment with 6 settings, from 1-1/2 inches to 4 inches.
- **Improved Cutting:** High-efficiency winged blade for enhanced cutting performance.
- **Convenient Storage:** Fold-over handle for compact storage.

SETUP

Handle Assembly

Unfold the handle and secure it in place using the provided thumb screws. Ensure the handle is firmly locked for safe operation. The handle can be adjusted to different lengths for user comfort.



Figure 2: The fold-over handle design allows for convenient storage, reducing the mower's footprint.

Collection Bag / Side Discharge Chute Attachment

Depending on your desired mowing mode, attach the collection bag or the side discharge chute. For bagging, ensure the bag is securely fastened to the rear discharge opening. For side discharge, attach the chute to the side of the mower deck.



Figure 3: The mower offers 3-in-1 functionality for mulching, bagging, or side discharging grass clippings.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Connecting Power

Connect a suitable outdoor extension cord to the mower's power inlet. Ensure the connection is secure and the cord is routed away from the cutting path to prevent accidental damage.



Figure 4: Proper connection of the extension cord to the mower's power inlet.

Starting the Mower

To start the mower, first press and hold the power button on the side of the handle. Then, pull the bail handle down towards the main handle. Once the motor starts, you can release the power button, keeping the bail handle engaged for continuous operation.

Adjusting Cutting Height

The cutting height can be adjusted using the single lever mechanism. There are 6 height settings, ranging from 1-1/2 inches to 4 inches. Select the appropriate height for your lawn conditions.



Figure 5: Adjusting the cutting height using the single lever for optimal lawn care.

Mowing Techniques

For best results, mow in overlapping rows. Start close to the power outlet and work your way outwards to manage the extension cord effectively. Avoid mowing wet grass, as it can clog the mower and reduce cutting efficiency.



Figure 6: A user demonstrating proper mowing technique with the electric push mower.

MAINTENANCE

Cleaning the Mower Deck

After each use, disconnect the power cord and clean the underside of the mower deck to prevent grass buildup. Use a brush or scraper to remove clippings. Ensure the discharge chute area is clear of debris.

Blade Inspection

Regularly inspect the high-efficiency winged blade for sharpness and damage. A dull or damaged blade can lead to poor cutting performance and strain on the motor. Refer to the service manual for blade replacement instructions.

Storage

For convenient storage, fold the handle down. Store the mower in a dry, protected area away from direct sunlight and moisture to prolong its lifespan.



Figure 7: The mower's handle can be folded for compact storage, ideal for smaller spaces.

TROUBLESHOOTING

- **Mower not starting:** Ensure the power button is pressed and held, and the bail handle is fully engaged. Check the extension cord connection and power outlet.
- **Mower bogs down in thick grass:** Raise the cutting height. Avoid trying to cut too much grass at once. Make slower passes.
- **Poor cutting quality:** Inspect the blade for sharpness and damage. Clean the underside of the deck and discharge chute.
- **Excessive vibration:** Disconnect power and check the blade for damage or imbalance. Consult a service professional if the issue persists.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Specification
Brand	CRAFTSMAN
Power Source	Corded Electric
Motor	13 Amp
Cutting Width	20 Inches

Height Adjustment	6 Settings (1-1/2" to 4")
Mowing Functions	3-in-1 (Mulching, Bagging, Side Discharge)
Item Weight	20.83 Pounds
Product Dimensions	33.8"D x 21.95"W x 15.06"H
Model Number	CMEMW213

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Your CRAFTSMAN CMEMW213 Electric Push Lawn Mower comes with a 3-Year Limited Warranty. For full details regarding warranty coverage, claims, or technical support, please refer to the official CRAFTSMAN website or contact customer service.

For further assistance, visit www.craftsman.com or contact CRAFTSMAN customer support.

OFFICIAL PRODUCT VIDEOS

CRAFTSMAN 13A Corded Mower Overview

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Video 1: This video provides a general overview of the CRAFTSMAN 13A Corded Mower, highlighting its features and ease of use.

Easy Lawn Mower for Everyday Use

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Video 2: Learn how the CRAFTSMAN Electric Push Lawn Mower simplifies daily lawn maintenance with its user-friendly design.