



**AGGRESSIVE FLAILS.** The aggressive Vermeer flails ensure aeration and mixing. When properly aerated, the composting cycle is considerably shortened and site throughput is increased.



**JOBSITE EFFICIENCY.** Advanced Control System (ACS) controller monitors engine rpm and slows or stops the ground drive when it reaches the programmable set point to reduce stalling the turner in the windrow.



**RELIABLE COMPONENTS.** The poly-synchronous belt drum drive has proven to be a reliable system requiring little maintenance and offering adjustable shafts.



PRECISE CONTROL. Equipped with independently controlled lift cylinders for thorough aeration of the compost pile.



**EXTENDED CLUTCH LIFE.** Engine power is transferred through the hydraulically actuated PT Tech clutch. To help extend clutch life, control software prevents the operator from engaging or disengaging the drum drive at full engine rpm.



**EASE OF MAINTENANCE.** All grease points are accessible from ground level. Hinged, lockable doors on both sides of the engine provide spacious access for maintenance.















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# **CT718** COMPOST TURNER

# **GENERAL DIMENSIONS**

Max transport width: 27.7' (8.4 m)

Max transport length: 9.5" (24.1 cm)

Max transport height: 13.5' (4.1 m)

Max operational length: 14' (4.3 m)
Max operational height: 19' (5.8 m)

Max operational width: 27.7' (8.4 m)

Weight: 44,000 lb (19,958.1 kg)

Capacity: 5000 tons/hr (4536 metric tons/hr)

# **ENGINE**

Model: Caterpillar C15 Tier 3

Number of cylinders: 6

Max gross horsepower: 540 hp (402.7 kW)

Fuel tank capacity: 155 gal (586.7 L)

## **HYDRAULIC SYSTEM**

Tank capacity: 61 gal (230.9 L)

Filtration method: Return filter and suction strainer

## **FRAME**

Mainframe: Constructed of 8" x 6" x .4" (20.3 cm x 15.2 cm x 1 cm) and 6" x 6" x .25" (15.2 cm x 15.2 cm x .6 cm) steel tube

with continuous welding

#### **OPERATING HEIGHT ADJUSTMENT**

Operating height adjustment: The machine's operating height is adjusted on each front wheel with independently operated hydraulic cylinders and on the rear wheels with a pair of jointly operated hydraulic cylinders from 0 to 18" (0 to 45.7 cm) above ground.

# **GROUND DRIVE**

Ground drive type: Standard 4-wheel drive system

Tire size: 48 L x 32.00-10, 12-ply floatation deep-tread traction

tires

#### PROCESSING TUNNEL

Windrow width: 18' (5.5 m) Windrow height: 7' (2.1 m)

Tunnel lining: Fully lined .25" (.6 cm) steel plate Rubber skirting curtains (thickness): .4" (1 cm)

## **DRUM**

Drum diameter (including flails): 44" (111.8 cm)

Number of flails: 102

Flail dimensions: .75" x 4" x 11.6" (1.9 cm x 10.2 cm x 29.5 cm)

Double roller main drum bearings: 6" (15.2 cm)

## **CAB**

Width: 64" (162.6 cm)
Retraction: 15" (38.1 cm)

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