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MTD	Supplement	Subject:	21" Single Stage Auger Assem- blies Comparison
	Sheet	Models Affected:	21" Single Stage Model Series 140, 150, 160, 170, 285 and 295

PURPOSE: This sheet is supplied to depict the two 21" single stage snow thrower augers that may be found on single stage snow throwers. Due to supply issues you may have been shipped a direct replacement auger or your snow thrower may have a different Auger Assembly as depicted in your Operator's Manual illustrated parts list. See **Discussion** section below.

NOTE: Save this Instruction Sheet. Refer to it when ordering replacement parts.

Discussion:

Due to supply issues your snow thrower may have a different Auger Assembly than depicted in your Operator's Manual illustrated parts list.

When replacement of the rubber spirals and pads is required you will need to verify which auger assembly is on your snow thrower. The illustration shows which replacement kit is required for that auger configuration.

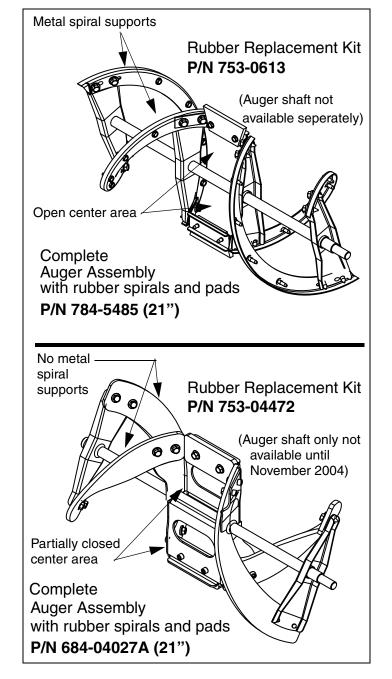
784-5485 Auger Assembly:

The Auger Assembly **784-5485** is depicted in the top illustration on the right. This configuration has metal spiral supports that the narrow rubber spirals mount to. The center paddle area is open.

684-04027A Auger Assembly:

The Auger Assembly **648-04027A** is depicted in the bottom illustration on the right. This configuration has heavy duty rubber spirals that mount to the metal end spokes. There are no metal spiral supports for the curved rubber spirals. The center paddle area is partially closed by the combination paddle support and spoke brackets.

NOTE: After November 2004 the complete auger assembly 684-04027A will not be available. The auger shaft, without rubber spirals and pads, will be available as part number 684-04025A. After November 2004, to obtain a complete auger assembly you will need to order the auger shaft, 684-04025A and the rubber replacement kit 753-04472 seperately.



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