Six tote mixing best practices





from the experts in everything mulch colorant.

- Practice first-in, first-out inventory management.
- Prolong shelf life with proper storage.
 - Keep product out of direct sunlight.
 - Do not allow product to freeze.
- Maintain the condition of your tote mixer.
 - Look at shaft alignment
 —it shouldn't be bent.
 - Make sure the blades are free to move.
 - Ensure the mixer is securely fastened to the tote.

- Choose the correct blade placement.
 - 330-gallon Tote
 Move blades down to
 the bottom of the shaft.
 - 275-gallon Tote
 Blades should be placed in a higher position on the shaft.
- Check blades for clockwise rotation.
 - Because blades won't extend when rotating counterclockwise.
- 6 Know when it's time to mix product. And when it's time to stop.
 - **60 minutes**. That's how long product should be mixed prior to use.
 - 4 months. That's how often product should be mixed in extended storage.
 - 12 inches. That's how low the colorant level can reach before the mixer should be stopped.