John Deere™ Insecticide Drop Tube Instructions – Rear Mount
Part No. SB020747 (green) & SB020748 (yellow): bolt-on attachment

Drop tube SB020747 is used for SmartBox® system rear mount applications on John Deere™ planters.

Drop tube SB020748 is used for SmartBox® system rear mount applications equipped with ladder mount brackets.

Installation Instructions:

1. Remove the bolt that fastens the closing wheel hinge assembly to the shank.

2. Place the top end of the drop tube up through the existing in-furrow tube hole.

3. Using the removed bolt, re-attach with the drop tube and tighten.

General Mounting Instructions: Your SmartBox® system requires that a minimum 45 degree angle be maintained at any point along the product discharge path from the meter outlet to the in-furrow drop tube. The drop tube may need to be bent to adjust. The plastic hose should be cut to length to eliminate any unnecessary slack that could cause a flow restriction. Also, if using a seed firmer the drop tube’s foot (if applicable) may need to be cut off or bent up if restricting the firmer’s travel.