

# **OPERATOR'S MANUAL**

Auto Bale Skoop 4SR PLUS 12SR PLUS

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#### SAFETY-ALERT SYMBOL



Watch for this symbol. It identifies potential hazards to health or personal safety. It means:

#### ATTENTION - BE ALERT. YOUR SAFETY IS INVOLVED.

Familiarize yourself with the location of all decals. Read them carefully to understand the safe operation of your machine.

#### **Signal Words**

The words **DANGER, WARNING** or **CAUTION** are used with the safety alert symbol. Learn to recognize the safety alerts, and follow the recommended precautions and safe practices.

Three words are used in conjunction with the safety-alert symbol:



DANGER

Indicates an imminently hazardous situation that, if not avoided, will cause DEATH OR VERY SERIOUS INJURY.



**WARNING** 

Indicates a potentially hazardous situation that, if not avoided, could cause DEATH OR SERIOUS INJURY.



CAUTION

Indicates a potentially hazardous situation that, if not avoided, may cause a MINOR OR MODERATE INJURY.

Replace any DANGER, WARNING, CAUTION or instructional decal that is not readable or is missing. The location and part number of these decals is identified later in this section of the manual.

The words **Important** and **Note** are not related to personal safety but are used to give additional information and tips for operating or servicing this equipment.

**IMPORTANT:** Identifies special instructions or procedures which, if not strictly observed could result in damage to, or destruction of the machine, process or its surroundings.

**NOTE:** Indicates points of particular interest for more efficient and convenient repair or operation.

#### **General Equipment Safety**

## **A**SAFETY...YOU CAN LIVE WITH IT!

#### **General Equipment Safety Guidelines**

Safety of the operator is one of the main concerns in designing and developing a new piece of equipment. Designers and manufacturers build in as many safety features as possible. However, every year many accidents occur which could have been avoided by a few seconds of thought and a more careful approach to handling equipment. You, the operator, can avoid many accidents by observing the following precautions presented in this manual. To avoid personal injury, study the following precautions and insist those working with you, or for you, follow them.

Replace any **CAUTION**, **WARNING**, **DANGER** or instruction safety decal that is not readable or is missing. Location of such decals is indicated in this booklet.

Do not attempt to operate this equipment under the influence of drugs or alcohol.

Review the safety instructions with all users annually.

This equipment is dangerous to children and persons unfamiliar with its operation. The operator should be a responsible adult familiar with farm machinery and trained in the equipment's operations. **Do not allow persons to operate or assemble this unit until they have read this manual and have developed a thorough understanding of the safety precautions and of how it works.** 

To prevent injury or death, use a tractor equipped with a Roll Over Protective System (ROPS). Do not paint over, remove or deface any safety signs or warning decals on your equipment. Observe all safety signs and practice the instructions on them. Never exceed the limits of a piece of machinery. If its ability to do a job, or to do so safely, is in question - DON'T TRY IT.

## Safety

#### **Lighting and Marking**

It is the responsibility of the operator to know the lighting and marking requirements of the local highway authorities and to install and maintain any additional equipment to provide compliance with the regulations. Aftermarket lighting kits are often available from your dealer.

This machine is equipped with lighting, marking, and signs in compliance with standards published by the American Society of Agricultural Engineers for Slow Moving Agricultural Implements on Public Roadways.

#### Wheels and Tires

#### **Tire Safety**

- Failure to follow proper procedures when mounting a tire on a wheel or rim can produce an explosion which may result in serious injury or death.
- Do not attempt to mount a tire unless you have the proper equipment and experience.
- Inflating or servicing tires can be dangerous. Only trained personnel should be called to service and/or mount tires.
- Only install tires and wheels with appropriate capacity to meet or exceed the anticipated weight to be placed on the equipment.

**DON'T FORGET!** Your best assurance against accidents is a careful and responsible operator. If there is any portion of this manual or function you do not understand, contact your local authorized dealer or the *manufacturer*.

#### **Bale Skoop Operation Safety**

#### **Before Operating**

- · Carefully study and understand this manual.
- · Install the safety warning light to indicate when the hitch is offset.
- Do not wear loose-fitting clothing which may catch in moving parts.
- Always wear protective clothing and substantial shoes.
- It is recommended that suitable protective hearing and sight protectors (eye protection) be worn.
- The operator may come in contact with certain materials which may require specific safety equipment, relative to the handling of such materials (examples: extremely dusty molds, fungus, bulk fertilizers, etc.)
- Keep wheel lug nuts or bolts tightened to specified torque.
- Ensure that the tires are inflated to the recommended pressure.
- Give the unit a visual inspection for any loose bolts, worn parts or cracked welds, and make necessary repairs. Follow the maintenance safety instructions included in this manual.
- Be sure that there are no tools lying on or in the equipment.
- Do not use the unit until you are sure that the operating area is clear, especially of people and animals.
- Because it is possible that this equipment may be used in dry areas or in the presence of combustibles, special precautions should be taken to prevent fires and fire fighting equipment should be readily available.
- Don't hurry the learning process or take the unit for granted. Ease into it and become familiar with your new equipment.
- Practice operation of your equipment and it's attachment. Completely familiarize yourself and other operators with
  its operation before using.
- Make sure that the brakes are evenly adjusted (if equipped with brakes).
- Use a tractor equipped with a Roll Over Protective System (ROPS) and fasten your seat belt prior to starting the
  engine.
- The manufacturer does not recommend usage of a tractor with ROPS removed.
- Move tractor wheels to the widest recommended settings to increase stability.
- Securely attach to towing unit. Use the plates, bolts and nuts provided with the machine.
- Do not allow anyone to stand between the hitch and the towing vehicle when backing up to the equipment.

#### **Bale Skoop Operation Safety - Continued**

#### **During Operation**

- SAFETY CHAIN: If the Bale Skoop is going to be transported on a public highway, the safety chain should be
  connected. Always follow state and local regulations regarding a safety chain and auxiliary lighting when towing
  farm equipment on a public highway. Only a safety chain (not an elastic or nylon/plastic tow strap) should be
  used to retain the connection between the towing and towed machines in the event of separation of the primary
  attaching system.
- Install the safety chain by crossing the chains under the hitch and secure to the draw bar cage, hitch or bumper frame.
- Beware of bystanders, **particularly children!** Always look around to make sure that it is safe to start the engine of the towing vehicle or move the unit. This is particularly important with high noise levels and quiet cabs, as you may not hear people shouting.
- NO PASSENGERS ALLOWED: Do not carry passengers anywhere on or in the tractor or equipment.
- The tops of the bed and loader are extremely slippery, do not climb, stand, or crawl on them.
- Keep bystanders at least twenty-five feet away from an operating machine or stacked hay. This allows bystanders time to get away from a falling stack or away from a moving machine. The operator is a very busy person and it is easy to miss seeing an observer while operating the Bale Skoop.
- Keep hands and clothing clear of moving parts.
- Do not clean, lubricate or adjust your equipment while it is moving.
- When halting operation, even periodically, set the tractor's or towing vehicle's brakes, disengage the PTO, shut off the engine and remove ignition key.
- Be especially observant of the operating area and terrain watch for holes, rocks or other hidden hazard. Always
  inspect the area prior to operation.
- DO NOT operate near the edge of drop-offs or banks.
- DO NOT operate on steep slopes as overturn may result.
- Operate up and down (not across) intermediate slopes. Avoid sudden starts and stops.
- Pick the flattest possible route when transporting across fields. Avoid the edges of ditches or gullies and steep hillsides.
- Always return the hitch to the in-line position whenever moving from the stack to the bales or the bales to the stack.
- Be extra careful when working on inclines.
- Periodically clear the equipment of brush, twigs or other materials to prevent buildup of dry combustible materials.
- Maneuver the tractor or towing vehicle at safe speeds.
- Avoid overhead wires or other obstacles. Contact with overhead lines could cause serious injury or death.
- Avoid loose fill, rocks and holes; they can be dangerous for equipment operation or movement.
- Allow for unit length when making turns.
- Do not walk or work under raised components or attachments unless securely positioned and blocked.
- Keep all bystanders, pets and livestock clear of the work area.

#### **Bale Skoop Operation Safety - Continued**

#### **During Operation - Continued**

- Operate the towing vehicle from the operator's seat only.
- Never stand alongside of unit with engine running or attempt to start engine and/or operate machine while standing alongside of unit.
- Never leave running equipment attachments unattended.
- As a precaution, always recheck the hardware on equipment following every 100 hours of operation. Correct all problems. Follow the maintenance safety procedures.

#### After Operation (Storage)

- Following operation, or when unhitching, stop the tractor or towing vehicle, set the brakes, disengage the PTO and all power drives, shut off the engine and remove the ignition key.
- Store the unit in an area away from human activity.
- Do not park equipment where it will be exposed to livestock for long periods of time. Equipment damage and livestock injury could result.
- The tops of the bed and loader are extremely slippery, do not climb, stand, or crawl on them.
- Do not permit children to play on or around the stored unit.
- Make sure all parked machines are on a hard, level surface and engage all safety devices.
- Wheel chocks may be needed to prevent unit from rolling.

## Safety

#### **Transport Safety**

#### **Highway and Transportation Safety**



CAUTION: Exceeding speeds of 20 mph (32 km/h) is not legal or safe on public roads. DO NOT exceed 20 mph (32 km/h) with this machine.



WARNING: This machine is over width. Use extreme caution transporting on Public Roadways and through narrow areas.



WARNING: Use Hitch Safety Pin to lock hitch in the in-line position before transporting Bale Skoop on public roads. This will secure hitch in case of accidental activation or failure of hitch cylinder.

- · Adopt safe driving practices...
- Keep the brake pedals latched together at all times. NEVER USE INDEPENDENT BRAKING WITH MACHINE IN TOW AS LOSS OF CONTROL AND/OR UPSET OF UNIT CAN RESULT.
- Always drive at a safe speed relative to local conditions and ensure that your speed is low enough for an emergency stop to be safe and secure.
- Reduce speed prior to turns to avoid the risk of overturning.
- Avoid sudden uphill turns on steep slopes.
- · Always keep the tractor or towing vehicle in gear to provide engine braking when going downhill. Do not coast.
- Do not drink and drive!
- Comply local laws governing highway safety and movement of farm machinery on public roads.
- Be sure stock lights as well as accessory lights are connected and operating properly.
- Use approved accessory lighting, flags and necessary warning devices to protect operators of other vehicles on the highway during daylight and night time transport. Various safety lights and devices are available from your dealer.
- The use of flashing amber lights is acceptable in most localities, however some localities prohibit their use. Local laws should be checked for all highway lighting and marking requirements.
- When driving the tractor and equipment on the road or highway under 20 mph (32 km/h) at night or during the day, use flashing amber warning lights and a slow moving vehicle (SMV) identification emblem.
- Plan your route to avoid heavy traffic.
- Be a safe courteous driver. Always yield to oncoming traffic in all situations, including narrow bridges, intersections, etc.
- Watch for obstructions overhead and to the side while transporting.
- Always operate equipment in a position to provide maximum visibility at all times. Make allowances for increased length, width and weight of the equipment when making turns, stopping the unit, etc.

#### **Maintenance Safety**

#### **Performing Maintenance**

- Good maintenance is your responsibility. Poor maintenance is an invitation for trouble.
- Make sure there is plenty of ventilation. Never operate the engine of the towing vehicle in a closed building. The exhaust fumes may cause asphyxiation.
- Before working on this machine, stop the towing vehicle, set the brakes, disengage the PTO and all power drives, shut off the engine and remove the ignition key.
- Be sure the bed is lowered against the bed rest and the loader is resting on the hitch or in its lowered position.
- Be certain all moving parts on attachments have come to a complete stop before attempting to perform maintenance.
- Always use a safety support and block the wheels. Never use a jack to support the machine.
- Always use the proper tools or equipment for the job at hand. Use extreme caution when making adjustments.
- A torque chart is provided in this manual for reference when tightening bolts and nuts.
- Never use your hands to locate a hydraulic leak on attachments. Use a piece of cardboard or wood. Hydraulic fluid escaping under pressure can penetrate the skin.
- When disconnecting hydraulic lines, shut off hydraulic supply and relieve all hydraulic pressure (see maintenance section for instructions).
- Openings in the skin and minor cuts are susceptible to infection from hydraulic fluid. If injured by escaping hydraulic fluid, see a doctor at once. Without immediate medical treatment, serious infection, gangrene and allergic reactions can occur.
- · Replace all shields and guards after servicing and before moving.
- After servicing, be sure all tools, parts and service equipment are removed.
- Do not allow grease or oil to build up on any step or platform.
- Never replace hex bolts with less than grade eight bolts unless otherwise specified. Refer to bolt torque chart for head identification marking.
- Where replacement parts are necessary for periodic maintenance and servicing, genuine factory replacement parts
  must be used to restore your equipment to original specifications. The manufacturer will not claim responsibility
  for use of unapproved parts and/or accessories and other damages as a result of their use.
- If equipment has been altered in any way from original design, the manufacturer does not accept any liability for injury or warranty.
- A fire extinguisher and first aid kit should be kept readily accessible while performing maintenance on this equipment.

#### **Safety Signs**

#### Safety Decals

- Keep safety decals and signs clean and legible at all times.
- Replace safety decals and signs that are missing or have become illegible.
- Parts that have been replaced that once displayed a safety sign should have the sign replaced as well.
- Safety decals or signs are available from your distributor, dealer parts department, or the manufacturer.

#### How to install a new decal

- 1. Be sure that the installation area is clean and dry.
- 2. Decide on the exact position before you remove the backing paper.
- 3. Remove the smallest portion of the split backing paper.
- 4. Align the decal over the specified area and carefully press the small portion with the exposed sticky backing in place.
- 5. Slowly peel back the remaining paper and carefully smooth the remaining portion of the decal in place.
- 6. Small air pockets can be pierced with a pin and smoothed out using the decal backing paper.

To determine missing decals, or to locate proper locations of replacements refer to the "Decal Location Guide" later in this section.



Part # 10110 - Danger Falling Bale Hazard

Location: Both sides of bed.



Part # 10111 Danger Crushing Hazard

Location: Left side of Hitch.



Part # 10119 - Danger Hitch Hazard

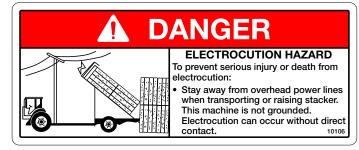
Location: Top of hitch.



Part # 10109 - Danger Offset Machine Location: Right side of frame.



Part # 10108 - Danger Pinch Injury Location: Both sides of bed.



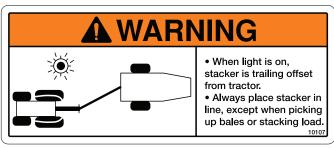
Part # 10106 - Danger Electrocution Hazard Location: On warning light box.



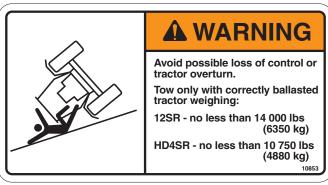
Familiarize yourself with the location of all decals. Read them carefully to understand the safe operation of your machine.



Part # 10121 - Warning To Prevent Serious Injury Location: Top of hitch.



Part # 10107 - Warning Offset Machine Location: On warning light box.



Part # 10853 - Warning Avoid Loss of Control Location: Top of hitch.



This machine may require a long distance to stop because of NO BRAKES. To Prevent Accidents

- Do not pull over 20 mph (32 km/h)
- · Avoid steep inclines
- Minimum Tractor Horsepower Required:
  - HD4SB 125 HP (93 kW) • 12SR - 125 HP (93kW)

  - 12K 150 HP (112kW)

• 16K - 180 HP (134 kW)

Part # 11839 - Warning No Brakes Location: Top of hitch.



- Wear proper hand and eye protection when searching for leaks. Use wood or cardboard instead of hands.
- Keep all components in good repair.

Part # 10120 - Warning High Pressure Fluid Location: Top of hitch.



#### **HITCH SAFETY PIN**

• Always secure hitch by installing safety pin before driving down the road, highway or street.

Part # 10123 - Warning Hitch Safety Pin Location: Front of frame above hitch.



Familiarize yourself with the location of all decals. Read them carefully to understand the safe operation of your machine.



- Read Operator's Manual before using machine.
  Stop tractor engine, lower machine to the ground, place all controls in neutral, set park brake, remove ignition key and wait for all moving parts to stop before servicing, adjusting, repairing, unplugging or fitting.
  Keep hands, feet, hair and clothing away from moving parts. Do not allow riders.

- 4. Do not allow riders.
  5. Keep all hydraulic lines, fittings and couplers tight and free of leaks before using.
  6. Install safety locks before transporting or working beneath components.
  7. Add extra lights and use pilot vehicle when transporting during times of limited visibility.
  8. Use hazard flashers in tractor when transporting.
- Install safety chain when attaching to tractor.
   Reep away from overhead electrical lines. Electrocution can occur without direct contact
- 11. Review safety instructions with all operators annually.

Part # 10122 - Caution Read Op Manual

Location: Top of hitch.



Part # 10112 - Caution Slippery Surface Location: Both sides of bed.

#### CAUTION

- Exceeding speeds of 25 mph is not legal or safe on Public Roads. This Machine is Over Width.
- Do Not Exceed Speeds of 25 mph with this Machine.
- · Use Extreme Caution when Transporting on Public Roadways and Through Narrow Areas.

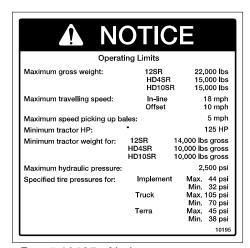
This machine is equipped with lighting, markings, and signs in compliance with standards published by the American Society of Agricultural Engineers for Slow Moving Agricultural Implements on Public Roadways.

Part # 11159 - Caution Speed Location: On warning light box.



Part # K66242 - Hydraulic Line Color Code

Location: Top of hitch.



Part # 10195 - Notice Location: Left side of hitch.

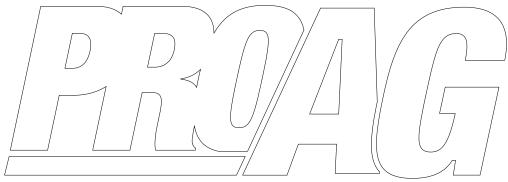


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Part # 12194 - ProAG Logo Decal (3 x 8 3/4)

Location: Rear sides of frame.



Part # K53626 - ProAG Logo Decal (6 x 17 7/8)

Location: Both sides of Hitch



Part # 12195 - Replacement Manual Location: On frame by op manual box

# 12SR PLUS

Part # K65163 - 12SR PLUS Location: Both sides of bed.

# **4SR PLUS**

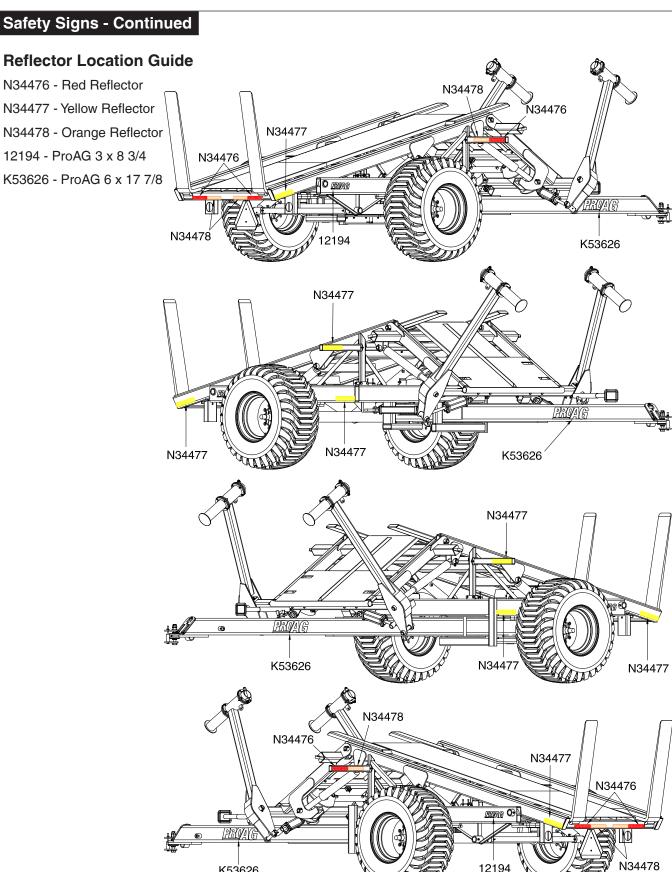
Part # K65672 - 4SR PLUS Location: Both sides of bed.

### AUTO BALE SKOOP

Part # 10115 - Auto Align Bale Skoop Location: Both sides of bed.



Familiarize yourself with the location of all decals. Read them carefully to understand the safe operation of your machine.

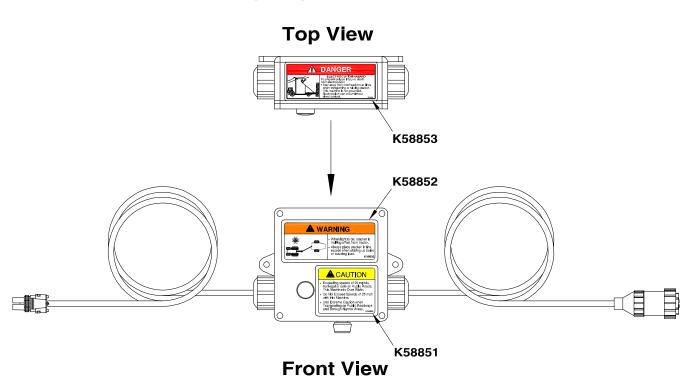


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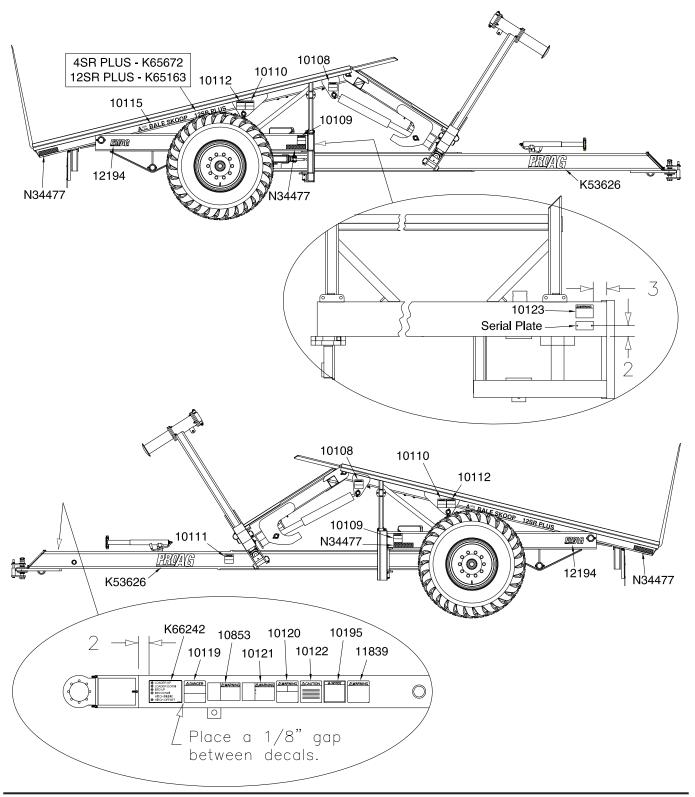
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#### **Decal Location Guide**

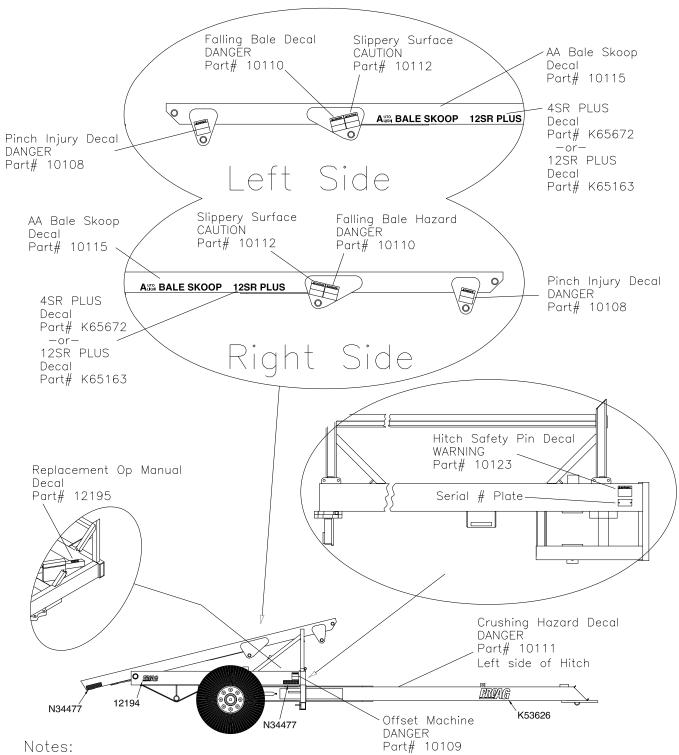
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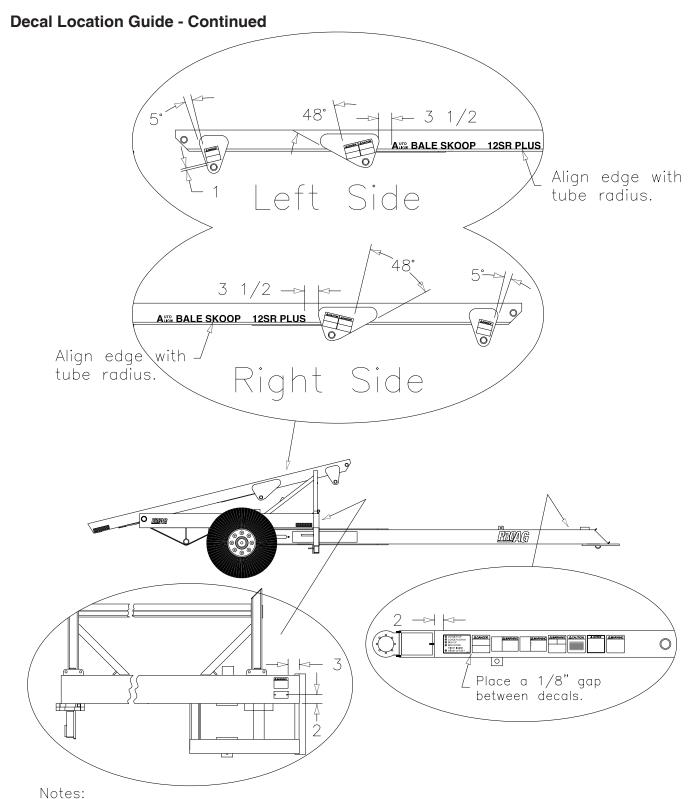
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#### **Decal Location Guide - Continued**



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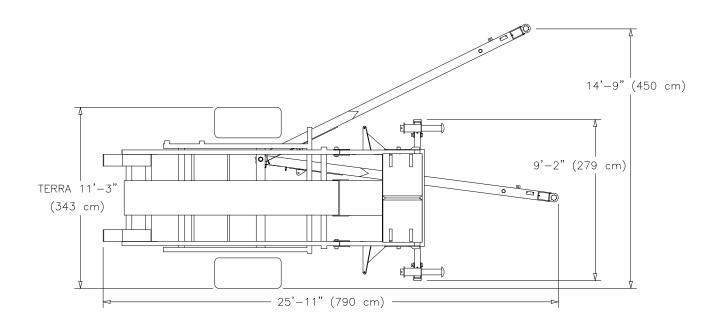
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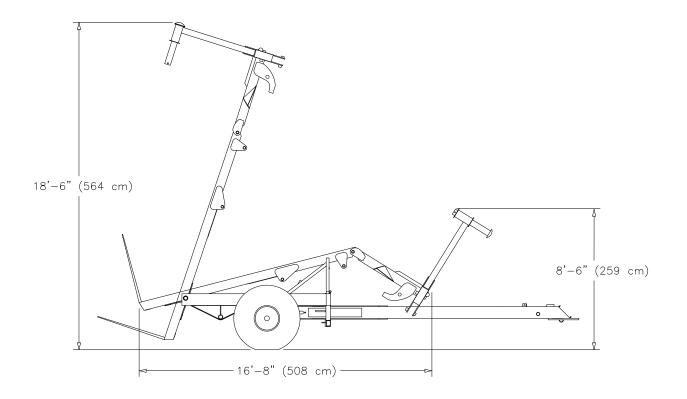
# **Specifications**

#### Machine Specifications

4SR PLUS	
	TVS 600/50-22.5 - 16-Ply
longue weight stacking	4,000 lbs (-1814 kg)
12SR PLUS	
	22,000 lbs (9980 kg)
	30-50 (27 t/h-45 t/h)
	TVS 600/50-22.5 - 16-Ply
	7,500 lbs (3400 kg)
	800 lbs (363 kg)
Tongue weight loaded 1,300 lbs (590 kg)	0.700 lb - (.0000 l -)
longue weight stacking	6,700 lbs (-3039 kg)
Noise Emissions	
(With reference to ISO 11204 and EN 1553	
	<sub>eq</sub> )
Peak C-weighted sound pressure (L <sub>Cpk</sub> )	112.6 dB
Tractor Requirements	
	125HP (93 kW) minimum
Tractor weight - 12SR PLUS (min)	14,000 lbs (6350 kg)
Hydraulic pressure	2,200 psi (15.2 MPa)
Hydraulic controls	3 remotes (2 with double selector valve)
Tire Specifications	
	TVS Eurogrip 600/50-22.5 - 16-Ply
Bale Size	,
	8 1/2 ft (136 cm)
· ·	
Lubricants	1 Pala a 129 Hart constant and design to 129 129
	High quality that meets or exceeds tractor specifications
Daie Silue Suitace	Dry film graphite lubricant (Slip-Plate®)

#### **Bale Skoop Dimensions**





# **Specifications**

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# SAFETY-ALERT SYMBOL



Watch for this symbol. It identifies potential hazards to health or personal safety. It points out safety precautions. It means:

ATTENTION - BE ALERT. Your safety is involved.

#### Manuals

Note: Pre-Delivery Inspection Form must be completed and submitted to Morris Industries within 30 days of delivery date.

**Warranty Void if Not Registered** 

#### **Pre-Operation Checklist**

Please read the Operator's Manual carefully and become a "SAFE" operator.

Adopt a good lubrication and maintenance program.

Before operating Bale Skoop check the following items:

#### **Pre-Operation Check**

**Lug nuts** - Check that all lug nuts are present and torqued to the appropriate specification.

**Pin retaining bolts** - Check for any missing or \_loose bolts or pins, replace or tighten as necessary.

**Hydraulic hoses** - Inspect all hydraulic hoses and replace any worn hoses. *Remember:* Use a piece of cardboard or wood and look for leaks, replace \_leaky hoses.

**Jack** - Check that jack has been moved to the upper jack stud on TOP of the hitch.

Hitch Safety Pin - If traveling, check that the Hitch Safety Pin is securely in place. If gathering or stacking, check that the Hitch Safety Pin has been \_removed.

**Warning Light** - Check that the Warning Light \_\_\_functions properly.

**Lighting** - Make sure the lighting is hooked up and \_functioning properly.

**Tire Pressure** - Check tire pressure to make sure it is within the specified range given on page 2-2 \_in the Machine Specifications section.

**Hitch Connection** - Check the bolt system that connects the stacker to the tractor drawbar. A loose \_connection will wear faster and possibly uncouple.

#### **OWNER REFERENCE**

Model:
Serial No:
Dealer:
Town:
State:
Phone:
OWNER/OPERATOR:
Date:



TAKE SAFETY SERIOUSLY.

DO NOT TAKE
NEEDLESS CHANCES!!

# Checklist

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# **Section 4: Introduction**

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### Introduction

#### Introduction

This Operator's Manual has been carefully prepared to provide the necessary information regarding operation and adjustments, so that you may obtain maximum service and satisfaction from your new ProAG Auto Align Bale Skoop.

To protect your investment, study your manual before starting or operating in the field. Learn how to operate and service your Auto Align Bale Skoop correctly, failure to do so could result in personal injury or equipment damage.

If you should find that you require information not covered in this manual, contact your local ProAG Dealer. The Dealer will be glad to answer any questions that may arise regarding the operation of your ProAG Auto Align Bale Skoop.

ProAG Dealers are kept informed on the best methods of servicing and are equipped to provide prompt, efficient service if needed.

Occasionally, your Auto Align Bale Skoop may require replacement parts. Your Dealer will be able to supply you with the necessary replacement parts required. If the Dealer does not have the necessary part, the ProAG Factory will promptly supply the Dealer with it.

Your ProAG Auto Align Bale Skoop is designed to give satisfaction even under difficult conditions. A small amount of time and effort spent in protecting it against rust, wear and replacing worn parts will increase the life and trade-in value.



Shown: 4SR PLUS



Shown: 12SR PLUS

**Keep this book handy for ready reference at all times.** It is the policy of ProAG to improve its products whenever it is possible to do so. The Company reserves the right to make changes or add improvements at any time without incurring any obligation to make such changes on machines sold previously.

# Section 5: Operation

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#### **CAUTION**



**BE ALERT** 

#### SAFETY FIRST

REFER TO SECTION 1 AND REVIEW ALL SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS.

#### **Tractor**

#### **Tires**

- Proper ballast and tire pressure are required when pulling heavy implements.
- Consult your tractor operator's manual and follow all recommended procedures.

#### **Hydraulics**

- Wipe all hydraulic fittings and couplers with a clean cloth to avoid contaminating the system.
- Check that the hydraulic reservoir is filled to the proper level.

#### Drawbar

 Center and pin in a fixed position for easier hitching and greater stability.



# Warning

Do not permit smoking, sparks or an open flame where combustible fuels are being used. Keep the work area well ventilated.



# Warning

Do not search for high-pressure hydraulic leaks without hand and face protection. A tiny, almost invisible leak can penetrate skin, thereby requiring immediate medical attention.

#### **Machine Conventions**

#### **Auto Align Bale Runner Directional Conventions**

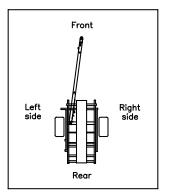
"Right and Left"

The right and left side of the Bale Runner is your right or left when standing behind the Bale Runner

and looking toward the front of the machine.

"Front and Rear" The front is the high end of the bed. The rear of the

Bale Runner is the low end of the bed.

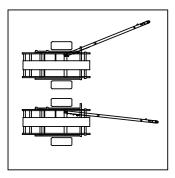


"Offset" The machine configuration when the hitch is

maneuvered to allow machine to pick up bales. The end of the hitch is to the left of the left side tire.

"Inline" The machine configuration when the end of the hitch

is centered between the wheels of the Bale Runner.



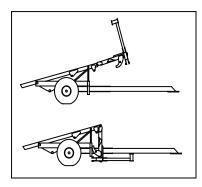
Hitch Offset — Hitch Inline

"Raise the Loader" Move the hydraulic control to move, or physically lift

the loader into the raised position.

"Lower the Loader" Move the hydraulic control to move, or allow loader

to rest in the lowered position.



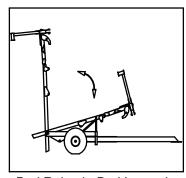
Loader Raised — Loader Lowered

"Raise the Bed" Move the hydraulic control to move the bed into the

raised position.

"Lower the Bed" Move the hydraulic control to move the bed into the

lowered position.



Bed Raised - Bed Lowerd

#### **Hooking Up for the First Time**

Use the following outline as a checklist to ensure your Auto Align Bale Skoop is properly set up for use.



**WARNING:** Remember to turn off hydraulic system and tractor and remove key from ignition before working on the Bale Skoop.

#### **Parts Needed**

1	Hitch Bolt
2	Hitch Washer
1	Hitch Nut
1	Hitch Jam Nut
1	Hitch Spacer Bolt
1	Hitch Spacer
2	Hitch Plates
1	Spacer Bolt
1	Bolt Safety Pin
1	Warning Light Box
6	Male Hydraulic Connections*
7	Gallons of Hydraulic Fluid*
	* Supplied By Dealer or Customer

#### **Attach Bale Skoop to Tractor**

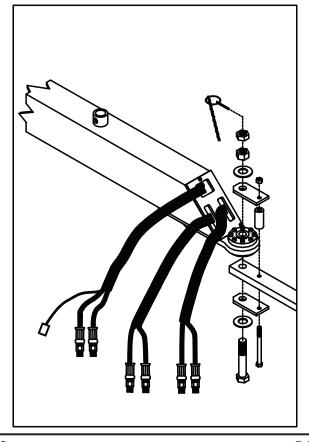
- Attach male hydraulic connector\* to hitch hydraulic hoses using thread sealer.
- Line up the ball hitch on the machine with the tractor draw bar. Secure the machine to the tractor with the 1 1/4" x 9" bolt threaded up through (1)-1 1/4" flat washer, lower hitch plate, tractor draw bar, ball, the upper hitch plate, (1)-1 1/4" flat washer, 1 1/4" nut, 1 1/4" jam nut, and insert bolt safety pin through eyelet in bolt.
- Secure the hitch plates into position with the (1)-5/8" x 8" bolt, (1)-3/4" ID x 3 9/16" tubing, and (1)-5/8" nylock nut.



Remember to turn off hydraulic system and tractor and remove key from ignition before working on the Bale Skoop.

1 1/4" x 9" special 1 1/4" flat washer 1 1/4" plain 1 1/4" special 5/8" x 8" 3/4" ID x 3 9/16" tube 1/2" x 3" x 6 3/8" Nut 5/8" Nylock 3/16" Snaplock Pin Special

Approximate Amount



# Operation

#### **Hooking Up for the First Time - Continued**

#### **Connect Safety Chain**



CAUTION: Operating Bale Skoop without safety chain connected to tractor can be hazardous. Always attach safety chain to tractor.

- Secure hitch safety chain to tractor or tractor draw bar. *Note:* Chain should be loose enough to allow tractor to turn without allowing chain to drag on the ground.
- Remove jack from the side of the hitch by removing the retaining pin. Re-secure it to the top of the hitch.

#### **Hooking Up Warning Light Assembly**



**CAUTION:** DO NOT operate machine without the Warning Light Assembly installed and operational.



**CAUTION:** Use care when working with electricity. Disconnect battery of tractor before attempting to connect Warning Light Assembly.

- Run the connecting lead of the Warning Light Assembly from the cab of the tractor to the front of the hitch.
- · Connect to the Micro-switch wire.
- Connect the positive and negative leads to an appropriate 12V power source.

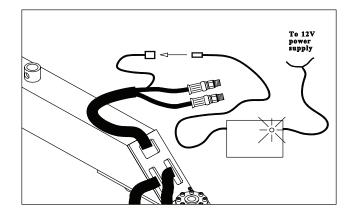
**Note:** Be sure to ground properly to prevent electrocution.

#### **Lubricate Joints**



**WARNING:** Be sure the loader is resting on the hitch or in its lowest position while greasing machine.

 Grease all joints using all-purpose, non-clay based grease as shown in the "Maintenance and Adjustment" section of the Owner/Operator's Manual.



### **Hooking Up for the First Time - Continued**

#### **Prime Hydraulic System**



**CAUTION:** Check hydraulic fluid frequently while priming system.

- Connect hydraulic hoses to tractor as paired. (See Chart Below) Remove hitch safety pin and store in pin holder.
- Be sure to use a good quality oil that meets or exceeds the specifications from the tractor's manufacturer.

Loader	Circuit	Hitch C	Sylinder	Bed Cylinder		
Lev	Lever 1		Lever 2		er 3	
GREEN	RED	YELLOW	WHITE	BLUE	BLACK	

Raise the loader completely and offset the hitch. With
the hitch completely offset, cycle the loader circuit.
Remember that the alignment arms, loader Cylinders
and grab hooks are all on this circuit. Cycle until the
loader and all its functions operate smoothly. The
operation of controls on the following page will be
helpful.



warning: Keep the hitch in the OFFSET position while cycling the loader. Severe damage may occur if components collide.

- · Check the hydraulic oil level in the tractor.
- Leave the loader in the Raised position, and cycle the hitch until it operates smoothly.
- Check the hydraulic oil level in the tractor.
- After priming the hitch, cycle the bed until fluid has completely filled the system.
- When the bed is raised, and the Bale Skoop is parked on level ground, be sure the forks on the back of the bed set down firmly on the ground. If they don't you will need to raise the hitch by turning over the drawbar on the tractor.
- Lower the bed and the loader and check the hydraulic oil level in the tractor.

# Operation

## Pre-Operation Checklist

Before operating Bale Skoop check the following items:

Pre-C	Operation Check	
	Lug nuts	Check that all lug nuts are present and torqued to 500 ft-lbs (677 Nm).
	Pin retaining bolts	Check for any missing or loose bolts or pins, replace or tighten as necessary.
	Hydraulic hoses	Inspect all hydraulic hoses and replace any worn hoses. <i>Remember:</i> Use a piece of cardboard or wood to look for leaks, replace leaky hoses.
	Jack	Check that jack has been moved to the upper jack stud on TOP of the hitch.
	Hitch Safety Pin	If traveling, check that the Hitch Safety Pin is securely in place. If gathering or stacking, check that the Hitch Safety Pin has been removed.
	Warning Light	Check that the Warning Light functions properly.
	Lighting	Make sure the lighting is hooked up and functioning properly.
	Tire Pressure	Check tire pressure to make sure it is within the specified range given on page 2-2 in the "Machine Specifications" section.
	Hitch Connection	Check the bolt system that connects the stacker to the tractor drawbar. A loose connection will wear faster and possibly uncouple.
	Grab Hooks	Examine the bolts making sure all are tight. For initial break-in of hooks check after the first 5 loads, 25 loads and periodically afterwards. Torque to 75 ft-lbs (102 Nm)

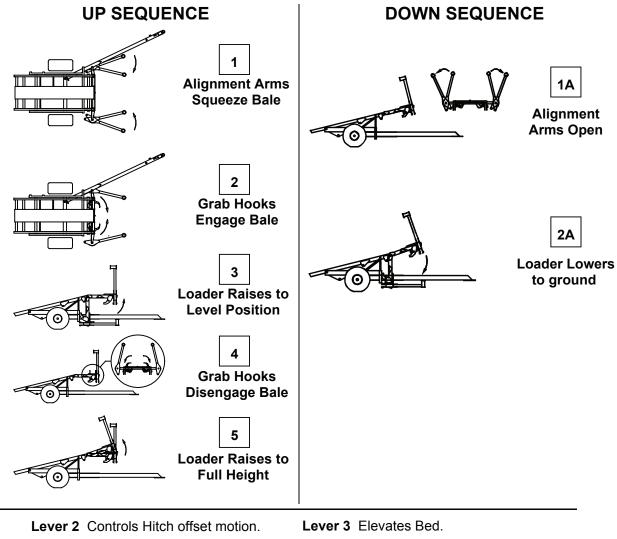
#### **Operation of Controls**

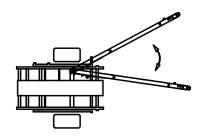
#### **Setting up the Lever Controls**

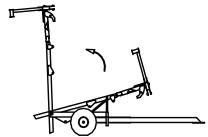
Although you may have your preference of tractor lever control setup, the typical lever *configuration is "forward is for lowering"*, and "back is for lifting". If this is not your standard be aware that the lever operation instructions below represent this configuration.

#### **Hydraulic Sequencing and Lever Operation**

Lever 1 Controls Alignment Arms, Loader and Grab Hooks (12SR).







# Operation

#### **Building Stacks**



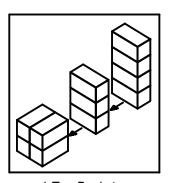
**CAUTION:** Return stacker to the "in-line" position when moving between bales in field and stack. This reduces the chance of running over anybody or anything in the field.

#### **Starting Stacks**

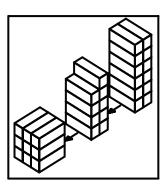
- Choose a level area, with enough room to maneuver a tractor and Bale Skoop even after the stack is finished. Note: If completely level ground is not available, then build your stack uphill (front of tractor and Bale Skoop facing uphill).
- Begin stack by building a "backstop". The proper backstop should be built to withstand backing into the stack every time a load is delivered. We recommend the following back stop configurations:
- 1 Ton Squares: A 2 bale by 2 bale square set at one end, perpendicular to the length of the bales in the stack. The first load in the stack should be only 3 bales tall.

1/2 **Ton Squares:** A 3 bale by 3 bale square set at one end, perpendicular to the length of the bales in the stack. The first load in the rest of the stack should only be 2 bales by 4 bales, with one extra in the fifth tier.

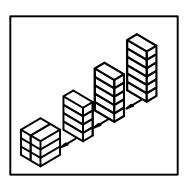
**3 X 4 Bales:** A 2 bale by 3 bale stack set at one end, perpendicular to the length of the bales in the stack. The first load in the stack should be 4 bales high, the second 5 bales high, and the rest should be 6 bales high.



1 Ton Backstop



1/2 Ton Backstop



3X4 Backstop

#### Stacking

- 1. After the last bale(s) is/are picked up, raise the loader all the way up. This squeezes the load between the forklift teeth and the alignment arms making a compact load.
- 2. Position the tractor and Bale Skoop in front of the backstop.
- 3. Raise the bed to 70 or 80 degrees (so it is almost vertical, but the weight of the bales is still clearly against the bed).
- 4. Back up until the corner of the bottom bale on the Bale Skoop comes into contact with the back stop.
- 5. Continue to raise the bed and back up until the load is vertical. Important: It is critical that the first load into the stack is vertical. To avoid the stack tipping over, DO NOT ALLOW THE BED TO GO PAST VERTICAL on the first load.
- 6. Lower the loader to release the alignment arms from the stack.
- 7. Pull forward slowly, lower the bed all the way, and go and retrieve another load.

Note: Be sure the loader is raised enough not to hit the hitch when the bed is lowered all the way.



**CAUTION:** Avoid overhead wires to prevent serious injury or death. Electrocution can occur without direct contact.



**CAUTION:** Keep bystanders at least twenty-five feet away from an operating machine or stacked hay.

### Gathering Bales

#### **Approaching Bales**

- 1. The easiest way to pick up bales is by driving the Bale Skoop perpendicular to the path of the baler.
- 2. Before arriving at a bale "offset" the hitch and lower the loader all the way down until it is perpendicular to the ground.
- 3. Bales are picked up on their 8 foot side.
- 4. The Auto Align system will allow the operator to approach the bale from almost any direction.



**WARNING:** Keep bystanders at least twenty-five feet away from an operating machine or stacked hay.



**WARNING:** Avoid rocks rough terrain, steep slopes, banks and drop offs when possible. Always maneuver tractor at safe speeds.

## Operation

#### **Gathering Bales - Continued**

#### **Loading Bales**

 When the bale is between the alignment arms and against the loader raise the loader. The alignment arms will automatically squeeze the bale and then the loader will raise.



CAUTION: The first bale or pair of bales that is loaded onto the bed of the Bale Skoop makes it very front heavy. Caution must be exercised when the Bale Skoop is in this position.

# If operating a 12SR model Auto Align Bale Skoop

- 2. When the loader is raised, the alignment arms will squeeze the bale, and the grab hooks will come from behind the loader to hold the first bale.
- 3. The alignment arms can then be opened to retrieve the next bale.

Note: Keep the end of the alignment arms 12 to 14 inches (30 - 35 cm)off the ground in order to pick up the second bale slightly lower (6-15 inches(15 - 35 cm)) than the first. This stair-step will help allow the bale to slide back without tipping over.



Stair-stepping 1/2 Ton Bales

**Note:** Keep alignment arms on the first bale closed until you get to the second bale.

 Properly adjusted grab hooks will automatically disengage when the loader is raised to a horizontal position.

# Operating all models of Auto Align Bale Skoops

- Raise the loader until it is all the way up. Begin to lower the loader and the alignment arms will open allowing the bales to slide to the rear of the bed.
- 6. Repeat as many times as desired, or until the load is complete (HD4SR full load is 4 bales (with 4x4 bales), 12SR full load is 12 bales (with 3x3 bales), with 3 x 4 bales, the full load for both machines is 6 bales). *Note:* After the last bale(s) is/are picked up, the loader should not be lowered.
- 7. Move hitch into the "inline" position before traveling to the stacking area.

#### Transporting Bale Skoop



WARNING: Attach safety chain to Bale Skoop and Tractor before moving on highway.



**CAUTION:** Exceeding speeds of 20 mph (32 km/h) is not legal or safe on public roads. DO NOT exceed 20 mph (32 km/h) with this machine.



**WARNING:** Use Hitch Safety Pin to lock hitch in the in-line position before transporting Bale Skoop on public roads. This will secure hitch in case of accidental activation or failure of hitch cylinder.

REMEMBER: When transporting any piece of oversized equipment:

- Be familiar with local laws by contacting local authorities before transporting Bale Skoop on public roads. Obey all regulations as they pertain to the Bale Skoop. The specifications at the front of the manual contain most of the information that may be needed.
- This machine is equipped with lighting, markings, and signs in compliance with standards published by the American Society of Agricultural Engineers for Slow Moving Agricultural Implements on Public Roadways.
- Use flags, warning lights and slow moving vehicle signs as they are needed. Flag-persons may be required by local authorities and may be helpful even if they aren't required.
- Always remember the extra width of the Bale Skoop. The wheels on the Bale Skoop are approximately 10 feet 8 inches (325.1 cm) wide with the implement tires, 10 feet 8 inches (325.1 cm) wide with the truck tires, and 11 feet 3 (342.9 cm) inches wide with the high flotation Terra tires.
- Drive carefully at an appropriate speed for the size and weight of the Bale Skoop. Allow for the extra length of the trailer when making corners. Reduce speed when navigating corners to prevent overturning machine. Link brakes to prevent loss of control during panic braking.
- Plan route to avoid heavy traffic. Drive in a courteous manner.
- Never drink and drive!

# Operation

#### **Tips and Techniques**

It takes some time, generally about a week, for an operator to get used to the controls, the movements, and the capabilities of the Auto Align Bale Skoop.

#### **Rotating Bales**

 If approaching the bale "end-on" is desired, the bale may be rotated, or spun, by closing the alignment arms slightly and bumping the end of the bale with the right alignment arm. When contact is made, open the arms to push the end to the right causing the bale to rotate into the loader.

#### **Quarter Turning Bales**

 To quarter turn a bale on the ground raise the loader until the alignment arms squeeze together. With the ends of the alignment arms positioned about halfway up the side of the bale, move forward, while raising the loader.

**Note:** Quarter turning with a Bale Skoop is very time consuming and is not recommended for a larger number of bales in a row.

 To quarter turn a bale with a 12SR model Bale Skoop grab the first bale before attempting to quarter turn the second bale.

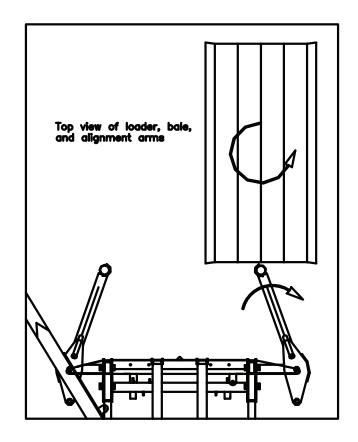
**Note:** Make sure the feet on the slider pipes of the 12SR grab under the edge of the bale, otherwise they may catch a string.

#### **Repositioning Bales**

 If bales are located in a corner or tight place, the alignment arms can be used to grab a bale and reposition it in a better working location.

#### **Tipping or Rolling Bales**

If the bales do not have enough stair-step the bales might roll when traveling down the bed. If you have to fix the amount of stair-step after picking two bales into the loader just raise the loader a few inches (4"-15" (10 - 38 cm)), then open the alignment arms so the second bale can slide down in front of the first. Raise the loader again and the alignment arms will re-squeeze the bale.

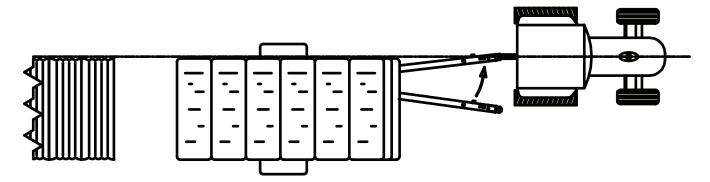


#### **Tips and Techniques - Continued**

• If the loader has been lifted too far and the grab hooks have disengaged without enough stair-step between the bales it is possible to get the bales to slide on the bed. Most of the time if the bales are rolling it is because they catch at the hinge between the bed and the loader. Raise the loader until it is exactly in-line with the bed and open the alignment arms.. (Sometimes with wet bales this is the only way to get the bales to slide.)

#### **Stacking**

 For better visibility while building stacks, center the tractor against the edge of the stack, with the hitch slightly offset; it is much easier to see what you are doing... stacks turn out straighter too!



Lining up the center of the tractor with the edge of the stack

- Fine tune your stack by making minor adjustments in your steering with the hitch control.
- The bales should be stacked on level ground. When stacking on a slight incline, stack with the tractor facing uphill. Stacking downhill or on a slight side incline will make it difficult to build good stacks.
- If the stack is not tight enough, raise the bed all the way up, pull the tractor and Bale Skoop forward three feet, and back into the stack to push the bales tight.

#### **Tips and Techniques - Continued**

#### Stacking bales of different sizes

Bales Size	4SR Stack Size	4SR Changes Needed	12SR Stack Size	Grab Hooks	12SR Changes Needed
Freeman 3x4 38"x46" (4) On strings	5 high x 1 deep	(1) Standard configuration	5 high x 1 deep	Position 1 and 2	(5) Add Bed Extensions (2) Disable Grab Hooks
NH 595 3x4 35"x47" <b>(4)</b> On strings	6 high x 1 deep	(5) Add Bed Extensions	6 high x 1 deep	Position 1 and 2	(2) Disable Grab Hooks
Hesston 4900 51"x48" (4) On or off strings	4 high x 1 deep	(1) Standard configuration	4 high x 1 deep	Position 1 and 2	<ul><li>(5) Add Bed Extensions</li><li>(2) Disable Grab Hooks</li><li>(3) Watch alignment arms</li></ul>
Hesston 4755 35"x32" (4) On or off strings	6 high x 1 deep	Call ProAG	6 high x 2 deep	Position 1 and 2	(1) Standard configuration
D1000/D800 24"x36" (4) On or off strings	N/A	N/A	5 high x 2 deep	Position 1 and 2	(5) Add Bed Extensions (3) Watch alignment arms
Bale Bandit 35"x54" (4) On strings	4 high x 1 deep	(1) Standard configuration	4 high x 2 deep	Adjust Top Grab Hook to avoid cutting bale twine.	(1) Standard configuration
Bale Baron 35"x54" <b>(4)</b> On strings	4 high x 1 deep	(1) Standard configuration	4 high x 2 deep	Adjust Top Grab Hook to avoid cutting bale twine.	(1) Standard configuration

Note: Other manufacturer's balers create the same size bales - these were used for illustration purposes only.

#### Table Key:

#### (1) Standard Configuration

The way the machine is normally set up.

#### (2) Disable Grab Hooks

Turn Valve #5 on the manifold valve in two turns.

#### (3) Watch Alignment Arms

The alignment arms are longer than the bales and will contact the stack if they are not opened up before the bed is raised to its maximum height.

#### (4) On/Off Strings

The bales come out of the baler "On Strings". If you want to pick up the bales "Off Strings" you must have a turner for your baler.

#### (5) Remove/Add Bed Extensions

With the hitch offset and the loader in its lowest position, remove the pin from the bottom of the bed extension and lift the extension off the machine. Turn the bed extension 180 degrees so that the front of the extension is facing the other direction, place the extension back on the machine, and reinsert the pin.

### **Tips and Techniques - Continued**

#### **Bundle Packages**

The 4SR Plus and 12SR Plus bale stackers are now equipped to handle bale bundles. The ProAg stackers can handle bale bundles produced by the Bale Baron, Bale Bandit, and other manufactures of the below dimensions:

#### 18 Pack

Height: 54" (4.5') Width: 35" (about 3')

Length: 90" - 92" (little over a 7.5' bale)

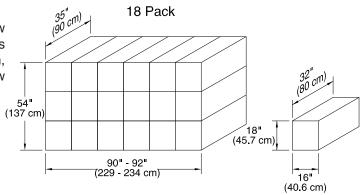
#### 21 Pack

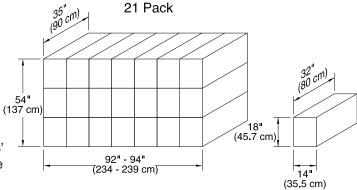
Height: 54" (4.5') Width: 35" (about 3')

Length: 92" - 94" (about 8' bale)

The stackers can handle bale bundles from 6.5' to 8' long when picked from the wide side. The pickers have the following capacities:

- 4SR PLUS Stacker will pick & stack 4 Bundles per load stacking them 4 high x 1 wide.
- 12SR PLUS Stacker will pick & stack 8 Bundles per load stacking them 4 high x 2 wide.



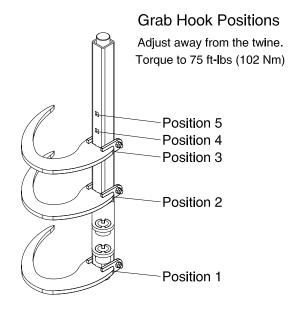


#### **Grab Hook Positions**

Adjust top Grab Hook away from the twine to prevent breaking it.

For initial break-in of hooks check after the first 5 loads, 25 loads and periodically afterwards.

Torque 1/2" bolts to 75 ft-lbs (102 Nm).



# Operation

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#### **CAUTION**



#### SAFETY FIRST

REFER TO SECTION 1 AND REVIEW ALL SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS.

#### General

This section deals with two goals, maximum life and dependable operation. Adopt a regular maintenance and lubrication program. Care and sufficient lubrication is the best insurance against delays.

#### Safety

- Always shut off the tractor and remove key before dismounting.
- Guard against hydraulic high pressure leaks with hand and face protection.
- Never work under the implement unless it is in the down position or securely blocked in place. Do not depend on the hydraulic system to support the frame.



Securely support any machine elements that must be raised for service work.



#### **Tighten Bolts**

- · Before operating the unit.
- · After the first two hours of operation.
- · Check tightness periodically thereafter.
- Use Bolt Torque Chart on page 6-13 for correct values on various bolts.
- Note dashes on hex heads to determine correct grade.

Note: DO NOT use the values in the Bolt Torque Chart if a different torque value or tightening procedure is given for a specific application.

 Fasteners should be replaced with the same or higher grade. If higher grade is used, only tighten to the strength of the original.

#### **Tires**

- Inspect tires and wheels daily for tread wear, side wall abrasions, damaged rims or missing lug bolts and nuts. Replace if necessary.
- Tighten wheel bolts refer to Bolt Torque Chart.
- Check tire pressure daily, when tires are cold. Tire
  pressures for specific tires are listed in the "Machine
  Specification" section at the front of this manual.
- Correct tire pressure is important.
- Do not inflate tire above the recommended pressure.



After the first 100 hours of use, re-torque all wheel lug nuts.



Tire replacement should be done by trained personnel using the proper equipment.

## Maintenance

#### **Preventative Maintenance**

Before operating your Bale Skoop carefully inspect the entire machine, and its components for any sign of excessive wear or weakness. Always follow the Daily Maintenance, General Maintenance, and Year End Maintenance Checklists to allow for early detection of possible hazards.



**WARNING:** Always wear eye protection and proper protective clothing while performing maintenance on the Bale Skoop. Protective clothing includes, but is not limited to; heavy pants and shirt, steel toed boots, and gloves.



**WARNING:** When working with hydraulic fluid you should wear rubber gloves to prevent oil from getting in cuts and scratches in your skin and causing infections or allergic reactions.

#### **Hydraulic System Preventative Maintenance**



**DANGER:** Remember to turn off hydraulic system and tractor and remove keys from ignition before servicing the Bale Skoop. The bed and loader should be lowered to their lowest position or securely blocked in position.

- Maintain tractor hydraulic system and fluid according to manufacturers specifications. Always use a good quality hydraulic fluid.
- Check the fluid level in the tractor with the bed and loader cylinders retracted.



**WARNING:** Hydraulic fluid escaping under pressure can easily penetrate skin. Openings in the skin and minor cuts are susceptible to infection from hydraulic fluid. If injured by escaping hydraulic fluid, see a doctor at once. Without immediate medical treatment, serious infection and allergic reaction can occur.

- Check for chaffing or kinking of the hydraulic hoses, these are a source of leaks in hoses.
- Check hoses and cylinders for leaks and repair as necessary. *Remember* that hydraulic fluid escaping under pressure can penetrate human skin. Use a piece of cardboard or wood to look for a suspected high pressure leak.
- Replace all hoses or hydraulic components that show any sign of wear, cracks, leaking, etc.

#### **Hydraulic Pressure Relief**

#### IMPORTANT! RELIEVING HYDRAULIC PRESSURE FROM LINES

Repairs to hoses and cylinders will usually require disconnecting a fitting connection. Fittings should not be disconnected until the pressure in the hydraulic circuit has been relieved. Follow this procedure to relieve pressure in the hydraulic lines.



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**WARNING:** When working with hydraulic fluid you should wear rubber gloves to prevent oil from getting in cuts and scratches in your skin and causing infections or allergic reactions.

- 1. Be sure bed is resting on its rest and loader is resting on the hitch or in its lowest position.
- 2. Park the tractor and Bale Skoop on level ground, place the transmission in park, set the parking brake, turn off the tractor, and remove the key. When the tractor is off, move each of the hydraulic levers forward and back approximately four times.
- 3. Uncouple the hoses from the tractor. Slowly unscrew the male hydraulic tips on the ends of the stacker hydraulic hoses, turning them 1/8 th of a turn at a time watching for oil to start leaking out.
- 4. Use a bucket to catch leaking hydraulic fluid.
- 5. Crack the hydraulic lines to the loader cylinders as they can have oil under pressure caught by the load check valve.



# Warning HIGH-PRESSURE FLUID HAZARD

To prevent serious injury or death:

- Relieve pressure on hydraulic system before servicing or disconnecting hoses.
- Wear proper hand and eye protection when searching for leaks. Use wood or cardboard instead of hands.
- Keep all components in good repair.

# Maintenance

## Daily Maintenance

WARNING: After the first 100 hours of use, re-torque all wheel lug nuts.					
Daily	Check				
	Lubricate	Lubricate all grease points with all-purpose, non-clay based grease. See "Lubrication" section for location of grease zerks.			
	Hitch Connection	Check the bolt system that connects the stacker to the tractor drawbar. A loose connection will wear faster and possibly uncouple.			
	Inspect Pins	Check to make sure all pins and bolts are secure in their proper places. Inspect the pivot pins for wear and replace as necessary.			
	Inspect Plastic	Check all plastic wear plates for wear or breakage. See section in general maintenance.			
	Inspect Hydraulics	Inspect all hydraulic hoses, fittings, and couplings for signs of wear and fix as necessary. Check hydraulic fluid in tractor and general hydraulic system as outlined above.			
	Clean	Keep the Bale Skoop clean and free from mud and dirt, especially around hydraulic cylinder rods and moving parts.			
	Axle Bearings	Check the oil level in the axle hubs and fill with 80-90 gear lube as necessary.			
	Wheel Lug Nuts	Examine the wheel lug nuts making sure all are tight and none are missing.			
	Tire Air Pressure	Check air pressure in tires. Tire pressures for specific tires are listed in the "Machine Specification" section at the front of this manual.			
	Grab Hooks	Examine the bolts making sure all are tight. For initial break-in of hooks check after the first 5 loads, 25 loads and periodically afterwards. Torque to 75 ft-lbs (102 Nm).			

#### **General Maintenance**

#### **General Check**

- Lug nuts should be tightened to 500 ft-lbs. (677Nm)
- Axle U-bolts should be tightened to 628 ft-lbs (851 Nm). This amount of torque will crush the threads so the U-bolts cannot be re-used.
- Alignment arm chains should be kept tight to prevent cracking of the loader. Check the chain tightness by visually inspecting the chains when the loader is fully raised. The chains should have little or no slack.

#### To tighten Alignment Arm Chains

- 1. Jack up the ends of the alignment arms and block them in place. This should create the most slack in the chain.
- 2. Release the safety latch and unhook the grab hook. Determine the link that would eliminate the most slack in the chain.
- 3. Remove the double clevis pin in the end of the chain, hook the grab hook on the desired link, and re-lock the safety latch.
- 4. Re-install the pin on the double clevis on the end of the chain through the pad eye on the alignment arm.
- Check all plastic wear surfaces used in the machine. These parts are located at the hitch pivot point, between the hitch and the frame, at the alignment arm pivots, and in the grab hook pivots (if 12SR PLUS model).
- Periodically check all bolts. Use grade eight bolts for replacements. A torque chart is provided on page 6-12.

#### Cylinder Repair

The diagnosis and repair of the hydraulic cylinders on the Auto Align Bale Skoop should only be attempted by a qualified service technician familiar with this type of repair.

#### **Bed Extensions**

The bed extensions are used to hold the fifth tier in a load, depending on the dimensions of the bales being stacked. Refer to the chart on page 5-16 to determine if your application requires the use of bed extensions. The bed extensions can easily be removed, turned around, and re-pinned to the bed if it is desired to stack a different sized bale.

## Maintenance

#### **Electrical Maintenance**

Electrical components on the SR Bale Skoop do not need regular maintenance unless wires or cable are worn or broken. This section briefly outlines the function of the electrical systems and gives some basic guidelines for maintenance and repair.

#### **Warning Box System**

This is a simple system used to warn the operator that the hitch is not in the in-line position. It consists of a micro switch mounted on the frame of the stacker, a wire that runs the length of the hitch, and a box with a light which is mounted in the cab.

#### **Basic Maintenance and Notes**

- Always check the wires for wear from rubbing on different components. When wear is detected, move the wires
  or shield them.
- When trouble shooting, always check the wires for good connections.
- · Use the Electrical Diagrams to rebuild wires if needed.

#### **Wheel Bearing Adjustment**

After the first 200 hours or after the first season.

Afterwards every 1500 hours.

Make sure the wheel bearings do not rock.

This check is performed by lifting the axle with a jack until the wheel is off the ground and rotates freely.

#### Note: Ensure to block unit securely.

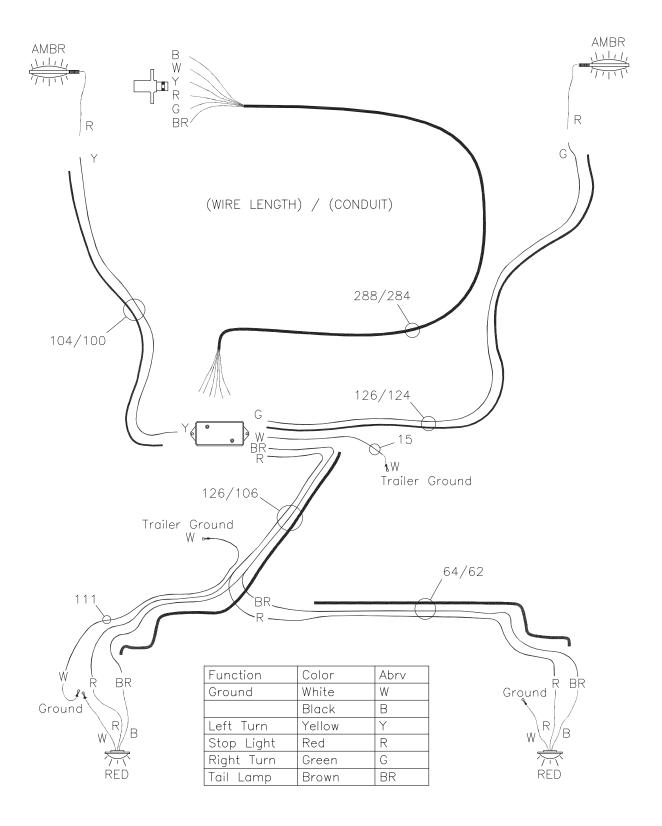
Insert a lever between the ground and tire and force the wheel up to find any gaps.

Bearing gap adjustment:

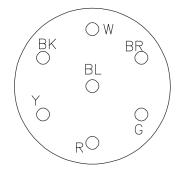
- · Remove the flanged hub cap removing the 6 screws.
- Remove the elastic stop pin on the rack nut.
- Tighten the rack nut while simultaneously rotating the wheel until the hub is slightly braked.
- Rotate the rack nut until a slot with the hole on the spindle is found and insert the elastic pin. Make sure the hub rotates manually with modest resistance.
- Top up with a good grade of lithium based grease on the visual part of the bearing and reassemble the hub cap being careful that its seal gasket is integral.
   If damaged, replace the gasket with an ADR original spare part.
- Reassemble the hub cap and tighten the 6 screws.



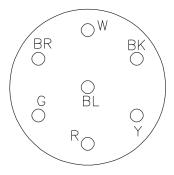
## Electrical Diagrams



### **Electrical Diagrams - Continued**

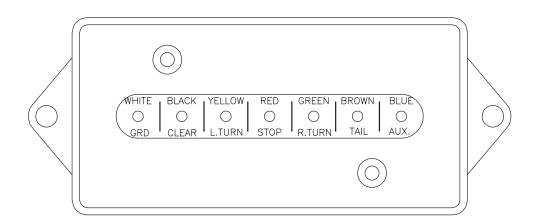


7 Pole Socket Markings

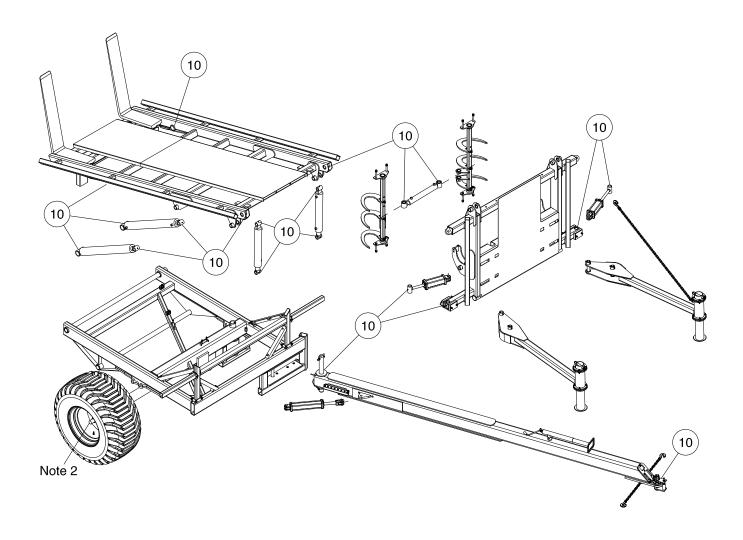


7 Pole Plug Markings

Function	Color	Abrv
Ground	White	W
	Black	В
Left Turn	Yellow	Υ
Stop Light	Red	R
Right Turn	Green	G
Tail Lamp	Brown	BR



#### **Lubrication Points**



#### Notes:

- 1. Alignment arm pivots and main hitch pin have remote grease hoses.
- 2. Change grease in hub bearings every 3000 hours with a good grade of **lithium based grease**. See "Wheel Bearing Adjustment" for more details.
- 3. Grab hooks have no grease zerks. See grab hook assembly for location of plastic bushings.
- 4. (10) = 10 hour grease point.

#### Lubricants

Hydraulic oil	High quality that meets or exceeds tractor specifications
Grease	Use a good grade of lithium based grease
Bale slide surface	

Mechanical Specifications for Externally Threaded Fasteners with Grade Markings

Specification	Material	Material Size Range	Min. Proof Min. Tensile Strength Strength	Core Ha	ardness kwell	Min. Yield Strength	Grade Identification	
		(in.)	(psi)	(psi)	Min.	Max.	(psi)	Marking
SAE J429-Grade 1	Low or medium carbon	1/4 - 1 1/2	33,000	60,000	B70	B100	36,000	
SAE J429-Grade 2	steel	1/4 - 3/4 7/8 - 1 1/2	55,000 33,000	74,000 60,000	B80 B70	B100 B100	57,000 36,000	
ASTM A307-Grade A	Low or medium carbon steel	1/4 - 4		60,000	B69 See Note 1	B100		A307A
ASTM A307-Grade B	Low or medium carbon steel	1/4 - 4		60,000(min) 100,000(max)	B69 See Note 1	B95		A307B
SAE J429-Grade 5 ASTM A449-Type1	Medium carbon steel: quenched	1/4 - 1 1 1/8 - 1 1/2	85,000 74,000	120,000 105,000	C25 C19	C34 C30	92,000 81,000	
ASTM A449-Type 1 See Note 2	& tempered	1 3/4 - 3	55,000	90,000			58,000	
ASTM A325-Type 1	Medium carbon steel: quenched & tempered	1/2 - 1" 1 1/8 - 1 1/2	85,000 74,000	120,000 105,000	C25 C19 See Note 3	C34 C30	92,000 81,000	A 325 See Note 5
ASTM A354 Grade BC	Medium carbon alloy steel: quenched & tempered	1/4 - 2 1/2 2 1/2 - 4	105,000 95,000	125,000 115,000	C26 C22 See Note 2	C36 C33	109,000 99,000	ВС
ASTM A354 Grade BD	Medium carbon alloy steel: quenched & tempered	1/4 - 2 1/2 2 1/2 - 4	120,000 105,000	150,000 140,000	C33 C31 See Note 2	C39 C39	130,000 115,000	See Note 4
SAE J429-Grade 8	Medium carbon alloy steel: quenched & tempered	1/4 - 1 1/2	120,000	150,000	C33	C39	130,000	
SAE J429-Grade 8.2	Low carbon boron steel: quenched & tempered	1/4 - 1	120,000	150,000	C33	C39	130,000	
ASTM A490-Type 1	Medium carbon alloy steel: quenched & tempered	1/2 - 1 1/2	120,000	150,000(min) 170,000(max)	C33 See Note 3	C38	130,000	A 490
ASTM A574 Socket Head Cap Screw	Low alloy steel: quenched & tempered	#0 - 1/2 over 1/2 - 2	140,000 135,000	180,000 170,000	C39 C37	C45 C45	162,000 153,000	

Note 1: No minimum hardness is required on bolts and studs 3 x diameter and longer.

Note 2: Bolts less than 3 diameter in length and studs less than 4 diameter in length shall have hardness values not less than minimum and not more than maximum. This hardness testing is the only mechanical testing requirement for these bolts and studs.

**Note 3**: Bolts less than 3 x diameter are subject only to maximum/minimum hardness testing.

Note 4: ASTM A354-Grade BD with diameters 1/2" thru 2 1/2" shall be marked with six radial lines and, in addition may be marked with the grade symbol "BD." BD shall be marked on bolts over 2 1/2" in diameter.

Note 5: Bolts shall be marked "A325." Additionally, the bolts may be marked with 3 radial 120 degrees apart (as shown).

Torque-Tension Relationships for SAE J429 Grade Bolts

Nominal	SA	AE J429 Grade	2	SAE J429 Grade 5		SAE J429 Grade 8			
Thread	Clamp	Tightenin	Tightening Torque		Clamp Tightening Torque		Clamp	Tightenin	g Torque
Size	Load (lbs)	K = .15	K = .20	Load (lbs)	K = .15	K = .20	Load (lbs)	K = .15	K = .20
				Unified Coarse	Thread Series	S			
1/4-20	1,300	49 in-lbs	65 in-lbs	2,000	75 in-lbs	100 in-lbs	2,850	107 in-lbs	143 in-lbs
5/16-18	2,150	101	134	3,350	157	210	4700	220	305
3/8-16	3,200	15 ft-lbs	20 ft-lbs	4,950	23 ft-lbs	31 ft-lbs	6,950	32.5 ft-lbs	44 ft-lbs
7/16-14	4,400	24	30	6,800	37	50	9,600	53	70
1/2-13	5,850	36.5	49	9,050	57	75	12,800	80	107
9/16-12	7,500	53	70	11,600	82	109	16,400	115	154
5/8-11	9,300	73	97	14,500	113	151	20,300	159	211
3/4-10	13,800	129	173	21,300	200	266	30,100	282	376
7/8-9	11,425	125	166	29,435	321	430	41,550	454	606
1-8	15,000	187.5	250	38,600	482.5	640	54,540	680	900
				Unified Fine	Thread Series				
1/4-28	1,500	55 in-lbs	75 in-lbs	2,300	85 in-lbs	115 in-lbs	3,250	120 in-lbs	163 in-lbs
5/16-24	2,400	112	150	3,700	173	230	5,200	245	325
3/8-24	3,600	17 ft-lbs	22.5 ft-lbs	5,600	26 ft-lbs	35 ft-lbs	7,900	37 ft-lbs	50 ft-lbs
7/16-20	4,900	27	36	7,550	42	55	10,700	59	78
1/2-20	6,600	41	55	10,200	64	85	14,400	90	120
9/16-18	8,400	59	79	13,000	92	122	18,300	129	172
5/8-18	10,600	83	110	16,300	128	170	23,000	180	240
3/4-16	15,400	144	193	23,800	223	298	33,600	315	420
7/8-14	12,610	138	184	32,480	355	473	45,855	500	668
1-12	16,410	205	273	42,270	528	704	59,670	745	995

Clamp load estimated as 75% of proof load for specified bolts.

Torque values for ¼ and 5/16 inch series are in inch-pounds. All other torque values are in foot-pounds.

Torque values calculated from formula T = KDF where: K=0.15 for "lubricated" conditions K=0.20 for "dry" conditions

#### **Year End Maintenance**

#### Storage

- Park Bale Skoop on level ground.
- Lock hitch in the "in-line" position with hitch safety pin.
- Set loader on the hitch.
- Relieve pressure in lines to prevent "thermal" lock.



WARNING: Keep children away from the stored Bale Skoop. Many of the surfaces on the machine are slippery and injuries may result from climbing on or around machine.



CAUTION: Keep livestock away from machine so they will not injure themselves or damage the machine.

#### **Preventative Maintenance**

- Paint bed with a graphite impregnated paint (Slip Plate®) to keep it from rusting.
- Touch up any scratches or flaking paint.
- Grease all zerks with an all-purpose, non-clay based grease. The non-clay based grease should help eliminate the plugging of grease zerks.
- Cover tires to prevent sun damage.



CAUTION: Direct sunlight will cause tires and hoses to deteriorate more quickly.

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# Section 7: Storage

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## Storage

#### **Preparing for Storage**

- To insure longer life and satisfactory operation, store the implement in a shed.
- If building storage is impossible, store away from areas of main activity on level, firm, dry ground.
- Lock hitch in the "in-line" position with hitch safety pin.
- Set loader on the hitch.
- Relieve pressure in lines to prevent "thermal" lock.
- · Clean machine thoroughly.
- Inspect all parts for wear or damage.
- Avoid delays if parts are required, order at the end of the season.
- Lubricate grease fittings. (Refer to Maintenance Section).
- Tighten all bolts to proper specifications (Refer to Maintenance Section).
- For a safer storage, lower the implement into field position and release the hydraulic pressure.
- Level implement using hitch jack and block up.
- · Relieve pressure from hydraulic system.
- Raise frames, block up and relieve weight from the tires
- Cover tires with canvas to protect them from the elements when stored outside.
- Coat exposed cylinder shafts (Refer to Cylinder Shaft Protection).
- Paint bed with a graphite impregnated paint (Slip Plate®) to keep it from rusting.
- Touch up any scratches or flaking paint.

Note: Direct sunlight will cause tires and hoses to deteriorate more quickly.



on or around the machine.



## Caution

Keep livestock away from machine so they will not injure themselves or damage the machine.

#### **Cylinder Shaft Protection**

The steps summarized below should be followed when protecting chrome plated shafting on equipment:

- Position the equipment as it will be stored, and identify all the exposed portions of the chrome plated shafts.
- Clean dirt and dust from the exposed portions of the shaft using a dry cloth or a cloth which has been dampened with an appropriate solvent.
- Prepare a mixture of 60% oil-based rust inhibitor and 40% Kerosene. Apply a thin coating of this mixture to the exposed surfaces of the chrome plated shaft. No. 1 fuel oil may be substituted for Kerosene. A cloth dipped in the mixture can be used to apply the coating.
- Inspect the shaft surfaces after six months and apply additional corrosion preventative mixture.
- If the equipment is to be moved and then stored again for an extended period of time, the steps above should be repeated for all shafts that were stroked during the move.
- Before retracting the cylinders the protective coating should be removed. This will prevent fine sand and dirt that has accumulated in the coating, from damaging the shaft seal. Under no circumstances should sandpaper or other abrasive material be used to clean the surfaces. Plastic or copper wool in combination with an appropriate solvent will remove most of the dirt.

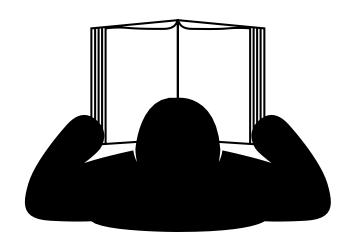


## Caution

Dirt in the hydraulic system could damage O-rings, causing leakage, pressure loss and total system failure.

## **Removing from Storage**

- · Review Operator's Manual.
- Check tire pressure (Refer to Tire Pressure List).
- Clean machine thoroughly. Remove coating from exposed cylinder shafts (Refer to Cylinder Shaft Protection).
- Lubricate grease fittings (Refer to Lubricating) Section).
- Tighten all bolts to proper specifications (Refer to Bolt Torque Chart).



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Loader will not lower	8-3
Loader lowers slow	8-3
Alignment Arms do not center bales, or squeeze bales tight	8-3
Alignment Arms open as loader raises, and close as loader lowers	8-3
Grab Hooks push bale away from loader	8-3
Grab Hooks will not engage	
Grab Hooks will not disengage	8-3
Grab Hooks engage before alignment arms	8-3
Grab Hooks engage when loader raises, and retract when loader lowers	8-3

### Troubleshooting

#### **Troubleshooting Guide**

#### **Hydraulic System Overview**

The movement of the loader on the Auto Align Bale Skoop is controlled by the Manifold Valve located under the Bed. The Manifold consists of 5 pressure relief valves which are set to open when the fluid pressure against them reaches a designated pressure. These internal pressure relief valves are adjustable, allowing for fine-tuning of the hydraulically actuated sequence of motions of the loader.

#### **Troubleshooting the Hydraulics**

The hydraulic systems for the Bale Skoop are fairly simple. Most problems are rooted either in mis-adjusted pressure relief valve(s) in the manifold, or switched hoses entering the manifold.

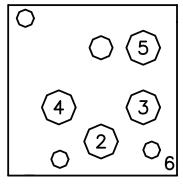
When troubleshooting hydraulic problems always start with hose routing. Use the Hydraulic Hose Routing diagram in the "Parts Breakdown" section to confirm the proper hose routing.

If hoses are properly routed, adjusting the pressure relief valves in the manifold should resolve the problem.

Use the Troubleshooting Chart on the next page to correlate the problem with a potential solution.

#### **Valves and Valve Functions**

- Valve 2. Plug.
- Valve 3. Sequence check valve causes the alignment arms to close first and then the loader to raise.
- Valve 4. Counter balance valve which holds the loader up while the alignment arms open.
- Valve 5. Sequence valve which allows the alignment arms to close first before the grab hooks engage.
- Valve 6. Check valve which causes the oil to flow in the right direction.



Manifold Valve

#### 12SR PLUS Models Only

**Grab Hook Valve** 

4-Way valve used to direct the flow of oil to the grab hook cylinder.

### Hydraulic Troubleshooting Chart

Symptom	Problem	Solution
Loader will not raise	Valve #3 is set too high	Turn adjustment screw OUT on valve #3
Loader raises slow	Valve #3 is set too high Tractor hydraulic flow or pressure is slow or low	Turn adjustment screw OUT on valve #3 Contact tractor manufacturer or dealer
Loader lowers when alignment arms are opening	Valve #4 is set too low	Turn adjustment screw OUT on valve #4
Loader lowers before alignment arm open	Valve #4 is set too low	Turn adjustment screw OUT on valve #4
Loader will not lower	Valve #4 set too high	Turn adjustment screw IN on valve #4
Loader lowers slow	Valve #4 set too high	Turn adjustment screw IN on valve #4
Alignment Arms do not center bales, or squeeze bales tight	Valve #3 set too low	Turn adjustment screw IN on valve #3
Alignment Arms open as loader raises, and close as loader lowers	Wrong hose routing	Check hose routing against diagram
Grab Hooks push bale away from loader	Valve #3 set too low Valve #5 set too low	Turn adjustment screw IN on valve #3 Turn adjustment screw IN on valve #5
Grab Hooks will not engage	Wrong hose routing Spool on 4-Way Valve is not retracting Valve #5 set too high	Check hose routing against diagram Check 4-Way Valve assembly for kinks in spring or cable when loader is lowered Turn adjustment screw OUT on valve #5
Grab Hooks will not disengage	Spool on 4-Way Valve is not being extended Hoses are connected wrong Valve #5 set too high	Check 4-Way Valve assembly and pull spring and cable hook-up for failure or malfunction Switch 4-Way Valve hoses at Manifold. Turn adjustment screw OUT on valve #5
Grab Hooks engage before alignment arms	Valve #5 set too low	Turn adjustment screw IN on valve #5
Grab Hooks engage when loader raises, and retract when loader lowers	Wrong hose routing	Check hoses routing against diagram

<sup>#</sup> If you continue to have problems please contact an authorized ProAG dealer.

### Troubleshooting

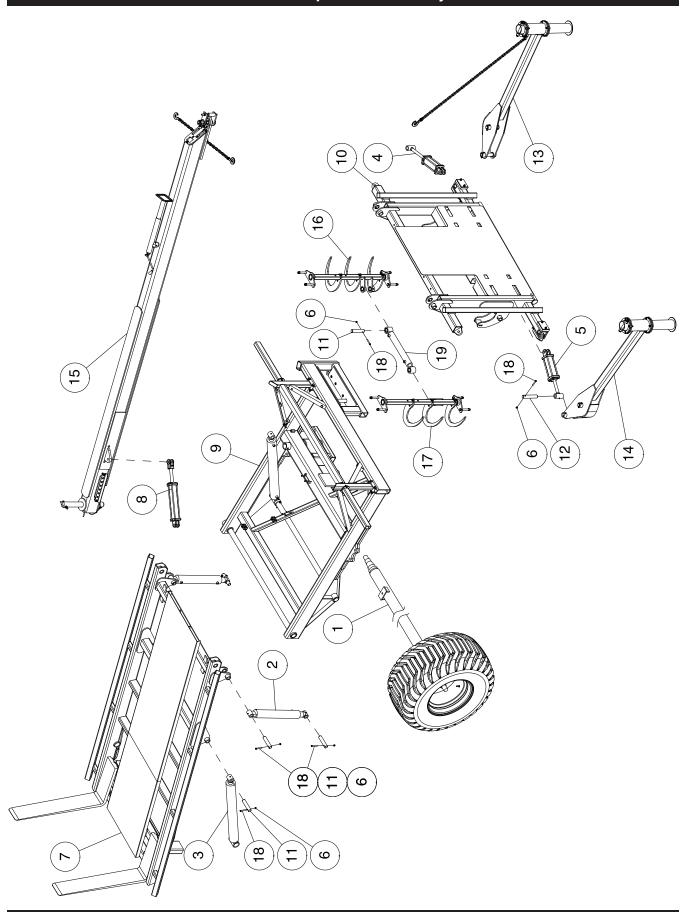
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# **Section 9: Parts Breakdown**

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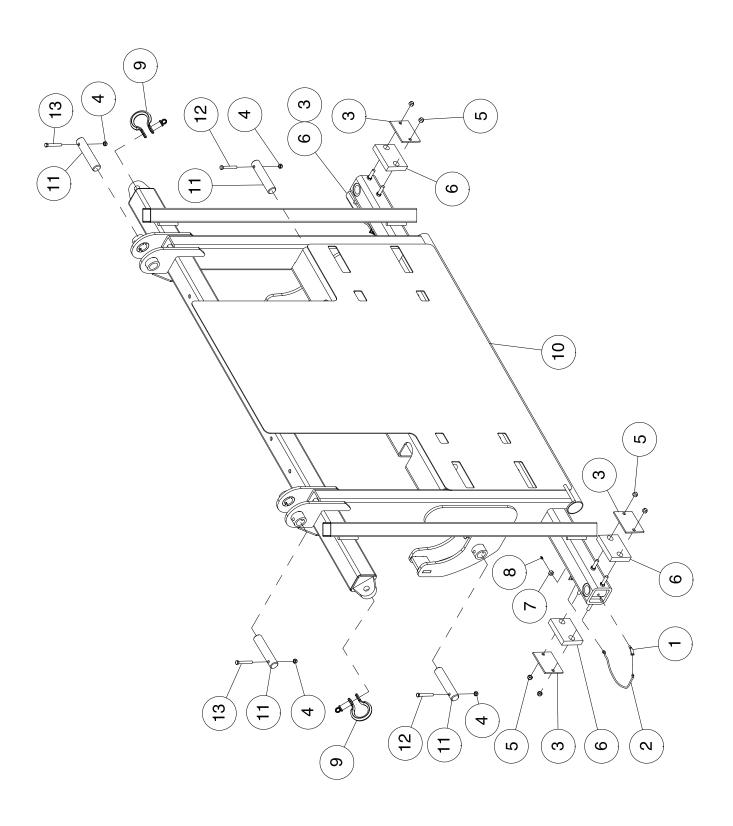
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### 4SR PLUS and 12SR PLUS Bale Skoop Final Assembly



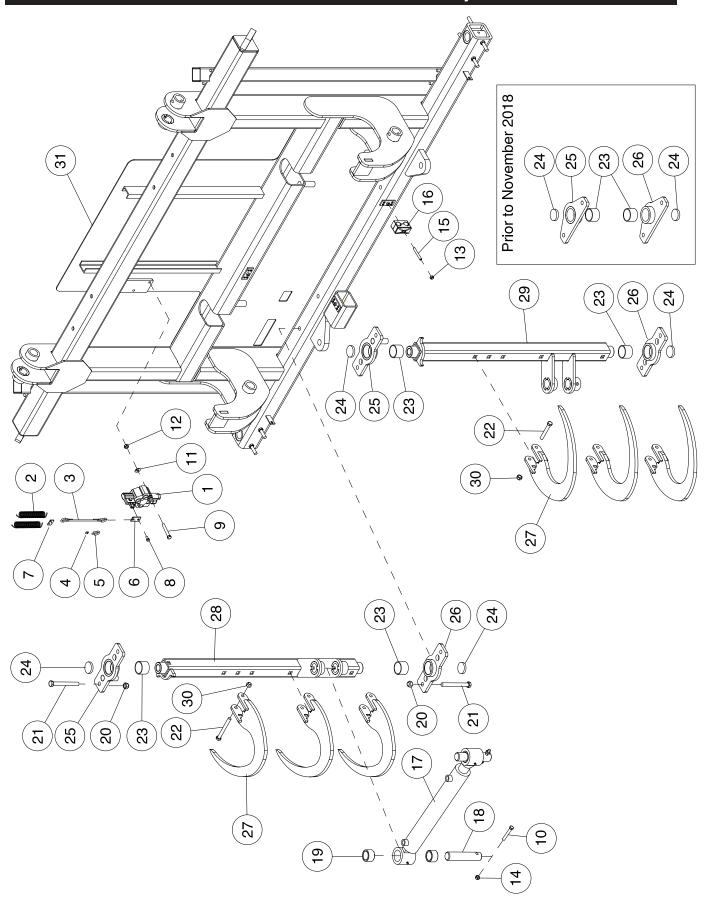
		Bale Skoop Final Assembly	
Item	Part No.	Description	Qty
1	K65665	ADR Axle Assembly - See Page 1-18	1
2	10032	Loader Cylinder - 3 1/2 x 20 Stroke	2
3	10033	Bed Cylinder - 4 x 36 Stroke	2
4	10034	LH Alignment Cylinder - 3 1/4 x 8 Stroke	1
5	10035	RH Alignment Cylinder - 3 1/2 x 8 Stroke	1
6	10302	Nylon Insert Locknut - 7/16	14
7	K64700	Bed - See Page 1-10	1
8 9	12302 12474	Hitch Cylinder - 3 x 14 Stroke	1
10	K64570	Main Frame - See Page 1-12 to 1-15 Loader - 12SR PLUS	1
11	12519	Pin - Bed Cylinder - 1 1/2 Dia x 6 UL	10
12	12519	Pin - Alignment Arm - 1 1/2 Dia x 7 1/4 UL	4
13	12525	LH Medium Alignment Arm Assembly - 12SR PLUS - See Page 1-9	1
.0	12527	LH Short Alignment Arm - HD4SR - See Page 1-8	1
14	12526	RH Medium Alignment Arm Assembly - 12SR PLUS - See Page 1-9	1
	12528	RH Short Alignment Arm - HD4SR - See Page 1-8	1
15	K42480	Hitch Beam Assembly - See Page 1-16	
16	K65076	LH Grab Hook Assembly - 12SR PLUS - See Page 1-6	1
17	K65075	RH Grab Hook Assembly - 12SR PLUS - See Page 1-6	1
18	D-5251	Hex Bolt - 7/16 x 3 Lg	14
19	K42468	Cylinder Assembly W/Bushings - 2 1/2 x 16 Stroke - 12SR PLUS	1
	12039	Grommet - Inserts Into Light Bar (Not Shown)	2
	10248 W-4647	Slip Coat	1
	10359	Red Paint	1
	10339	Warning Light Assembly  Operators Manual - HD4SR and 12SR PLUS	1
		Assembly Manual - HD4SR and 12SR PLUS	1
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### 4SR PLUS and 12SR PLUS Loader Assembly



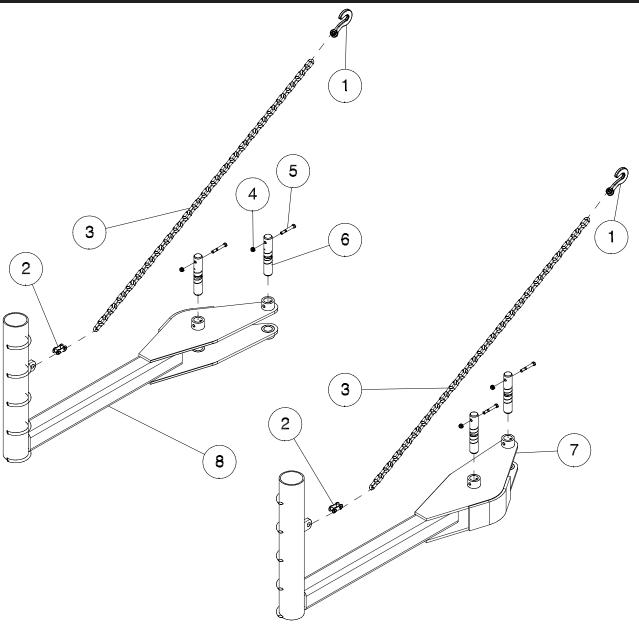
		Loader Assembly	
Item	Part No.	Description	Qty
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 13	10173 10183 10104 10302 F-3405 10351 10227 S-752 10827 K64570 12519 D-5251	Street Grease Elbow - NPTF 45 Remote Grease Hose - 1/8 x 12 Lg Plate - Alignment Slider Locknut - 1/16 Nylon Insert Locknut - 1/16 Nylon Insert Slider - Alignment Arm 3/8 - Grease Hose Jam Nut Grease Fitting - 1/4 Round Pin Shackle - 3/4 Loader - 12SR PLUS Pin - Bed Cylinder - 1 1/2 x 7 Hex Bolt - 7/16 x 3 Lg	2 2 4 4 8 4 2 2 2 1 4 4

### 4SR PLUS and 12SR PLUS 12SR PLUS - Grab Hook Assembly



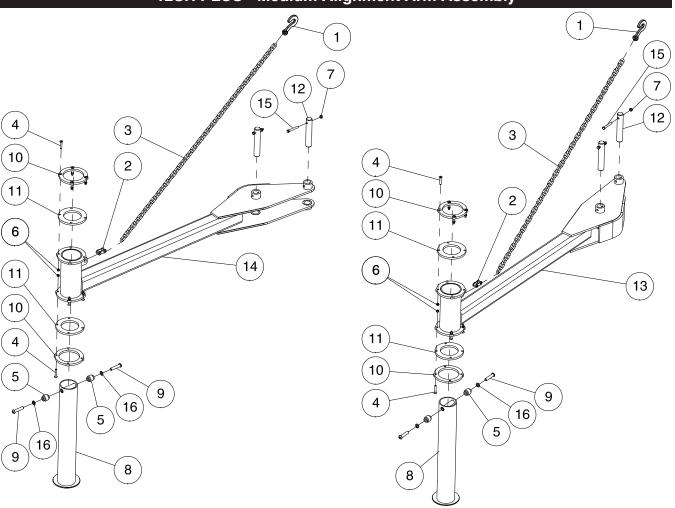
		12SR PLUS - Grab Hook Assembly	
Item	Part No.	Description	Qty
1	K53973	Directional Valve	1
2	10845	Spring - 3/4 x 5 3/4	2
3	K53993	Pull Cable	1
4	K42389	Oval Sleeve - 0.062 Diameter	4
5	K42390	Thimble	2
6	K53980	Plate - Valve Link	1
7	K53987	Plate - Spring Link	1
8	K53981	Hex Bolt - M8 x 25 mm Lg.	1
9	S-1302	Hex Bolt - 5/16 x 2 1/2 Lg	2
10	D-5251	Hex Bolt - 7/16 x 3 Lg	2
11	W-522	Lockwasher - 5/16	2
12 13	W-513 10231	Hex Nut - 5/16 Locknut - 5/16 Nylon Insert	3
14	10231	Locknut - 7/16 Nylon Insert	2
15	10811	Set Screw - 5/16 x 2 1/2 Lg	3
16	11740	Plastic Hose Clamps - 13/16	3
17	K42468	Cylinder Assembly W/Bushings - 2 1/2 x 16 Stroke	1
18	12519	Pin - Bed Cylinder - 1 1/2 x 7	2
19	K44008	Bushing - Cylinder Pivot	4
20	S-1197	Locknut - 5/8 Nylon Insert	8
21	S-1344	Hex Bolt - 5/8 x 5 1/2 Lg	8
22	W-495	Hex Bolt - 1/2 x 4 Lg	6
23	K65104	Q2 Bushing - 2 ID x 2 1/4 OD x 1 1/4 Lg	4
24	K65047	Thrust Washer - 2 Dia x 1/4 Thick	4
25	K66041	Upper Grab Hook Mount	2
	K64605	Spindle Mount - Prior to November 2018	2
26	K66022	Lower Grab Hook Mount	2
	K64605	Spindle Mount - Prior to November 2018	2
27	K64608	Grab Hook	6
28	K64602	Grab Hook Spindle - Left	1
29	K64705	Grab Hook Spindle - Right	1
30	C26701	Locknut - 1/2 Nylon Insert	6
31	K64570	Loader - 12SR PLUS	1
	K65076	Left Grab Hook Assembly (Includes item 20 to 27 and 28)	
	K65075	Right Grab Hook Assembly (Includes item 20 to 27 and 29)	

## 4SR PLUS 4SR PLUS - Short Alignment Arm Assembly



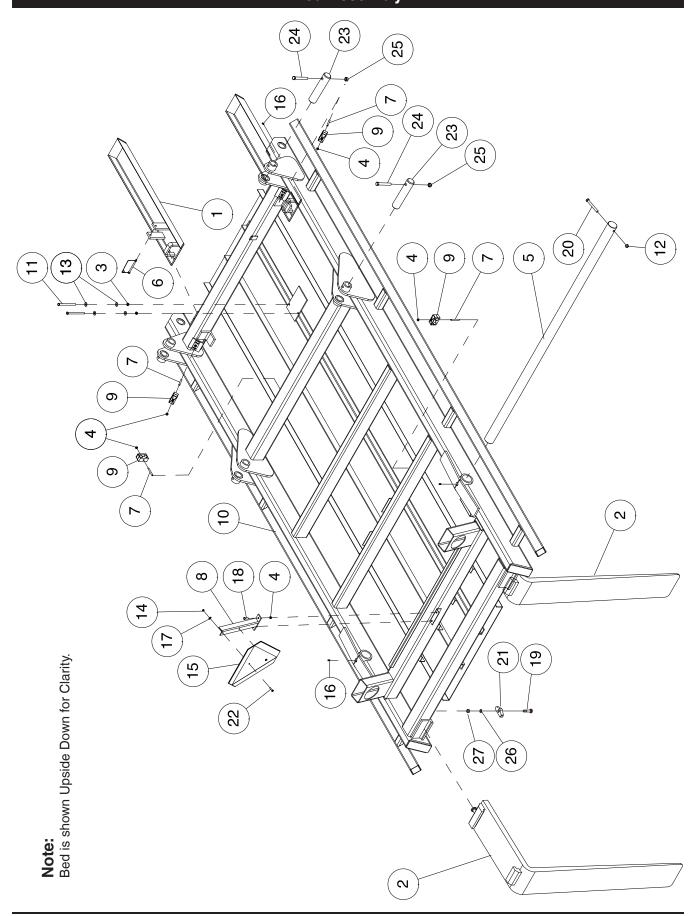
Item	Part No.	Description	Qty
1	10662	3/8 Chain Locking Grab Hook	2
2	10677	7/16 - 1/2 Twin Clevis	2
3	10750	Chain - 75 Lg - Grade 70 (Includes Item 1)	2
4	10302	Locknut - 7/16 Nylon Insert	4
5	D-5251	Hex Bolt - 7/16 x 3	4
6	12520	Pin - 1 1/2 x 8 1/4	4
7	12527	LH Short Alignment Arm	1
8	12528	RH Short Alignment Arm	1
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### HD12SR PLUS 12SR PLUS - Medium Alignment Arm Assembly



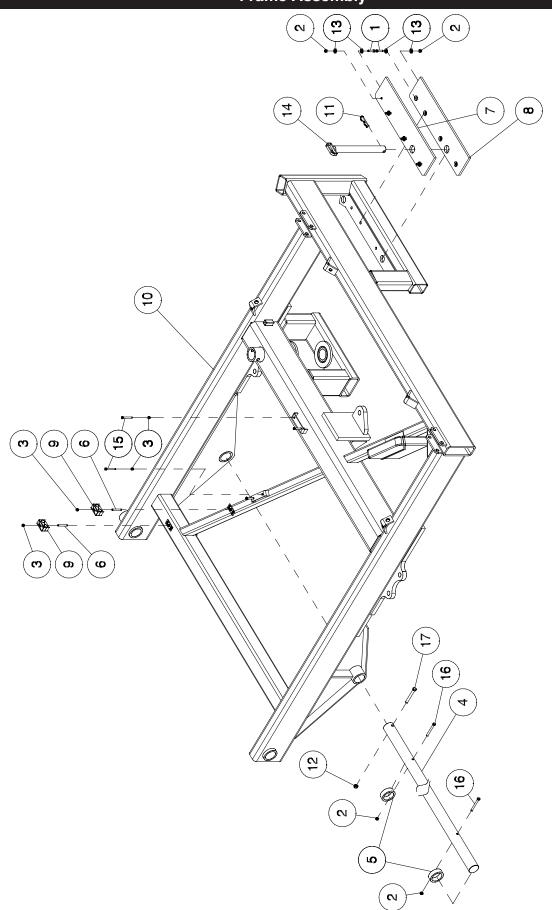
Item	Part No.	Description	Qty
1	10662	Chain Locking Grab Hook - 3/8	2
2	10677	Twin Clevis - 7/16 x 1/2	2
3	10750	Chain - 75 Lg - Grade 70 (Includes Item 1)	2
4	W14501	Carriage Bolt - 3/8 x 2 1/4	16
5	10076	Rubber Roller Bushing - 5/8 x 2	4
6	10229	Nylon Insert Locknut - 3/8	16
7	10302	Nylon Insert Locknut - 7/16	4
8	10400	Foot Slider	2
9	C-3016	Hex Bolt - 5/8 x 3	4
10	10841	Bearing Plate	4
11	10846	Foot Slider Bearing	4
12	12520	Pin - 1 1/2 x 8 1/4	4
13	12525	LH Medium Alignment Arm	1
14	12526	RH Medium Alignment Arm	1
15	D-5251	Hex Bolt - 7/16 x 3 Lg	4
16	W-526	Lockwasher - 5/8	4

### 4SR PLUS and 12SR PLUS Bed Assembly



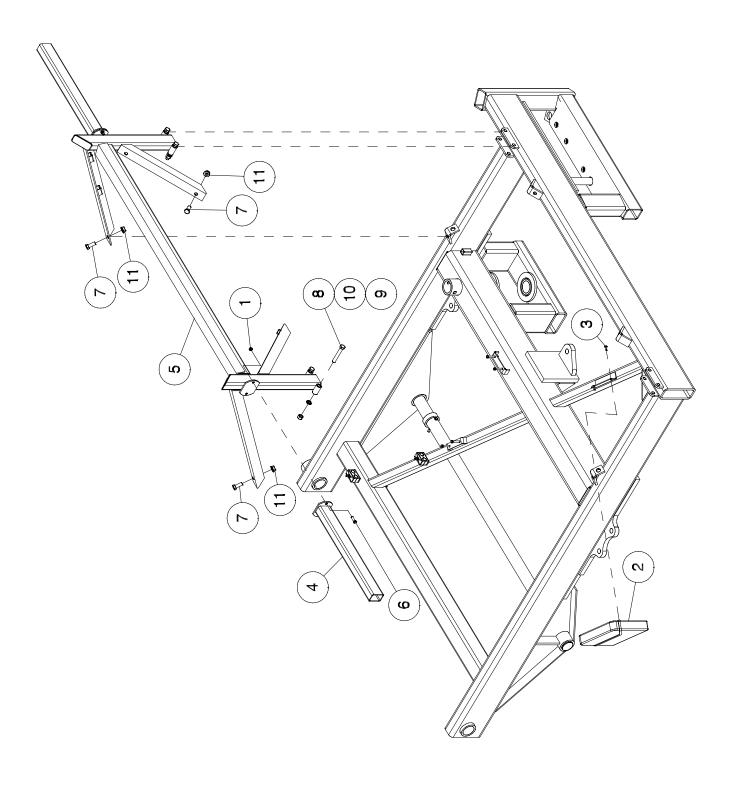
		Bed Assembly	
Item	Part No.	Description	Qty
1	10130	Bed Extensions	2
2	10163	Forklift Tooth - 8 x 48	2
3	10229	Locknut - 3/8 Nylon Insert	2
4	10231	Locknut - 5/16 Nylon Insert	6
5	10260	Bed Pivot Shaft	1
6	10414	Snap Lock Pins - 5/16 x 4 UL	2
7	10811 11132	Set Screw - 5/16 x 2 1/2 Lg.	4
8 9	11740	Bracket - SMV SignPlastic Hose Clamp - 13/16	1 4
10	K64700	Bed - 12SR PLUS	1
11	10063	Hex Bolt - 3/8 x 5 Lg GR8	2
12	F-3405	Locknut - 1/2 Nylon Insert	3
13	W-538	Washer - 13/32 ID x 1 OD x 16 Ga	4
14	10233	Locknut - 1/4 Nylon Insert	2
15	N34475	Slow Moving Vehicle Emblem	1
16	S-752	Grease Zerk - 1/4 Straight	4
17	S-1198	Washer - 5/16 ID x 3/4 OD x 0.065	2
18	W-471	Hex Bolt - 5/16 x 1 Lg	2
19	C33957	Bolt Carriage Head - 3/4 x 3 Lg	2
20	K25798	Hex Bolt - 1/2 x 4 Lg GR8	1
21	K45683	Fork Retainer Block	2
22	W-1552	Hex Bolt - 1/4 x 1 Lg	2
23	12519	Pin - Bed Cylinder - 1 1/2 x 7	4
24	D-5251	Hex Bolt - 7/16 x 3 Lg	4
25	10302	Locknut - 7/16 Nylon Insert	4
26	W-527	Lockwasher - 3/4	2
27	W-518	Hex Nut - 3/4 GR5	2

### 4SR PLUS and 12SR PLUS Frame Assembly



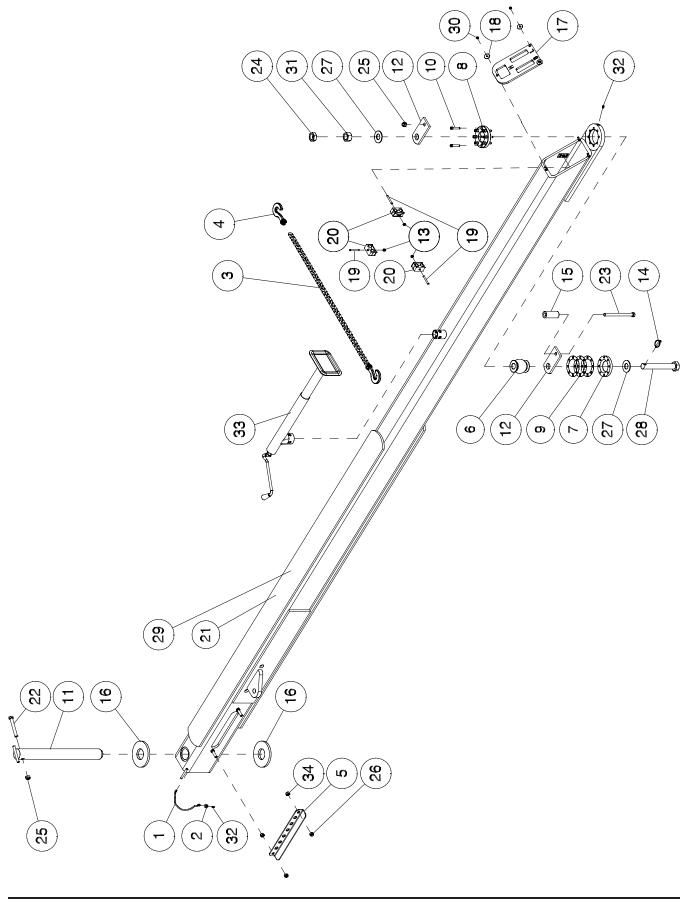
		Frame Assembly	
Item	Part No.	Description	Qty
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17	W-477 10229 10231 10258 10308 10811 11123 11124 11740 12474 BW-11 F-3405 W-538 K42477 S-1302 10813 K25798	Bolt Hex Head - 3/8 x 1 /12 Lg	8 10 6 1 2 2 1 1 2 16 1 4 2 2

### 4SR PLUS and 12SR PLUS Bed Rest Assembly

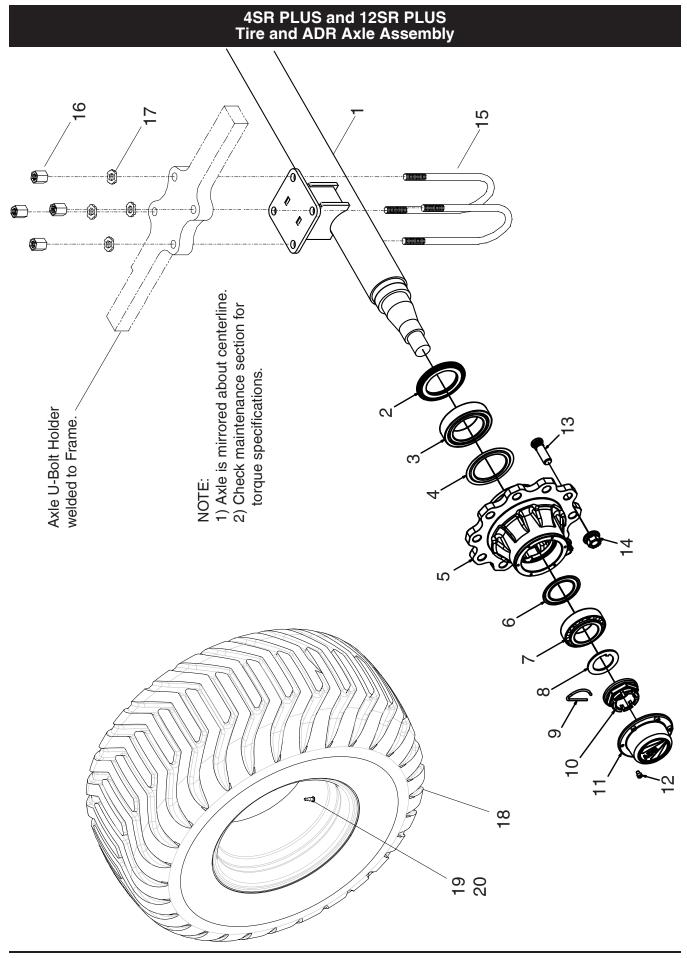


		Bed Rest	
Item	Part No.	Description	Qty
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11	10229 10295 10297 11129 K42475 W-477 W-504 W-517 W-526 W14434	Locknut - 3/8 Nylon Insert.  Manual Box Screw - 1/4 - 20 x 3/4 Light Bar.  Frame - Bed Rest. Hex Bolt - 3/8 x 1 1/2 Lg Hex Bolt - 5/8 x 4 Lg Hex Nut - 5/8 Lockwasher - 5/8. Locknut - 5/8 Flange	14 1 2 2 1 4 4 4 4 4 4 4

### 4SR PLUS and 12SR PLUS Hitch Assembly

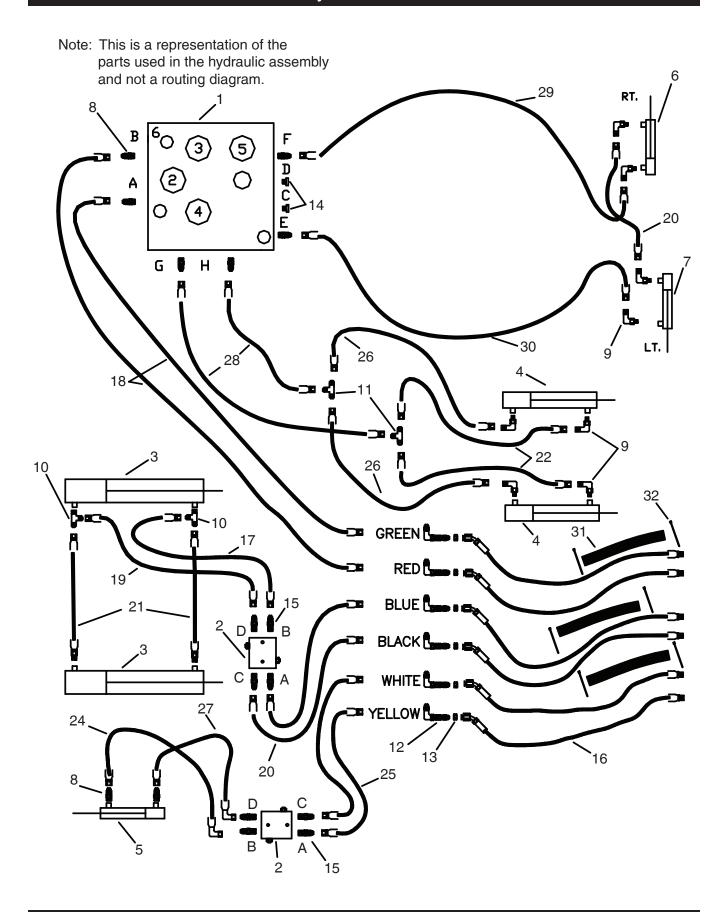


		Hitch Assembly	
Item	Part No.	Description	Qty
1	10183	Remote Grease Hose - 1/8 x 12	1
2	10227	Grease Hose Jam Nut - 3/8	1
3	10369	Chain - 3/8 x 8 Foot	1
4	10662	3/8 Chain Locking Grab Hook	2
5	10025	Hitch Hose Manifold	1
6	10049	Hitch Ball	1
7	10050	Ring Hitch Lower	1
8	10051	Ring Hitch Upper	1
9	10052	Ball Hitch Shim (Shim as required)	6
10	10069	Allen Head Cap Screw Plain - 3/8 x 2 GR 8	8
11	10129	Pin - Hitch Pivot	1
12	10142	Plate - Draw Bar Hitch	2
13	10231	Locknut - 5/16 Nylon Insert	3
14 15	10247 10313	Klik Pin W/Chain & Cotter Pin	1
16	10313	Washer - Hitch Pivot	1 2
17	10352	End Cap - Hitch	1
18	10354	Washer - 9/32 ID x 1 1/4 OD x 16Ga	3
19	10811	Set Screw - 5/16 x 2 1/2 Lg.	3
20	11740	Plastic Hose Clamp Assembly	3
21	12529	Hitch Beam	1
22	10816	Hex Bolt - 5/8 x 5 Lg GR8	1
23	10066	Hex Bolt - 5/8 x 8 Lg GR8	1
24	C15768	Hex Jam Nut - 1 1/4	1
25	10230	Locknut - 5/8 Nylon Insert	2
26	F-3405	Locknut - 1/2 Nylon Insert	2
27	10682	Washer - 1 5/16 ID x 2 3/4 OD x 8 Ga	2
28	K45448	Hitch Bolt - 1 1/4 x 9 Lg	1
29	K42480	Assembly - Hitch Beam W/Ball Clevis	1
30	10233	Locknut - 1/4 Nylon Insert	3
31	P61D20	Hex Nut - 1 1/4	1
32	S-752	Straight Grease Zerk - 1/4	2
33	S39391	Top Wind Jack - 2000 Lb	1
34	W-516	Hex Nut - 1/2	2
35	D-4838	Tie Strap - 14 1/2 Lg (Not Shown)	2
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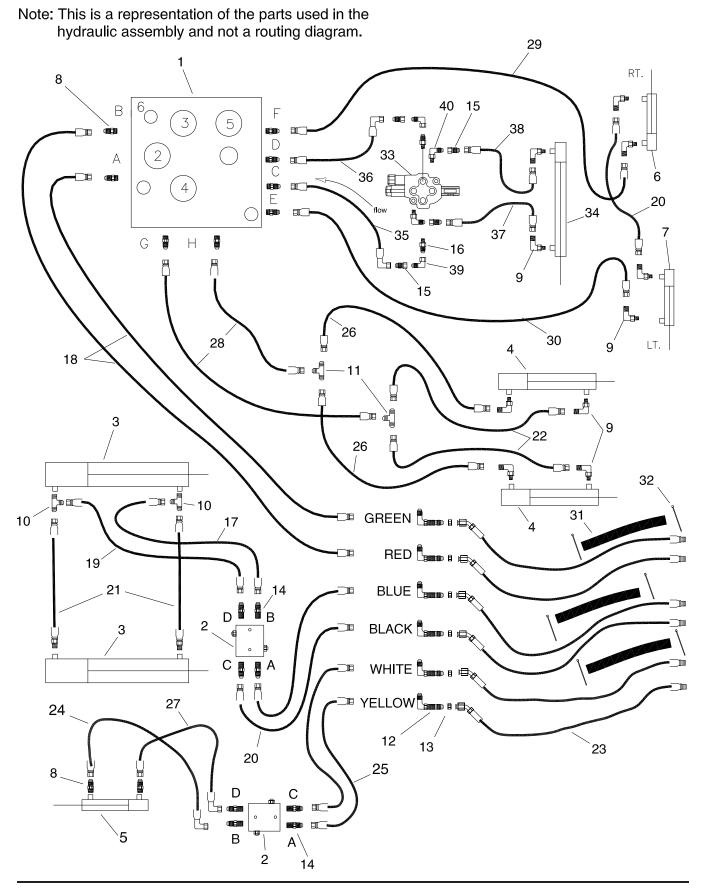
	Tire and ADR Axle Assembly				
Item	Part No.	Description	Qty		
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 2 13 14 15 16 17 18 9 20	K65665 K65166 K65167 K65168 K65170 K65171 K65172 K65173 K65174 K65175 K65176 K65177 K65178 10077 10234 10041 K56777 S64947 N13968	* Quantities Listed Are For One Machine ADR Axle Assembly - 112 Lg (Includes Items 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 & 14). Grease Seal (541402). Inside Bearing (59133018 NILOS for Bearing K65167 (5511402) Hub- H10 (611ZUA002). NILOS Grease Seal (5531092 Outside Bearing (59133114). Lock Washer for M58 (5785801). Spring Pin for M58 (58212). Crown Nut - M58 x 1.50 WR80 H38 (57558B1) Cap with Gasket (56112518). Socket Head Screw (96308A0101) Wheel Stud - M22 x 1.50 L077 (57122B2) GR 10.9 Flange Wheel Nut - M22 x 1.5 WR32 - GR 10 (26mm Height) (57322B3) 7/8 x 12 - 5 Round U-Bolt - Plain. 7/8 Heavy Duty High Plain Nut. 7/8 Heavy Duty Washer Tire - 600/50-22.5 - 16-Ply - TVS Eurogrip. Rim - 20 x 22.5 - 10 Bolt (Includes Item 20). Valve Stem Note: ADR part numbers included in brackets for Items 2 through 14	1 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2		

### 4SR PLUS and 12SR PLUS 4SR PLUS Hydraulic Hose Schematic



	4SR PLUS Hydraulic Hose Schematic				
Item	Part No.	No. Description			
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 32 32 32 32 32 32 32 32 32 32 32 32	K56756 K44257 K44258 K44259 K44260 K44261 K44262  11723 10033 10032 12302 10035 10034 10178 10186 10187 10186 10187 10168 10083 10086 10675 10865 10865 10866 C-817 10081 10329 10868 10691 10869 10879 10185 10080	Manifold Valve. Manifold Block - D3403C SI Cavity Plug - #XBOA-XXN - PORT 2 Sequence Valve - #SCEA-LAN - PORT 3 (K60255 Seal Kit) Counterbalance Valve - #GSEA-LHN - PORT 4 Sequence Valve - #RSFC-LAN - PORT 5 (K60255 Seal Kit) Check Valve - #CXCD-XZN - PORT 6 (K60255 Seal Kit) Cushion Valve - 2000 PSI Bed Cylinder Loader Cylinder Loader Cylinder LH Alignment Cylinder Tee - 08 DRID To 08 JIC To 08 JIC Tee - 08 JIC To 08 JIC To 08 JIC Tee - 08 JIC To 08 JIC To 08 JIC Tee - 08 JIC To 08 JIC To 08 JIC Tee - 08 JIC To 08 JIC To 08 JIC Tee - 08 JIC To 08 JIC To B JIC Bulkhead Fitting Jam Nut - 08 Port Plug - 08 ORB Connector - 08 MJIC To 12 MORB Hose - 1/2 x 252 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Hose - 1/2 x 251 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Hose - 1/2 x 201 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Hose - 1/2 x 85 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Hose - 1/2 x 80 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Mose - 1/2 x 80 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Mose - 1/2 x 80 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Mose - 1/2 x 80 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Mose - 1/2 x 80 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Mose - 1/2 x 80 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Mose - 1/2 x 80 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Mose - 1/2 x 80 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Mose - 1/2 x 80 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Mose - 1/2 x 80 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Mose - 1/2 x 80 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Mose - 1/2 x 80 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Mose - 1/2 x 80 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Mose - 1/2 x 17 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Mose - 1/2 x 17 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Mose - 1/2 x 17 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Mose - 1/2 x 17 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Mose - 1/2 x 17 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Mose - 1/2 x 17 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Mose - 1/2 x 17 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Mose - 1/2 x 17 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Mose - 1/2 x 17 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Mose - 1/2 x 17 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Mose - 1/2 x 17 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Mose - 1/2 x 17 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swivel Mose - 1/2 x 17 Lg - #8 3/4-16 FJIC Swi	2 2 1 1 1 8 8 2 2 6 6 2 8 6 1 2 1 3 2 2 6 1 2 1 1 2 1 1 1 1 1 2 1 1 1 1 1 1		

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	12SR PLUS Hydraulic Hose Schematic				
Item	Part No.	. Description			
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41	K56756 K44257 K44258 K44259 K44260 K44261 K44262  11723 10033 10032 12302 10035 10034 10178 10180 10187 10186 10181 10171 10177 N37876 N29358 10083 10086 10675 10865 10085 10866 10168 10081 10329 10868 10691 10869 10879 10185 10080 K53973 12166 10874 12244 10863 10329 S29967 N16143 C-817	Manifold Valve  Manifold Block - D3403C SI Cavity Plug - #XBOA-XXN - PORT 2	2 2 1 1 10 10 <b>2</b> 2 6 6 8 4 2 1 2 1 3 2 2 6 1 2 2 1 2 1 1 3 6 1 1 1 1 1 2 2		

#### **4SR PLUS and 12SR PLUS Cylinder Specification Sheet**



Name: Bed Cylinder Part # 10033 Length: 48 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" Type: Welded

Bore X Stroke: 4" X 36" Packing Kit # PMCK-AR-704

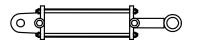
Seal Kit # 10990



Name: Loader Cylinder Part # 10032 Length:  $32^{7}/_{8}$ " Type: Welded

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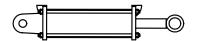
Seal Kit # 10989



Part # 10034 Name: Left Algnmnt Cyl. Type: Tie-Rod Length: 19 <sup>5</sup>/<sub>8</sub>"

Bore X Stroke: 3 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> " X 8" Packing Kit # PMCK-AR-705

Seal Kit # 10991



Name: Right Algnmnt Cyl. Part # 10035 Length: 19 <sup>5</sup>/<sub>8</sub>" Type: Tie-Rod

Bore X Stroke: 3 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> " X 8" Packing Kit # PMCK-AR-706

Seal Kit # 10992



Part # 12166 Name: Grab Hook Cyl. Type: Welded

Bore X Stroke: 2 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> " X 16" Packing Kit # PMCK-AR-707

Seal Kit # 10993

Length: 26 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>"



Part # 12302 Length: 24 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>"

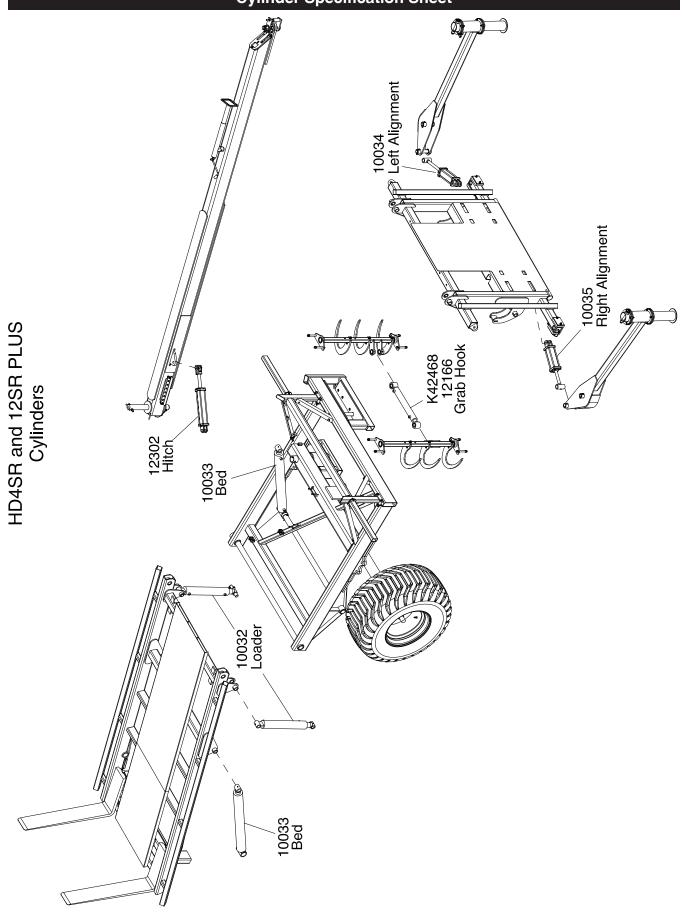
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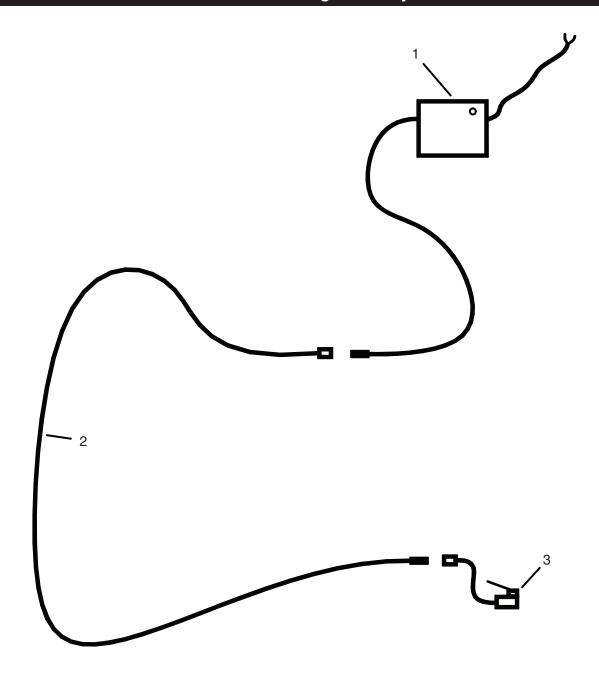
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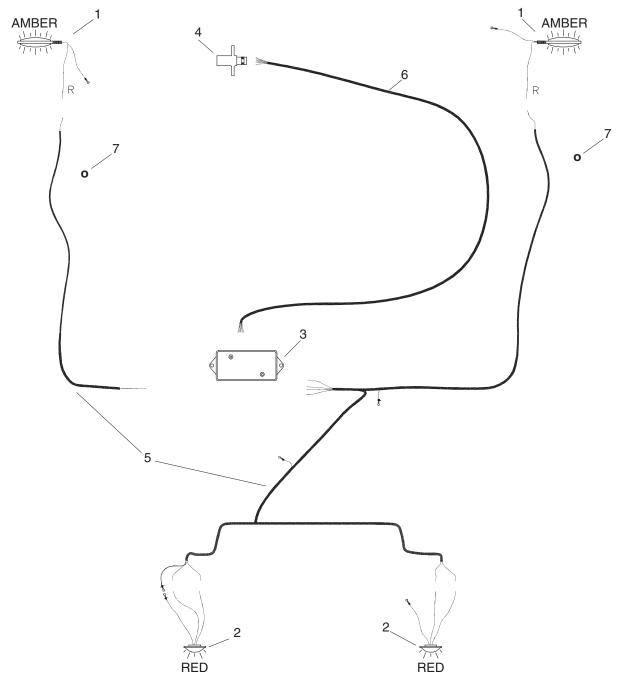
## 4SR PLUS and 12SR PLUS Electrical Warning Assembly



Item	Part No.	Description	Qty
1	K58936	Warning Light Complete	1
2	K58934	Micro Wire - 24 ft Lg	1
3	K58933	Offset Micro Switch	1
	K58908	Fuse - 1/10A 250V Fast Acting	

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Item	Part No.	Description	Qty
1	11155	2 Way Amber Lights	2
2	10930	Recessed Red Lights	2
3	10897	7 Wire Junction Box	1
4	C32690	7 Pole Plug Connector	1
5	11545	SR Wiring Harness	1
6	10896	Hitch Wire Harness - 324 Lg (Includes item 4)	1
7	12039	Grommet	2

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