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Operation & Maintenance Manual



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Read the Operator's Manual.



Check oil daily. Use recommended fluids.



Use lift arm stops before working under raised lift arms.



Cleaning and maintenance are required daily.

⚠ WARNING

DO NOT service the Bobcat loader without instructions or taking the necessary safety precautions.

- Stop and cool engine before adding fuel. NO SMOKING.
- Do not service loader without using a lift arm stop when lift arms are raised.
- Do not lift or lower operator guard without instructions from Operator's Manual or Service Manual.
- Do not lift or lower operator guard without jackstands or blocks under rear corners of loader.
- Do not stand on loader when lifting or lowering operator guard.
- Keep rear door closed except for service.
- Stop, cool, and clean engine of flammable material.
- Keep body, loose objects, and clothing away from electrical contacts, moving parts, hot parts, and exhaust.
- When connecting extra battery for "jump" start always make the last connection (negative cable) to the engine never at the battery. When removing the "jump" start cables, always remove the negative (−) cable from the engine first.
- Lead acid batteries produce flammable and explosive gases. Keep arcs, sparks, flames, and lighted tobacco away from the battery.
- Battery acid causes severe burns. If acid contacts eyes, skin or clothing flush well with water. For contact with eyes get immediate medical attention.
- Do not modify equipment or add attachments not approved by manufacturer.
- WARNING: Failure to obey warnings may cause injury or death.

Safety Alert Symbol

WRONG



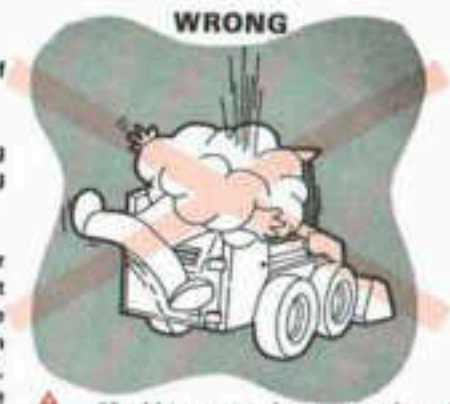
Two people standing on the ground are needed to raise the operator guard.

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Do not wear loose clothing around the loader.

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Machine must be stopped and cool before checking fluids.

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Do not arc battery.

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