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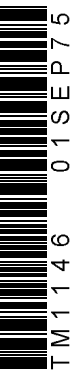
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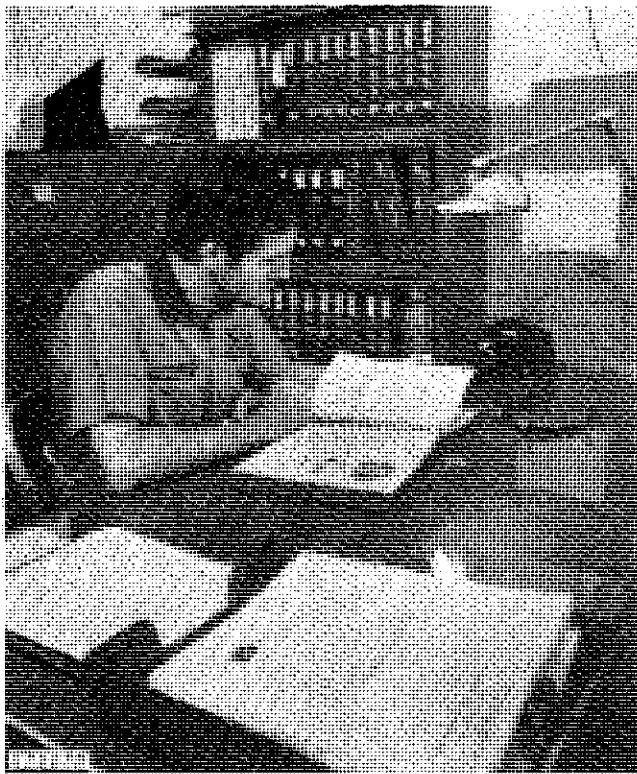
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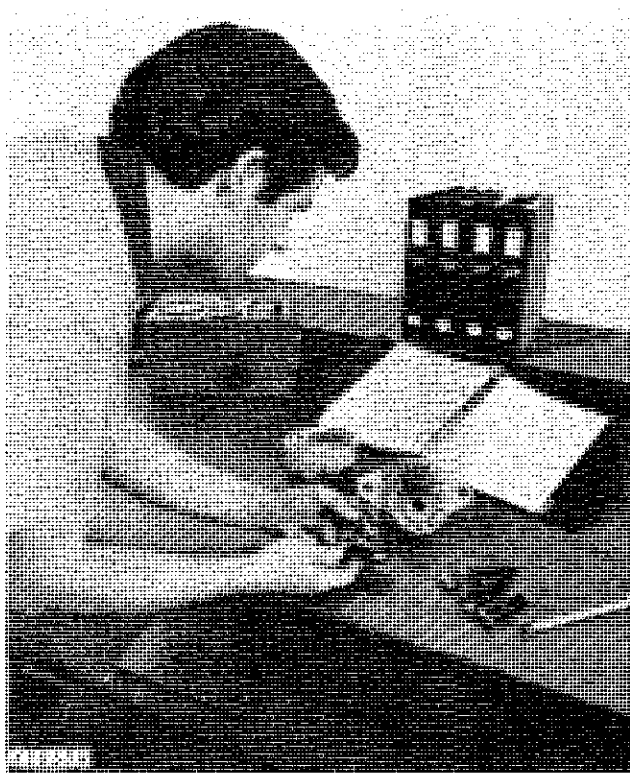
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## INTRODUCTION



*Use FOS Manuals for Reference*



*Use Technical Manuals for Actual Service*

This technical manual is part of a twin concept of service:

- **FOS Manuals—for reference**
- **Technical Manuals—for actual service**

The two kinds of manuals work as a team to give you both the general background and technical details of shop service.

*Fundamentals of Service (FOS) Manuals* cover *basic* theory of operation, *fundamentals* of trouble shooting, *general* maintenance, and *basic* types of failures and their causes. FOS Manuals are for training new men and for reference by experienced men.

*Technical Manuals* are *concise* on-the-job service guides containing only the vital information needed for a specific machine.

Some features of this technical manual:

- *Table of contents at front of manual*
- *Exploded views showing parts relationship*
- *Photos showing service techniques*
- *Specifications grouped for easy reference*

This technical manual was planned and written for you—a journeyman mechanic. Keep it in a permanent binder in the shop where it is handy. Refer to it whenever in doubt about correct service procedures or specifications.


Using the technical manual as a guide will reduce error and costly delay. It will also assure you the best in finished service work.



This safety alert symbol identifies important safety messages in this manual. When you see this symbol, be alert to the possibility of personal injury and carefully read the message that follows.

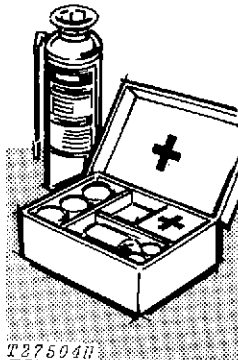
## SAFETY AND YOU

### INTRODUCTION

 This safety alert symbol identifies important safety messages in this manual and on the knuckleboom loader. When you see this symbol, be alert to the possibility of bodily injury and carefully read the message that follows.

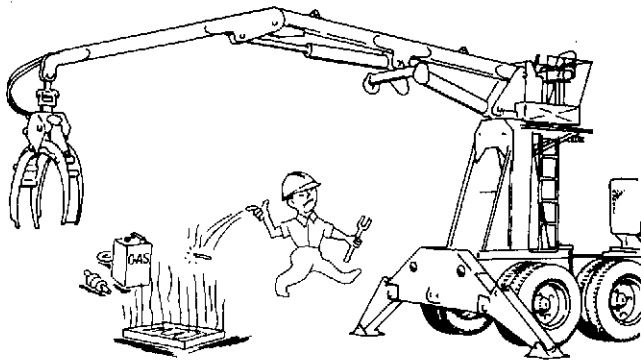


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Be prepared if an accident or fire should occur. Know where the first aid kit and the fire extinguishers are located—know how to use them.

**AVOID FIRE HAZARDS**

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Don't smoke while refueling or handling highly flammable material.

Shut off engine when refueling.

Use care in refueling if the engine is hot.

Don't use open pans of gasoline or diesel fuel for cleaning parts. Good commercial, nonflammable solvents are preferred.

Provide adequate ventilation when charging batteries.

Don't check battery charge by placing metal objects across the posts.

Don't allow sparks or open flame near batteries.

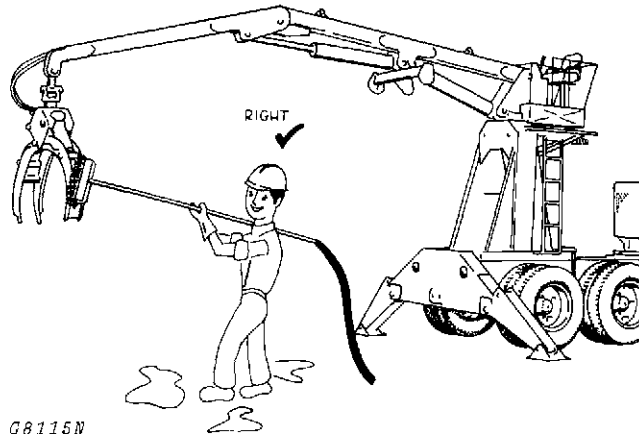
Don't smoke near battery.

Never check fuel, battery electrolyte, or coolant levels with an open flame.

Never use an open flame to look for leaks anywhere on the equipment.

Never use an open flame as a light anywhere on or around the equipment.

When preparing engine for storage, remember that internal corrosion inhibitor is volatile and therefore dangerous. Seal and tape openings after adding the inhibitor. Keep container tightly closed when not in use.

**CLEANING THE LOADER**

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Always stop the engine before cleaning the loader.

Keep the operator's platform clean. Do not use it as a storage area.

Keep the engine closure screens free of foreign matter. Avoid a possible fire hazard.

Keep all equipment free of dirt and oil. In freezing weather, beware of snow and ice on operator's platform.

**SERVICE AREA**

Keep the service area clean and dry. Wet or oily floors are slippery. Wet spots can be dangerous when working with electrical equipment.

Make sure the service area is adequately vented.

Periodically check the shop exhaust system for leakage. Engine exhaust gas is dangerous.

Be sure all electrical outlets and tools are properly grounded.

Use adequate light for the job at hand.

## FLUIDS UNDER PRESSURE

Escaping fluid under pressure can have sufficient force to penetrate the skin, causing serious bodily injury. Before disconnecting lines, be sure to relieve all pressure. Before applying pressure to the system, be sure all connections are tight and that lines, pipes and hoses are not damaged. Fluid escaping from a very small hole can be almost invisible. Use a piece of cardboard or wood, rather than hands, to search for suspected leaks.

If injured by escaping fluid, see a doctor at once. Serious infection or reaction can develop if proper medical treatment is not administered immediately.

Don't forget the hydraulic system may be pressurized! To relieve pressure, follow the technical manual.

When checking hydraulic pressure, be sure to use the correct test gauge for the pressure in the particular system.

## PERSONAL SAFETY

Keep transmission and brake control units properly adjusted at all times. Before making adjustments, stop engine.

Before removing any housing covers, stop engine. Take all objects from your pockets which could fall into the opened housings. Don't let adjusting wrenches fall into opened housings.

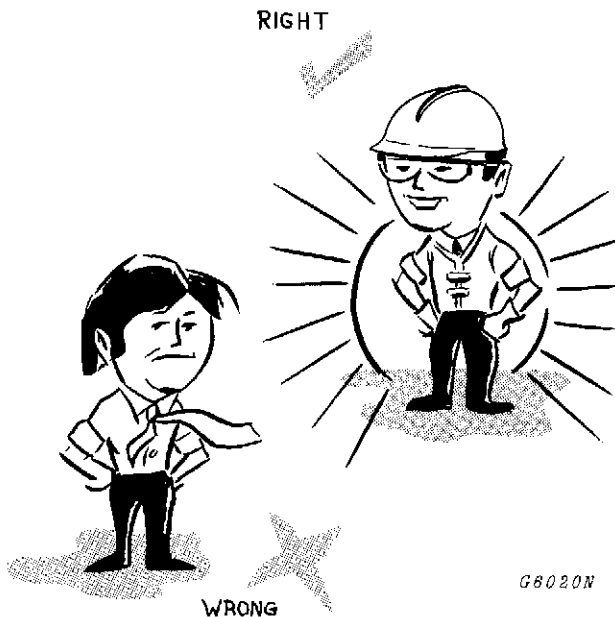
Don't attempt to check chain belt tension while the engine is running.

Don't adjust the fuel system while the machine is in motion.

Before repairing the electrical system, for performing a major overhaul, make sure the batteries are disconnected.

Avoid working on equipment with the engine running. If it is necessary to make checks with the engine running, **ALWAYS USE TWO MEN**—one, the operator, at the controls, the other checking where the operator can see him. Also, set the brake, and apply any safety locks provided. **KEEP HANDS AWAY FROM MOVING PARTS.**

Use extreme caution in removing drain plugs, grease fittings, or hydraulic pressure caps.



Always avoid loose clothing—flopping cuffs, dangling neckties and scarves—that can catch in moving parts and put you out of work.

Always wear your safety glasses while on the job.

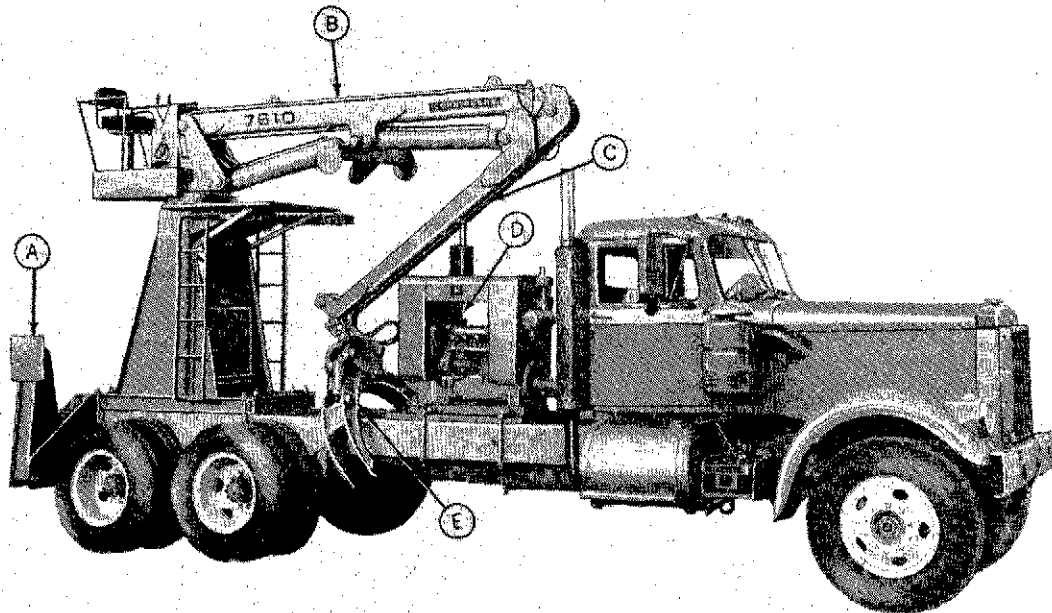
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## Group 5 SPECIFICATIONS

### 7610 KNUCKLEBOOM LOADER



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A—Stabilizer  
B—Main Boom  
C—Jib Boom

D—Auxiliary Engine  
E—Grapple

Fig. 1-7610 Knuckleboom Loader (Rear Mount Illustrated)

Two hand levers and one foot control with safety lock

Mounts behind cab or on rear of truck frame

Lifts up to 14,700 lb. (6 668 kg)

21 ft. 6 in. (6.553 m) reach

Loader rotation—380 degrees

Grapple rotation—360 degrees

40-in. (1.016 m) interlocking grapple or 1/4-cord general-purpose grapple

PTO-driven or engine-driven

Double access platform with safety decking and rail

Stabilizer with 16 x 16-in. (406 x 406 mm) foot pads

Cushion seat with armrests



## 7610 SPECIFICATIONS

### Operating Information:

Maximum loading reach ... 21 ft. 6-in. (6 553 mm)  
Swing system ..... Chain  
Swing arc ..... 380°  
Boom swing torque ..... 16,000 lb-ft (2212 kg-m)  
Swing speed ..... 5 rpm  
Stabilizer spread:  
    Front ..... 11-ft. 6-in. (3.505 m)  
    Rear ..... 15-ft. 4-in. (4.674 m)  
Stabilizer area (each) ..... 256 sq. in. (1652 cm<sup>2</sup>)  
Grapple rotation ..... 360°  
Grapple swing torque ..... 175 lb-ft (24.2 kg-m)  
Grapple opening, maximum:  
    40 in. (1.02 m) grapple ..... 40-in. (1 016 mm)  
    1/4-cord grapple ..... 50-in. (1 270 mm)  
Transport height ..... 13-ft. 3-in. (4 039 mm)  
Maximum transport width ..... 8-ft. (2 438 mm)

### Mounting:

Mounting frame integral with main frame. Brackets supplied for universal mounting; bolts to truck frame.

### Hydraulic Cylinders:

Main ..... 6x36-in. (152x914mm), double-acting  
Jib ..... 6x36-in. (152x914mm), double-acting  
Boom swing ..... 6x23-1/4-in. (152x591mm), single-acting  
Grapple ..... 3-1/2x8-in. (89x203mm), double-acting  
Stabilizer ..... 6x21-in. (152x533mm), double-acting

### Hydraulic System:

Controls ..... 2-lever, stack valve  
Relief pressure ..... 1850 psi (127.5 bar)  
Pump ..... 60 gpm (227 l) at 1800 rpm  
Reservoir capacity ..... 52 gal. (196.8 l)  
Drive ..... Truck transmission power take-off or auxiliary engine

### Special Auxiliary Diesel Power Unit: (rear mount only)

John Deere, 4-cylinder, valve-in-head, 4-stroke cycle. Power @ 2500 rpm, intermittent, 70 hp

Bore and stroke ..... 4.02x4.33 in. (102x110 mm)  
Piston displacement ..... 219 cu. in. (3589 cm<sup>3</sup>)  
Rotation, facing flywheel end ..... Counterclockwise  
Compression ratio ..... 16.3 to 1  
Alternator ..... 12 volt, 35 amp w/regulator  
Starter ..... 12 volt (no battery and cables)

### Shipping Weight (approx.):

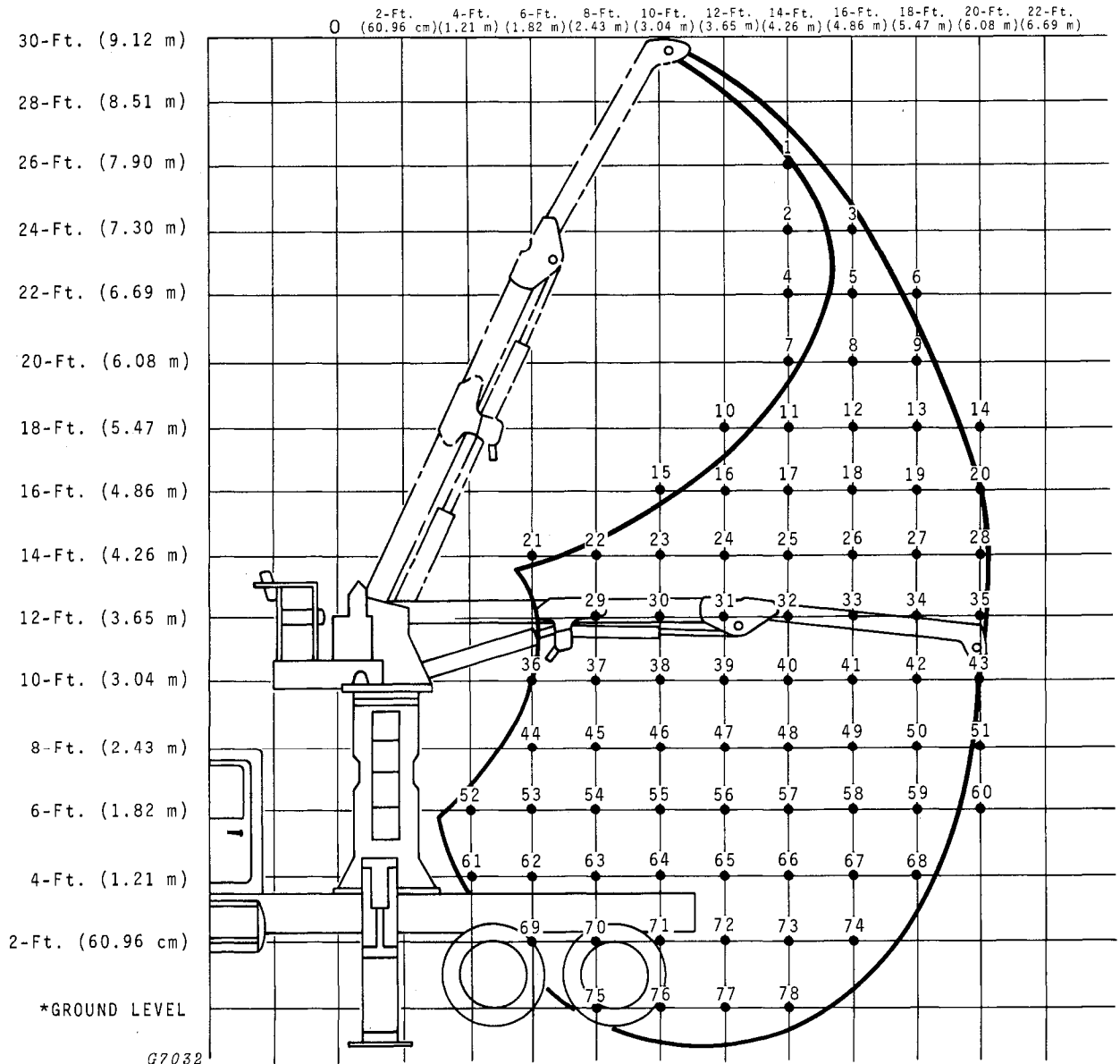
Complete with stabilizer, all cylinders, hydraulic pump and all mountings, less grapples:

    Behind cab ..... 5841 lb. (2649 kg)  
    Rear-mount ..... 6688 lb. (3034 kg)

Grapples:

    40-in. (1.02 m) interlocking ... 585 lbs. (265 kg)  
    1/4-cord general-purpose ..... 620 lbs. (281 kg)  
Diesel power unit ..... 1350 lbs. (612 kg)

### LIFT CAPACITIES FOR 7610 FRONT AND REAR MOUNT



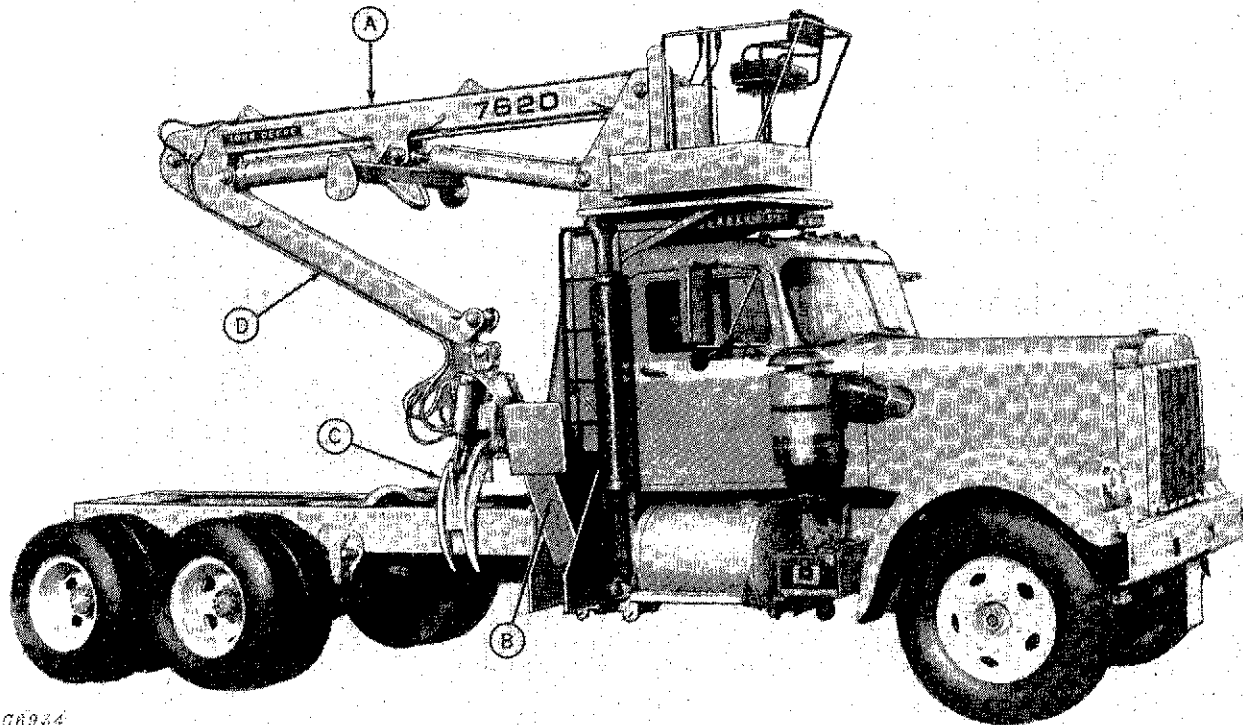
1—6000 lbs. (26.7 kN)	12—5930 lbs. (26.4 kN)	23—9280 lbs. (41.3kN)	34—5600 lbs. (24.9 kN)	45—12,340 lbs. (54.9 kN)	56—8320 lbs. (37.0 kN)	67—5460 lbs. (24.3 kN)
2—6080 lbs. (27.0 kN)	13—5470 lbs. (24.3 kN)	24—7940 lbs. (35.3 kN)	35—4870 lbs. (21.7 kN)	46—10,310 lbs. (45.9 kN)	57—7030 lbs. (31.3 kN)	68—4330 lbs. (19.3 kN)
3—5480 lbs. (24.4 kN)	14—3740 lbs. (16.6 kN)	25—6970 lbs. (31.0 kN)	36—5270 lbs. (23.4 kN)	47—8560 lbs. (38.1 kN)	58—5980 lbs. (26.6 kN)	69—9570 lbs. (42.6 kN)
4—6100 lbs. (27.1 kN)	15—8560 lbs. (38.9 kN)	26—6220 lbs. (27.7 kN)	37—12,880 lbs. (57.2 kN)	48—7270 lbs. (32.3 kN)	59—4990 lbs. (22.2 kN)	70—9650 lbs. (42.9 kN)
5—5760 lbs. (25.6 kN)	16—7500 lbs. (33.4 kN)	27—5580 lbs. (24.8 kN)	38—10,270 lbs. (45.7 kN)	49—6250 lbs. (27.8 kN)	60—3400 lbs. (15.1 kN)	71—8160 lbs. (36.3 kN)
6—4640 lbs. (20.6 kN)	17—6700 lbs. (29.8 kN)	28—4940 lbs. (22.0 kN)	39—8540 lbs. (38.0 kN)	50—5350 lbs. (23.8 kN)	61—5510 lbs. (24.5 kN)	72—6880 lbs. (30.6 kN)
7—6230 lbs. (27.7 kN)	18—6070 lbs. (27.0 kN)	29—12,310 lbs. (54.8 kN)	40—7300 lbs. (32.5 kN)	51—4330 lbs. (19.3 kN)	62—8350 lbs. (37.1 kN)	73—5730 lbs. (25.5 kN)
8—5610 lbs. (25.8 kN)	19—5530 lbs. (24.6 kN)	30—9890 lbs. (44.0 kN)	41—6350 lbs. (28.2 kN)	52—3680 lbs. (16.4 kN)	63—11,180 lbs. (49.7 kN)	74—4610 lbs. (20.5 kN)
9—5440 lbs. (24.2 kN)	20—4480 lbs. (19.9 kN)	31—8310 lbs. (37.0 kN)	42—5530 lbs. (24.6 kN)	53—6750 lbs. (30.0 kN)	64—9270 lbs. (41.2 kN)	75—7630 lbs. (33.9 kN)
10—7080 lbs. (31.5 kN)	21—14,710 lbs. (65.4 kN)	32—7190 lbs. (32.0 kN)	43—4680 lbs. (20.8 kN)	54—11,650 lbs. (51.8 kN)	65—7770 lbs. (34.6 kN)	76—6600 lbs. (29.4 kN)
11—6450 lbs. (28.7 kN)	22—11,290 lbs. (50.2 kN)	33—6320 lbs. (28.1 kN)	44—5540 lbs. (24.6 kN)	55—9980 lbs. (44.4 kN)	66—6550 lbs. (29.1 kN)	77—5560 lbs. (24.7 kN)
						78—4480 lbs. (19.9 kN)

\* Height is measured from centerline of pin connecting grapple to boom as installed on 42 in. (1 067 mm) truck bed height.

Actual lift values as installed on truck with stabilizers employed on hard surface and with 100% stability.

Fig. 2—Lift capacities for 7610 Front and Rear Mount

## 7620 KNUCKLEBOOM LOADER



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A—Main Boom  
B—Stabilizer

C—Grapple  
D—Jib Boom

Fig. 3-7620 Knuckleboom Loader (Front Mount Illustrated)

Two hand levers with safety lock and one foot control

Mounts behind cab or on rear of truck frame

Lifts up to 20,600 lb. (9344 kg)

21-ft. 6-in. (6 553 mm) reach

Loader rotation—380 degrees

Grapple rotation—360 degrees

Choice of 40-in. (1 016 mm) or 44-in. (1 118 mm) interlocking grapple, or 1/4 cord general-purpose grapple

PTO-driven or engine-driven

Double-access platform with safety decking and rail

Stabilizer with 16 x 16-in. (406 x 406 mm) foot pads

Cushion seat with armrests

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### Operating Information

Maximum loading reach ... 21-ft. 6-in. (6 553 mm)  
 Swing system ..... Chain  
 Swing arc ..... 380 deg.  
 Boom swing torque ..... 16,000 lb-ft (2 212 kg-m)  
 Swing speed ..... 5 rpm  
 Stabilizer spread:  
   Front ..... 11-ft. 6-in. (3 505 mm)  
   Rear ..... 15-ft. 4-in. (4 674 mm)  
 Stabilizer area (each) ..... 256 sq. in. (1652 cm<sup>2</sup>)  
 Grapple rotation ..... 360 deg.  
 Grapple swing torque ..... 175 lb-ft (24.2 kg-m)  
 Grapple opening maximum:  
   40 in. (1.02 m) grapple ..... 40-in. (1 016 mm)  
   44 in. (1.12 m) grapple ..... 44-in. (1 118 mm)  
   1/4 cord (0.9 m<sup>3</sup>) grapple ..... 50-in. (1 270 mm)  
 Transport height ..... 13-ft. 3-in. (4 039 mm)  
 Maximum transport width ..... 8-ft. (2 438 mm)

### Mounting

Mounting frame integral with main frame. Brackets supplied for universal mounting. Bolts to truck frame.

### Hydraulic Cylinders

Main ..... 7x36-in. (178x914 mm), double-acting  
 Jib ..... 6x36-in. (152x914 mm), double-acting  
 Boom swing ..... 6x23-1/4-in. (152x591 mm), single-acting  
 Stabilizer ..... 6x21-in. (152x533 mm), double-acting  
 Grapple:  
   40-in. (1 016 mm) and 1/4 cord ..... 3-1/2x8-in. (82x203 mm), double-acting  
   44-in. (1 118 mm) ..... 4x10-in. (102x254 mm), double-acting

### Hydraulic System

Controls ..... 2 lever stack valve  
 Relief pressure ..... 1850 psi (130 kg/cm<sup>2</sup>)  
 Pump ..... 60 gpm (227 l/min) at 1800 rpm  
 Reservoir capacity ..... 52 gal. (196.8 l)  
 Drive ..... Truck transmission power takeoff  
   or auxiliary engine

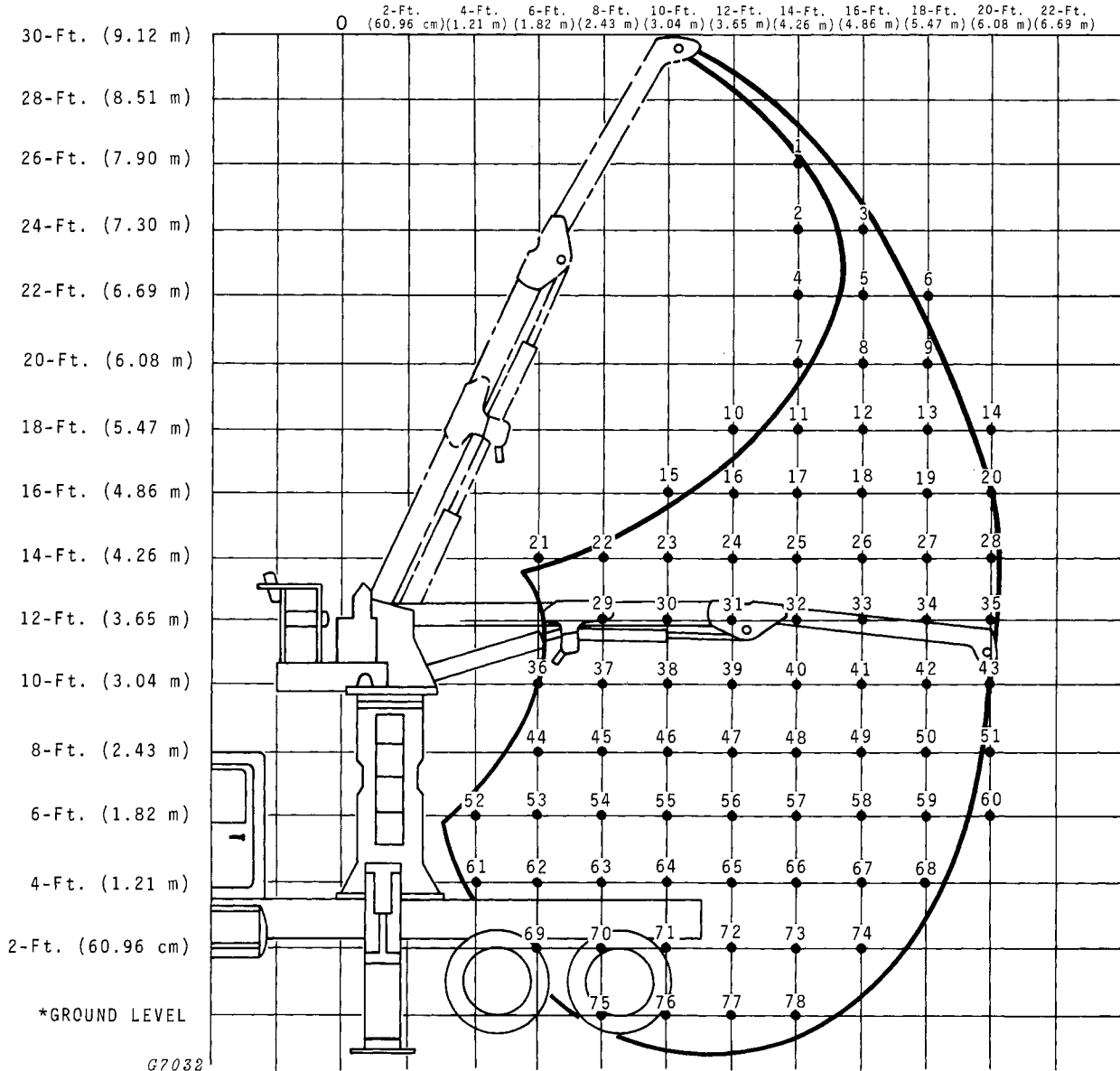
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John Deere, 4-cylinder, valve-in-head, 4-stroke cycle.  
 Power @ 2500, intermittent, 70 hp (52 kW\*)  
   74.4 DIN-PS  
 Bore and stroke ..... 4.02x4.33 in. (102x110 mm)  
 Piston displacement ..... 219 cu. in. (3589 cm<sup>3</sup>)  
 Rotation, facing flywheel end ..... Counterclockwise  
 Compression ratio ..... 16.3 to 1  
 Alternator ..... 12 volt, 35 amp w/regulator  
 Starter ..... 12 volt (no battery and cables)

### Shipping weight (approx.)

Complete with stabilizers, all cylinders, hydraulic pump and all mountings, less grapples:  
   Behind cab ..... 6221 lb. (2822 kg)  
   Rear mount ..... 6698 lb. (3838 kg)  
 Grapples:  
   40 in. (1.02 m) interlocking ..... 585 lb. (265 kg)  
   44 in. (1.12 m) interlocking ..... 695 lb. (315 kg)  
   1/4 cord general purpose ..... 620 lb. (281 kg)  
 Diesel power unit ..... 1350 lb. (612 kg)

LIFT CAPACITIES FOR 7620 FRONT AND REAR MOUNT



1—6960 lbs. (31.0 kN)	12—8340 lbs. (37.1 kN)	23—13,830 lbs. (61.5 kN)	34—8070 lbs. (35.9 kN)	45—14,180 lbs. (63.1 kN)	56—11,910 lbs. (53.0 kN)	67—7940 lbs. (35.3 kN)
2—7446 lbs. (33.1 kN)	13—6740 lbs. (30.0 kN)	24—11,280 lbs. (50.2 kN)	35—6030 lbs. (26.8 kN)	46—14,670 lbs. (65.3 kN)	57—10,110 lbs. (45.0 kN)	68—6370 lbs. (28.3 kN)
3—6350 lbs. (28.2 kN)	14—3740 lbs. (16.6 kN)	25—9950 lbs. (44.3 kN)	36—5270 lbs. (23.4 kN)	47—12,220 lbs. (54.4 kN)	58—8640 lbs. (38.4 kN)	69—10,150 lbs. (45.1 kN)
4—7690 lbs. (34.2 kN)	15—12,090 lbs. (53.8 kN)	26—8910 lbs. (39.6 kN)	37—17,860 lbs. (79.4 kN)	48—10,420 lbs. (46.4 kN)	59—7460 lbs. (32.3 kN)	70—13,890 lbs. (61.8 kN)
5—7070 lbs. (31.4 kN)	16—10,650 lbs. (47.4 kN)	27—8040 lbs. (35.8 kN)	38—14,580 lbs. (64.9 kN)	49—9000 lbs. (40.0 kN)	60—3980 lbs. (17.7 kN)	71—11,770 lbs. (52.4 kN)
6—4980 lbs. (22.2 kN)	17—9560 lbs. (42.5 kN)	28—6130 lbs. (27.3 kN)	39—12,170 lbs. (54.1 kN)	50—7760 lbs. (34.5 kN)	61—5510 lbs. (24.5 kN)	72—9950 lbs. (44.3 kN)
7—8460 lbs. (37.6 kN)	18—8700 lbs. (38.7 kN)	29—17,390 lbs. (77.4 kN)	40—10,450 lbs. (46.5 kN)	51—5390 lbs. (24.0 kN)	62—8350 lbs. (37.1 kN)	73—8340 lbs. (37.1 kN)
8—7450 lbs. (33.1 kN)	19—7460 lbs. (33.2 kN)	30—14,020 lbs. (62.4 kN)	41—9120 lbs. (40.6 kN)	52—3680 lbs. (16.4 kN)	63—13,720 lbs. (61.0 kN)	74—6770 lbs. (30.1 kN)
9—6550 lbs. (29.1 kN)	20—5200 lbs. (23.1 kN)	31—11,830 lbs. (52.6 kN)	42—8000 lbs. (35.6 kN)	53—6750 lbs. (30.0 kN)	64—13,290 lbs. (59.1 kN)	75—11,120 lbs. (49.5 kN)
10—9990 lbs. (44.4 kN)	21—20,630 lbs. (91.8 kN)	32—10,270 lbs. (45.7 kN)	43—5820 lbs. (25.9 kN)	54—13,400 lbs. (59.6 kN)	65—11,170 lbs. (49.7 kN)	76—9620 lbs. (42.8 kN)
11—9180 lbs. (40.8 kN)	22—15,910 lbs. (70.8 kN)	33—9070 lbs. (40.3 kN)	44—5540 lbs. (24.6 kN)	55—14,250 lbs. (63.4 kN)	66—9450 lbs. (42.0 kN)	77—8140 lbs. (36.2 kN)
						78—6620 lbs. (29.4 kN)

\* Height is measured from centerline of pin connecting grapple to boom as installed on 42 in. (1 067 mm) truck bed height.

Actual lift values as installed on truck with stabilizers employed on hard surface and with 100% stability.

Fig. 4—Lift Capacities for 7620 Front and Rear Mount

## Group 10 LUBRICATION

### LUBRICANTS

Effective use of lubricating oils and greases is perhaps the most important step towards low upkeep cost, long engine life, and satisfactory service. Use only lubricants specified in this section; apply them at intervals and according to the instructions in the lubrication and periodic service section.

#### ENGINE LUBRICATING OILS



We recommend John Deere Torq-Gard Supreme engine oil for use in the engine crankcase. This oil is compounded specifically for use in John Deere engines and provides superior lubrication under all conditions. NEVER PUT ADDITIVES IN THE CRANKCASE. Torq-Gard Supreme oil is formulated to provide all the protection your engine needs. Additives could reduce this protection rather than help it.

If oil other than Torq-Gard Supreme is used, it must conform to one of the following specifications for all John Deere engines:

#### SINGLE VISCOSITY OILS

API Service CD/SD  
MIL-L-2104C  
Series 3

#### MULTI-VISCOSITY OILS

API Service CC/SD  
MIL-L-46152

Depending on the expected prevailing temperature for the fill period, use oil viscosity as shown in the following chart.

Air Temperature	John Deere Torq-Gard Oil	Other Oils	
		Single Viscosity Oil	Multi-Viscosity Oil
Above 32°F (0°C)	SAE 30	SAE 30	Not recommended
-10°F to 32°F (-23°C to 0°C)*	SAE 10W-20	SAE 10W	SAE 10W-30
Below 10°F (-23°C)	SAE 5W-20	SAE 5W	SAE 5W-20

\*SAE 5W-20 oil may also be used to insure optimum lubrication at starting, particularly when engine is subjected to -10°F (-23°C) or lower temperatures for several hours.

Some increase in oil consumption may be expected when SAE 5W-20 or SAE 5W oils are used. Check oil level more frequently.

#### STORING LUBRICANTS

Your engine can operate at top efficiency only if clean lubricants are used. Use clean containers to handle all lubricants. Store them in an area protected from dust, moisture, and other contamination.

Do not handicap your engine by using inferior or incorrect oil and grease. Use only quality lubricants at the specified intervals.

#### HYDRAULIC OILS

Use only John Deere Hy-Gard oil or its equivalent in the hydraulic system reservoir.

#### GREASES

Use John Deere Multi-Purpose Lubricant or an equivalent SAE multipurpose-type grease for all grease fittings. Application of grease as instructed in the lubrication section will provide proper lubrication and will keep loader in top operating condition.

## LUBRICATION

The instructions on the following pages will help you perform recommended service at proper intervals. Performing the services as instructed will result in a long, reliable service life.

The intervals at which the various working parts of your knuckleboom should be checked, lubricated, serviced, or adjusted are based on hours of operation.

*NOTE: For engine lubrication refer to the engine operator's manual.*

After the first 50 hours of loader operation change the return line filter in the loader reservoir.

### KEEP LUBRICANTS CLEAN

Use only high-grade lubricants which have been stored in clean containers. Wipe away all grease and dirt before removing filler caps or plugs.

### SYMBOLS



Lubricate with John Deere Multi-Purpose Lubricant or an equivalent SAE multipurpose-type grease at hourly intervals indicated on the symbols.



Lubricate Every 500 Hours of Operation with John Deere Hy-Gard Oil or its equivalent.

Note that lubrication intervals on the symbols are identical to those appearing in the operator's manual. Regardless of recommended intervals, lubricate the loader before delivery at every point shown in the charts. When you deliver the loader, the time interval information will remind you to tell your customer of the importance of lubrication intervals recommended in his operator's manual.

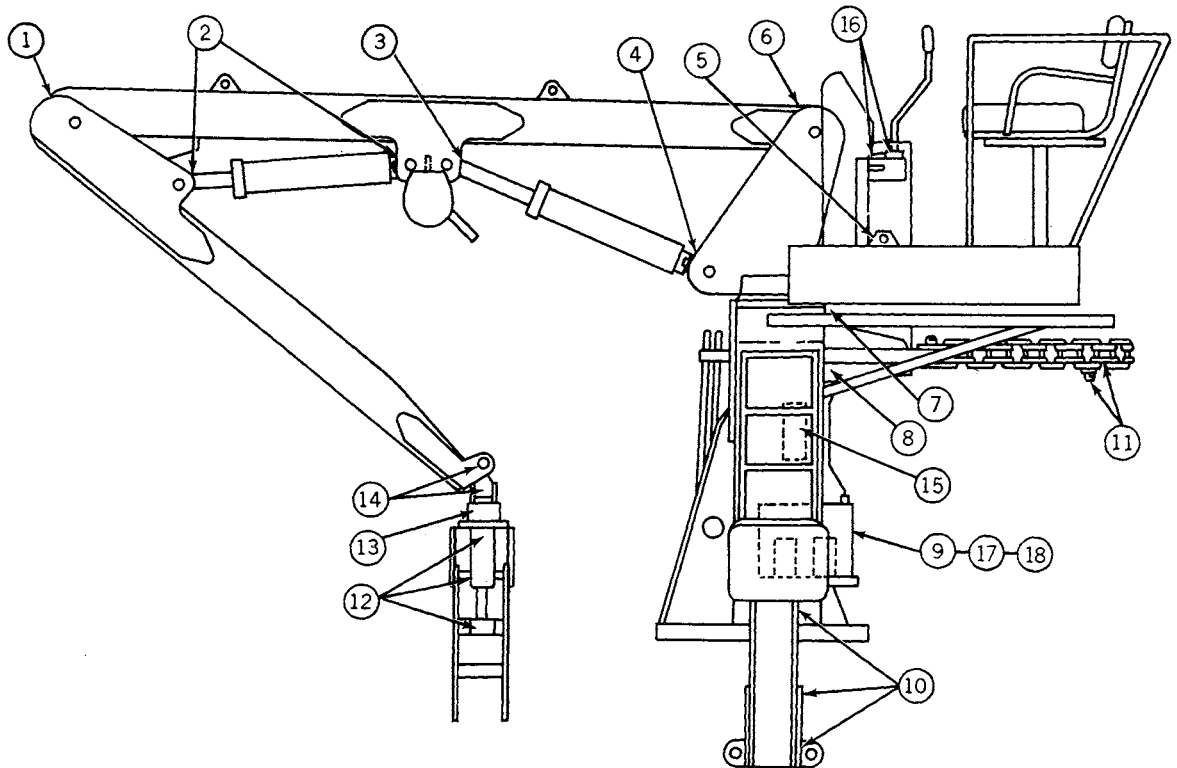
## LUBRICATION AND SERVICE INTERVALS

The lubrication and service intervals for this knuckleboom are based on operation under average conditions. When the knuckleboom is operated under unusual conditions, such as excessive heat, cold, dust, frequent starts and stops, or with poor quality fuels or lubricants, the knuckleboom should be serviced at **MORE FREQUENT INTERVALS**.

The chart which follows is a condensed list of the knuckleboom components to be serviced at each interval and the service to be performed. Detailed instructions for performing each service are given on the pages which follow the chart. Each item in the chart is numbered, with the corresponding detailed procedure bearing the same number.

Perform the indicated services at the time intervals specified in the chart.

PERIODIC SERVICE CHART



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INTERVAL HOURS	ITEM. NO.	COMPONENT	SERVICE POINTS	DESCRIPTION OF SERVICE	QUALITY OF LUBRICANT
10	1	Knuckle Bushing	1	Lubricate Grease Fitting	6 Shots*
	2	Jib Cylinder Bushings	2	Lubricate Grease Fittings	2 Shots*
	3	Main Cylinder Rod Bushing	1	Lubricate Grease Fitting	2 Shots*
	4	Main Cylinder Tee Joint	1	Lubricate Grease Fitting	6 Shots*
	5	Control Linkage	2	Lubricate Grease Fittings	3 Shots*
	6	Main Boom Head Bushing	2	Lubricate Grease Fittings	10 Shots*
	7	Upper Spindle Bearing	1	Lubricate Grease Fitting	4 Shots*
	8	Lower Spindle Bearing	1	Lubricate Grease Fitting	4 Shots*
	9	Hydraulic Reservoir	1	Check Level	4" to 7" (101.6 mm to 177.8 mm) from top**
OR DAILY	10	Stabilizer Cylinder Bushings arm Hinge	6	Lubricate Grease Fittings	2 Shots*
	11	Swing Cylinder Chain Sprockets	2	Lubricate Grease Fittings	2 Shots*
	12	Grapple Cylinder Bushings & Arm Hinge	5	Lubricate Grease Fittings	2 Shots*
	13	Grapple Head Bearings	1	Lubricate Grease Fitting	4 Shots*
	14	Bucket Cross	2	Lubricate Grease Fittings	2 Shots*
100	15	Return Line Filter	1	Replace Element	
	16	Control Linkage	Multi	Oil Lightly	As Needed***
500 OR TWICE YEARLY	17	Hydraulic Reservoir	1	Drain, Clean & Refill	52 Gal. (196.84 l)**
	18	Suction Screen	2	Clean	****

\*Lubricate with John Deere Multi-Purpose Lubricant or its equivalent

\*\*Lubricate with John Deere Hy-Gard Oil or its equivalent

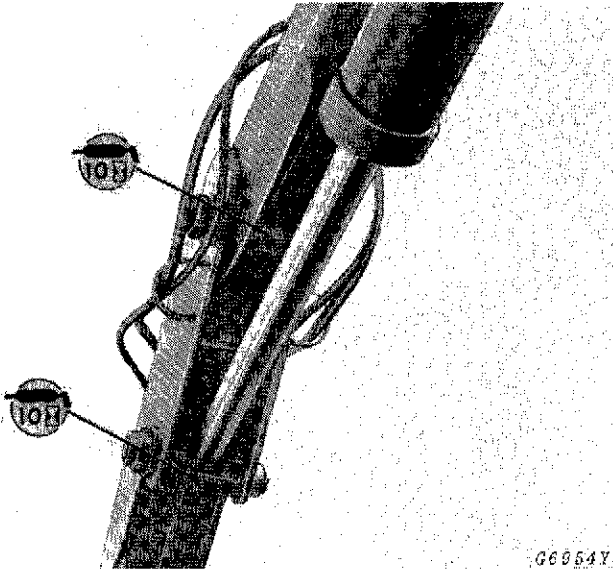
\*\*\*Lubricate with John Deere Torq-Gard Supreme Engine Oil or its equivalent

\*\*\*\*Clean with diesel fuel or kerosene

Fig. 1-Periodic Service Chart

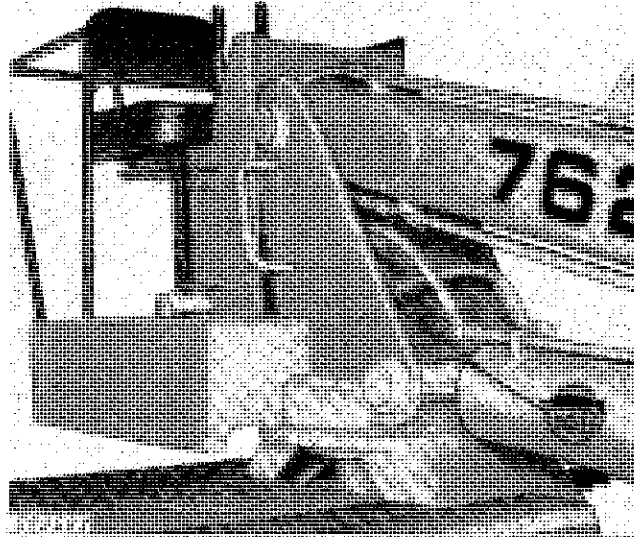


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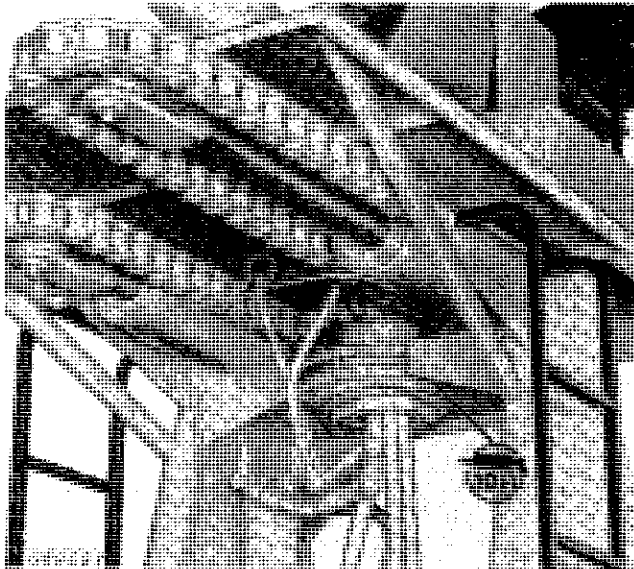


1. Knuckle Bushing

*NOTE: Grease every 5 hours under adverse conditions.*

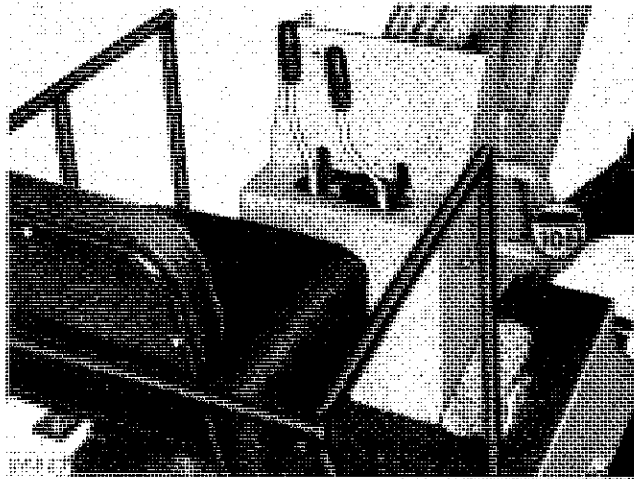


4. Main Cylinder Tee Joint

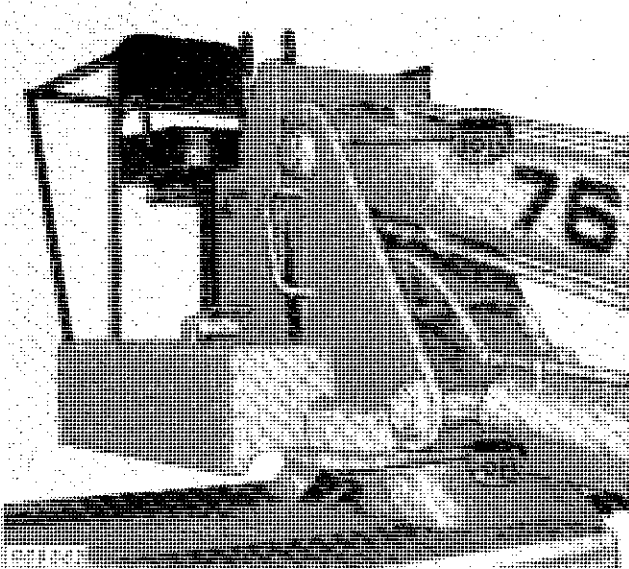


2. Jib Cylinder Bushings

3. Main Cylinder Rod Bushing



5. Foot Control Lever



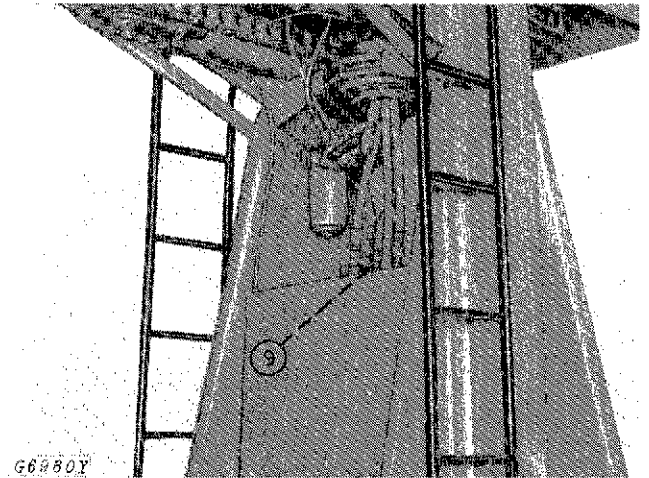
6. Main Boom Head Bushing

*NOTE: Grease every 5 hours under adverse conditions.*

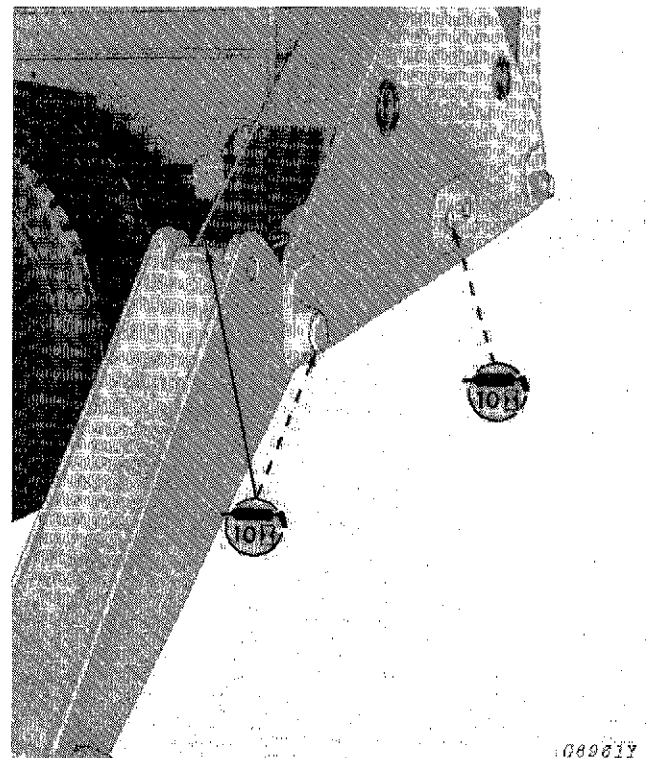
7. Upper Spindle Bearing



8. Lower Spindle Bearing



9. Check hydraulic oil level in reservoir. Turn the engine off and check hydraulic oil level with bayonet gauge. Do not add oil until the level is down to the bottom mark on the bayonet gauge.



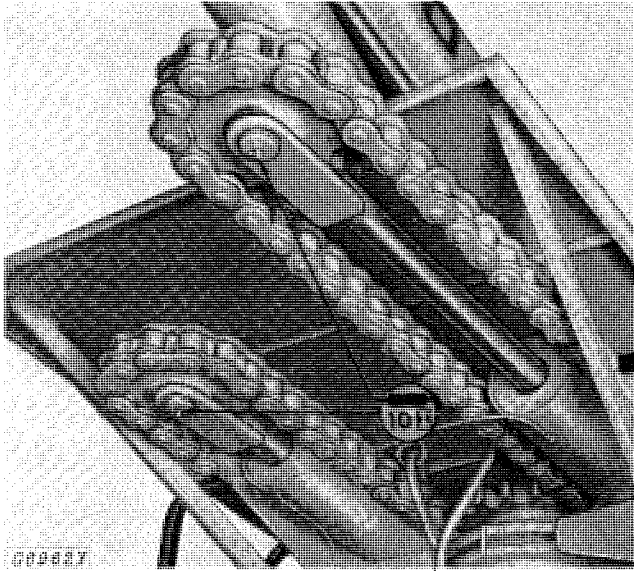
10. Stabilizer Cylinder Bushings and Arm Hinge

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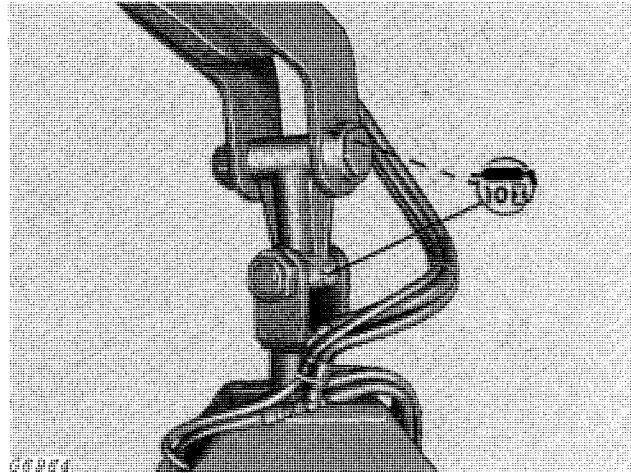
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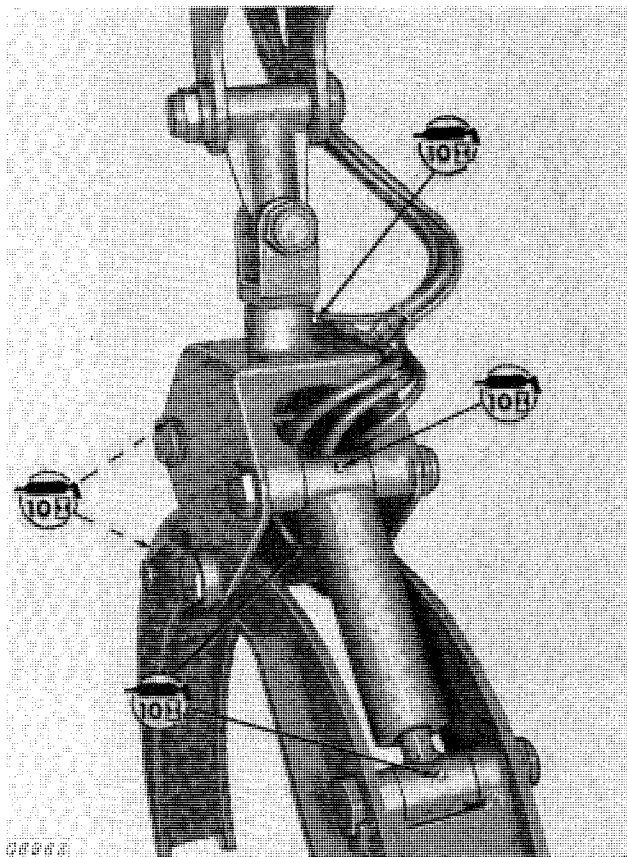
11. Swing cylinder chain sprockets

*NOTE: Grease every 5 hours under adverse conditions.*



14. Bucket cross

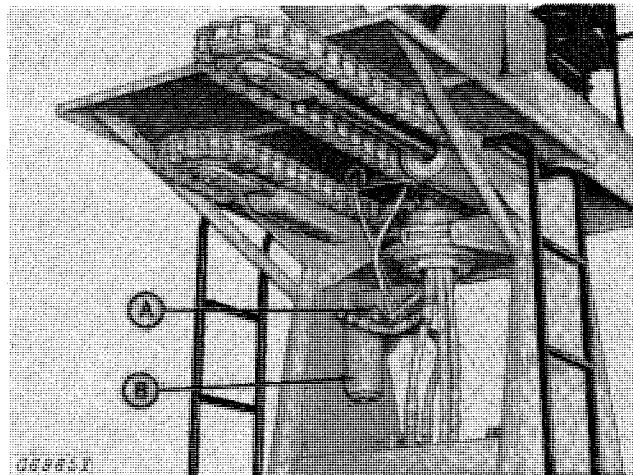
**EVERY 100 HOURS**



12. Grapple cylinder bushings and arm hinge

13. Grapple head bearings

*NOTE: Grease every 5 hours under adverse conditions.*

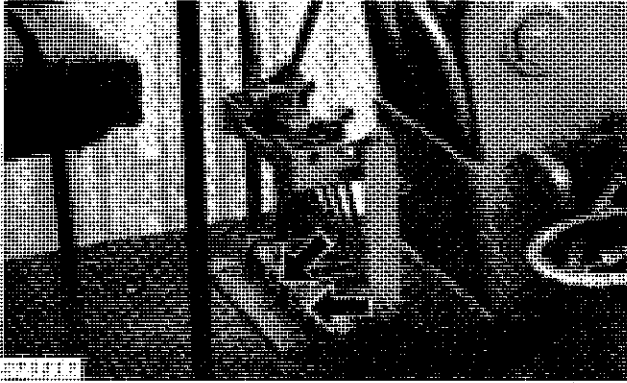


A—Vacuum Gauge

B—Hydraulic Oil Filter

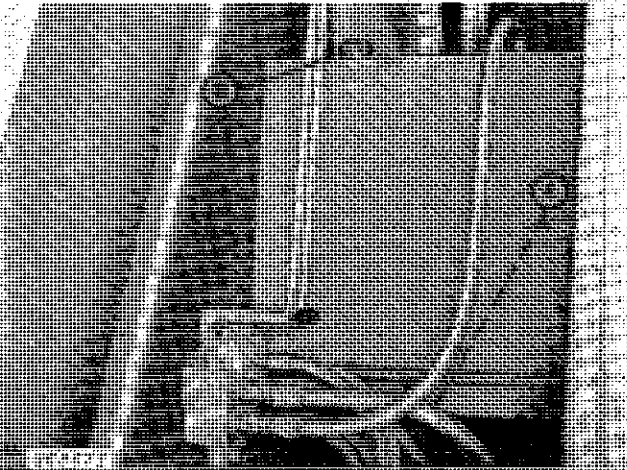
15. Replace the return line filter element (hydraulic oil filter element).

*NOTE: Change filters after first 50 hours and 50 hours after each major hydraulic system repair.*



16. Grease control linkage.

**EVERY 500-HOURS OR  
TWICE YEARLY**



A—Oil Reservoir Plug

B—Hydraulic Oil Suction  
Screen

17. Drain and refill hydraulic oil reservoir. Remove plug under the hydraulic oil reservoir. After all oil has drained install plug. Fill the hydraulic oil reservoir with 52 gallons (196.84 l) of hydraulic oil (see page 10-1).

*NOTE: Change hydraulic oil filter when changing hydraulic oil.*

18. Clean suction screen in hydraulic oil reservoir with kerosene or diesel fuel.