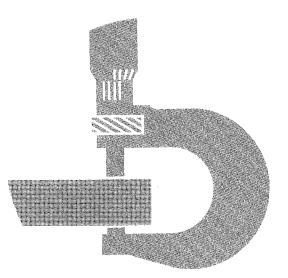
2155 and 2355N Tractors – Repair –



TECHNICAL MANUAL

John Deere Werke Mannheim TM4435 (Dec-89) Litho in U.S.A.

FOREWORD

This manual is written for experienced technicians. Essential tools required to perform certain service operations are identified in this manual and are recommended for use.

Live with safety: Read the safety messages on the first pages of this manual as well as the cautions presented throughout the text of the manual.



This is the safety alert symbol. When you see this symbol on the machine or in this manual, be alert to the risk of personal injury.

Information is organized in groups for the various components requiring service instruction. At the beginning of each group are summary listings of all applicable essential tools, service equipment and tools, other materials needed to do the job, service parts kits, specifications, wear tolerances and torque values.

Binders, binder labels and tab sets can be ordered by John Deere dealers direct from the John Deere Distribution Service Center. This manual is part of a total product support program.

FOS Manuals - Reference

Technical Manuals - Machine service

Component Technical Manuals – Component service

Fundamentals of Service (FOS) Manuals cover basic theory of operation, fundamentals of troubleshooting, general maintenance and the basic types of failures and their causes. FOS Manuals are for the training of new personnel and for reference by experienced technicians.

Technical Manuals

are concise guides for specific machines. Technical Manuals are on-the-job guides containing only the vital information needed for diagnosis, analysis, testing and repair.

Component Technical Manuals

are concise service guides for specific components. Component technical manuals are written as standalone manuals covering multiple machine applications.

The following Component Technical Manuals will be required to properly service these tractors:

- CTM-4, 300 Series Engines

- CTM-4422, MFWD Axles

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Section 05 SAFETY

SAFETY AND YOU

This is the safety-alert symbol. When you see this symbol on the machine or in this manual, be alert to the potential for personal injury.



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IMPORTANT

The IMPORTANT message identifies potential problems which may cause consequential damage to machine. Following recommended procedure will instruct technician how to avoid problem.

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NOTES

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OBSERVE SAFETY RULES

Avoid loose clothing that can catch in moving parts and put you out of work.

Wear your safety glasses while on the job.

Avoid working on equipment with the engine running. If it is necessary to make checks with the engine running, ALWAYS USE TWO PEOPLE – with the operator, at the controls, able to see the person doing the checking. Also, put the transmission in neutral, set the brake, and apply safety locks provided. KEEP HANDS AWAY FROM MOVING PARTS.

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 belt tension while the engine is running.

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

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

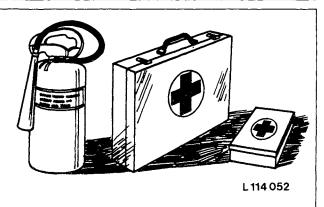
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PREPARE FOR EMERGENCIES

Be prepared if a fire starts.

Keep a first aid kit and fire extinguisher handy.

Keep emergency numbers for doctors, ambulance service, hospital and fire department near your telephone.



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DELIVERY INSPECTION

A thorough discussion of the operation and service of the tractor at the time of its delivery helps to assure complete customer satisfaction with his JOHN DEERE tractor.

Proper delivery should therefore be an important part of the dealer's program.

It is a well-known fact that many complaints have arisen simply because the owner was not shown how to operate and service his new tractor properly. Therefore, enough time should be devoted, at the customer's convenience, to introducing him to his new tractor and explaining to him how to operate and service it.

Using the tractor operator's manual as a guide, be sure that the owner understands the following points properly:

- 1. The importance of the safety rules.
- 2. Operation of control levers and instruments.
- 3. Starting and shutting off the engine.

- 4. The importance of the tractor break-in period.
- 5. Use of counterweights and proper tire inflation pressure as well as filling of tires with water and calcium chloride, if required.
- 6. All functions of the hydraulic system.
- 7. Operating the PTO.
- 8. The importance of lubrication and periodic service.

Give particular emphasis to sway blocks, rockshaft rate-of-drop, rockshaft selector lever (load and depth control), transmission oil pressure indicator light, engine oil pressure indicator light (high oil temperature or low oil pressure and what to do if light goes on), alternator indicator light (indicating whether alternator is charging). These areas are often misunderstood.

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AFTER-SALES INSPECTION

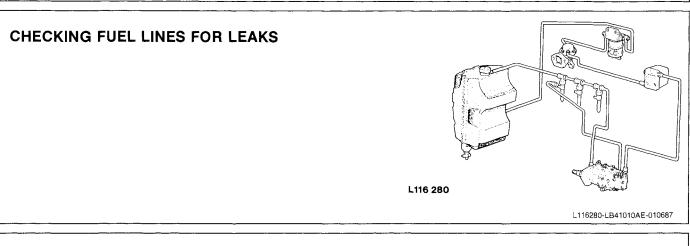
In the interest of the purchaser and dealer, an After-Sale inspection should be carried out by the dealer after the first 100 hours of using a new JOHN DEERE tractor.

The purpose of this inspection is to make sure that the customer is receiving satisfactory performance from his tractor. At the same time, the inspection should reveal whether or not the tractor is being operated, lubricated and serviced properly.

NOTE: Should any malfunction occur during the inspection, then refer to Technical Manual "Engines" or "Operation and Tests". Through this inspection, a needless volume of service work can be eliminated by preventing minor difficulties from developing into serious problems later on. It will also promote stronger dealer-customer relations and give the customer an opportunity to ask questions that may have arisen during the first few days of use. The dealer may also have the further opportunity of promoting the possible sale of other new equipment.

The following inspection program is recommended:

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EXAMINING ENGINE FOR LEAKS

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CHANGING ENGINE OIL

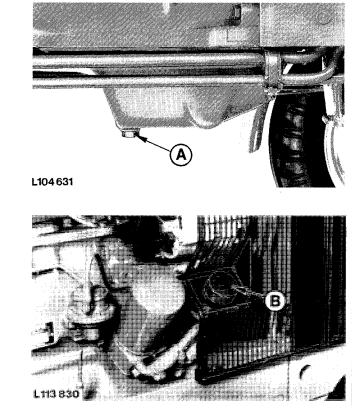
Drain oil while engine is shut off, but still warm.

A-Drain plug

Fill with fresh oil of the correct viscosity (see Group 15).

Oil quantity with filter change: 6.0 liters (1.6 U.S. gal.)

B–Filler neck



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CHANGING ENGINE OIL FILTER

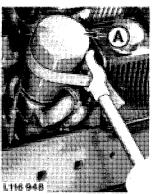
Unscrew oil filter (A) and clean filter mounting surface (B).

Apply a thin layer of oil to seal ring (C). Screw in new filter until seal ring just touches mounting surface, then turn an additional 1/2 to 3/4 turns. Do not over-tighten.

Start engine and check drain plug and filter seat for leaks.

Shut off engine and check oil level.

A-Oil filter B-Filter mounting surface C-Seal ring





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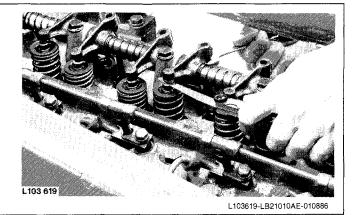
CHECKING VALVE CLEARANCE

Check valve clearance using a feeler gauge.

Valve clearance (with engine cold or warm):

- Intake valve: 0.35 mm (0.014 in.)
- Exhaust valve: 0.45 mm (0.018 in.)

If required, readjust valve clearance.

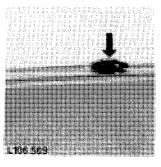


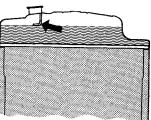
CHECKING COOLANT LEVEL

Up to Tractor Serial No. 621 999 L:

Coolant must reach up to marker plate in radiator.

If necessary, add coolant. See Group 15.





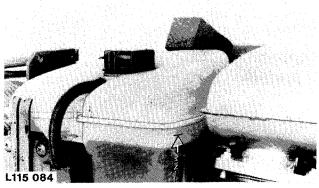
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From Tractor Serial No. 622 000 L:

Level of coolant should not be below the mark "MIN".

If necessary, add coolant. See Group 15.



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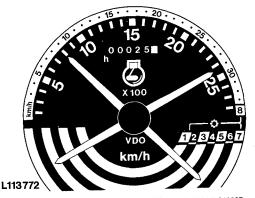
CHECKING ENGINE IDLE SPEEDS

Tractors with Synchronized Transmission

Warm up engine to operating temperature and check speeds.

Slow idle speed: 750 to 850 rpm Fast idle speed : 2410 to 2510 rpm

See Section 30, Group 15, for adjustment.

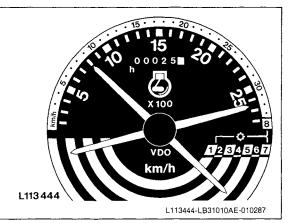


Tractors with Collar Shift Transmission

Warm up engine to operating temperature and check speeds.

Slow idle speed: 750 to 850 rpm Fast idle speed: 2610 to 2660 rpm

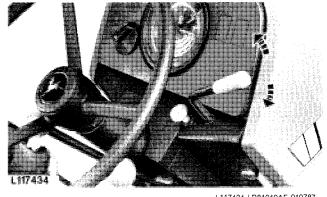
See Section 30, Group 15, for adjustment.



CHECKING FUNCTION OF HAND THROTTLE LEVER

Check function of hand throttle lever.

See Section 30, Group 15, in the event of malfunctions.

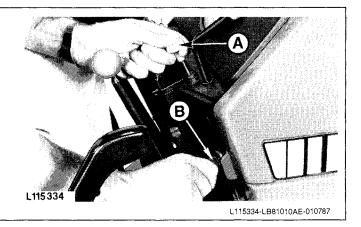


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CHECKING FUNCTION OF ENGINE SHUT-OFF CABLE

Run engine for 1 to 2 minutes at slow idle speed.

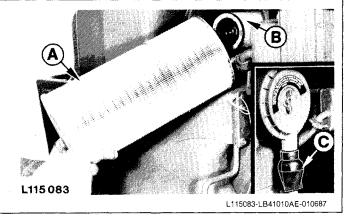
Completely pull out shut-off knob (A), making sure engine stops immediately. Switch off main switch (B).



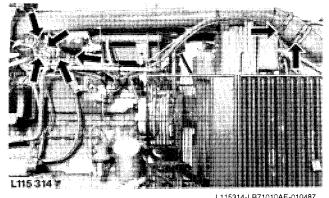
CHECKING AIR CLEANER AND SAFETY **ELEMENTS FOR CORRECT INSTALLATION**

Make sure that dust unloading valve (C) (rubber cap) is installed on air cleaner.

> A-Air cleaner element **B–Safety element** C-Dust unloading valve



CHECKING HOSE CLAMPS OF AIR INTAKE SYSTEM FOR TIGHTNESS



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CHECKING FAN BELT TENSION

Using belt tension gauge JDST-28 (C) check tension of fan belt.

Fan belt should have 19 mm (3/4 in.) flex with 90 N (20 lb) pull midway between crankshaft and alternator or water pump.

> A-Fan belt **B-Attaching nut** C-Belt tension gauge (JDST-28)

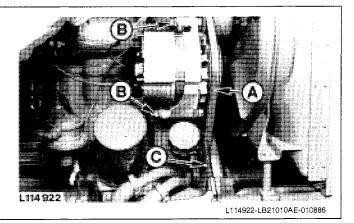
CHECKING BATTERIES

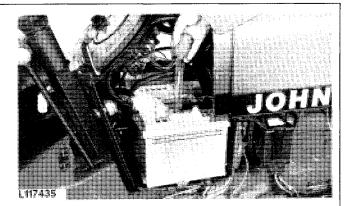
Check battery terminals and battery cable ends and, if necessary, clean and coat them with petroleum jelly.

Check specific gravity of battery cells. At an electrolyte temperature of 20° C (68° F), a fully charged battery should have a specific gravity of 1.28 under normal and arctic conditions and 1.23 in tropical areas.

Check electrolyte level in each battery cell. Add distilled water if necessary to bring level above cell plates.

Charge batteries if they are not fully charged. Remove filler caps before charging the battery.





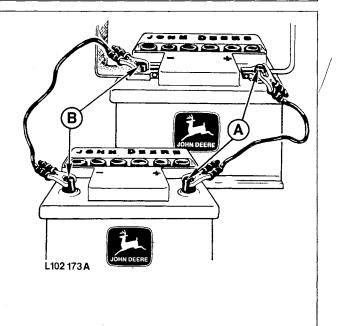
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IMPORTANT NOTES

If the engine is to be run for a short time without battery (using a slave battery for starting), do not, under any circumstances, interrupt this circuit by switching off the main switch before stopping the engine by means of the fuel pump shut-off cable. An additional load (lights) must also be switched on. Do not run engine above 1000 rpm. Insulate battery end of disconnected starter cable properly to avoid damage to alternator and regulator.

Observe proper polarity when connecting batteries and chargers. Improperly connected batteries (" + " and " -") result in immediate destruction of rectifier diodes.

A–Positive terminals B–Negative terminals

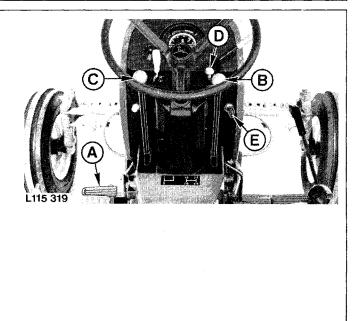


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CHECKING NEUTRAL START SYSTEM

Depress clutch pedal (A). Move gear shift lever (B) to neutral position. Move range shift lever (C) to any range position. Pull out engine shut-off knob (D). Turn main switch (E) to start position. Starter should NOT crank.

> A-Clutch pedal B-Gear shift lever C-Range shift lever D-Engine shut-off knob E-Main switch

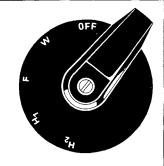


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CHECKING LIGHTING SYSTEM

See Operator's Manual.

Check adjustment of headlights and adjust, when necessary.



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CHECKING INSTRUMENTS AND INDICATOR LIGHTS

See Operator's Manual.

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CHECKING TORQUE OF ADJUSTABLE FRONT AXLE BOLTS (When Equipped)

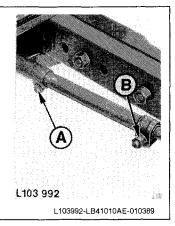
Tighten axle bolts (A) to 400 Nm (300 ft-lb).

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CHECKING TIE ROD BOLTS (Tractors without Front Wheel Drive)

Tighten clamping screws (A) to 55 Nm (40 ft-lb) and clamping screw (B) to 90 Nm (65 ft-lb).



CHECKING TIE ROD BOLTS (Tractors with Front Wheel Drive)

Tighten clamping screws (A) to 55 Nm (40 ft-lb) and clamping screw (B) to 90 Nm (65 ft-lb).

CHECKING TRANSMISSION/HYDRAULIC SYSTEM OIL LEVEL

IMPORTANT: Check oil level when oil is cold.

Park tractor on level ground. Completely lower rockshaft. Remove dipstick (A) and wipe clean. Reinsert dipstick, again remove and check oil level.

NOTE: If oil level is below top mark, top up with oil to bring level up to top mark on dipstick through filler neck (B).

IMPORTANT: After having topped up transmission with oil, wait for a period of five minutes before rechecking oil level with dipstick.

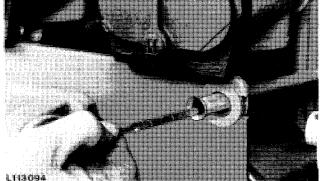
If necessary, add JOHN DEERE Hy-Gard transmission and hydraulic oil or equivalent (see Group 15) to bring oil level to top mark on dipstick.

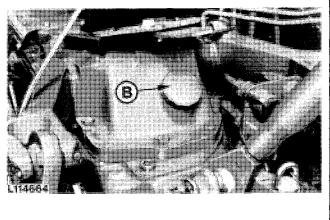
NOTE: Types of oil not meeting our specifications will not give satisfactory service and may result in damage.



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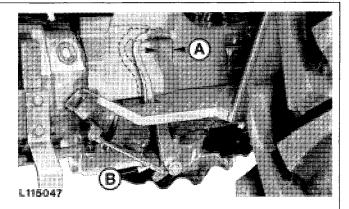
CHECKING CLUTCH PEDAL FREE TRAVEL

Tractors Without Reverser Transmission

Clutch pedal free travel (A) should be 25 mm (1 in.).

If necessary, adjust clutch pedal free travel by turning yoke (B).

IMPORTANT: Clutch pedal free travel should never be less than 13 mm (approx. 1/2 in.). Should clutch pedal free travel be less than specified minimum, do not operate tractor until travel has been adjusted to specifications.



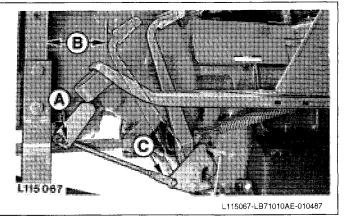
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Tractors With Reverser Transmission

Push clutch pedal down until operating rod is positioned in rear of slot (A) in clutch shaft arm.

There should be 133 mm (5-1/4 in.) between engine mounting flange and rear of clutch pedal pad (B).

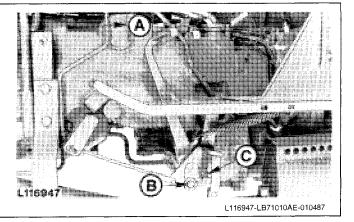
If necessary, adjust clutch pedal free travel by turning yoke (C).

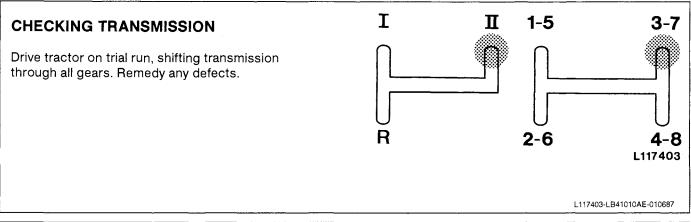


Pedal free travel (A) to shift reverser transmission should be 19 to 32 mm (3/4 to 1-1/4 in.).

if necessary, adjust pedal free travel by backing off screw (B) and turning adjusting screw (C).

A-Pedal free travel B-Pedal shaft screw C-Adjusting screw

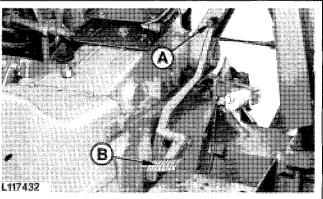




CHECKING DIFFERENTIAL LOCK

Drive tractor, checking functions of differential lock by operating hand lever (A) or pedal (B).

IMPORTANT: Never turn the tractor with differential lock engaged.



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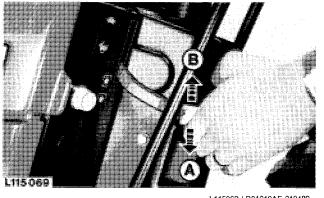
CHECKING REAR PTO

Run engine.

Up to Tractor Serial No. 618 706L: Raise shift lever and push forward.

From Tractor Serial No. 618 707L: Raise shift lever.

A-PTO disengaged B-PTO engaged



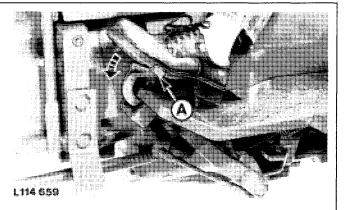
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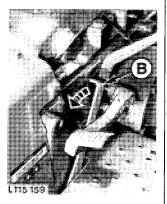
CHECKING CONTINUOUS-RUNNING PTO (Tractors With Collar Shift Transmission)

Fully depress clutch pedal (A) and engage PTO by means of lever (B).



CAUTION: Never engage PTO with tractor in motion.





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CHECKING HI-LO SHIFT UNIT (When Equipped)

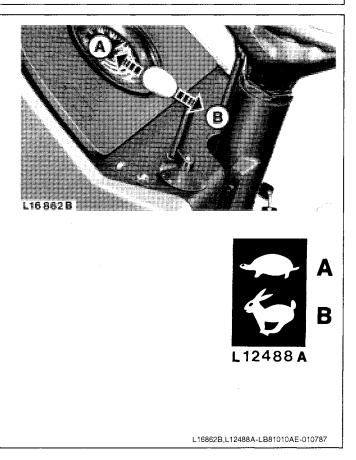
Drive tractor and operate Hi-Lo shift unit, i.e. move Hi-Lo shift unit lever to both reduced and normal speed positions several times, precisely observing Hi-Lo shift unit operation each time.

Simulate tractor working under load by applying brakes.

Low oil pressure will be indicated by disk pack slippage, causing the clutch pack to become noisy.

Mechanical failure in the Hi-Lo shift unit will also be indicated by unusual noise.

A–Reduced speed B–Normal speed



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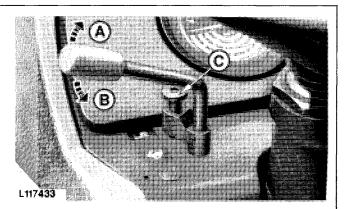
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CHECKING CREEPER TRANSMISSION (When Equipped)

IMPORTANT: Engage creeper transmission only in I (Low) or reverse range and with clutch pedal depressed.

> A-Reduced speed B-Normal speed C-Control lever lock





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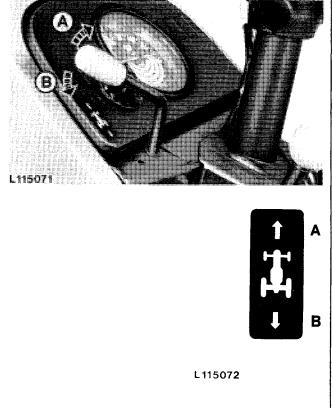
CHECKING REVERSER TRANSMISSION (When Equipped)

NOTE: An interlock in transmission prevents selection of "Reverse" as long as transmission is in high range.

> A–Forward travel (lever toward front) B–Rearward travel (lever toward rear)



CAUTION: Reverse speeds are 16% higher than their respective forward speeds. Use extra care when travelling at higher speeds.



CHANGING FRONT WHEEL DRIVE AXLE OIL (When Equipped)

NOTE: Only change oil directly after having operated tractor for some time.

Fill with an EP transmission oil as specified in Group 15 of this section.

Front Axle Housing

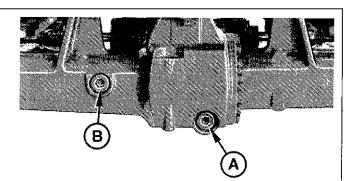
Capacity:

Wheel Hub Housing

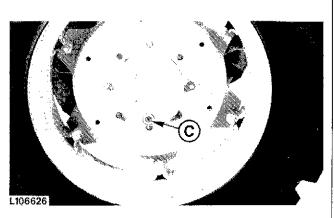
After draining oil, turn wheel until oil level mark is horizontal.

Capacity: 0.5 liters (0.13 U.S. gal.)

A–Drain plug B–Level plug C–Drain and level plug



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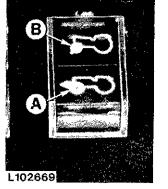


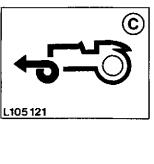
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CHECKING FUNCTION OF FRONT WHEEL DRIVE (When Equipped)

Drive tractor, engaging and disengaging front wheel drive by operating tumbler switch.

A-Front wheel drive engaged B-Front wheel drive disengaged C-Control light glows when front wheel drive is engaged





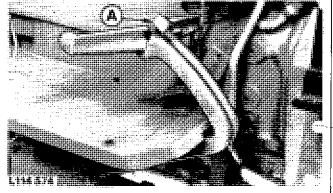
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CHECKING FUNCTION OF FOOT BRAKES

Load each brake pedal with 270 N (60 lb) for one minute. Loaded pedal should drop approx. 25 mm (1 in.) only during this time.

NOTE: Do not check both brake pedals simultaneously, but each pedal individually.

A-Pedal coupler



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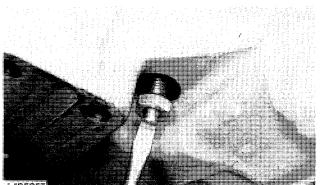
CHECKING HANDBRAKE ADJUSTMENT

Tighten brake band support screw on underside of transmission case hand-tight, then back of half-a-turn and lock in position by means of hex. nut.

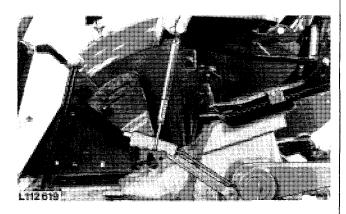
NOTE: The brake band support screw is backed off two turns at the factory. After approximately 100 hours of operation, tighten support screw hand-tight and back off half-a-turn.

Pull handbrake lever to third or fourth notch with a force of 110 N (25 lb).

When necessary, adjust handbrake (see Section 60, Group 15).



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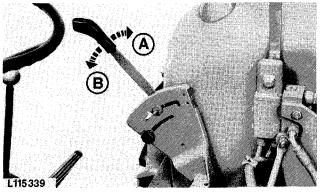


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CHECKING ROCKSHAFT FUNCTIONS

See Operator's Manual.

A-Raise implement **B-Lower implement**



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