# 400 FARMALL DIESEL TRACTOR

**OPERATORS MANUAL** 

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This symbol means ATTENTION! BECOME ALERT! YOUR SAFETY IS INVOLVED. The message that follows the symbol contains important information about your safety. Carefully read the message. Make sure you fully understand the causes of possible injury or death.

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IF THIS MACHINE IS USED BY AN EMPLOYEE, IS LOANED, OR IS RENTED, MAKE SURE THAT THE OPERATOR UNDERSTANDS THE TWO INSTRUCTIONS BELOW.

#### BEFORE THE OPERATOR STARTS THE ENGINE:

- 1. GIVE INSTRUCTIONS TO THE OPERATOR ON SAFE AND CORRECT USE OF THE MACHINE.
- 2. MAKE SURE THE OPERATOR READS AND UNDERSTANDS THE OPERATOR'S MANUAL FOR THIS MACHINE.



IMPROPER OPERATION OF THIS MACHINE CAN CAUSE INJURY OR DEATH.

BEFORE STARTING THE ENGINE, DO THE FOLLOWING:

- 1. READ THE OPERATOR'S MANUAL.
- 2. READ ALL SAFETY DECALS ON THE MACHINE.
- 3. CLEAR THE AREA OF OTHER PERSONS.

LEARN AND PRACTICE SAFE USE OF MACHINE CONTROLS IN A SAFE, CLEAR AREA BEFORE YOU OPERATE THIS MACHINE ON A JOB SITE.

It is your responsibility to observe pertinent laws and regulations and to follow manufacturer's instructions on machine operation and maintenance.

See your Authorized Case dealer for additional operator's manuals, parts catalogs, and service manuals.

## TO THE OWNER

The purpose of this manual is to assist you in realizing the benefits you anticipated when you purchased this International Harvester product. Literally thousands of people have contributed to the design and production of this product and its delivery to you. They have an interest in its successful performance and have provided this manual to give you the benefit of the experience they have gained through years of field testing and normal usage of this and similar products.

The way you operate and the care you give this product will have much to do with its successful performance. This manual has been carefully prepared and the information arranged and illustrated to make it as easy as possible for you to find the information you wish. It will pay you to read the entire manual carefully before operating and keep it handy for future reference. Your International Harvester Dealer will be glad to answer any further questions you may have on the operation of this product.

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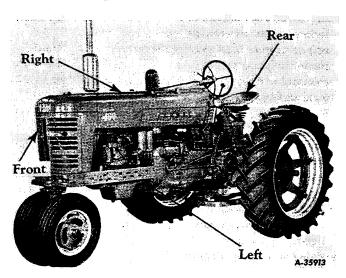
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## INTRODUCTION

Assembled in this book are operating and maintenance instructions for the Farmall 400 Diesel and 400 Diesel Hi-Clear Tractors. This material has been prepared in detail in the hope that it will help you to better understand the correct care and efficient operation of your tractor.

If you should need information not given in this manual, or require the services of a trained mechanic, get in touch with the International Harvester dealer in your locality. Dealers are kept informed on the latest methods of servicing tractors. They carry stocks of IH parts, and are backed in every case by the full facilities of a nearby International Harvester District Office.

Throughout this manual the use of the terms LEFT, RIGHT, FRONT, and REAR must be understood to avoid confusion when following instructions. LEFT and RIGHT indicate the left and right sides of the tractor when facing forward in the driver's seat. Reference to FRONT indicates the radiator end of the tractor; to REAR, the drawbar end. See Illust. 2.



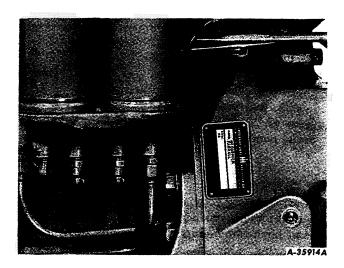
Illust. 2
Terms of location.

The illustrations in this manual are numbered to correspond with the pages on which they appear; for example, *Illusts. 2, 2A, and 2B are on page 2.* 

In order to provide a tractor equipped as nearly as possible to suit each customer's needs, a variety of extra equipment and accessories is available.

Many of these items are illustrated and described in the Extra Equipment and Accessories section of this manual.

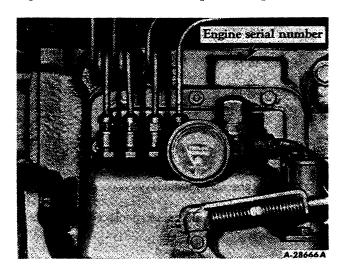
Where operating and maintaining instruction on these items is required, it is included in the instructions for operating and maintaining the tractor. Disregard the instructions for equipment not on your tractor. When in need of parts, always specify the tractor and engine serial numbers. The tractor serial number is stamped on a name plate attached on the left side of the clutch housing. See Illust. 2A.



Illust. 2A

Location of the tractor serial number.

The engine serial number is stamped on the left side of the engine crankcase above the fuel injection pump. See Illust. 2B. This serial number is preceded by the prefix D-264, which indicates that it is a diesel engine with a 264-cubic inch piston displacement.

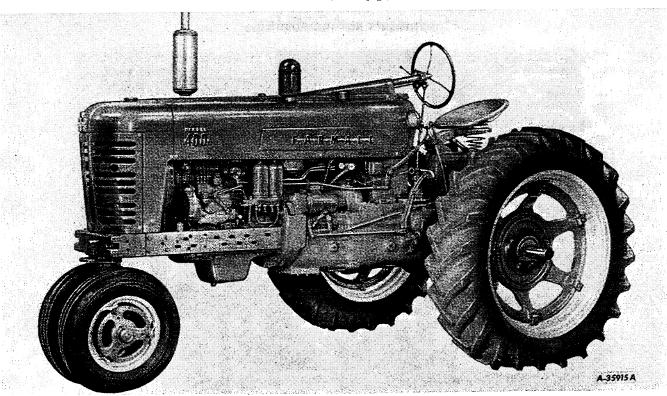


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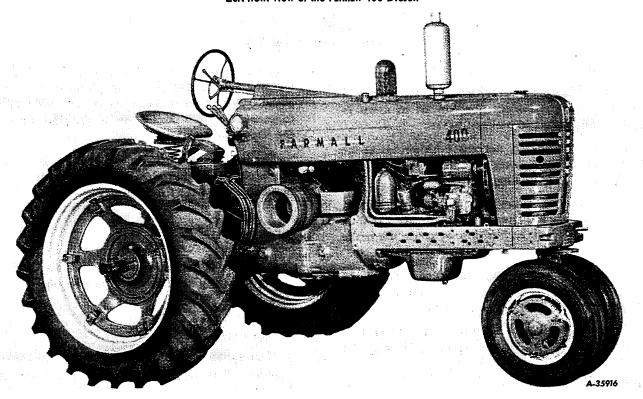
Location of the engine serial number.

For ready reference, we suggest that you write these serial numbers in the spaces provided on the Delivery Report.

# DESCRIPTION



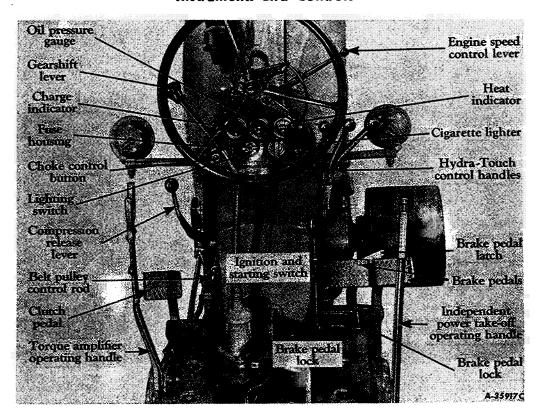
Illust, 3 Left front view of the Farmall 400 Diesel.



Illust. 3 A Right front view of the Farmall 400 Diesel.

#### DESCRIPTION

### Instruments and Controls



Illust. 4
Location of instruments and controls

#### Brake Pedals

These pedals are used to stop the tractor, to hold the tractor in a stationary position, or to assist in making sharp turns as outlined below:

To stop the tractor, depress both pedals at the same time. Before driving the tractor in high gear, always latch the pedals together.

To hold the tractor in a stationary position, latch the pedals together, depress them, and lock them in this depressed position by using the brake pedal lock.

To assist in making a sharp turn, operate the pedals individually, depressing the pedal on the side toward which the turn is to be made.

The brake pedal latch (Illusts. 4 and 19) is used to latch both brake pedals together, causing the brakes to operate simultaneously.



Caution! Always latch the brake pedals together when driving the tractor in high gear (fifth speed). To latch the pedals together, engage the latch (located in back of the left pedal, *Illust.* 19) in the slot in back of the right pedal. When the brake pedals are not latched together, the latch should rest in the slot in back of the left brake pedal.

The brake pedal lock (Illust. 19) is used to lock the brake pedals in the depressed position; this prevents the tractor from moving.

#### Clutch Pedal

This pedal, when depressed all the way, disengages the engine from the transmission.

#### **Choke Control Button**

The choke control button makes it possible to regulate the carburetor choke from the driver's seat. Pulling out on the choke control button closes the carburetor choke for starting the engine; pushing it back in opens the choke.



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