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Introduction

READ THIS MANUAL carefully to learn how to operate and service your machine correctly. Failure to do so could result in personal injury or equipment damage.

THIS MANUAL SHOULD BE CONSIDERED a permanent part of your machine and should remain with the machine when you sell it.

MEASUREMENTS in this manual are U.S. customary units and their metric equivalents.

RIGHT-HAND AND LEFT-HAND sides are determined by facing in the direction of forward travel.

WRITE PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION NUMBERS in the Identification Numbers section. Accurately record all the numbers to help in tracing the machine should it be stolen. Your dealer also needs these numbers when you order parts. If this manual is kept on the machine, also file the identification numbers in a secure place off the machine.

WARRANTY on this machine is on the warranty certificate which you should have received from your dealer when making your purchase. This warranty provides you the assurance that John Deere will back its products where defects appear within the warranty period. In some circumstances, John Deere also provides field improvements, often without charge to the customer, even if the product is out of warranty.

Warranty and field improvements are a part of John Deere's product support program for customers who operate and maintain their equipment as described in this manual. Should the equipment be abused, or modified to change its performance beyond the original factory, specifications, the warranty will become void and field improvements may be denied. Setting fuel delivery above specifications or otherwise overpowering machines will result in such action.

THE TIRE MANUFACTURER'S warranty supplied with your machine may not apply outside the U.S.



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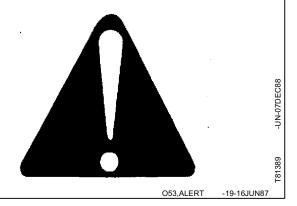
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Safety

RECOGNIZE SAFETY INFORMATION

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

Follow recommended precautions and safe operating practices.



UNDERSTAND SIGNAL WORDS

A signal word—DANGER, WARNING, or CAUTION—is used with the safety-alert symbol. DANGER identifies the most serious hazards.

Safety signs with signal word DANGER or WARNING are typically near specific hazards.

General precautions are listed on CAUTION safety signs. CAUTION also calls attention to safety messages in this manual.

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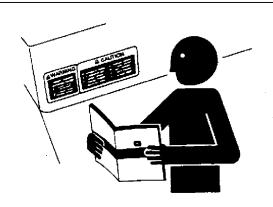
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FOLLOW SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

Carefully read all safety messages in this manual and on your machine safety signs. Keep safety signs in good condition. Replace missing or damaged safety signs.

Learn how to operate the machine and how to use controls properly. Do not let anyone operate without instruction.

Keep your machine in proper working condition. Unauthorized modifications to the machine may impair the function and/or safety and affect machine life.



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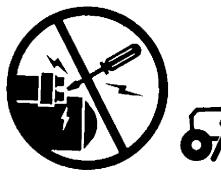


PREVENT MACHINE RUNAWAY

Avoid possible injury or death from machinery runaway.

Do not start engine by shorting across starter terminals. Machine will start in gear if normal circuitry is bypassed.

NEVER start engine while standing on ground. Start engine only from operator's seat, with transmission in neutral or park.





OPERATE SAFELY

Do not operate with more than one person in cab.

Do not start engine with gears or levers engaged.

Come to a complete stop before reversing direction.

Be sure area behind picker is clear before backing up.

Do not dump or lower basket or lid when someone is near picker.

Do not operate close to a ditch or creek.

Drive slowly over rough ground.

Do not dump on a slope or grade.

Do not dump near overhead wires.

Do not drive picker with basket raised.

Do not overload basket.

Slow down when turning.

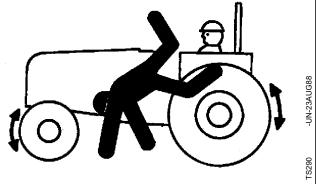




KEEP RIDERS OFF MACHINE

Only allow the operator on the machine. Keep riders off.

Riders on machine are subject to injury such as being struck by foreign objects and being thrown off of the machine. Riders also obstruct the operator's view resulting in the machine being operated in an unsafe manner.



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AVOID TIP-OVERS

Use a seat belt under almost all operating conditions.

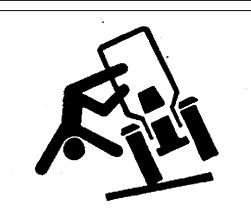
Avoid holes, ditches, and obstructions which may cause the machine to tip, especially on hillsides.

Never drive near the edge of a gully or steep embankment-it might cave in.

Slow down for hillsides, rough ground, and sharp turns.

Do not turn with basket raised.

Do not dump basket toward a down slope.



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AVOID CONTACT WITH MOVING PARTS

Shut off engine and remove key before unplugging picker.

Keep hands, feet, and clothing away from moving parts.



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HANDLE FUEL SAFELY—AVOID FIRES

Handle fuel with care: it is highly flammable. Do not refuel the machine while smoking or when near open flame or sparks.

Always stop engine before refueling machine. Fill fuel tank outdoors.

Prevent fires by keeping machine clean of accumulated trash, grease, and debris. Always clean up spilled fuel.

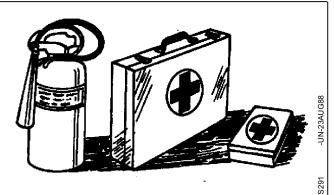


PREPARE FOR EMERGENCIES

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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HANDLE STARTING FLUID SAFELY

Starting fluid is highly flammable.

Keep all sparks and flame away when using it. Keep starting fluid away from batteries and cables.

To prevent accidental discharge when storing the pressurized can, keep the cap on the container, and store in a cool, protected location.

Do not incinerate or puncture a starting fluid container.



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AVOID FIRES

In case cotton ignites in basket, DUMP cotton. DO NOT dump into the wind, DO NOT attempt to extinguish burning cotton in basket.

DO NOT operate picker without two fire extinguishers near by. Fire extinguishers and mounting brackets are available. Order AT81764, T80932, and AT75387 from your John Deere dealer.

To prevent plugging, engage fan before engaging picking units.

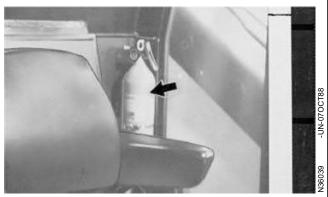
DO NOT dump basket near electrical wires.

DO NOT dump into the wind. Wind could blow lint into a hot engine.

DO NOT refuel with the engine running.

DO NOT smoke or use a lantern when refueling.

Keep units free from trash.



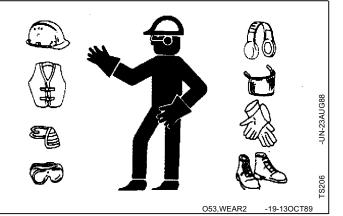
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WEAR PROTECTIVE CLOTHING

Wear close fitting clothing and safety equipment appropriate to the job.

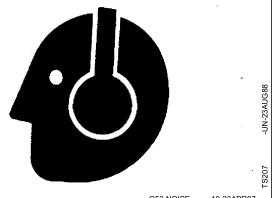
Operating equipment safely requires the full attention of the operator. Do not wear radio or music headphones while operating machine.



PROTECT AGAINST NOISE

Prolonged exposure to loud noise can cause impairment or loss of hearing.

Wear a suitable hearing protective device such as earmuffs or earplugs to protect against objectionable or uncomfortable loud noises.



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TRANSPORT SAFELY

Know the height of your picker and beware of overhead wires and obstacles.

Remove or lower radio antenna, if equipped.

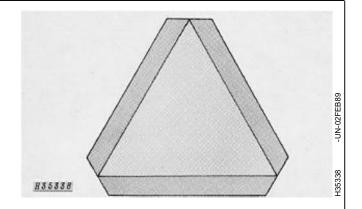
Latch brakes together.

Stop slowly to avoid "nose-diving".

DO NOT transport without first raising the picking units.

Keep the SMV emblem and reflectors clean and in place.

Always disengage picker units before road transport. Transporting with units engaged will cause machine to stop if operator leaves seat for more than 5 seconds.



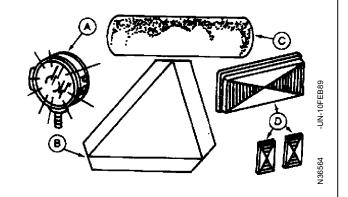
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USE SAFETY LIGHTS AND DEVICES

Use of flashing warning lights and turn signals are recommended when towing this equipment on public roads unless prohibited by state or local regulations. An implement safety lighting kit is available from your John Deere dealer.

Keep safety items in good condition. Replace missing or damaged items.

- A-Lights
- **B—Slow Moving Vehicle Emblem**
- C—Reflector Tape
- D-Reflectors





PRACTICE SAFE MAINTENANCE

Shut off engine and remove key when working on picker unless specifically told to leave engine running.

Before getting under picking units, raise units, shut off engine, set brakes, and set safety stops on both lift cylinder rods (bold arrow).

When basket is in the raised position, engage basket cylinder lock valve (A) to lock BEFORE working under the basket. When lowering basket, stand clear; then turn valve to unlock. Basket will not lower unless valve is unlocked.

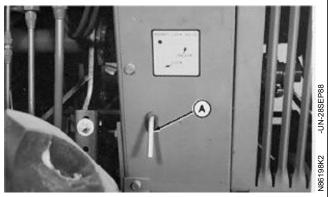
DO NOT oil or adjust picker when it is in motion.

DO NOT loosen radiator cap on a hot radiator.

Replace any guards or shields removed for servicing.

Unauthorized modification to the machine may impair the function and/or safety and affect machine life.





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BATTERY SAFETY



CAUTION: Battery gas can explode. Keep sparks and flames away from batteries. Use a flashlight to check battery electrolyte level.

Never check battery charge by placing a metal object across the posts. Use a voltmeter or hydrometer.

Always remove grounded (-) battery clamp first and replace it last.



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CAUTION: Sulfuric acid in battery electrolyte is poisonous. It is strong enough to burn skin, eat holes in clothing, and cause blindness if splashed into eyes.

Avoid the hazard by:

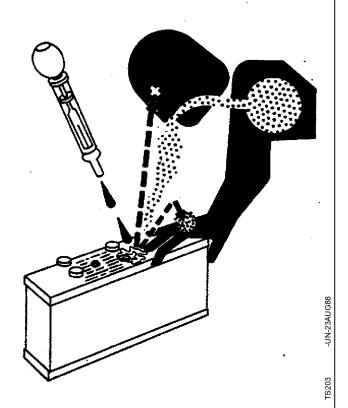
- 1. Filling batteries in a well-ventilated area.
- 2. Wearing eye protection and rubber gloves.
- 3. Avoiding breathing fumes when electrolyte is added.
- 4. Avoiding spilling or dripping electrolyte.
- 5. Use proper jump start procedure.

If you spill acid on yourself:

- 1. Flush your skin with water.
- 2. Apply baking soda or lime to help neutralize the acid.
- 3. Flush your eyes with water for 10-15 minutes. Get medical attention immediately.

If acid is swallowed:

- 1. Drink large amounts of water or milk.
- 2. Then drink milk of magnesia, beaten eggs, or vegetable oil.
- 3. Get medical attention immediately.



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PRACTICE SAFE MAINTENANCE

Understand service procedure before doing work. Keep area clean and dry.

Never lubricate or service machine while it is moving. Keep hands, feet, and clothing from power-driven parts. Disengage all power and operate controls to relieve pressure. Lower equipment to the ground. Stop the engine. Remove the key. Allow machine to cool.

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

Keep all parts in good condition and properly installed. Fix damage immediately. Replace worn or broken parts. Remove any buildup of grease, oil, or debris.

Disconnect battery ground cable (-) before making adjustments on electrical systems or welding on machine.



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AVOID HIGH-PRESSURE FLUIDS

Escaping fluid under pressure can penetrate the skin causing serious injury.

Avoid the hazard by relieving pressure before disconnecting hydraulic or other lines. Tighten all connections before applying pressure.

Search for leaks with a piece of cardboard. Protect hands and body from high pressure fluids.

If an accident occurs, see a doctor immediately. Any fluid injected into the skin must be surgically removed within a few hours or gangrene may result. Doctors unfamiliar with this type of injury may call the Deere & Company Medical Department in Moline, Illinois, or other knowledgeable medical source.

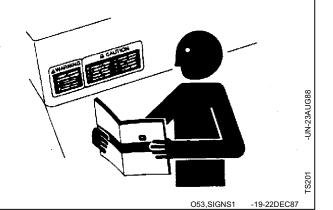


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REPLACE SAFETY SIGNS

Replace missing or damaged safety signs. See the machine operator's manual for correct safety sign placement.



OPERATING BASKET CYLINDER LOCK VALVE

When basket is in the raised position, engage valve to lock position (A) BEFORE working under the basket. When lowering basket, stand clear; then turn valve to unlock position. Basket will not lower unless valve is unlocked.



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READ SAFETY SIGNS

Carefully read and follow all CAUTION, WARNING, and DANGER safety signs.

Keep signs in good condition. Replace missing or damaged safety signs.



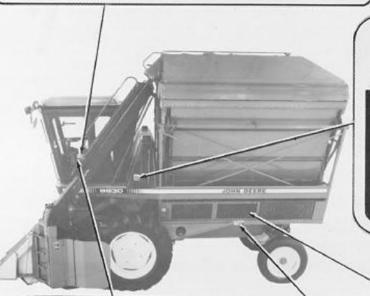
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DANGER

To avoid injury or death do not contact electric lines when moving or operating this machine.



WARNING

A fire hazard exists when flammable moistening agents are used.
Use John Deere Spindle Cleaner, John Deere Wetting Agent or equivalent.



CAUTION

- Reduce engine speed before turning quickly or applying brakes.
- Uneven application of brakes will draw picker to one side. Apply brakes evenly at transport speeds.
- "Quick" stops can result in machine nosing forward. Drive with the care necessary to allow controlled application of brakes at all times.



Refrigerant under pressure. Improper servicing may cause refrigerant to penetrate eyes and skin or cause burns. Wear goggles and protect skin.



A WARNING

DO NOT GET UNDER BASKET WITHOUT LOCKING BASKET CYLINDER LOCK VALVE. STAND CLEAR WHILE UNLOCKING BASKET CYLINDER LOCK VALVE.

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