



Battle Ax

Excavator Mulching Head - 30 Series

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Owner's Manual and Parts Book (Originating w/Serial Number 101-136)

Model Number:	
Serial Number:	
Date of Purchase:	



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LOFTNESS SPECIALIZED EQUIPMENT, INC. LIMITED WARRANTY POLICY

The limited warranty policy begins upon delivery of the unit to the original customers.

All Loftness products have a one (1) year limited warranty. The XLB10 Grain Bag Loader has a two (2) year limited warranty.

If any Loftness product is used as rental or leased equipment the limited warranty period is for only 30 days from the delivery date to the original customers.

Loftness Specialized Equipment, hereinafter referred to as LOFTNESS, a manufacturer of quality machinery since 1956, warrants new LOFTNESS machinery and/or attachments at the time of delivery to the original purchaser, to be free from defects in material and workmanship when properly set up and operated in accordance with the recommendations set forth in the LOFTNESS Operator's Manual.

LOFTNESS' liability for any defect with respect to accepted goods shall be limited to repairing the goods at an authorized dealer or other LOFTNESS designated location, or replacing them as LOFTNESS shall elect. The above shall be in accordance with LOFTNESS warranty adjustment policies.

WARRANTY REQUIREMENTS

Warranty registration form must be filled out and returned to Loftness Specialized Equipment to validate all warranty claims. To receive a warranty claim, a return authorization from LOFTNESS must be obtained. The failed part may then be returned in an untampered status. This warranty does not include freight or delivery charges incurred when returning machinery for servicing. Dealer mileage, service calls and pick-up/delivery charges are the customer's responsibility.

LIMITATIONS OF WARRANTY

LOFTNESS products are designed to provide years of dependable service when proper use and maintenance is adhered to. The potential for misuse in many applications exists; therefore, a limited warranty is provided as follows.

This warranty shall not apply to any machine or attachment which shall have been repaired or altered outside the LOFTNESS factory or authorized LOFTNESS dealership or in any way so as in LOFTNESS' judgment, to affect its stability or reliability, nor which has been subject to misuse, negligence or accident, nor to any machine or attachment which shall not have been operated in accordance with LOFTNESS' printed instructions or beyond the company recommended machine rated capacity. LOFTNESS may elect to have an area representative evaluate the condition of the machine before warranty is considered.

In addition, this limited warranty provides no coverage for general wear or maintenance items, misuse, environmental conditions and/or contamination for which they were not designed or not intended, including but not limited to the following items:

- Use of machine beyond its rated capacity;
- Improper knife replacement;
- Missing knives;
- Striking foreign objects
- Lack of lubrication
- Failures caused by running in an "out-of-balance" condition;
- Tires:
- Conveyors;
- Auger wear;
- Saw blades;
- Brakes and brake pads; and
- Hydraulic hoses damaged by being caught in "pinch points" or by moving parts.

EXCLUSIONS OF WARRANTY

Except as otherwise expressly stated herein, LOFTNESS makes no representation or warranty of any kind, expressed or implied. The implied warranty of merchantability and fitness for a particular purpose are excluded from this limited warranty. The remedies set forth in this warranty are the only remedies available to any person under this warranty. LOFTNESS shall have no liability to any person for incidental, consequential or special damages of any description, whether arising out of express or implied warranty or any other contract, negligence, or other tort or otherwise. This exclusion of consequential, incidental and special damages is independent from and shall survive any finding that the exclusive remedy failed of its essential purpose. Upon purchase, the buyer assumes all liability, all personal injury and property damage resulting from the handling, possession or use of the goods by the buyer.

No agent, employee or representative of LOFTNESS has any authority to bind LOFTNESS to any affirmation, representation or warranty concerning its machinery and/or attachments except as specifically set forth herein. (October 2020)





To the Dealer:

In order to ensure compatibility / performance of the Loftness attachment and the customer's power unit, it is IMPERATIVE that this Pre-Delivery Inspection ("PDI") be completed using the customer's actual power unit.

PRE-DELIVERY INSPECTION

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PO Box 337				Signed/Data
Hector, MN 55342				Signed/Date

Email to: Cheryl Schmalz

Cheryl@loftness.com LOFTNESS COPY



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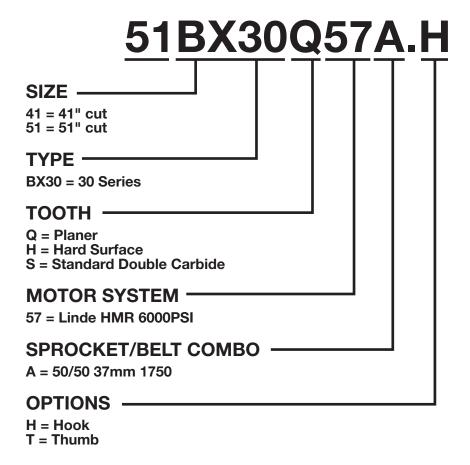
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Ordering Code

Battle Ax 30 Series (Example)

The ordering code will consist of two numbers (machine size), two letters and two numbers (machine type), one letter (cutter type), two numbers (motor system), one letter (sheave/belt combo), and one or two letters (options). An example for a Battle Ax 30 series of this type would be as shown below.





Owner Information

Thank you for your decision to purchase a Battle Ax 30 Series Excavator Mulching Head from Loftness. To ensure maximum performance of your machine, it is mandatory that you thoroughly study the owner's manual and follow its recommendations. Proper operation and maintenance are essential to prevent injury or damage and to maximize machine life.

The Loftness Battle Ax is an effective, reliable machine used for maintaining grass, weeds, brush and trees. For best results, operate the machine as low to the ground as possible without the teeth striking ground or other obstructions. Lifting or tilting the Battle Ax increases the risk of flying debris. Because of the high speed of the teeth, the life of the teeth will be reduced if it is operated in rocky terrain or in areas where many obstacles are present. Areas to be mowed should be free of debris such as rocks, bottles, large branches etc. The teeth cut and pulverize the grass, weeds and brush. The Battle Ax deposits cut material over the entire width-of cut, which eliminates bunching or windrowing behind the machine.

Operate and maintain this machine in a safe manner and in accordance with all applicable local, state, and federal codes, regulations and/or laws, and in compliance with on-product labeling and these instructions.

Make sure that all personnel have read this owner's manual and thoroughly understand safe and correct operating, installation and maintenance procedures.

Continuous improvement and advancement of Loftness products may result in changes to your equipment that may not be reflected in this publication. Loftness reserves the right to make product improvements to the machine at any time. Although great care has been taken to ensure the accuracy of this publication, Loftness does not assume any liability for errors or omissions.

Warranty Policy

Be sure to read and understand the Warranty Policy at the beginning of this manual. It is also important that you fill out the Warranty Registration form(s) completely with your dealer so as not to void the warranty.

Serial Number Location



The machine serial number is shown in the tag (1), and is also stamped into the machine frame (2).

Always use your model and serial number when requesting information or when ordering parts.

Owner's Manual Access



The Battle Ax is shipped with a printed owner's manual. The manual must be available for all operators. Keep in a safe, dry location.

To access a digital owner's manual, use a smart phone to scan the QR Code (1) located on the motor cover. This code will link to the Battle Ax owner's manual on the Loftness website.

Introduction

Battle Ax Features

- Hydraulic Driven.
- 37 mm Synchronous Belt.
- Built-in Depth Gauges controls cutting depth.
- Two-stage Cutting Chamber uses 2 shear bars, producing a finer mulch with less passes.
- Double Carbide, Planer (sharpenable), or Planer Hard Surfaced Teeth (sharpenable).
- Adjustable Displacement Piston Motor 105cc, Manually Adjustable.
- Power Requirement 20-60 GPM up to 6000 PSI -45-150 hydraulic horsepower.
- Optional Spade Hook.
- Optional Pin Mount, Quick Attach Mount or Flat Plate Mount.
- 17 in. (43.2 cm) Diameter Rotor.
- Efficient Staggered/Spiral Tooth Pattern.
- 2-3/162 in. (55.56 mm) Piloted Double Taper Roller Bearings.
- Anti Wrap Bearing Protection.
- Rotor Speed 2000-2600 RPM.
- Premium Strength Steel Housing.
- Steel Deflector Chains.
- Taper-Lock Sheaves.
- Skid Shoes.
- Adjustable Shear Bar.

Safety First



Safety Alert Symbol

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

In the owner's manual and on decals used on the machine the words **DANGER**, **WARNING**, **CAUTION**, **IMPORTANT**, and **NOTE** are used to indicate the following:

DANGER: This word warns of immediate hazards which, if not avoided, will result in severe personal injury or death. The color associated with Danger is RED.

WARNING: This word refers to a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in severe personal injury or death. The color associated with Warning is ORANGE.

CAUTION: This word refers to a potentially hazardous or unsafe situation that, if not avoided, may result in minor or moderate injury. It may also be used to alert against unsafe practices. The color associated with Caution is YELLOW.

IMPORTANT: Highlights information that must be heeded.

NOTE: A reminder of other related information that needs to be considered.

If Safety Decals on this machine are ISO two panel pictorial, decals are defined as follows:

- The first panel indicates the nature of the hazard.
- The second panel indicates the appropriate avoidance of the hazard.
- Background color is YELLOW.
- Prohibition symbols such as \(\infty \times \) and \(\frac{\text{sup}}{\text{pro}} \) if used, are RED.

Be certain all machine operators are aware of the dangers indicated by safety decals applied to the machine, and be certain they follow all safety decal instructions. Contact Loftness for safety decal replacement.

Loftness cannot anticipate every possible circumstance that may involve a potential hazard. The warnings in this owner's manual are not all inclusive.

Owner's Responsibility

Because of the potential safety hazard to eyes from hydraulic leaks and/or flying debris, "USE OF PROTECTIVE EYEWEAR IS ABSOLUTELY MANDATORY" for operator and others in the work area.

Due to the possible danger of flying debris, it is "ABSOLUTELY MANDATORY that IMPACT-RESISTANT SHIELDING" be provided on the power unit to protect the operator. The owner is responsible for providing the operator protection devices on the power unit.

Flying debris can gather on the excavator and needs to be cleaned off, especially around the radiator and oil cooler screens, engine compartment and exhaust areas. Periodic cleaning will help prevent the possibility of fire.

It is **ABSOLUTELY MANDATORY** that all personnel read and follow all safety precautions before operating the machine and attachment.

Make sure that all personnel have read this owner's manual, and thoroughly understand safe and correct installation, operation, and maintenance procedures.

Operate and maintain this machine in a safe manner and in accordance with all applicable local, state, and federal codes, regulations and/or laws; and in compliance with on-product labeling and this owner's manual instructions.

Make sure that all personnel know how to stop the machine and attachment by disengaging all controls. See "Mandatory Shut-Down Procedure" on page 6.

Make sure the attachment is installed on the machine correctly before being placed in service. At regular intervals thereafter, the attachment should be serviced in accordance with procedures outlined in this owner's manual.

Mandatory Shut-Down Procedure

- Stop the machine and attachment on a level surface and lower the attachment to the ground.
- Move throttle to idle position.
- Disengage all power to the attachment.
- Shut off engine and remove the key.

Wait until the rotor has stopped completely before inspecting the attachment.

Safety Rules

These are general safety considerations. Additional precautions may be necessary to operate your machine in a safe manner. Be certain you are operating your machine in accordance with all safety codes, OSHA rules and regulations, insurance requirements and local, state, and federal laws.

- Read and observe all warnings decals on the machine before attempting to operate the attachment. Do not attempt to operate this attachment unless all factory devices and decals are in place. Keep safety decals clean of dirt and grime. Keep all guards, shields and decals in place.
- Remove from area of operation all foreign objects such as bottles, rocks, wire, etc., that might become tangled in the rotor, causing damage to the machine or be thrown striking other objects.
- Do not allow any people and animals within 300 feet of the machine and attachment during operation.
- Do not allow anyone to operate the attachment until he or she has read the owner's manual and is completely familiar with all safety precautions. Keep the work area clear of all unauthorized personnel.
- Do not allow persons under the influence of alcohol, medications, or other drugs that can impair judgment or cause drowsiness to operate or maintain the machine.
- Always use an approved roll bar and seat belt for safe operation. Overturning a machine without a roll bar and seat belt can result in injury or death.
- Use the handholds and step plates when getting on and off the machine to prevent falls. Keep steps and platform cleared of mud and debris.

- Always have an operator in the machine while the attachment is in operation. Never leave the machine and attachment running and unattended.
- Operate the attachment only from the operator's seat
- Keep your feet on the pedals (floor plates), seat belt fastened tightly, and seat bar lowered (if equipped), when operating the attachment.
- Never attempt to make any adjustments while the attachment is running or the key is in the "ON" position in the machine. Before leaving the operator's position, disengage power to the attachment, shut off engine and remove ignition key.
- Disengage auxiliary hydraulics and place all machine controls in neutral and engage the parking brake before starting the engine.
- Become familiar with and know how to operate all safety devices and controls on the machine and attachment before attempting to operate. Know how to stop the machine and attachment before starting it
- Repeated impact of the knives with hard objects can cause excessive wear and damage to the power unit or attachment. Be sure to maintain recommended ground clearance as specified in this manual.
- Should excessive vibration occur, disengage the auxiliary hydraulics immediately and shut off engine.
 Do not continue to operate the attachment until the problem has been determined and corrected.
- Do not start, operate, or work on this attachment until you have carefully read and thoroughly understand the contents of this manual and the operator's manual for your machine.
- Keep children, bystanders and other workers off and away from the machine and attachment during operation. No riders allowed.
- Before inspecting, cleaning, lubricating, adjusting or servicing any part of the attachment, always exercise the Mandatory Shut-Down Procedure.
 See "Mandatory Shut-Down Procedure" on page
 After service has been performed, be sure to restore all guards, shields and covers to their original position.

Safety Rules (Cont'd)

- Make sure the operator's area is clear of any distracting objects. Keep work areas clean and free of grease and oil to avoid slipping or falling.
- Make sure all controls, (levers, pedals and switches), are in NEUTRAL position before starting the engine.
- Before leaving the operator's position for ANY reason or allowing anyone to approach the machine and attachment, always perform the mandatory shutdown procedure.
- Do not wear loose hanging clothes, neckties or jewelry around rotating parts. Long hair is to be placed under a cap or hat. These precautions will help prevent you from becoming caught in any moving parts on the machine and attachment.
- Before working under the attachment, be certain it is securely blocked!
- Do wear safety glasses, ear protection, respirators, gloves, hard hats, safety shoes and other protective clothing when required.
- Periodically check all guards, shields and structural members. Replace or repair anything that could cause a potential hazard.
- Do not replace components or parts with other than factory-recommended service parts. To do so may decrease the effectiveness of the machine.
- It is the operator's responsibility to be aware of machine and attachment operation and work area hazards at all times.
- Never operate the attachment without adequate light and visibility.
- Keep hands and feet clear! Never step over or climb over the attachment while the rotor is engaged or the engine is running; entanglement could occur.
- Operators are responsible to know the location and function of all guards and shields including but not limited to belt drives and rotor. Operators are responsible to make certain that all guards are in place when operating the machine and attachment.
- Operators are responsible to be aware of safety hazard areas and follow instructions on warning, caution, or danger decals applied to the machine.

- Know the area before operating the machine. Be aware of power lines or other equipment.
- Do not lubricate parts while the machine is running.
- Do not smoke while servicing the machine.

Hydraulic Safety

- The hydraulic system is under high pressure. Make sure all lines and fittings are tight and in good condition. These fluids escaping under high pressure can have sufficient force to penetrate skin and cause serious injury.
- Never check for leaks by using any part of your body to feel for escaping fluid.



WARNING: Contact with high pressure fluids may cause fluid penetration and burn hazards. Fluid that is under pressure can penetrate body tissue. Fluid penetration can cause serious injury and possible death. If fluid is injected into the skin, seek medical attention immediately!

California Proposition 65 Warning



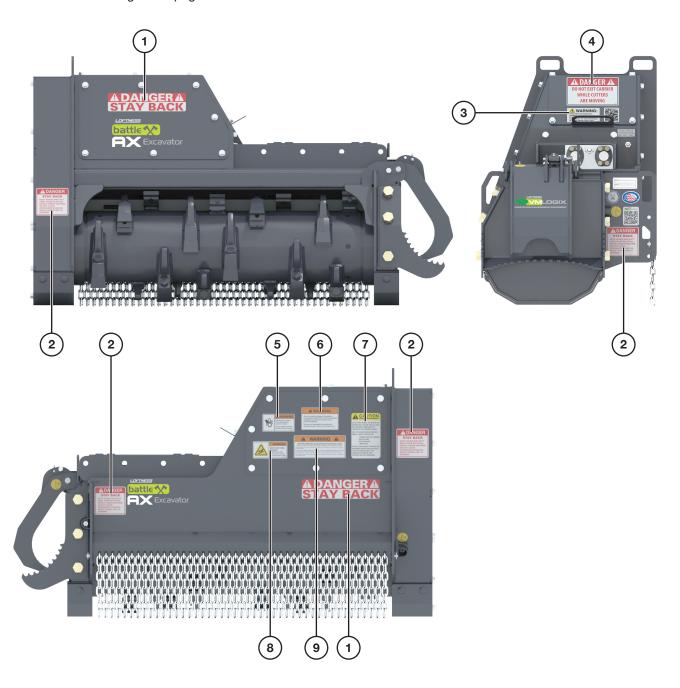
WARNING: This product can expose you to Mineral Oil, which is known to the State of California to cause cancer. For more information, go to www.p65warnings.ca.gov.

A decal with this warning statement is adhered to the machine. If the decal should become worn or missing, replace immediately.

Safety Decal Locations

Check and replace any worn, torn, hard to read or missing safety decals on your machine.

NOTE: This section shows where safety-related decals are applied on the machine. For all machine decals see "Machine Decals and Signs" on page 44.



See the following page for detailed images of the safety decals called out above.

Safety Decal Locations (Cont'd)



Part No. 4334



KEEP HANDS AND FEET AWAY FROM ROTATING KNIVES UNDER MACHINE DO NOT LEAVE OPERATORS POSITION WHILE POWER UNIT IS RUNNING

Part No. N28386

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Part No. 203264



Part No. 200491



Part No. N68716

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A WARNING

Due to the possible danger of flying debris, it is absolutely MANDATORY that impact-resistant shielding be provided on the power unit to protect the operator.

The owner is responsible for providing the operator protection devices on the power unit.

Part No. N17013

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A CAUTION

DO NOT START, OPERATE, OR WORK ON THIS MACHINE UNTIL YOU HAVE CAREFULLY READ AND THOROUGHLY UNDERSTAND THE CONTENTS OF THE OPERATOR'S MANUAL.

NOTE: SCAN QR CODE TO ACCESS MANUAL OR CONTACT

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FAILURE TO FOLLOW SAFETY, OPERATING, AND MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS COULD RESULT IN DEATH OR SERIOUS INJURY TO THE OPERATOR OR BYSTANDERS, POOR OPERATION, AND COSTLY BREAKDOWN.

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Part No. 208824

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Part No. N23506





IMPROPER CONNECTION TO THE POWER UNIT'S HYDRAULIC SYSTEM COULD CAUSE SERIOUS COMPONENT DAMAGE AND PERSONAL INJURY.

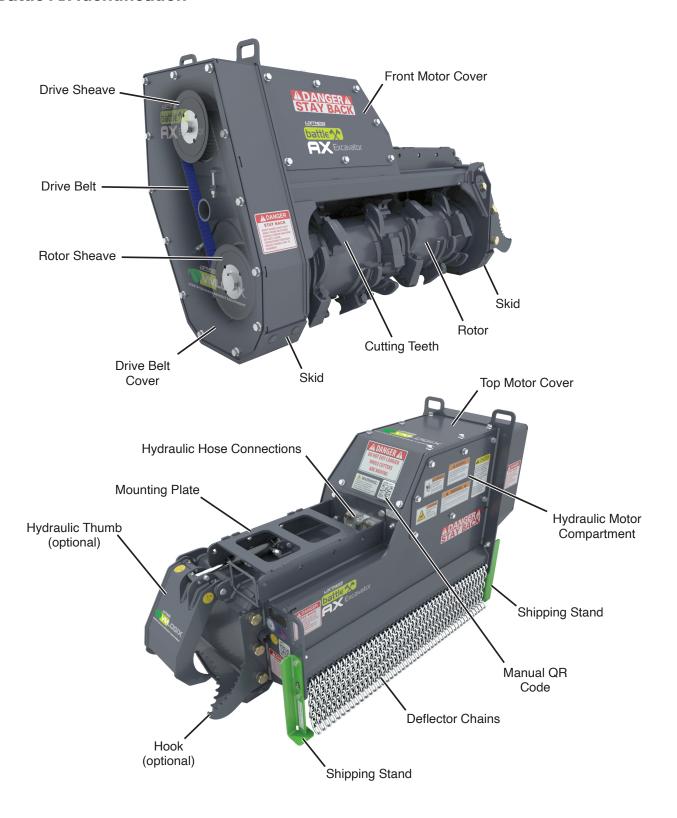
This attachment can be configured with different components to operate on a variety of power units.

It is absolutely MANDATORY that you refer to your OPERATOR'S MANUAL for Set-up Instructions and Pressure Ratings that apply to the components used on this unit.

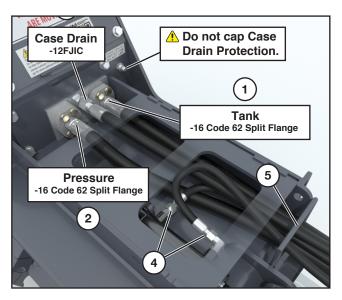
The dealer/owner will be responsible for any damage caused by improper connection to the power unit.

Part No. N28385

Battle Ax Identification



Hydraulic Connections



Connect hydraulics hoses (not included with the Battle Ax) from the excavator to the Battle Ax. See below for hose requirements.

- 1. Tank; -16 Code 62 Split Flange
- 2. Pressure; -16 Code 62 Split Flange
- 3. Case Drain; -12FORB
- 4. Hydraulic Thumb (if equipped); -8FORB

NOTE: Route houses through ring (5) on frame.

IMPORTANT: Minimum case drain hose size is 3/4 in. It is recommended that the hose connects directly to the hydraulic reservoir.



WARNING: Hydraulic Lines. Protect hands and body from high pressure fluids. Pressurized fluids can penetrate the skin. Disconnect and lock out power source before disconnecting and/or connecting hydraulic hoses.

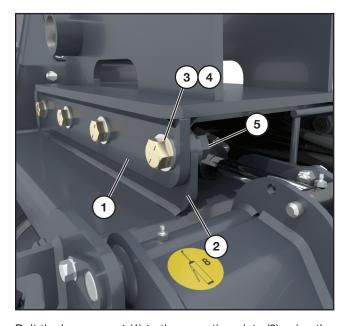
NOTE: Use hoses that are the same diameter size as those used on the hydraulic motor. Using smaller diameter hoses will decrease hydraulic efficiency.

IMPORTANT: It is the owner's responsibility to assure that the hydraulic hoses from the power unit to the attachment are not caught in pinch points, or in any way damaged by moving parts. Make sure hoses are secured closely to the excavator's boom to avoid getting caught in tree branches.

Mounting the Battle Ax to the Excavator

For a mounting bracket specific to your model of excavator, contact Loftness.

NOTE: Make sure hydraulic hoses are connected to the Battle Ax before installing the mounting bracket.



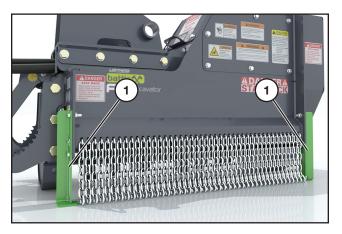
Bolt the base mount (1) to the mounting plate (2) using the eight bolts (3) and washers (4) (four on each side). Secure with nut plates (5) (one on each side). Tighten.

Align excavator boom and connect to the mounting bracket.

Verify connection from excavator to mounting bracket is secure.

Set-up Instructions

Remove Shipping Stands



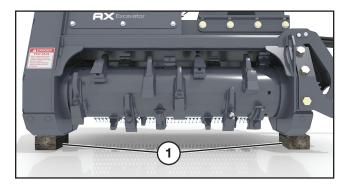
Stands (1) are secured to the Battle Ax to keep it stable during shipping. These can be removed after the unit is initially mounted to the excavator.

NOTE: Do not discard the shipping stands. They are used to stablize the Battle Ax during storage. Keep in a secure location until ready to store.

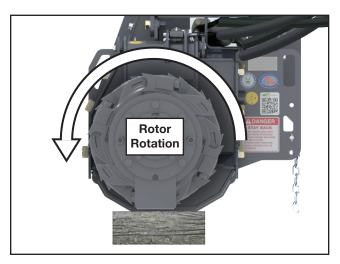
Checking Rotor Rotation



DANGER: Keep hands, feet, and clothing clear of rotor and bearings while excavator is running.



Raise the Battle Ax off the ground and place blocks (1) underneath the skids. Lower the Battle Ax down on the blocks.



Engage the excavator auxiliary hydraulics, the rotor should start rotating in a forward direction as shown above.

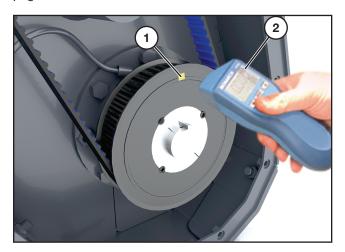
NOTE: If the rotor is rotating backward, shut down the excavator. Switch the TANK and PRESSURE connections. Once connected, restart the excavator, engage the excavator auxiliary hydraulics and test for correct rotor rotation. Refer to "Hydraulic Connections" on page 11 for correct hose connections.

Checking Rotor Speed



DANGER: Shut down power from the excavator before removing the bearing cover and applying reflective tape to rotor shaft end. Keep the Battle Ax skids on blocks for this procedure.

Remove the belt cover. See "Removing Belt Cover" on page 18 for instructions.



Apply a small piece of reflective tape (1) to the outer edge of the lower sprocket.

Start the excavator and engage the excavator auxiliary hydraulics.



DANGER: Keep hands, feet, and clothing clear of rotor and bearings while excavator is running.

Point an electronic (photo) tachometer (2) towards the edge of the sprocket to check the rotor speed.

NOTE: The tachometer shown is not supplied with the Battle Ax.

Test the rotor RPM with excavator engine at full throttle.

Shut down the excavator when done.

If adjustments are necessary, refer to "Adjusting Rotor RPM" on page 13 to increase or decrease the RPM.

If RPM adjustments are not necessary, make sure power from the excavator is turned off, then return the belt cover to its position, securing with all bolts.

Adjusting Rotor RPM

NOTE: Motor is preset at the factory to maximum displacement. Motor displacement must be adjusted on the cutter head to achieve the recommended speed of 2100 RPM.

Rotor RPM can be fine-tuned for different applications.

- A higher speed (up to 2600 RPM maximum) may be desirable for lighter brush and trees.
- A lower speed (down to 2000 RPM minimum) will provide more torque which can be helpful in heavier brush and trees.



DANGER: Shut down power from the excavator before removing the motor cover to gain access to the motor.

Remove top motor cover. See "Removing Motor Covers" on page 19 for location and removal instructions.



DANGER: DO NOT make adjustments while the machine is running!

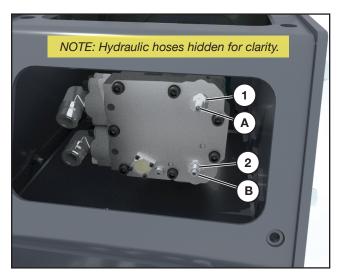


DANGER: Keep hands, feet, and clothing clear of rotor while excavator is running.

(Procedure continued on following page.)

Set-up Instructions

Adjusting Rotor RPM (Cont'd)



NOTE: Motor adjustments need to be done with auxiliary hydraulics disengaged.

To INCREASE ROTOR RPM:

Loosen jam nuts (1 and 2) using a 19 mm offset box end wrench while holding the adjustment screw stationary with a 6mm Allen wrench. Next, hold jam nut (2) stationary while turning adjustment screw (B) OUT. Then, hold jam nut (1) stationary while turning adjustment screw (A) IN until resistance is felt. DO NOT FORCE.

To DECREASE ROTOR RPM:

Loosen jam nuts (1 and 2) using a 19 mm offset box end wrench while holding the adjustment screw stationary with a 6mm Allen wrench. Next, hold jam nut (1) stationary while turning adjustment screw (A) OUT. Then, hold jam nut (2) stationary while turning adjustment screw (B) IN until resistance is felt. DO NOT FORCE.

When final adjustments have been made, hold each adjustment screw stationary with the 6 mm Allen wrench and tighten the jam nut with the 19 mm offset box end wrench. The proper torque for the jam nut is 60 N-m (44 ft-lbs).

Turn power off from the excavator and return the covers to their positions, securing with all hardware.

Operating Instructions

Getting Started

Visually inspect the unit before starting the machine up. Check for loose or missing parts. Check all bolts for tightness.

For best results, the areas to be mowed should be free of debris such as bottles, metal objects, rocks, wire, etc.

For first-time users, start the machine in a clear, open area and become familiar with the controls. Run throttle at half speed and travel at a low speed. Raise the mulching head only slightly until comfortable with the machine.



WARNING: Due to the potential danger of flying debris, it is the owner's responsibility and is "ABSOLUTELY MANDATORY that IMPACT-RESISTANT SHIELDING" be installed on the machine to protect the operator.



WARNING: Lifting or tilting the Battle Ax increases the risk of flying debris.



DANGER: Keep hands and feet out! Do not step on or climb over the unit while machine is in operation, or engine is running. Do not carry passengers.



WARNING: Do not operate the attachment above the rated RPM. Check with your Loftness dealer to be sure your attachment is set-up with the correct hydraulic motor to match the hydraulic flow GPM (Gallons Per Minute) of your machine.



WARNING: Flying debris can gather on the excavator and needs to be cleaned off, especially around the radiator and oil cooler screens, engine compartment and exhaust areas. Periodic cleaning will help prevent the possibility of fire.



DANGER: <u>DO NOT</u> allow <u>ANY</u> people or animals within 300 feet of the work area while operating this machine.

Operation



WARNING: Always stop engine and remove key before leaving operators seat.

Lower mulching head so skids are on ground.

Set engine speed to one-third throttle and engage the mulching head.

Slowly increase engine speed to high idle.

NOTE: Always position head to discharge away from power unit and operator.

Operating Tips

To reduce rotor jams, approach brush and trees at a slow speed.

When operating the mulching head near the ground, keep as low to the ground as possible without the teeth striking ground or other obstructions.

NOTE: Because of the high speed of the rotor, the life of the teeth will be reduced if it is operated in rocky terrain or in areas where many obstacles are present.

For tall brush, raise the mulching head and start mulching the top, then proceed lower and work down to the ground. Raise the mulching head, then move forward and repeat.

When mulching large trees, work from the top down.

In wet conditions, operate at a slower speed and periodically inspect the mulching head for caking and clogging in the rotor area.

Clearing Jams

If the rotor stalls, or gets jammed with debris, stop rotor and turn rotor backwards by rolling on ground or stump. Start rotor again to free debris.



WARNING: Do not attempt to dislodge jams by hand while the excavator is running. Shut down and lock out power from the excavator before attempting to remove debris by hand.

Operating Instructions

Detaching Battle Ax

Park excavator on a dry level surface. Turn power off to the Battle Ax and install shipping stands. See "Remove Shipping Stands" on page 12 for reference.

Lower the Battle Ax to the ground.

Shut off engine and remove key.

Disconnect hydraulic hoses.

Detach excavator boom from the mounting bracket.



WARNING: Do not attempt to detach the Battle Ax or add the shipping stands while the excavator is running. Shut down and lock out power from the excavator before detaching.

General Maintenance

To ensure efficient operation, you should inspect, lubricate, and make necessary adjustments and repairs at regular intervals. Parts that are starting to show wear should be ordered ahead of time, before a costly breakdown occurs and you have to wait for replacement parts. Keep good maintenance records, and adequately clean your Battle Ax after each use.

Proper lubrication is important. Too little lubricant will cause premature failure of a bearing. Too much lubrication usually causes high operating temperature and early failure of seals. Follow all lubrication instructions and schedules included in this section.

Maintenance Schedule

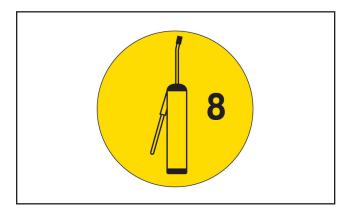
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O U R S	SERVICE POINTS	CHECK	CLEAN	CHANGE	GREASE	A D J U S T	0 L
	Machine		Χ				
	Loose Bolts					Х	
Every	Hoses and Wiring	Х					
8	Oil Leaks	Х					
	Rotor Bearing				Х		
	Carbide Teeth	Χ					
Every 100	Safety Labels	Х					
Every 500	Overhung Load Adapter	Х					Х

Lubrication

Grease Points Location

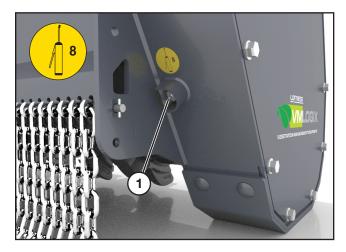
Use a #2 general purpose lithium based grease unless noted otherwise.

NOTE: Replace any broken or missing grease fittings. Be sure to clean fittings before greasing.



NOTE: Lubricate the grease point every "X" hours indicated on the decal adjacent to the grease point.

See "Battle Ax Identification" on page 10 for component location and identification.

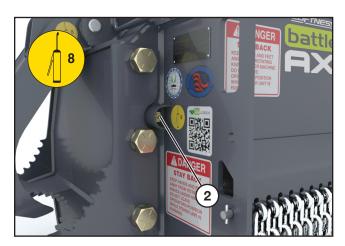


Location: Belt end rotor bearing (1). **Interval:** Every 8 hours of operation.

Maintenance

Lubrication (Cont'd)

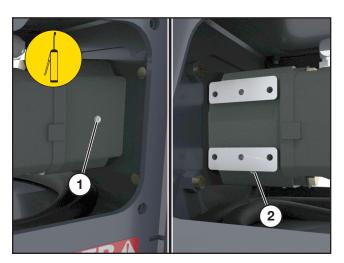
Grease Points Location (Cont'd)



Location: Hook end rotor bearing (2). **Interval:** Every 8 hours of operation.

Overhung Load Adapter

The front and rear motor covers must be removed to access the lubrication points on the overhung load adapter. Refer to "Removing Motor Covers" on page 19 for removal instructions.



Remove the plug from the top port (1) on the overhung load adapter (OHLA). Place a catch container below the plug for the bottom port (2) on the OHLA and unscrew/remove the plug. Reinsert the bottom port plug after oil has drained out.

Using a funnel, add hydraulic oil into the top port (approximately 6 oz.).

Reinsert the plug back into the top port and tighten.

NOTE: If replacing bearings or seals in the overhung load adapter, be certain to refill with hydraulic fluid after reassembly.

Removing Belt Cover



DANGER: Shut down and lock out power from the excavator before removing the belt covers. Failure to do so could result in serious injury or death.



To remove the belt cover (1), unscrew the thirteen bolts (2) and lift the cover off of the frame.



CAUTION: The belt cover is heavy. Support the cover when removing.

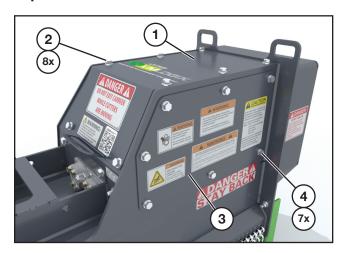
When maintenance/repairs are complete, return the covers back into position and tighten and secure all bolts.

Removing Motor Covers



DANGER: Shut down and lock out power from the excavator before removing any or all of the motor covers. Failure to do so could result in serious injury or death.

Top and Rear Motor Covers



To remove the top motor cover (1), unscrew the eight bolts (2) and lift the cover off of the frame.

To remove the rear motor cover (3), unscrew the seven bolt (4) and lift the cover off of the frame.

Front Motor Cover



To remove the front motor cover (1), unscrew the seven bolts (2) and lift the cover off of the frame.

When maintenance/repairs are complete, return the cover(s) back into position and tighten and secure all bolts.

Removing Hook



DANGER: Shut down and lock out power from the excavator before removing the hook. Failure to do so could result in serious injury or death.



Remove the six bolts (1) - [three on each side] and lift the hook (2) off of the frame.

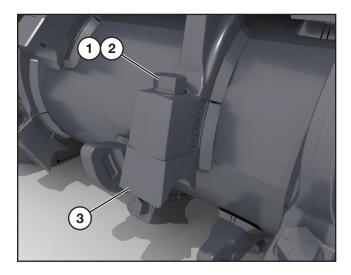


CAUTION: The hook is heavy. Support the hook when removing.

Tooth Removal and Installation



DANGER: Shut down and lock out power from the excavator before removing and installing any cutting teeth. Failure to do so could result in serious injury or death.



Remove the bolt (1), washer (2), and tooth (3).

Use copper based anti-seize when reinstalling the bolts. Torque to 240 ft.-lbs.

IMPORTANT: When a damaged tooth is replaced, the tooth directly opposite (180 degrees) must be replaced at the same time to retain balance.

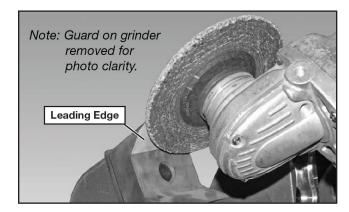
Tooth Sharpening (Planer and Hard Surface Planer Only)

NOTE: The teeth need to be kept sharp to maintain the most effective operation of the attachment. Daily inspection and touch up is recommended.

NOTE: The teeth can either be removed from the attachment or remain installed for sharpening.



WARNING: Rotor must be stabilized to prevent accidental rotation any time the rotor is exposed for service work.

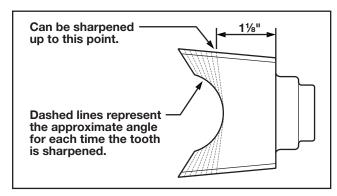


NOTE: The cutter teeth have been heat treated to a specific hardness. Care must be taken to avoid overheating the leading edge of the tooth while sharpening. If the coloring in the tooth changes to either a blue or brown during the sharpening, you have removed the temper and the tooth will not hold it's cutting edge.

NOTE: When re-sharpening teeth using machine shop equipment, avoid overheating the teeth by using a flood coolant system.

NOTE: When re-sharpening teeth using a hand grinder, avoid overheating the tooth by lightly grinding each tooth, moving across the entire row of teeth before returning to the first tooth to repeat the procedure.

NOTE: Sharpen each tooth equally to maintain rotor balance. Always return tooth to it's original location if it is removed from the rotor for sharpening.



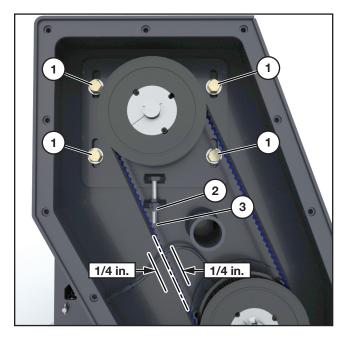
NOTE: It is not necessary to match the factory angle on the underside of the cutting edge when re-sharpening. Sharpen each tooth at a slight angle for each successive sharpening (represented by the dashed lines shown in the illustration above). When the cutting edge of the tooth is 1-1/8 in. from the back side of the tooth, the tooth must be replaced.

Belt Tension Adjustment



WARNING: Shut down and lock out power from the excavator before adjusting the drive belt. Failure to do so could result in serious injury or death.

Remove the belt cover. Refer to "Removing Belt Cover" on page 18 for instructions.



Loosen the four overhung load adapter support bolts (1) on the motor mount bracket.

Loosen the jam nut (2).

Turn the bolt (3) to either increase or decrease belt tension. Tighten the jam nut to lock

Belt should move no more than 1/4 in. (6.35 mm) to the left, and no more than 1/4 in. (6.35 mm) to the right when pressure applied at the midpoint.

Retighten overhung load adapter support bolts (1).

Replacing Belt

To replace the belt, follow the procedures for "Belt Tension Adjustment" preceding this subsection and decrease the belt tension additionally to allow the belt to slide over the top sprocket.

NOTE: When replacing or installing a new belt, align the grooves in the belt with the upper and lower pulleys.

Install the belt and adjust the tension accordingly. Refer again to the "Belt Tension Adjustment" procedure and follow the instructions completely.

Sprocket Removal

The steps to remove either the upper or lower sprocket are identical. For this procedure the upper sprocket is discussed. Follow the same procedure to remove the lower sprocket.

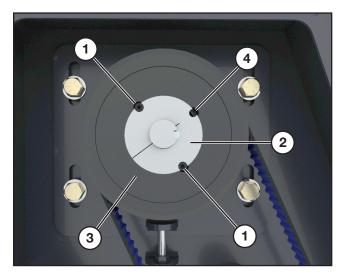
NOTE: See page 36 for an exploded view and parts listing for the belt/sprocket combination.

1. Disconnect or turn off all power to the Battle Ax.



DANGER: Shut down and lock out power from the excavator before removing sprockets. Failure to do so could result in serious injury or death.

Remove the drive belt by following the instructions in "Belt Tension Adjustment" and "Replacing Belt" on page 21.



- 2. Remove the two screws (1) from the taper lock bushing (2) of the sprocket (3).
- 3. Insert one of the screws into the threaded hole (4).

(Procedure continued on following page.)

Maintenance

Sprocket Removal (Cont'd)

4. Tighten the screw until bushing grip is released. (If excessively tight, lightly hammer face of sprocket using drift pin or sleeve).

NOTE: Never hit sprocket directly with hammer.

- 5. Replace the sprocket by cleaning the shaft, bore of bushing, outside of bushing and hub bore of all oil, paint and dirt. File away any burrs.
- 6. Insert bushing into hub. Match the hole pattern, not threaded holes (each complete hole will be threaded on one side only).
- 7. Apply a thread-locking compound to screws and thread into the two opposing holes.
- 8. Position assembly on shaft and alternately torque screws to 35 ft.-lbs.
- To increase gripping force, hammer face of bushing using drift or sleeve.

NOTE: Do not hit bushing directly with hammer.

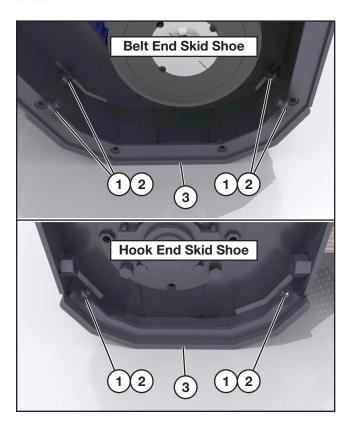
- 10. Re-torque screws after hammering.
- 11. Recheck screw torque after initial run-in, and periodically thereafter, repeat steps 4, 5 & 6 if loose.
- 12. Check alignment of the sprocket. Repeat sprocket removal and assembly procedures if necessary.

Skid Removal/Replacement



WARNING: Shut down and lock out power from the excavator before removing skids.

Lift the Battle Ax off of the ground about 6 inches. Place blocks under the rotor (not under teeth) to support the shredder when lowered. DO NOT place blocks under the skids.



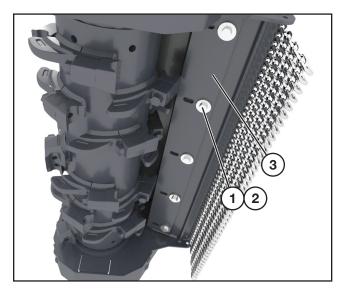
For belt end skid shoe, first remove the belt cover. Refer to "Removing Belt Cover" on page 18 for instructions.

For hook end skid shoe, first remove the hook. Refer to "Removing Hook" on page 19 for instructions.

Remove nuts (1) and slide carriage bolts (2) out. Lower the skid (3) and remove.

To install new or repaired skid shoe, align holes in skid shoe with holes on frame. Re-install the bolts, add the nuts and tighten securely.

Cutter Bar Adjustment



NOTE: The cutter bar can be adjusted back or forward to increase or decrease the distance between the bar and the rotor.

Most operators find the best performance is achieved by adjusting the cutter bar as close as the slots will allow (approximately a 1/4" gap from knife to cutter bar). A wider gap generally increases finished partical size and horsepower requirements.



WARNING: Shut down and disconnect the hydraulic hoses from the excavator before adjusting the cutter bar.

Loosen the series of bolts (1) with washers (2) securing the cutter bar (3) to the frame. Move the cutter bar either forward or back making sure the distance moved is consistent through the entire length of the cutter bar. Retighten bolts.

Over time, the cutter bar edge will become worn and rounded from use. There are a total of 4 wear edges available by removing and flipping the bar, side to side and front to back.



CAUTION: If adjusting the cutter bar after the machine has been used, the cutter bar should be completely removed to clear any debris away from contact surfaces before assembly and tightening. FAILURE TO DO SO COULD RESULT IN SEVERE DAMAGE TO THE MACHINE!

Storage

End of Season

- Clean entire Battle Ax thoroughly.
- Lubricate all parts of the machine. See "Lubrication" on page 17.
- Make a list of all worn or damaged parts and replace them
- Paint all parts that are worn or rusted.
- Store Battle Ax in a clean, dry area.
- Review the Battle Ax operator's manual.

Beginning of the Season

- Review the Battle Ax operator's manual.
- Lubricate all parts of the machine. See "Lubrication" on page 17.
- Tighten all bolts, nuts, and set screws. See "Torque Specifications" on page 49.
- Replace all damaged, worn or missing decals.
- Install the Battle Ax on a excavator and test for proper operation.



WARNING: <u>DO NOT</u> allow <u>ANY</u> people or animals within 300 feet of the work area while operating this machine.

Maintenance

Troubleshooting

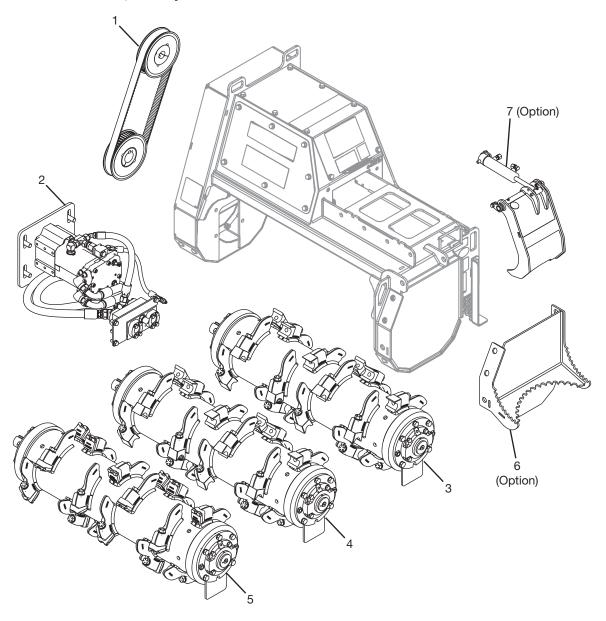
PROBLEM	CAUSE	SOLUTION		
Excessive vibration.	Broken or missing teeth.	Replace teeth.		
	Mud and/or debris wrapped around the rotor.	Clean the Battle Ax.		
	Faulty rotor bearing.	Replace bearing(s).		
	Damage to rotor (includes bent end of shafts, missing balance weights, or actual rotor deformity from striking rocks, etc.)	Consult factory.		
Uneven cutting.	Teeth dull or worn excessively.	Replace teeth.		
	Engine RPM too slow.	Adjust machine RPM to full throttle.		
	Travel speed too fast.	Reduce travel speed.		
Rotor will not turn, or turns slowly.	Low oil.	Check oil level in excavator. Add if necessary.		
	Low oil flow.	Check flow control on excavator.		
	Oil filter plugged.	Replace excavator oil filter.		
	Faulty rotor bearing.	Replace bearing(s).		
	Rotor jammed.	Remove material from rotor. See "Clearing Jams" on page 15.		



PARTS IDENTIFICATION

Parts Identification

Battle Ax 30 Series, Complete



Detailed parts breakdowns of the assemblies above (items) are listed on the following pages:

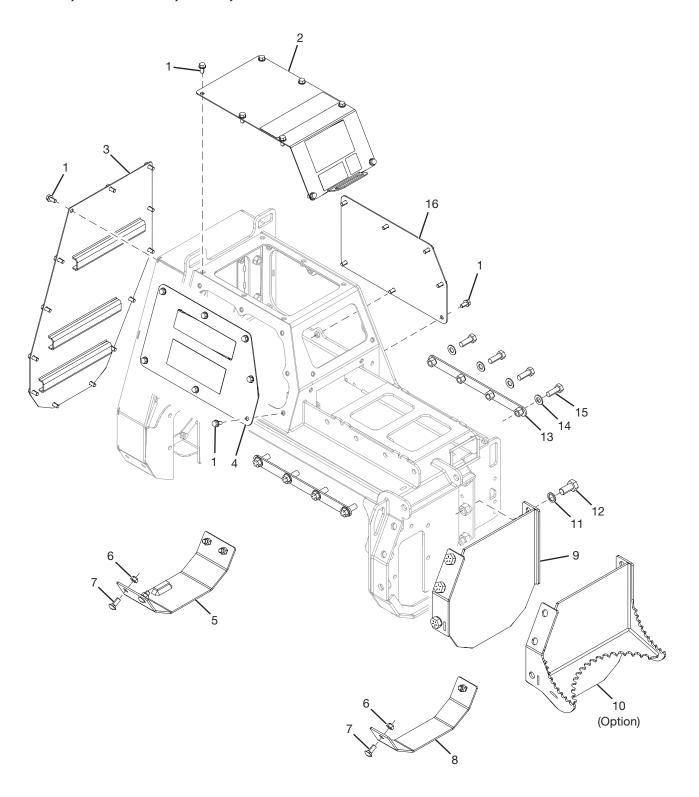
- Item 1 Belt Assembly (208066) See page 36.
- Item 2 Motor Assembly, 6000PSI (208223)- See page 38.
- Item 3 Rotor Assembly, 41" with Planer (208054) See page 32. Rotor Assembly, 51" with Planer (208069) - See page 34.
- Item 4 Rotor Assembly, 41" with Hard Surface Planer (208310) See page 32. Rotor Assembly, 51" with Hard Surface Planer (208337) See page 34.
- Item 5 Rotor Assembly, 41" with Double Carbide (208322) See page 32.

 Rotor Assembly, 51" with Double Carbide (208339) See page 34.
- Item 6 Hook (Option) (208049) See page 28.
- Item 7 Thumb Assembly (Option) (208105) See page 43.

Battle Ax 30 Series, Complete

#	QTY.	PART #	DESCRIPTION
1	1	208066	BELT ASSY, 50 TOP 50 BOTTOM 37MM
2	1	208223	MOTOR ASM, LINDE 105CC 132GPM/6000PSI HMR 57
3	1	208054	ROTOR, ASSY PLANER - 41"
3		208069	51"
4	1	208310	ROTOR, ASSY HARD SURFACE PLANER - 41"
4		208337	51"
5	1	208322	ROTOR, DOUBLE CARBIDE - 41"
5		208339	51"
6	1	208049	HOOK, 30 SERIES
7	1	208105	ASSEMBLY, THUMB

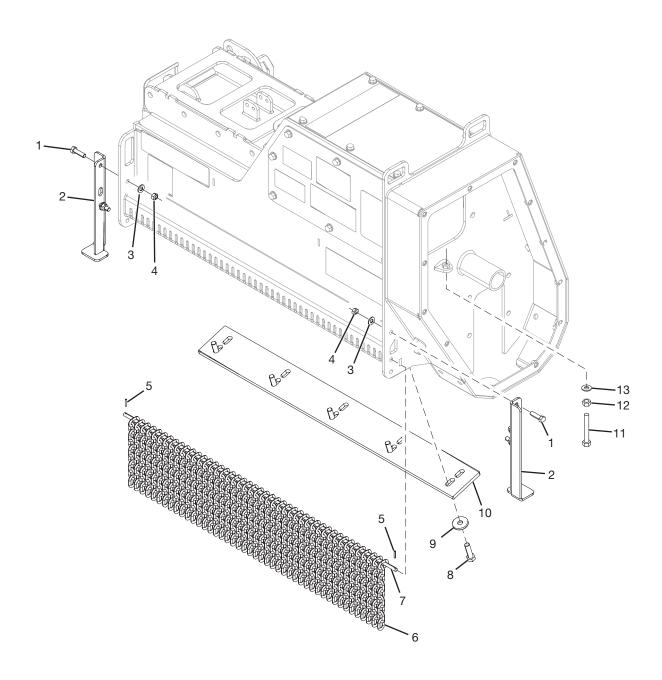
Covers, Skid Shoes, Hook, and Hitch Mount



Covers, Skid Shoes, Hook, and Hitch Mount

#	QTY.	PART #	DESCRIPTION
1	35	N26748	BOLT, 1/2" X 1" SER FLG
2	1	208042	COVER, TOP MOTOR W/ DECALS
3	1	208033	COVER, BELT W/STIFFENER
4	1	208114	COVER, MOTOR
5	1	208047	SKID, WITH BRACE
6	6	4055	NUT, LOCK 5/8" TOP
7	6	4386	BOLT, CARRIAGE 5/8" X 1-1/2"
8	1	208048	PLATE, SKID SHOE
9	1	208191	COVER, BEARING DRIVEN END
10	1	208049	HOOK, 30 SERIES (OPTION)
11	6	203587	WASHER, NORD-LOCK 1
12	6	N21496	BOLT, 1" X 2" GR 8 FN TH
13	2	208080	PLATE, MOUNT NUTS
14	8	N28567	WASHER, 3/4 NORDLOCK SP
15	8	207903	BOLT, MOD 3/4 X 2.06 FN TH GR8
16	1	208040	COVER, BACK W/ DECALS

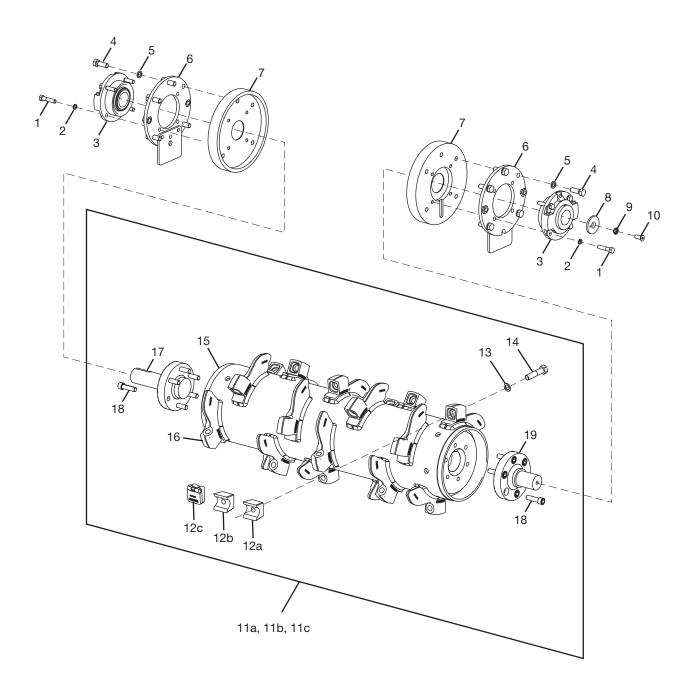
Cutter Bar, Deflector Chains, Motor Tension Hardware, and Manual Holder



Cutter Bar, Deflector Chains, Motor Tension Hardware, and Manual Holder

#	QTY.	PART #	DESCRIPTION
1	4	4014	BOLT, 1/2" X 1-3/4" GRADE 5
2	2	202962	STAND, SHIPPING W/ DECAL
3	4	4068	WASHER, 1/2" SAE FLAT
4	4	4054	NUT, LOCK 1/2" TOP
5	2	4375	PIN, ROLL 3/16" X 1"
6	45	202879	CHAIN, 5/16 DEFLECTOR 9 LINK - 41"
0	55	202879	51"
7	1	N49019	ROD, CARBIDE 41" CHAIN - 41"
/	1	N49273	51"
8	5	4494	BOLT, 5/8-18 X 2-1/4 GR 8 - 41"
0	6	4494	51"
9	5	208800	WASHER, 2"0D X 5/8"ID X 1/4T - 41"
9	6	208800	51"
10	1	N49010	PLATE, RECUTTER 41"
10	1	207972	PLATE, RECUTTER 51"
11	5	4068	WASHER, 1/2" SAE FLAT
12	1	4250	NUT, STANDARD 1/2
13	1	201968	BOLT, 1/2" X 4" GR 5 FULL THRD

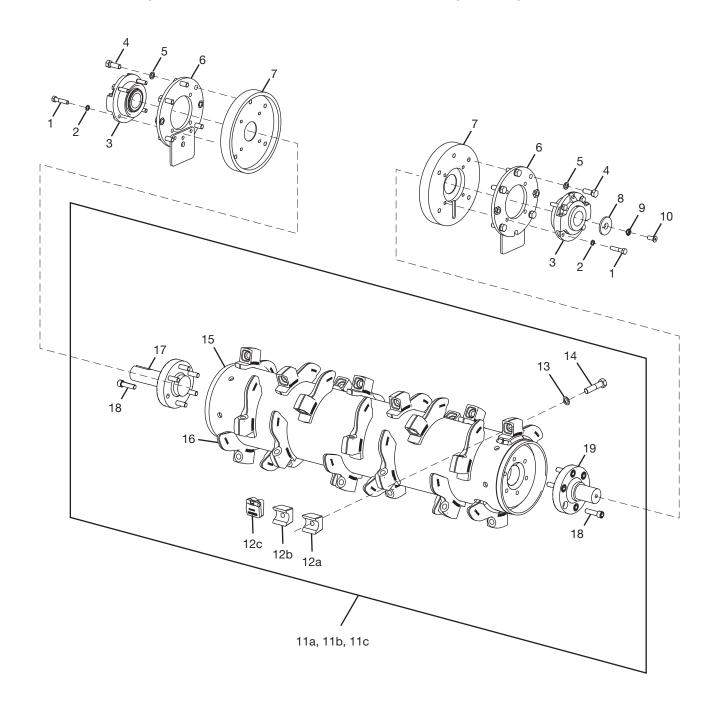
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Rotor Assembly, 41" Battle Ax with Hard Surface Planer (208310)
Rotor Assembly, 41" Battle Ax with Double Carbide (208322)



Rotor Assembly, 41" Battle Ax with Planer (208054)
Rotor Assembly, 41" Battle Ax with Hard Surface Planer (208310)
Rotor Assembly, 41" Battle Ax with Double Carbide (208322)

#	QTY.	PART #	DESCRIPTION
1	8	N20043	BOLT, 1/2" X 2-1/4" FN TD GR 8
2	8	N16472	WASHER, 1/2 NORDLOCK
3	2	N16417	BEARING, 2-3/16" PILOT ROLLER
4	10	N13747	BOLT, 5/8" X 1-3/4" FN TH GR 8
5	10	N16473	WASHER, 5/8 NORDLOCK
6	2	208101	MOUNT, BEARING WELDMENT
7	2	N41564	ANTIWRAP, 2 PIECE CARBIDE 11"
8	1	4075	WASHER, 2-5/8" OD
9	1	4076	WASHER, 1/2" EXT CNTSK LOCK
10	1	4468	BOLT, 1/2-20UNF X 1-1/4 FL HD
11a	1	208055	ROTOR, 41" WITH PLANER
11b	1	208311	ROTOR, 41" WITH HARD SURFACE PLANER
11c	1	208323	ROTOR, 41" WITH - DOUBLE CARBIDE
12a	20	N49366	TOOTH, BA PLANER (INCLUDED ONLY WITH ITEM 11a, 208055)
12b	20	203014	TOOTH, BA - HARD SURFACE PLANER (INCLUDED ONLY WITH ITEM 11b, 208311)
12c	20	N49090	TOOTH, BA CARBIDE - CARBIDE (INCLUDED ONLY WITH ITEM 11c, 208323)
13	20	N16474	WASHER, 3/4 NORDLOCK
14	20	N21308	BOLT, 3/4" X 3" FN THRD GR 8
15	1	208056	ROTOR, 41" W/O CUTTER
16	20	203315	HOLDER, BATTLE AX (INCLUDED WITH ITEM 16)
17	1	202305	WASHER, DRIVE 2-3/16" BOLT-ON
18	12	N38265	BOLT, SHCS 5/8 X 2-1/4 FN GR 8
19	1	202306	WASHER, DRIVEN 2-3/16" BOLT-ON

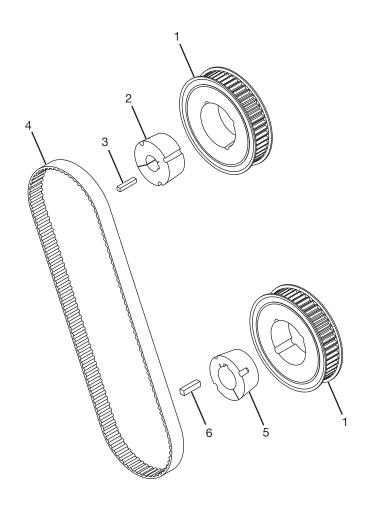
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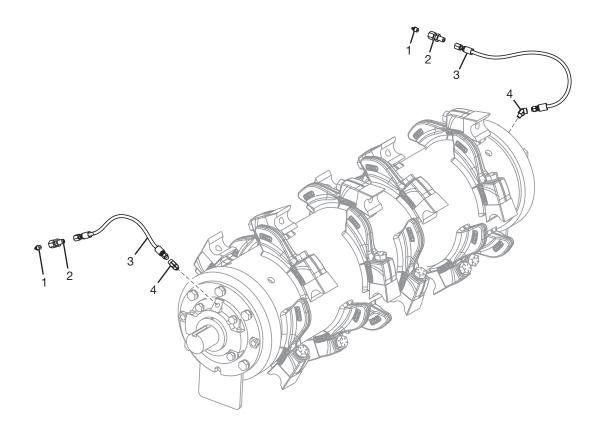
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2	8	N16472	WASHER, 1/2 NORDLOCK
3	2	N16417	BEARING, 2-3/16" PILOT ROLLER
4	10	N13747	BOLT, 5/8" X 1-3/4" FN TH GR 8
5	10	N16473	WASHER, 5/8 NORDLOCK
6	2	208101	MOUNT, BEARING WELDMENT
7	2	N41564	ANTIWRAP, 2 PIECE CARBIDE 11"
8	1	4075	WASHER, 2-5/8" OD
9	1	4076	WASHER, 1/2" EXT CNTSK LOCK
10	1	4468	BOLT, 1/2-20UNF X 1-1/4 FL HD
11a	1	208070	ROTOR, 51" WITH PLANER
11b	1	208338	ROTOR, 51" WITH HARD SURFACE PLANER
11c	1	208340	ROTOR, 51" WITH - DOUBLE CARBIDE
12a	26	N49366	TOOTH, BA PLANER (INCLUDED ONLY WITH ITEM 11a, 208070)
12b	26	203014	TOOTH, BA - HARD SURFACE PLANER (INCLUDED ONLY WITH ITEM 11b, 208338)
12c	26	N49090	TOOTH, BA CARBIDE - CARBIDE (INCLUDED ONLY WITH ITEM 11c, 208340)
13	26	N16474	WASHER, 3/4 NORDLOCK
14	26	N21308	BOLT, 3/4" X 3" FN THRD GR 8
15	1	208071	ROTOR, 51" W/O CUTTER
16	26	203315	HOLDER, BATTLE AX (INCLUDED WITH ITEM 16)
17	1	202305	WASHER, DRIVE 2-3/16" BOLT-ON
18	12	N38265	BOLT, SHCS 5/8 X 2-1/4 FN GR 8
19	1	202306	WASHER, DRIVEN 2-3/16" BOLT-ON

Belt Assembly, 50T 50B 37MM 1750 (208066)



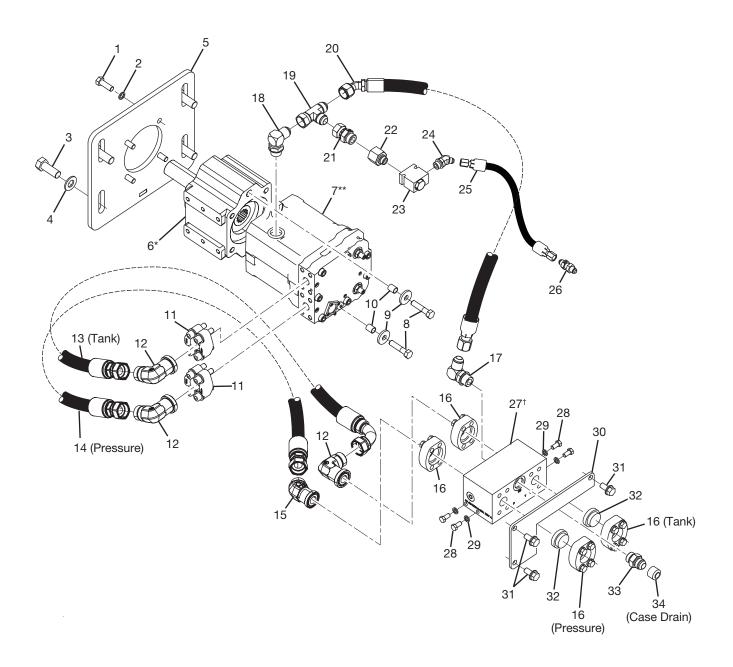
#	QTY.	PART #	DESCRIPTION
1	2	200286	SPROCKET, 14MM 50 TOOTH X 37
2	1	N20805	BUSHING, 1-1/2" TPL 3020
3	1	7121-03	KEY, 3/8" X 2"
4	1	208068	BELT, POLY CHAIN 14MM 1750 X 37
5	1	N18975	BUSHING, 2 3/16 TPL 3020
6	1	7122-04	KEY, 1/2" X 2"

Lubrication



#	QTY.	PART #	DESCRIPTION
1	2	N17007	GREASEZERK, 1/8" NPT
2	2	4304-10	BULKHEAD, FITTING-GREASE HOSE
3	2	4304	HOSE, GREASE 1/8" x 15" W/FITTINGS
4	2	4472	ELBOW, 1/8" 90 DEG.STREET

Motor Assembly, Linde 105cc - #57 Motor System (208223)



^{*} For parts breakdown of item 6, Overhung Load Adapter (N20901), see page 40.

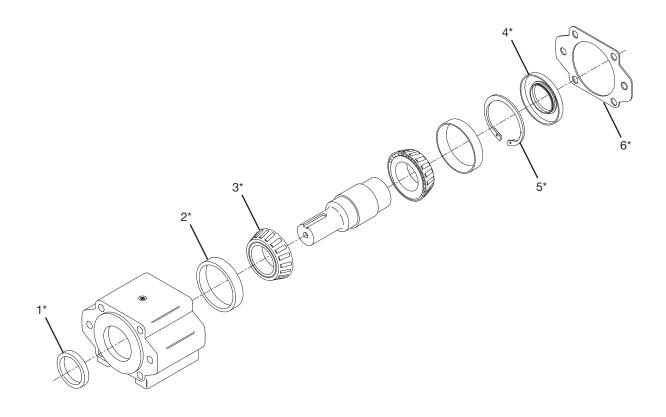
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[†] For parts breakdown of item 27, Manifold (208237), see page 42.

Motor Assembly, Linde 105cc - #57 Motor System (208223)

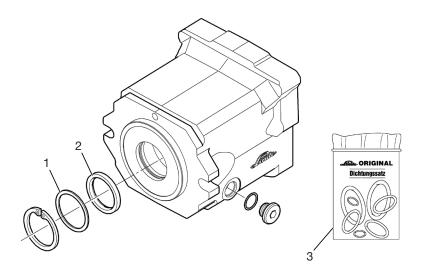
#	QTY.	PART #	DESCRIPTION
1	4	4466	BOLT, 1/2" X 1-1/2" GRADE 8
2	4	N16472	WASHER, 1/2 NORDLOCK
3	4	N16509	BOLT, 3/4" X 2" FN THD GR 8
4	4	N28567	WASHER, 3/4 NORDLOCK SP
5	1	202935	MOUNT, MOTOR
6	1	N20901	ADAPTER, 900 SER LOAD 4.5 SHAFT
7	1	N49001	105CC MANUALL VARIABLE MOTOR
8	2	205050	BOLT, 1/2 X 2-1/4 GRD 8 UNC
9	2	208342	WASHER, .531ID X 1.500D X .198
10	2	208341	BUSHING, .50ID X .625OD X .75LG
11	2	207691	KIT, SPLIT FLNG-16 CD62 MET
12	3	202998	ELBOW, 90DEG 16MORFS-16CODE 62
13	1	208224	HOSE, 1 X 36.0 -16ORFS-16ORFS90
14	1	208226	HOSE, 1 X 32.5 -16ORFS-16ORFS90
15	1	208210	ELBOW, 45DEG 16MORFS-16 CODE 62
16	4	N20288	KIT, SPLIT FLANGE SFXK-16
17	1	N11945	ELBOW, 90 DEG 12MOR - 12MJIC
18	1	N108213	ELBOW, 90 DEG -12MJIC 22X1.5
19	1	N19306	TEE, 12MJIC-12FJIC-12MJIC SWVL
20	1	208065	HOSE, 3/4 X 21.00-12FJIC-12FJIC45
21	1	N25882	ADAPTER, 12MOR - 12FJIC
22	1	N34024	ADAPTER, 8MORB -12FOR
23	1	N157054	VALVE, RELIEF 100PSI
24	1	N27928	ELBOW, 45 DEG - 6MJC - 8MOR
25	1	208062	HOSE, 3/8 X 16.00-6FJIC -6FJIC
26	1	N24775	ADAPTER, BULKHEAD - 6MJIC-6MJIC
27	1	208237	MANIFOLD, 132GPM/6000PI -16CD62
28	4	4193	BOLT, 3/8" X 3/4" GRADE 5
29	4	N16470	WASHER, 3/8 NORDLOCK
30	1	208232	PLATE, COVER
31	3	N26748	BOLT, 1/2" X 1" SER FLG
32	2	207457	PLUG, -16 CODE 62
33	1	N21380	ADAPTER, 12MJIC - 12 MOR
34	1	N16068	CAP, 12FJIC

Overhung Load Adapter (N20901)



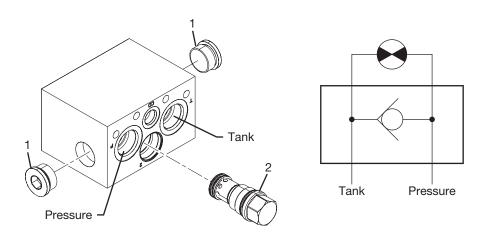
#	QTY.	PART #	DESCRIPTION
*	1	N28566	REBUILD KIT (Includes Items 1, 2, 3, 4, and 6.)
1	1	N28447	SEAL, FRONT
2	2	N34130	CUP BEARING
3	2	N34131	CONE BEARING
4	1	N28448	SEAL, REAR
5	1	N34132	RETAINING RING
6	1	N14159	GASKET

Motor, 105cc Adjustable, Linde (N49001)



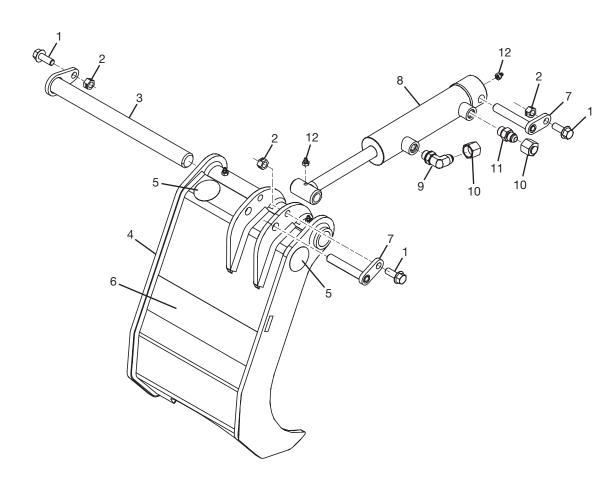
#	QTY.	PART #	DESCRIPTION
*	1	206841	KIT, SEAL LINDE MOTOR (Includes items 1, 2 and 3)
1	1	-	SHIM 56X72X1
2	1	205045	SEAL, SHAFT LINDE
3	1	-	O-RINGS

Manifold, Check 132GPM 6000PSI (208237)



#	QTY.	PART #	DESCRIPTION
1	2	N28281	PLUG, 10MOR HOLLOW HEX
2	1	208239	CARTRIDGE, CHECK

Thumb (208105) - (Optional)



#	QTY.	PART #	DESCRIPTION
1	3	N26743	BOLT, 3/8" X 1" SER FLG
2	3	4052	NUT, LOCK 3/8"
3	1	208111	PIN, THUMB
4	1	208106	WELDMENT, THUMB
5	2	N28010	DECAL, GREASE GUN 8
6	1	N28577	DECAL, VMLOGIX SMALL
7	2	207887	PIN, THUMB
8	1	207740	CYLINDER, 1"X 4" HYD 10" COMP
9	1	N24734	ELBOW, 90 -6MJIC-6MORB .062OR
10	2	N11590	CAP, 6FJIC
11	1	N29847	RESTRICTOR, 6MJIC - 6MOR062
12	2	4105	GREASE-ZERK, 1/4" SCREW-IN

Machine Decals and Signs

NOTE: All safety related decals are also shown in the Safety Instructions Section along with their location on the machine. See "Safety Decal Locations" on page 8.

Check and replace any worn, torn, hard to read or missing decals on your machine.

Part No. N17013



Due to the possible danger of flying debris, it is absolutely MANDATORY that impact-resistant shielding be provided on the power unit to protect the operator.

The owner is responsible for providing the operator protection devices on the power unit.

Part No. N28385



WARNING



IMPROPER CONNECTION TO THE POWER UNIT'S HYDRAULIC SYSTEM COULD CAUSE SERIOUS COMPONENT DAMAGE AND PERSONAL INJURY.

This attachment can be configured with different components to operate on a variety

It is absolutely MANDATORY that you refer to your OPERATOR'S MANUAL for Set-up Instructions and Pressure Ratings that apply to the components used on this unit.

The dealer/owner will be responsible for any damage caused by improper connection to the power unit.

Part No. 4334



Part No. N23506



Part No. N28386



STAY BACK

KEEP HANDS AND FEET AWAY FROM ROTATING KNIVES UNDER MACHINE DO NOT LEAVE OPERATORS POSITION WHILE POWER UNIT IS RUNNING

Part No. 200491



Part No. 208824



DO NOT START, OPERATE, OR WORK ON THIS MACHINE UNTIL YOU HAVE CAREFULLY READ AND THOROUGHLY UNDERSTAND THE CONTENTS OF THE OPERATOR'S MANUAL.

NOTE: SCAN QR CODE TO ACCESS MANUAL OR CONTACT

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FAILURE TO FOLLOW SAFETY, OPERATING, AND MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS COULD RESULT IN DEATH OR SERIOUS INJURY TO THE OPERATOR OR BYSTANDERS, POOR OPERATION, AND COSTLY BREAKDOWN.

20882

Part No. N68716



A WARNING

Rotating parts hazard. Can cause serious injuries or death.

Do not operate machine without shields attached.

N68716

Machine Decals and Signs (Cont'd)

Part No. 203264

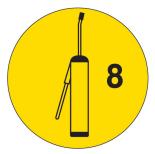


This product can expose you to Mineral Oil, which is known to the State of California to cause cancer. For more information, go to www.p65warnings.ca.gov.

Part No. 207851



Part No. N28010



Part No. N33105



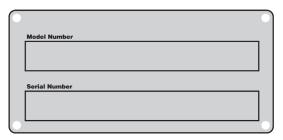
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Part No. N49281 - (Small)





Part No. N28576 - (Large)



VEGETATION MANAGEMENT EQUIPMENT

Part No. 209499

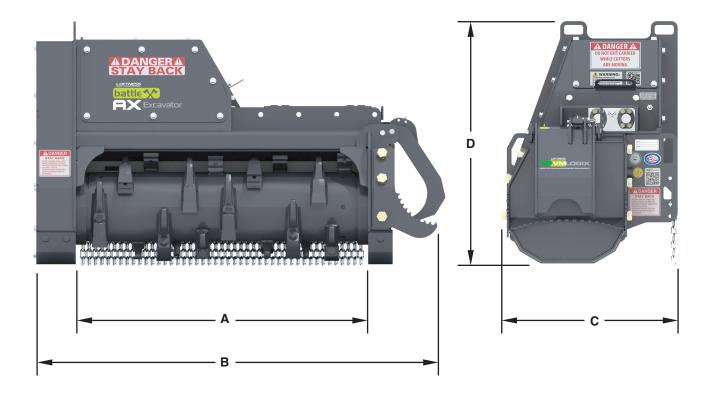




Specifications

DECORIDITION	BATTLE AX 30 SERIES					
DESCRIPTION	41"	51"				
Cutting Width	41 in. (104.14 cm)	51 in. (129.5 cm)				
Motor	Adjustable Displaceme	Adjustable Displacement Piston Motor 105cc				
Rotor Bearing	2-3/16 in. Pilote	2-3/16 in. Piloted Double Taper				
Rotor Tip Diameter	17 in. (4	17 in. (43.1 cm)				
Sprockets	Taperlock					
Belt	37 mm Synchronous Belt					
Mount	Excavator Make/Model Specific					
Shear Bar	Standard					
Cutters	Double Carbide, Planer or Planer Hard Surfaced Teeth					
Deflector	Steel Chain					
Anti-Wrap Protection	Bearing					

Dimensions



DESCRIPTION	BATTLE AX 30 SERIES				
DESCRIPTION	41"	51"			
Cutting Path (A)	41 in. (104.1 cm)	51 in. (129.5 cm)			
Overall Length (B)	63.8 in. (162.0 cm)	73.8 in. (187.5 cm)			
Overall Width (C)	27.7 in. (70.4 cm)	27.7 in. (70.4 cm)			
Overall Height (D)	38.3 in. (97.3 cm)	38.3 in. (97.3 cm)			
Number Of Teeth	20	26			
Weight (without mount)	2,010 lbs. (911.7 kg)	2,210 lbs. (1,002.4 kg)			
Crated Weight	2,150 lbs. (975.2 kg)	2,360 lbs. (1,070.5 kg)			

Torque Specifications

Inches Hardware and Lock Nuts

TORQUE CHARTS

Minimum Hardware Tightening Torques

Normal Assembly Applications

(Standard Hardware and Lock Nuts)

SAE Gr. 2	E Gr. 2 SAE Grade 5 SAE Grade 8			LOCK NUTS				
Nominal Size	Unplated or Plated Silver	Plated W / ZnCr Gold	Unplated or Plated Silver	Plated W / ZnCr Gold	Unplated or Plated Silver	Plated W / ZnCr Gold	Grade W / Gr. 5 Bolt	Grade W / Gr. 8 Bolt
1/4	55 inlb.	72 inlb.	86 inlb.	112 inlb.	121 inlb.	157 inlb.	61 inlb.	86 inlb.
	(6.2 N•m)	(8.1 N•m)	(9.7 N•m)	(12.6 N•m)	(13.6 N•m)	(17.7 N•m)	(6.9 N•m)	(9.8 N•m)
5/16	115 inlb.	149 inlb.	178 inlb.	229 inlb.	250 inlb.	324 inlb.	125 inlb.	176 inlb.
	(13 N•m)	(17 N•m)	(20 N•m)	(26 N•m)	(28 N•m)	(37 N•m)	(14 N•m)	(20 N•m)
3/8	17 ftlb.	22 ftlb.	26 ftlb.	34 ftlb.	37 ftlb.	48 ftlb.	19 ftlb.	26 ftlb.
	(23 N•m)	(30 N•m)	(35 N•m)	(46 N•m)	(50 N•m)	(65 N•m)	(26 N•m)	(35 N•m)
7/16	27 ftlb.	35 ftlb.	42 ftlb.	54 ftlb.	59 ftlb.	77 ftlb.	30 ftlb.	42 ftlb.
	(37 N•m)	(47 N•m)	(57 N•m)	(73 N•m)	(80 N•m)	(104 N•m)	(41 N•m)	(57 N•m)
1/2	42 ftlb.	54 ftlb.	64 ftlb.	83 ftlb.	91 ftlb.	117 ftlb.	45 ftlb.	64 ftlb.
	(57 N•m)	(73 N•m)	(87 N•m)	(113 N•m)	(123 N•m)	(159 N•m)	(61 N•m)	(88 N•m)
9/16	60 ftlb.	77 ftlb.	92 ftlb.	120 ftlb.	130 ftlb.	169 ftlb.	65 ftlb.	92 ftlb.
	(81 N•m)	(104 N•m)	(125 N•m)	(163 N•m)	(176) N•m	(229 N•m)	(88 N•m)	(125 N•m)
5/8	83 ftlb.	107 ftlb.	128 ftlb.	165 ftlb.	180 ftlb.	233 ftlb.	90 ftlb.	127 ftlb.
	(112 N•m)	(145 N•m)	(174 N•m)	(224 N•m)	(244) N•m	(316 N•m)	(122 N•m)	(172 N•m)
3/4	146 ftlb.	189 ftlb.	226 ftlb.	293 ftlb.	319 ftlb.	413 ftlb.	160 ftlb.	226 ftlb.
	(198 N•m)	(256 N•m)	(306 N•m)	(397 N•m)	(432 N•m)	(560 N•m)	(217 N•m)	(306 N•m)
7/8	142 ftlb.	183 ftlb.	365 ftlb.	473 ftlb.	515 ftlb.	667 ftlb.	258 ftlb.	364 ftlb.
	(193 N•m)	(248 N•m)	(495 N•m)	(641 N•m)	(698 N•m)	(904 N•m)	(350 N•m)	(494 N•m)
1	213 ftlb.	275 ftlb.	547 ftlb.	708 ftlb.	773 ftlb.	1000 ftlb.	386 ftlb.	545 ftlb.
	(289 N•m)	(373 N•m)	(742 N•m)	(960 N•m)	(1048 N•m)	(1356 N•m)	(523 N•m)	(739 N•m)















NEW CLOCK MARKINGS NUTS INCHES AND METRIC























CENTER LOCK MARKING

LOCK NUT MARKING

LOCK NUT NOTCH MARKING

LOCK NUT LETTER MARKING

Appendix

Torque Specifications (Cont'd)

Metric Hardware and Lock Nuts

TORQUE CHARTS

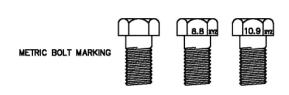
Minimum Hardware Tightening Torques

Normal Assembly Applications

(Metric Hardware and Lock Nuts)

	Clas	s 5,8	Class 8,8		Class	Lock nuts	
Nominal Size	Unplated or Plated Silver	Plated W / ZnCr Gold	Unplated or Plated Silver	Plated W / ZnCr Gold	Unplated or Plated Silver	Plated W / ZnCr Gold	Class 8 W / CL. 8,8 Bolt
M4	1.7 N•m	2.2 N•m	2.6 N·m	3.4 N•m	3.7 N•m	4.8 N•m	1.8 N•m
	(15 inlb.)	(19 inlb.)	(23 inlb.)	(30 inlb.)	(33 inlb.)	(42 inlb.)	(16 inlb.)
M6	5.8 N•m	7.6 N•m	8.9 N•m	12 N•m	13 N•m	17 N•m	6.3 N•m
	(51 inlb.)	(67 inlb.)	(79 inlb.)	(102 inlb.)	(115 inlb.)	(150 inlb.)	(56 inlb.)
M8	14 N•m	18 N•m	22 N•m	28 N•m	31 N•m	40 N•m	15 N•m
	(124 inlb.)	(159 inlb.)	(195 inlb.)	(248 inlb.)	(274 inlb.)	(354 inlb.)	(133 inlb.)
M10	28 N•m	36 N•m	43 N•m	56 N•m	61 N•m	79 N•m	30 N•m
	(21 ftlb.)	(27 ftlb.)	(32 ftlb.)	(41 ftlb.)	(45 ftlb.)	(58 ftlb.)	(22 ftlb.)
M12	49 N•m	63 N•m	75 N•m	97 N•m	107 N•m	138 N•m	53 N•m
	(36 ftlb.)	(46 ftlb.)	(55 ftlb.)	(72 ftlb.)	(79 ftlb.)	(102 ftlb.)	(39 ftlb.)
M16	121 N•m	158 N•m	186 N•m	240 N•m	266 N•m	344 N•m	131N•m
	(89 ftlb.)	(117 ftlb.)	(137 ftlb.)	(177 ftlb.)	(196 ftlb.)	(254 ftlb.)	(97 ftlb.)
M20	237 N•m	307 N•m	375 N•m	485 N•m	519 N•m	671 N•m	265 N•m
	(175 ftlb.)	(226 ftlb.)	(277 ftlb.)	(358 ftlb.)	(383 ftlb.)	(495 ftlb.)	(195 ftlb.)
M24	411 N•m	531 N•m	648 N•m	839 N•m	897 N•m	1160 N•m	458 N•m
	(303 ftlb.)	(392 ftlb.)	(478 ftlb.)	(619 ftlb.)	(662 ftlb.)	(855 ftlb.)	(338 ftlb.)

GRADE 2 GRADE 5 GRADE 8 CLASS A CLASS B CLASS C



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