

# **DX55, DX60 Tractors With Cab**

## **Operator's Manual**

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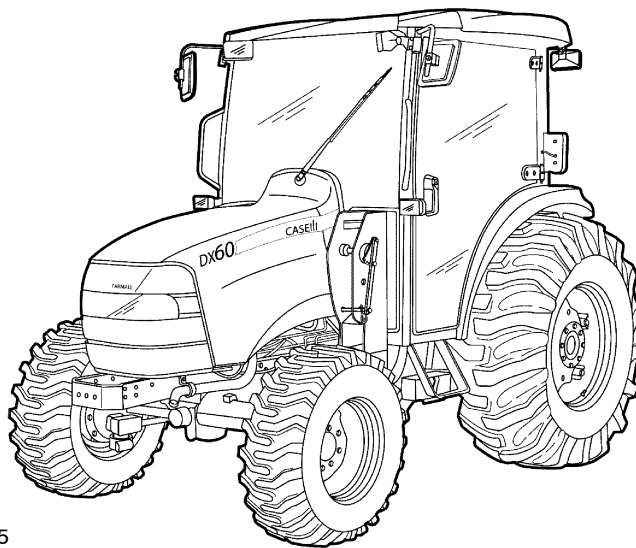
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# TO THE OWNER

This manual contains information concerning the adjustment and maintenance of the Model DX55 and DX60. You have purchased a dependable machine, but only by proper care and operation can you expect to receive the performance and long service built into this tractor. Please have all operators read this manual carefully and keep it available for ready reference.

Your Case IH dealer will instruct you in the general operation of your tractor. (Refer to the “Delivery Report” at the back of this manual.) Your dealer’s staff of factory-trained service technicians will be glad to answer any questions that may arise regarding the operation of your tractor.

Your Case IH dealer carries a complete line of genuine Case IH service parts. These parts are manufactured and carefully inspected to insure high quality and accurate fitting of any necessary replacement parts.



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## ⚠ WARNING ⚠

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

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## ⚠ WARNING ⚠

**Pictures in this manual may show protective shielding open or removed to better illustrate a particular feature or adjustment.**

**Be certain, however, to close or replace all shielding before operating the machine.**

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# IMPROVEMENTS

CNH America LLC is continually striving to improve its products. We reserve the right to make improvements or changes when it becomes practical and possible to do so, without incurring any obligation to make changes or additions to the equipment sold previously.

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# FEDERAL EMISSIONS WARRANTY

(California owner's emissions warranty is covered elsewhere)

CNH UK Ltd warrants that your new 1996 and later heavy-duty off-road diesel engine was designed, built, and equipped to conform to applicable U.S. Environmental Protection Agency regulations for a period of use of five years or 3,000 hours of operation, whichever occurs first.

The new model year, class of diesel engine, and emission application determination for your engine are identified on the emission control information label affixed to the engine. The warranty period begins on the date the new equipment is sold to the first retail purchaser.

Any emission control system parts which are proven defective during normal use will be repaired or replaced during the warranty period. The warranty repairs and service will be performed by any authorized CNH dealer at the dealer's place of business, with no charge for parts or labor (including diagnosis).

As the engine owner, you are responsible to perform all the required maintenance listed in your owner's manual. CNH UK Ltd will not deny an emission warranty claim solely because you have no record of maintenance; however, a claim may be denied if your failure to perform maintenance resulted in the failure of a warranted part. Receipts covering regular maintenance should be retained in the event of questions and these receipts should be passed on to each subsequent owner of the engine.

It is recommended replacement parts used for maintenance or repairs be CNH Service Parts to maintain the quality originally designed into your emission certified engine. The use of non-CNH parts does not invalidate the warranty on other components unless the use of such parts causes damage to warranted parts.

CNH UK Ltd wishes to assure the emission control systems warranty is being properly administered. If you believe you have not received the service entitled to under this warranty, you should contact the nearest CNH Office for assistance. The address and phone number of each Office is in your equipment owner's manual. If additional assistance or information is needed, contact:

Service Department  
CNH America, LLC  
500 Diller Avenue  
New Holland, PA 17557  
(717) 355-1121

Please note that the Emission Warranty does not cover:

1. Systems and parts that were not first installed on the new equipment or engine as original equipment by CNH UK Ltd.
2. Part malfunctions caused by abuse, misuse, improper adjustment, modification, alteration, tampering, disconnection, improper or inadequate maintenance, or use of non-recommended fuels and lubricating oils.
3. Accident caused damage, acts of nature, or other events beyond CNH UK Ltd's control.
4. Replacement of expendable items made in connection with scheduled maintenance.
5. Parts requiring replacement, inspection or adjustment maintenance intervals for reasons other than being defective.
6. Parts which are not CNH Service Parts.
7. Loss of time, inconvenience, loss of use of equipment/engine or commercial loss.
8. Equipment with altered or disconnected hourmeter where the hours cannot be determined.
9. Equipment normally operated outside the United States.
10. Non-defective parts replaced by other than CNH dealers.

## Coverage

This emission control system warranty applies only to the following emission control parts.

Electronic Control Unit  
Fuel Injection Pump  
Fuel Injectors  
Turbocharger  
Intake Manifold  
Exhaust Manifold  
Boost Pressure Tubing-connection to Aneroid Device ON F.I.P.

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# CALIFORNIA EMISSION CONTROL WARRANTY STATEMENT

## Your Warranty Rights and Obligations

The California Air Resources Board and CNH UK LTD are pleased to explain the emission control system warranty on your engine. In California, new 2004 and later heavy-duty off-road engines from 50 to 750 HP must be designed, built and equipped to meet the State's stringent anti-smog standards. CNH UK LTD must warrant the emission control system on your engine for the periods of time listed below, provided there has been no abuse, neglect or improper maintenance of your engine.

Your emission control system includes parts such as the fuel injection system and the air induction system.

Where a warrantable condition exists, CNH UK LTD will repair your heavy-duty off-road engine at no cost to you including diagnosis, parts and labor.

### Manufacturer's Warranty Coverage:

The 2004 and later heavy-duty off-road engines are warranted from the original date of delivery for five years or 3000 hours of operation, whichever occurs first. If any emission-related part on your engine is defective, the part will be repaired or replaced by CNH UK LTD.

### Owner's Warranty Responsibilities:

- As the heavy-duty off-road engine owner, you are responsible for the performance of the required maintenance listed in your owner's manual. CNH UK LTD recommends that you retain all receipts covering maintenance on your heavy-duty off-road engine, but CNH UK LTD cannot deny warranty solely for the lack of receipts or for your failure to ensure the performance of all scheduled maintenance.
- As the heavy-duty off-road engine owner, you should, however, be aware that CNH UK LTD may deny you warranty coverage if your heavy-duty off-road engine or a part has failed due to abuse, neglect, improper maintenance or unapproved modifications.
- Your engine is designed to operate on commercially available diesel fuel only. Use of any other fuel may result in your engine no longer operating in compliance with California's emissions requirements.
- You are responsible for initiating the warranty process. The ARB suggests that you present your heavy-duty off-road engine to a CNH dealer as soon as a problem exists. The warranty repairs should be completed by the dealer as expeditiously as possible.
- If you have any questions regarding your warranty rights and responsibilities, you should contact your nearest CNH Office at the address and telephone number listed on the Owner Assistance page of your equipment's operator manual.
- Prior to the expiration of the warranty, you must give notice of any failure of an emission control warranted part. Such notice must be given to CNH UK LTD or an authorized CNH dealer, and you must deliver the engine to the repair location.
- You, the owner, are responsible for incidental costs incurred by yourself or your employees as a result of an unwarrantable failure. Examples of such costs are communication expenses, meals and lodging.
- The owner is responsible for any business costs or losses, any "downtime" expenses and any "cargo" damage which result from the failure of a warranted part. CNH UK LTD is not responsible for other incidental or consequential damages, including, but not limited to fines, theft, vandalism or collisions.

### Parts covered:

This emission control system warranty applies to the following emission control parts:

Electronic Control Unit	Intake Manifold
Fuel Injection Pump	Charge Air Cooler
Fuel Injectors	Exhaust Manifold
Turbocharger	Boost Pressure Tubing (connection to Aneroid Device on F.I.P.)

Any replacement part, equivalent in performance and durability, may be used in the performance of any maintenance or repairs and must be provided without charge to the owner. The use of these parts does not reduce the warranty obligations of CNH UK LTD. However, CNH UK LTD recommends the use of new, genuine CNH service parts or CNH approved rebuilt parts and assemblies. CNH UK LTD also recommends that the engine be serviced by a CNH authorized dealer.

### CNH UK LTD Responsibilities:

Warranty work will be provided at no charge to the owner at any authorized dealer, using genuine CNH service parts or CNH approved rebuilt parts or assemblies.

The owner will not be charged for diagnostic labor which leads to the determination that a warranted part is defective, if the diagnostic work was performed at a warranty station.

CNH UK LTD is liable for damages to other engine components caused by the failure under warranty of any warranted part.

### Warranty Limitations

CNH UK LTD is not responsible for failures resulting from abuse or neglect by owner or operator.

CNH UK LTD warrants to the ultimate purchaser and each subsequent purchaser that the engine is designed, built, and equipped so as to conform with all applicable regulations adopted by the Air Resources Board, and that it is free from defects in materials and workmanship which cause the failure of a warranted part.

Any warranted part which is not scheduled for replacement as required maintenance, or which is scheduled only for regular inspection to the effect of "repair or replace as necessary" is warranted for the warranty period.

Any warranted part which is scheduled for replacement as required maintenance is warranted for the period of time prior to the first scheduled replacement point of that part.

CNH UK LTD is not liable to warrant failures caused by the use of add-on or modified parts.

CNH UK LTD is concerned to ensure proper maintenance of the engine to maximise emissions performance. Information on care and replacement of engine air cleaner, and all other aspects of engine maintenance is provided in a manual supplied to the owner. A maintenance schedule chart is provided in the manual.

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**CALIFORNIA**

**Proposition 65 Warning**

**Diesel engine exhaust and some of its constituents are known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, and other reproductive harm.**

**Battery posts, terminals and related accessories contain lead and lead compounds, chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm. Wash hands after handling.**

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# PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

## PERSONAL SAFETY

Throughout this manual and on machine decals, you will find precautionary statements (“**DANGER**”, “**WARNING**”, and “**CAUTION**”) followed by specific instructions. These precautions are intended for the personal safety of you and those working with you. Please take the time to read them.

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 **DANGER** 

This word “**DANGER**” indicates an immediate hazardous situation that, if not avoided, will result in death or serious injury. The color associated with Danger is RED.

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 **WARNING** 

This word “**WARNING**” indicates a potentially hazardous situation that, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury. The color associated with Warning is ORANGE.

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 **CAUTION** 

This word “**CAUTION**” indicates a potentially hazardous 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.

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**FAILURE TO FOLLOW THE “DANGER”, “WARNING”, AND “CAUTION” INSTRUCTIONS MAY RESULT IN SERIOUS BODILY INJURY OR DEATH.**

## MACHINE SAFETY

The precautionary statement (“**IMPORTANT**”) is followed by specific instructions. This statement is intended for machine safety.

**IMPORTANT:** *The word “IMPORTANT” is used to inform the reader of something he needs to know to prevent minor machine damage if a certain procedure is not followed.*

## INFORMATION

**NOTE:** *Instructions used to identify and present supplementary information.*

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## **IMPORTANT WARNINGS**

The machine is designed and produced exclusively for agricultural use.

All other use will be considered to be contrary to the use specified by CNH AMERICA LLC, who cannot be held liable for damage to property or the machine, or for personal injuries which may result.

Persons who risk improper use will therefore assume the responsibility for any consequences arising from such use.

Compliance with the instructions for use, maintenance and repairs described in this manual, are the essential preconditions for the use specified by CNH AMERICA LLC.

The machine must only be used, serviced or repaired by personnel trained in the relevant working methods and safety regulations and who have been authorized to work on the machine.

The user must also observe the rules concerning general safety and accident prevention, including the Highway Code when driving on public highways.

Any arbitrary modifications made to this machine will release CNH AMERICA LLC from any liability resulting from damage or injury.

CNH AMERICA LLC and all its distribution organizations, inclusive of, but not restricted to, national, regional or local distributors, cannot be held liable for damage resulting from the malfunction of parts and/or components not approved by CNH AMERICA LLC.

Under no circumstances will a guarantee be issued for products made or sold by CNH AMERICA LLC that are damaged as a result of the malfunction of parts and/or components not approved by CNH AMERICA LLC.



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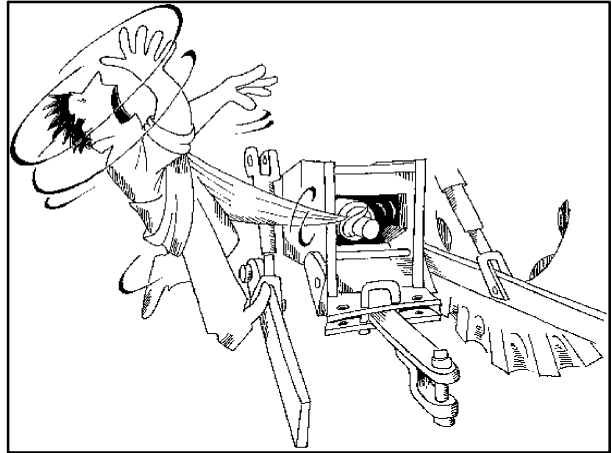
## WORKING SAFELY

1. During the manufacturing of this tractor, every step has been taken to ensure safe operation. However, the best way to avoid accidents is to exercise caution at all times. Once the accident has already happened it is too late to remember what steps should have been taken.
2. Read this manual carefully before starting, using, carrying out maintenance, refueling or performing any other type of operation on the tractor.
3. The time spent reading this manual will allow you to get to know your tractor, thereby saving time and effort. This will also help prevent accidents from taking place.
4. Read all the safety decals on the machine and follow the instructions thereon before starting, operating, refueling or carrying out maintenance on the machine. Promptly replace any decals that are damaged, lost or illegible.

Clean the decals if they are covered by mud or debris.

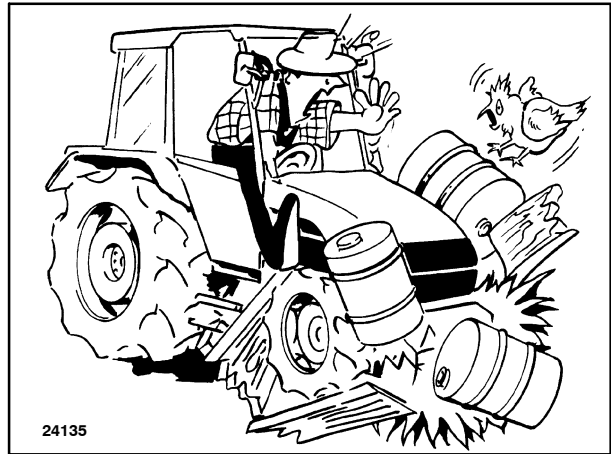
5. Remember that the tractor is exclusively designed for agricultural use. Any other use will require prior authorization from CNH America LLC.
6. It is advisable to keep a first aid kit on hand.
7. The tractor must only be used by responsible personnel, trained in tractor use and authorized to operate the machine.
8. Do not alter the injection system calibration in an attempt to increase maximum engine speed.
9. Do not wear loose clothing that may be trapped in moving parts.

Check that all rotating parts connected to the power take-off are correctly protected.



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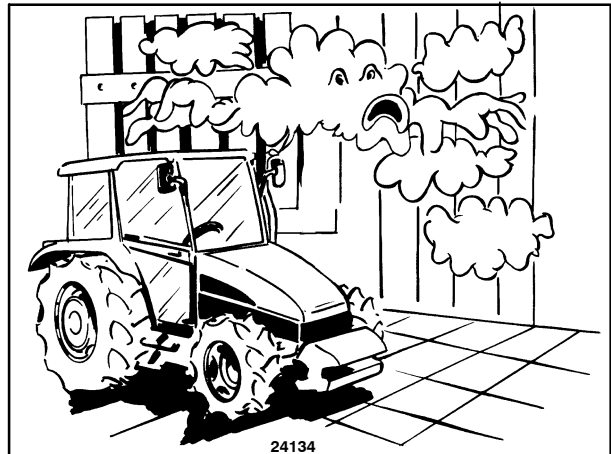
10. Do not alter the calibration of the pressure relief valves in the various hydraulic circuits (hydrostatic steering, hydraulic lift, auxiliary distributors, etc.).
11. Avoid using the tractor in unsuitable physical conditions, stop work instead.
12. Enter and leave the tractor using the steps and handles provided. Keep these fittings free of mud and debris.
13. Always operate with the cab correctly and securely fitted on the tractor: periodically check that the fittings are not loose and that all parts of the structure are free from any damage and deformation. Do not modify the cab by welding parts, drilling holes, etc., as this could adversely affect the rigidity of the structure.



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### STARTING THE TRACTOR

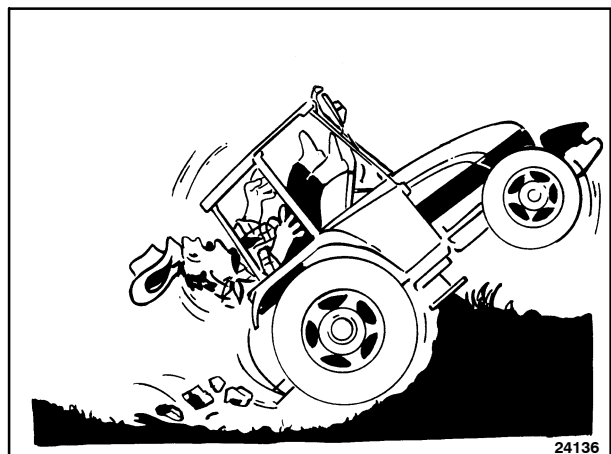
1. Before starting the engine, check that the hand brake is on and that the gears and power take-off are disengaged, even if the tractor is fitted with a start-up safety device. Never disconnect the start-up safety switch. If the switch does not work correctly, contact your local dealer for eventual repair operations.
2. Before starting the engine, make sure that all attached implements are lowered to the ground.
3. Before starting the engine, check that all covers and guards are correctly in position (hood side panels, power take-off guard, front axle transmission shaft cover, etc.).
4. Never start or maneuver the tractor unless seated in the driving position.
5. Before moving the tractor, always check that the area is free of persons or obstacles.
6. Never run the engine in a closed space without ensuring adequate ventilation. Exhaust fumes are damaging to the health and can be lethal.



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### USING THE TRACTOR

1. Select the most suitable wheel setting for the work in hand, i.e.: the setting that provides the best stability.

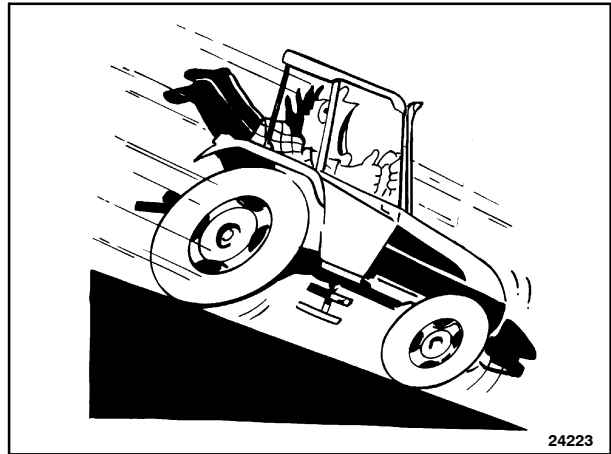


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- Engage the clutch slowly: if engaged too quickly, especially when the tractor is getting out of a hole, ditch or operating on muddy ground or steep slopes, the tractor may overturn.

Release the clutch immediately if the front wheels start to lift.

- When traveling downhill, keep the tractor in gear. Never release the clutch and never leave the gears in neutral.
- When the tractor is moving, the operator must remain correctly seated in the driving position.
- Never get on or off the tractor while in movement.
- When using the brakes, press the pedal down slowly.
- Avoid taking turns at high speeds.
- Always use the tractor at a speed that will guarantee safe operation on the type of land being worked. When working on uneven ground, use maximum care to ensure proper stability.
- If you have to work with the tractor on a gradient, for example on hillsides, drive at moderate speed especially when taking turns.
- Proceed with maximum caution when working with the wheels near the edge of ditches or slopes.
- When driving on public highways, observe the Highway Code.

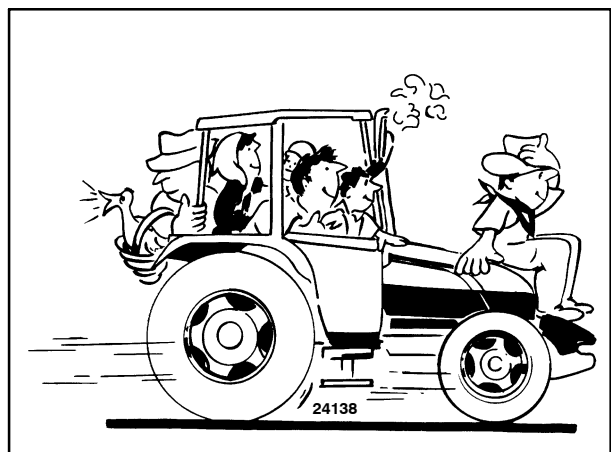


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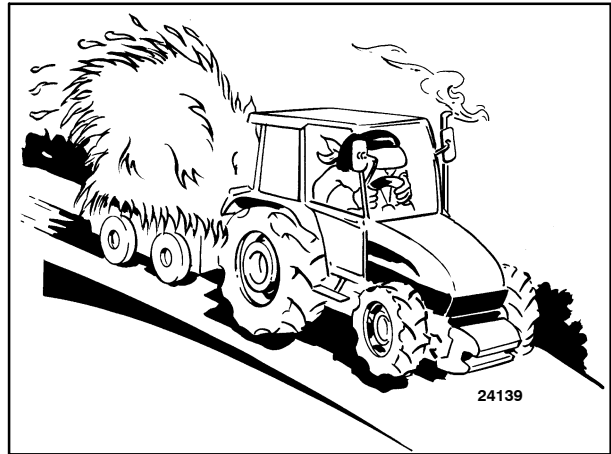
- When driving, do not rest your feet on the brake or clutch pedals.
- Never carry passengers, not even inside the cab, unless the machine is fitted with an approved extra seat.
- When driving on roads, connect the brake pedals using the plate provided. Braking when the pedals are not connected could cause the tractor to skid. Avoid excessive wear on the brakes by using engine braking.



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## TOWING AND TRANSPORT

1. To guarantee tractor stability when moving, adjust the hitching device according to the trailer or implement to be used.
2. Drive slowly when towing extremely heavy loads.
3. For your own safety, do not tow trailers that are not fitted with an independent braking system.
4. If the tractor is used to tow heavy loads, always use the hitching device and never hitch loads onto the lower arms or the top link of the three-point linkage. This may result in tipping or overturning.
5. When towing, do not negotiate turns with the differential lock engaged as this may prevent you from steering the tractor.



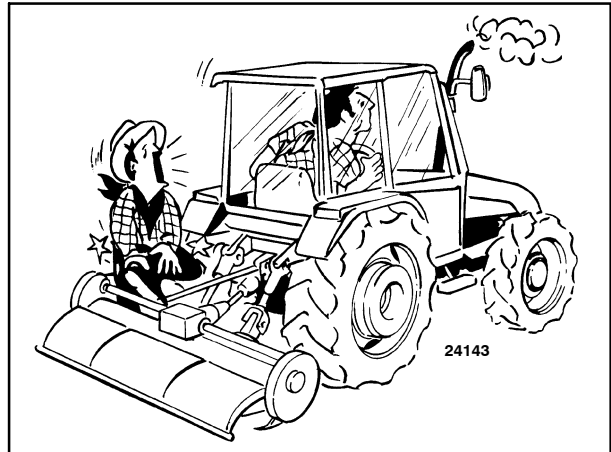
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## USING IMPLEMENTS AND AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY

1. Do not connect implements or machinery that require more power than can be generated by your tractor model.
2. Never negotiate sharp turns with the power take-off under a heavy load; this may damage the universal joints on the transmission shaft connected to the power take-off.
3. Never stand between the reversing tractor and the implement when hitching.
4. When using implements that require the tractor to be stationary with the engine running, keep the gear and range levers in the neutral position, apply the hand brake and use suitable wheel chocks.
5. Do not operate machines connected to the power take-off without first ensuring that the operating range of the machine is free of bystanders.

Also check that all rotating parts connected to the power take-off shaft are correctly protected.

6. Add rear ballast when using lifting equipment fitted to the front of the tractor.



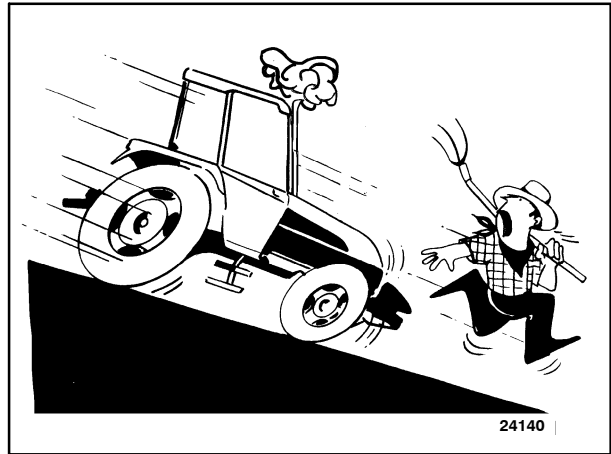
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## STOPPING THE TRACTOR

1. When the tractor is stationary, never leave connected implements in the raised position. All implements must be lowered before stopping the engine.
2. Before leaving the driving position, move the gear lever to the neutral position, disengage the power take-off, apply the hand brake, stop the engine and put the tractor in gear.

Always remove the ignition key from the dashboard when leaving the tractor unattended.

3. Park on flat surfaces, where possible, put the tractor into gear and apply the hand brake. On slopes, in addition to applying the hand brake, put the tractor in first gear when facing downhill. As an additional safety measure, use wheel chocks (available as an optional); this procedure is compulsory when parking with a trailer hitched.



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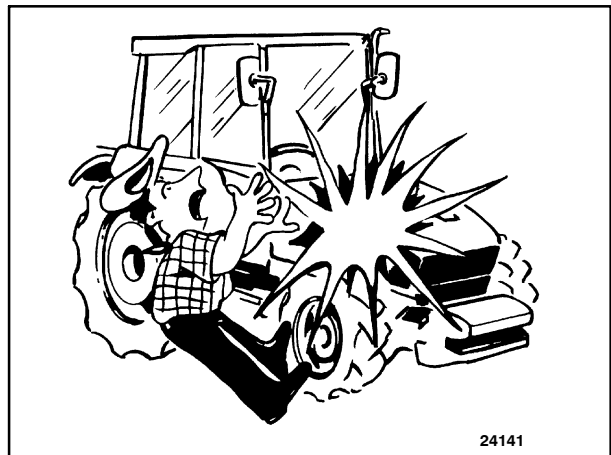
## SERVICING THE TRACTOR

—————  **CAUTION**  —————

In this manual, some illustrations show panels or covers removed in order to facilitate explanations.

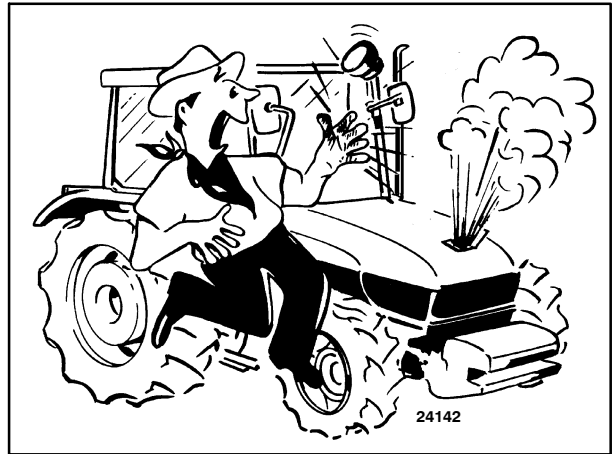
**Never use the tractor without the panels or guards in place.**

1. Do not work on the tires with unsuitable equipment or without the necessary experience. Incorrect tire fitting may put safety at risk. If in doubt, contact skilled personnel.
2. When changing or storing tires, make sure they are stacked correctly and cannot roll or topple over causing personal injury.
3. Before removing any hydraulic tubing, check that the system is not pressurized.
4. Leaks of pressurized oil can cause serious injuries. When looking for leaks use the appropriate safety equipment: screens, safety glasses and gloves.
5. Before touching any electrical components, disconnect the ground lead from the battery.



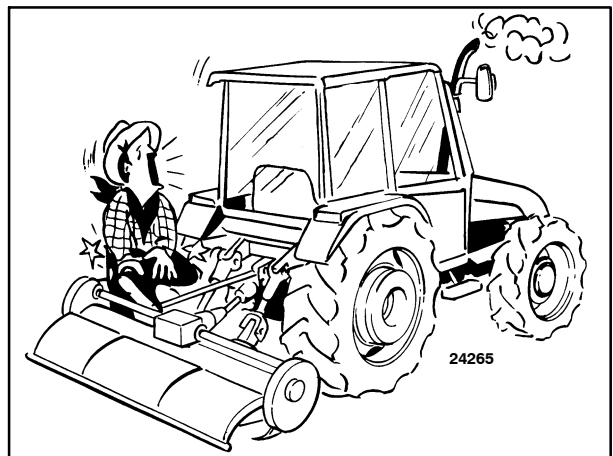
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6. Only remove the radiator cap after the engine has been allowed to cool. With the engine switched off, use a cloth to slowly unscrew the cap and release the pressure before completely removing the cap.



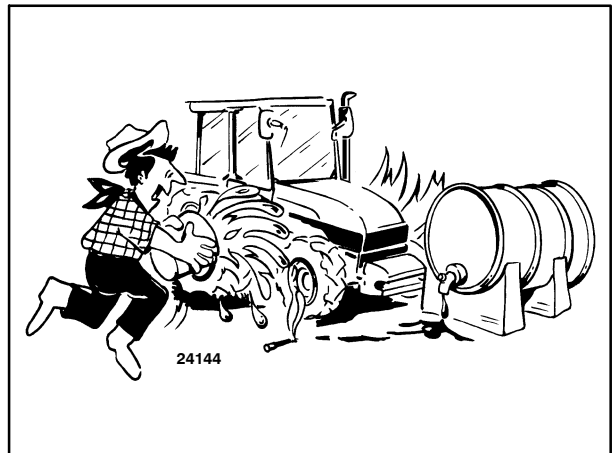
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7. Before inspecting, cleaning or carrying out maintenance on the tractor (or any implement connected to the tractor), always ensure that the engine is switched off, the gears are in neutral, the brakes are on, the power take-off is disengaged and that all moving parts are stationary.



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8. Always keep a fire extinguisher at hand.



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