

Track Loader – Loading / Unloading

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Possible Hazards Present		Personal Protection Required		Additional Training	
 Slip/trip hazard 		 Steel Toed Boots 		 Operator Certificate 	

- Fall Injury Hard Hats Vehicle damage Safety Vests
- 1. The operator will do a visual inspection of the trailer being loader.
- 2. Make sure trailer brakes are set.
- 3. Enter crawler loader using 3-points of contact method.
- 4. Follow the start-up procedure for the equipment being loaded.
- 5. Ensure all people and other equipment are at a safe distance away from where equipment is being loaded and unloaded.
- 6. Drive up to back of trailer, making sure you are straight and properly aligned.
- 7. Raise bucket onto deck and using the bucket, raise the loader.
- 8. Move forward slowly until the tracks are on the trailer.
- 9. Walk the loader onto the trailer. Proceed to the front of the trailer and then lower the bucket down.
- 10. Set the park brake.
- 11. Exit cab using 3-point contact method.
- 12. Dismount trailer by sitting on deck and pushing off. Jumping.
- 13. Secure loader with chains.
- 14. Inspect load.
- 15. Proceed to destination.

Unloading

- 1. Park truck and trailer on level ground and set park brake.
- 2. Exit vehicle using 3-point method.
- 3. Set ramps.
- 4. Remove chains and binders from machine.
- 5. Climb onto trailer cautiously.
- 6. Enter cab of loader using 3-point method.
- 7. Release brake and raise bucket or attachments just above the deck.
- 8. Slowly back off of trailer.
- 9. Park in a secure area.
- 10. When finished operation for the day turn the Master Ignition Switch to the OFF position.



Documentation/Legislation

Workplace Safety and Health Regulation, M.R. 217/2006

- 4 General Workplace Requirements
- 6 Personal Protective Equipment
- 16 Machines, Tools and Robots
- 22 Powered Mobile Equipment

This Safe Work Procedure will be reviewed anytime the task, equipment or materials change and at a minimum every three years.