OPERATOR'S MANUAL



with Self-Propelled Kit and Optional Swing-Out

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SIGN-OFF FORM

Meridian Manufacturing Inc. follows the general Safety Standards specified by the American Society of Agricultural Engineers (ASAE), and the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA). Anyone who will be operating and/or maintaining the tube conveyor must read and clearly understand ALL Safety, Operating and Maintenance Information presented in this manual.

Do not operate or allow anyone else to operate this equipment until such information has been reviewed. Annually review this information before the season start-up.

Make these periodic reviews of SAFETY and OPERATION a standard practice for all of your equipment. We feel that an untrained operator is unqualified to operate this machine.

The following Sign-Off Form is provided for your record keeping to show that all personnel who will be working with the equipment have read and understand the information in the Operator's Manual and have been instructed in the operation of the equipment. Copy this page to continue record.

Date	Employee's Signature	Employer's Signature

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Section 1: INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing a Convey-All™ Self-Propelled Bin Fill Conveyor.

Convey-All™ is a member of the Meridian Manufacturing Inc. family. The equipment we design and manufacture meet the exacting standards of the agricultural industry.

Keep this manual for future reference. Call your dealer, distributor, or our office, if you need assistance, information, additional/replacement copies, or a digital version of this document.

Information provided herein is of a descriptive nature. Meridian Manufacturing Inc. reserves the right to modify the machinery design and specifications without any preliminary notice.

Performance quality may depend on the material being handled, weather conditions and other factors.

1.1 OPERATOR ORIENTATION

The directions left, right, front and rear, as mentioned throughout this manual, are as seen from the tow vehicle drivers' seat and facing the direction of travel. The hopper is the front of the conveyor.

1.2 SERIAL NUMBER LOCATION

Always give your dealer the serial number when ordering parts, requesting service or asking for other information. The conveyor's serial number is located at the hopper.

Use the space provided for easy reference:

Conveyor Model No:
Conveyor Serial No:
Engine Model No:
Engine Serial No:

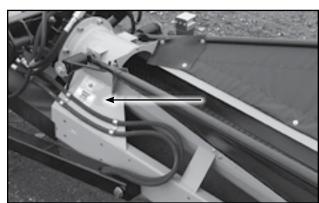


Fig 1 - Serial number location

Section 2: SAFETY

The Safety Alert Symbol means:

ATTENTION!
BECOME ALERT!
YOUR SAFETY IS INVOLVED!

3 Big Reasons why safety is important to you:

- Accidents Disable and Kill
- Accidents Cost
- Accidents Can Be Avoided

The Safety Alert Symbol identifies important safety messages on the conveyor and in this manual.

The following signal words are used in this manual to express the degree of hazard for areas of personal safety.

When you see the symbol and/or the signal words described below, obey the accompanying message to avoid possible injury or death.



Indicates a hazardous situation that, if not avoided, will result in death or serious injury. This signal word is limited to the most extreme situations. Typically for machine components which, for functional purposes, cannot be guarded.



Indicates a hazardous situation, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury. This word identifies hazards that are exposed when guards are removed. It may be used to alert against unsafe practices.



Indicates a hazardous situation, if not avoided, could result in minor or moderate injury. It may be used to alert against unsafe practices.

NOTICE

Indicates practices or situations which may result in the malfunction of, or damage to equipment.

SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

Safety instructions (or equivalent) signs indicate specific safety-related instructions or procedures.

2.1 SAFETY ORIENTATION

YOU are responsible for the SAFE operation and maintenance of your Convey-All™ Self-Propelled Bin Fill Conveyor. Be sure that everyone who will operate, maintain or work around it, is familiar with the safety, operating and maintenance procedures.

This manual will take you step-by-step through your working day. It will alert you to all the safe practices that should be adhered to while operating the conveyor.

It has been said, "The best safety feature is an informed, careful operator." Good safety practices not only protect you but also the people around you. Make these practices a dynamic part of your workday.

Most accidents can be prevented. Do not risk injury or death by ignoring good safety practices.

 Conveyor owners must give operating instructions to operators or employees before allowing them to operate the machine.

Procedures must be reviewed annually thereafter, as per OSHA (Occupational Safety and Health Administration) regulation 1928.57.

- The most important safety device on this equipment is a SAFE operator. It is the operator's responsibility to understand all safety and operating instructions in this document, and to follow them.
- An untrained operator exposes himself and bystanders to possible serious injury or death.
- Think SAFETY! Work SAFELY!

2.2 GENERAL SAFETY

 Read and understand the Operator's Manual and all safety decals before operating, maintaining, adjusting or unplugging the conveyor.



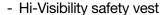
- Only trained, competent persons shall operate the conveyor. An untrained person is not qualified to operate the machine.
- Have a first-aid kit available for use should the need arise.



 Provide a fire extinguisher for use in case of an accident. Store in a highly visible place.



- Do not allow riders.
- Do not allow children, spectators or bystanders within hazard area around the machine.
- Wear personal protective equipment (PPE). This list may include but is not limited to:
 - Hard hat
 - Protective shoes with slip resistant soles
 - Eye protection
 - Work gloves
 - Hearing protection
 - Respirator or filter mask





 Never use alcoholic beverages or drugs which can hinder alertness or coordination while operating this equipment.

Consult your doctor about operating this machine while taking prescription medications.

- If the elderly are assisting with farm work, their physical limitations need to be recognized and accommodated.
- Review safety related items annually with all personnel who will be operating or maintaining the conveyor.

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2.3 EQUIPMENT SAFETY GUIDELINES

- Safety of the operator and bystanders is one
 of the main concerns when designing and
 developing this conveyor. However, every year
 many accidents occur which could have been
 avoided by a few seconds of thought, and a
 more careful approach to handling equipment.
- Do not allow personnel to operate this unit until they have read this manual. They should have a thorough understanding of the safety precautions.
- In order to provide a better view, certain images in this manual may show an assembly with safety guards removed.

Equipment should never be operated in this condition. All guards must be in place. If removal becomes necessary for repairs, replace the guard prior to use.

• This equipment is dangerous to children and persons unfamiliar with its operation.

The operator must be responsible, properly trained and physically able. You should be familiar with farm machinery in general.

- Never exceed the limits of a piece of machinery.
 If its ability to do a job, or to do so safely, is in question DO NOT TRY IT.
- Do not modify the equipment in any way.
 Unauthorized modification result in serious injury or death and may impair the function and life of the equipment.
- The design and configuration of this conveyor includes safety decals. They need to be clean, readable and in good condition.

2.4 SAFETY DECALS

- Keep safety decals clean and legible at all times.
- Replace safety decals that are missing or have become illegible.
- Replaced parts must display the same decal(s) as the original parts.
- All safety decals have a part number in the lower right hand corner. Use this part number when ordering replacements.
- Safety decals are available from your authorized distributor, dealer's parts department or from Meridian Manufacturing Inc.

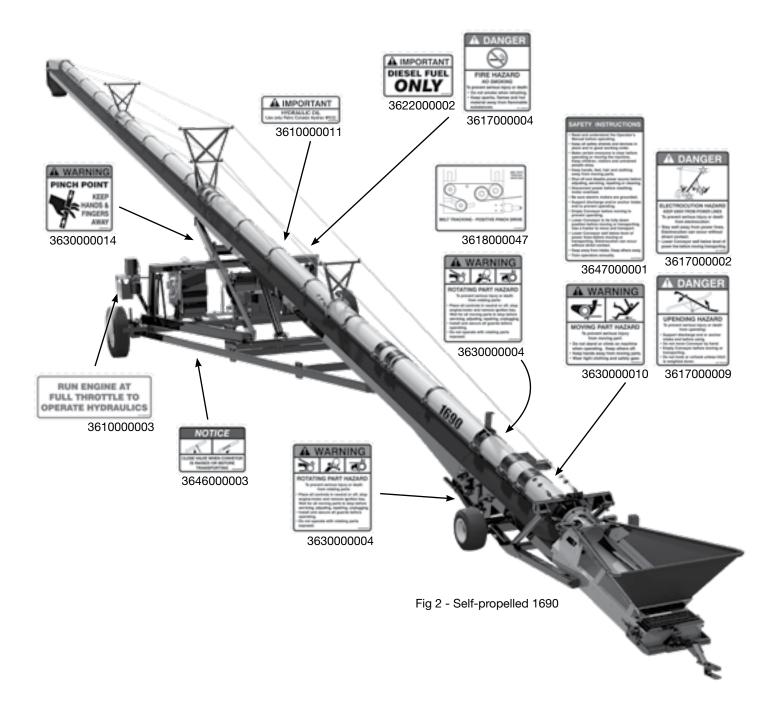
2.4.1 Applying Decals:

- 1. Be sure the application area is clean and dry. Ensure the surrounding temperature is above 10°C (50°F).
 - a. Remove all dirt, grease, wax from surface.
 - b. Clean with a non-ammonia based cleaner.
 - c. Wipe the clean surface with isopropyl alcohol on paper towel, and allow to dry.
- 2. Determine the exact position before you remove the backing paper.
- 3. Peel a small portion of the split backing paper.
- 4. Align the decal over the specified area. Use a squeegee to carefully press the small portion, with the exposed adhesive backing, into place.
- 5. Slowly peel back the remaining paper and carefully smooth the rest of the decal into place.
- 6. Small air pockets can be pierced with a pin and smoothed out using the squeegee, or a piece of sign backing paper.



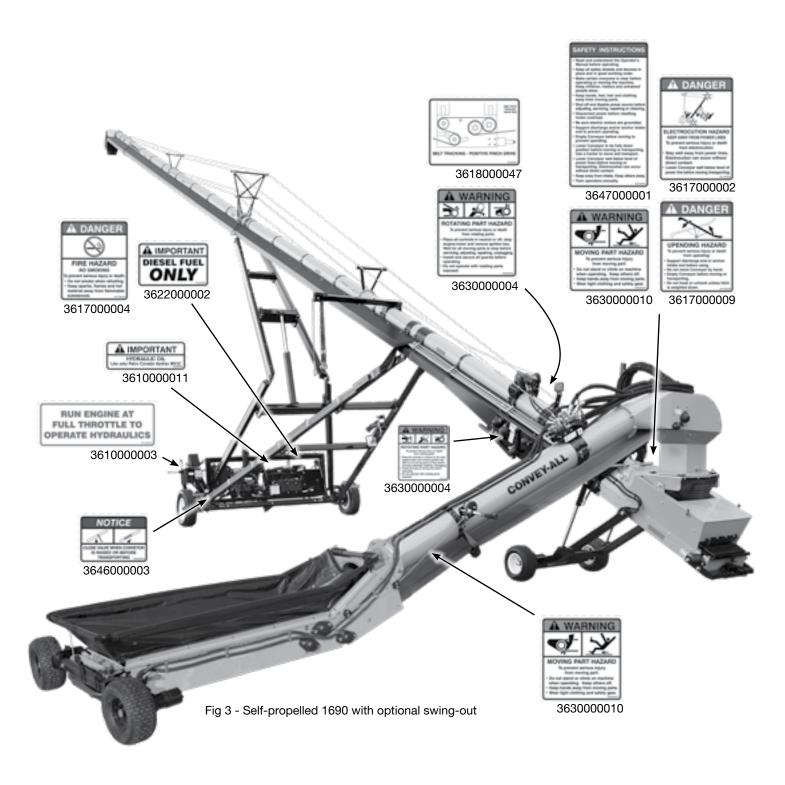
2.5 SAFETY DECAL LOCATION

The following illustrations show the general location of safety decals on this conveyor. The position of decals may vary depending on the machine's options. Decals are not shown at actual size.



REMEMBER - If safety decals have been damaged, removed, become illegible, or parts were replaced without signage, new ones must be applied. New decals are available from your authorized dealer.

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2.6 WORK PREPARATION

 Never operate the conveyor and its engine until you have read this manual, and understand the information.

Also, read the engine operator's manual.

- Be familiar with the safety messages found on the decals around this unit.
- Personal protective equipment (PPE) include:
 - Hard hat
 - Eve protection
 - Protective shoes
 - Work gloves

They are recommended during installation, placement, operation, maintenance and removal of the equipment.





- Do not allow long hair, loose fitting clothing or jewelry to be around equipment.
- PROLONGED EXPOSURE TO LOUD NOISE MAY CAUSE PERMANENT HEARING LOSS!

Agricultural equipment can often be noisy enough to cause permanent, partial hearing loss. We recommend that you wear hearing protection on a full-time basis if the noise in the Operator's position exceeds 80 db.



Noise over 85 db on a long-term basis can cause severe hearing loss.

Noise over 90 db adjacent to the operator over a long-term basis may cause permanent, total hearing loss.

Note:

Hearing loss from loud noise (tractors, chain saws, radios, etc.) is cumulative over a lifetime without hope of natural recovery.

- Clear working area of stones, branches or hidden obstacles that might be hooked or snagged, causing injury or damage.
- Operate only in daylight or good artificial light.
- Be sure machine is in a stable position, is adjusted and in good operating condition.
- Ensure that all safety guards and safety decals are properly installed and in good condition.
- Before starting, inspect the unit for any loose bolts, worn parts, cracks, leaks or frayed belts.
 Make the necessary repairs.

Always follow the maintenance instructions.

2.7 PLACEMENT SAFETY

- Stay away from overhead power lines when operating or moving the conveyor.
 Electrocution can occur without direct contact.
- Keep conveyor as low as possible.
- Chock conveyor wheels before operating.
- Position conveyor providing enough space for trucks to load or unload.
- Operate conveyor on level ground, free of debris.

2.8 LOCK-OUT TAG-OUT SAFETY

- Establish a formal Lock-Out Tag-Out program for your operation.
- Train all operators and service personnel before allowing them to work around the area.
- Provide tags on the machine and a sign-up sheet to record tag-out details.

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2.9 MAINTENANCE SAFETY

- Review Section 4: Service and Maintenance, before maintaining or operating the conveyor.
- Follow good shop practices:
 - Keep service area clean and dry.
 - Be sure electrical outlets and tools are properly grounded.



- Use adequate light for the job.
- Place all controls in neutral or off. Stop engine, and remove ignition key. Wait for all moving parts to stop before servicing, adjusting, repairing.
- Relieve pressure from hydraulic circuit before servicing.
- Before applying pressure to a hydraulic system, ensure all components are tight and that hoses and couplings are in good condition.



- Keep hands, feet, hair, and clothing away from all moving/rotating parts.
- Replace parts with genuine factory replacements parts to restore your equipment to original specifications.
 - Meridian Manufacturing Inc. will not be responsible for injuries or damages caused by using unapproved parts and/or accessories.
- Make sure there is plenty of ventilation. Never operate the engine in a closed building. The exhaust fumes may cause asphyxiation.
- Clear the area of bystanders, especially children, when carrying out any maintenance and repairs or making any adjustments.
- Place stands or blocks under the frame before working beneath the machine.
- Before resuming work, install and secure all guards when maintenance work is completed.
- Replace damaged or not clearly visible decals.

2.10 TIRE SAFETY

 Failure to follow procedure when mounting a tire on a wheel or rim can produce an explosion and may result in serious injury or death.



- Do not attempt to mount a tire unless you have proper equipment and training to do the job.
- Have a qualified tire dealer or repair service perform required tire maintenance.
- When replacing worn tires, make sure they meet original tire specifications. Never undersize.
- Reference the tire side wall for information on the maximum cold tire pressure (PSI). Keep the tires inflated to this setting.

2.11 BATTERY SAFETY

- Keep all sparks and flames away from battery, as the gas given off by electrolyte is explosive.
- Avoid contact with battery electrolyte. Wash off any spilled electrolyte immediately.
- Wear safety glasses when working near batteries.



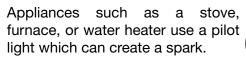
- Do not tip batteries more than 45 degrees, to avoid electrolyte loss.
- To avoid injury from spark or short circuit, disconnect battery ground cable before servicing any part of electrical system.
- When storing conveyor for an extended period:
 - Remove the battery.
 - Be sure it is fully charged.
 - Store it inside.
 - Do not sit battery on a cold, concrete floor.
- Before using the battery, after it has been in storage, be sure it is charged.

2.12 ENGINE SAFETY

 Read and understand the operating manual provided with the engine.



- Use proper tools to service engine.
- Do not run engine in an enclosed area. Exhaust gases contain carbon monoxide, an odorless and deadly poison.
- Store fuel in approved safety containers.
- Do not store fuel near open flame.





- No smoking when filling fuel tank.
- Do not remove fuel cap while engine is running.
- Do not refuel indoors where area is not well ventilated. Outdoor refueling is preferred.
- Do not refuel while engine is running. Allow engine to cool for 5 minutes before proceeding.
- Use fresh fuel. Stale fuel can gum carburetor and cause leakage.
- Check fuel lines and fittings frequently for cracks or leaks. Replace if necessary.
- Do not operate engine if fuel has spilled. Move machine away. Avoid creating any ignition until the fuel has evaporated.
- Do not run engine above rated speeds. This may result in damage and injury.
- Do not tamper with the engine speed selected by the original equipment manufacturer.
- Do not operate engine with grass, leaves, dirt or other combustible materials in muffler area.
- Do not operate engine without muffler.

- Do not tamper with governor springs, governor links or other parts which may increase the governed engine speed.
- Do not strike flywheel with hard object or metal tool. This may cause it to shatter in operation.
- Keep cylinder fins/governor parts free of grass and other debris which can affect engine speed.

A WARNING

HOT EQUIPMENT HAZARD

Do not touch muffler, cylinder or fins while engine is running. Contact will cause burns.

 Do not use this engine on any forest covered, brush covered, or grass covered unimproved land, unless a spark arrester is installed on muffler. The arrester must be maintained in effective working order by operator.

In the State of California the above is required by law (Section 4442 of the California Public Resources Code). Other states may have similar laws. Federal laws apply on federal lands.

• Inspect the muffler periodically. Replace it when necessary.

If engine is equipped with a muffler deflector, inspect periodically. Replace with correct part.

- Do not check for spark, or crank engine with spark plug or spark plug wire removed.
- Do not run engine with air filter or its cover removed.

NOTICE

POSSIBLE ENGINE DAMAGE

Decelerate engine slowly to stop.

Avoid choking carburetor to stop engine.

Choke only for an emergency stop.

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2.13 OPERATING SAFETY

 Anyone who will be operating this conveyor, or working around it, must read this manual. They must know operating, maintenance, safety info.



- Review the manual annually.
- Clean or replace all safety decals if they cannot be clearly read and understood.
- Place all controls in neutral, and stop the engine. Remove the ignition key. Wait for all moving parts to stop before adjusting, repairing or unplugging.
- Keep all bystanders, especially children, away from the machine when running.

Also, when authorized personnel are carrying out maintenance work.

- Establish a Lock-Out, Tag-Out policy for the work site. Be sure all personnel are trained in and follow all procedures.
 - Lock-out, tag-out all power sources before servicing the unit.
- Be familiar with machine hazard area. If anyone enters hazard areas, shut down machine immediately. Clear the area before restarting.
- Keep hands, feet, hair and clothing away from all moving/rotating parts.



- Do not allow riders on the conveyor when moving or transporting it.
- Keep working area clean and free of debris to prevent slipping/tripping.



- Stay away from overhead obstructions and power lines during operation and transporting.
 Electrocution can occur without direct contact.
- Do not operate the conveyor when any guards are removed.
- Chock wheels of conveyor before starting.

- Be sure that conveyor tube is empty before raising or lowering.
- Close hydraulic lift ball valve when machine is in working position or before transporting.
- High winds may overturn conveyor. To avoid damage to structures and equipment, do not raise conveyor fully in windy conditions.

Do not leave conveyor raised, when not in use.

2.14 HYDRAULIC SAFETY

- Always place hydraulic controls in neutral.
 Then relieve pressure in hydraulic system before maintaining or working on machine.
- Be sure that all components in the hydraulic system are kept in good condition and are clean.
- Replace any worn, cut, abraded, flattened or crimped hoses.
- Do not attempt any makeshift repairs to the hydraulic fittings or hoses by using tape, clamps or cements. The hydraulic system operates under extremely high-pressure. Such repairs will fail suddenly and create a hazardous and unsafe condition.
- Wear proper hand and eye protection when searching for a high-pressure hydraulic leak. Use a piece of wood or cardboard as backstop instead of hand to isolate/identify a leak.



 If injured by a concentrated highpressure stream of hydraulic fluid, seek medical attention immediately.
 Serious infection or toxic reaction can develop from hydraulic fluid piercing the skin surface.



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2.15 WORKPLACE HAZARD AREA

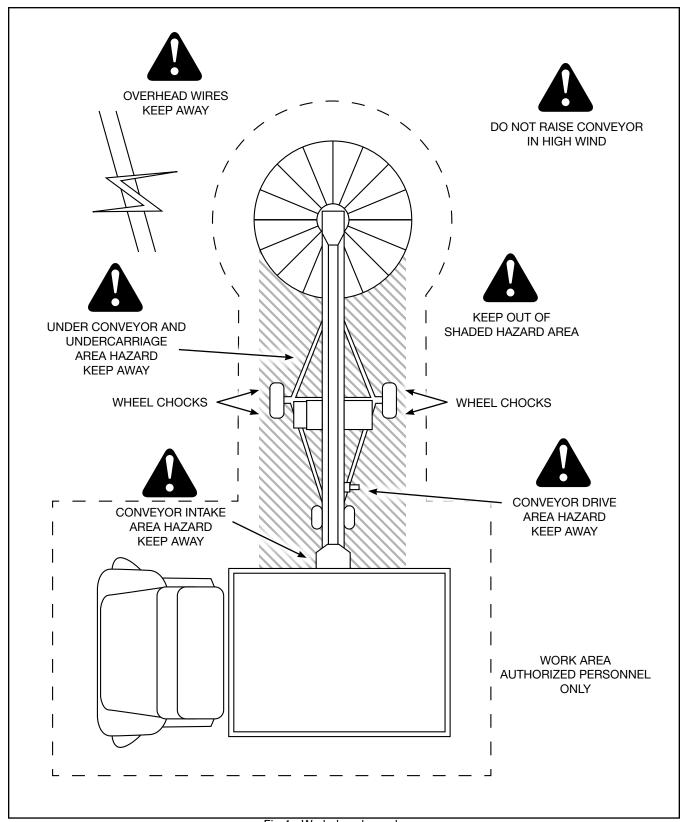


Fig 4 - Workplace hazard area

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2.16 TRANSPORT SAFETY

- The conveyor belt must be empty before raising or lowering the tube.
- Always transport conveyor in collapsed position.
- Ensure all lights, reflectors, other lighting requirements are installed and in good condition.
- Never allow riders on the conveyor.
- Comply with all local laws governing safety and transporting equipment on public roads.
- Do not exceed a safe travel speed. Slow down for rough terrain and when cornering.
- Stay away from overhead power lines. Electrocution can occur without direct contact.
- Plan your route to avoid heavy traffic.
- Do not drink and drive.
- Be a safe and courteous driver. Always yield to oncoming traffic in all situations, including narrow bridges, intersections, etc. Watch for traffic when driving near or crossing roadways.

2.17 STORAGE SAFETY

- Store the conveyor on a firm, level surface.
- Store in an area away from human activity.
- If required, make sure the unit is solidly blocked up.
- Remove the battery and store in dry location.
 Do not sit battery on a cold, concrete floor.
- Make certain all mechanical locks are safely and positively connected before storing.
- Do not permit children to play on or around the stored machinery.

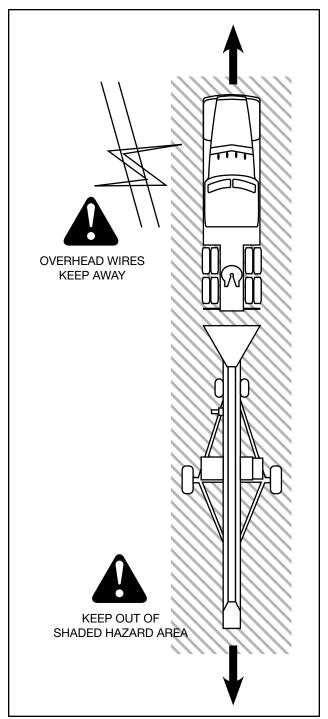


Fig 5 - Transporting hazard area

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Section 3: OPERATION

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- Read and understand the Operator's Manual, and all safety decals, before using.
- Stop the engine. Place all controls in neutral, remove ignition key and wait for all moving parts to stop before servicing, adjusting, or repairing or unplugging.
- Clear the area of bystanders, especially children, before starting.
- Keep working area clean and free of debris to prevent slipping or tripping.
- Keep hands, feet, hair and clothing away from all moving and/or rotating parts.
- Do not allow riders on the conveyor when driving mover kit.

- Stay away from overhead obstructions and power lines during operation. Electrocution can occur without direct contact.
- Do not operate conveyor with guards removed.
- Chock wheels of conveyor before starting.
- Be familiar with machine hazard area. If anyone enters hazard areas, shut down machine immediately. Clear area before restarting.
- Establish a lock-out, tag-out policy for the work site. Be sure all personnel are trained in and follow all procedures. Lock-out tag-out all power sources before servicing the unit.

The Convey-All™ Bin Fill Conveyor has many features incorporated into it as a result of suggestions made by customers like you.

Hazard controls and accident prevention are dependent upon the personnel operating and maintaining it. Their awareness, concern, prudence and proper training are crucial.

It is the responsibility of the owner and operators to read this manual and to train all personnel before they start working with the machine. By following recommended procedure, a safe working environment is provided for the operator, co-workers and bystanders in the area around the work site.

By following the operating instructions, in conjunction with a good maintenance program, your conveyor will provide many years of trouble free service.



3.1 MACHINE COMPONENTS

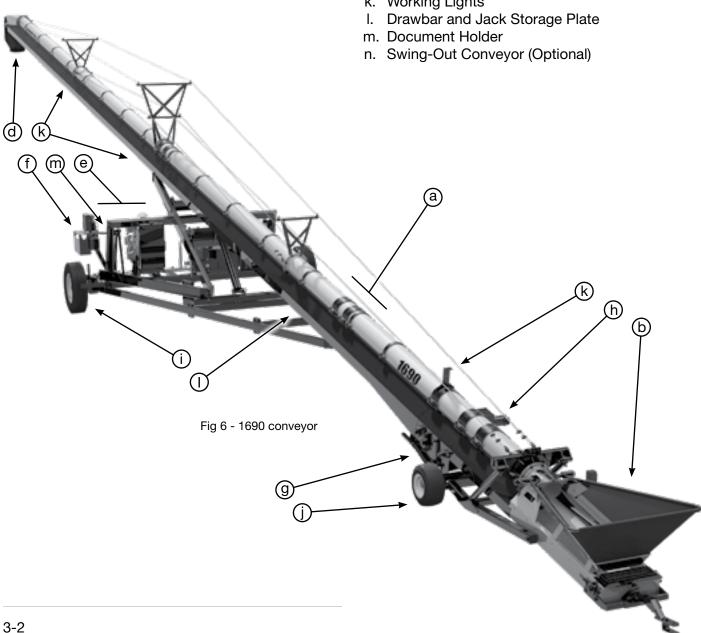
A diesel engine supplies power to the hydraulics making this conveyor a self-contained, selfpropelled unit.

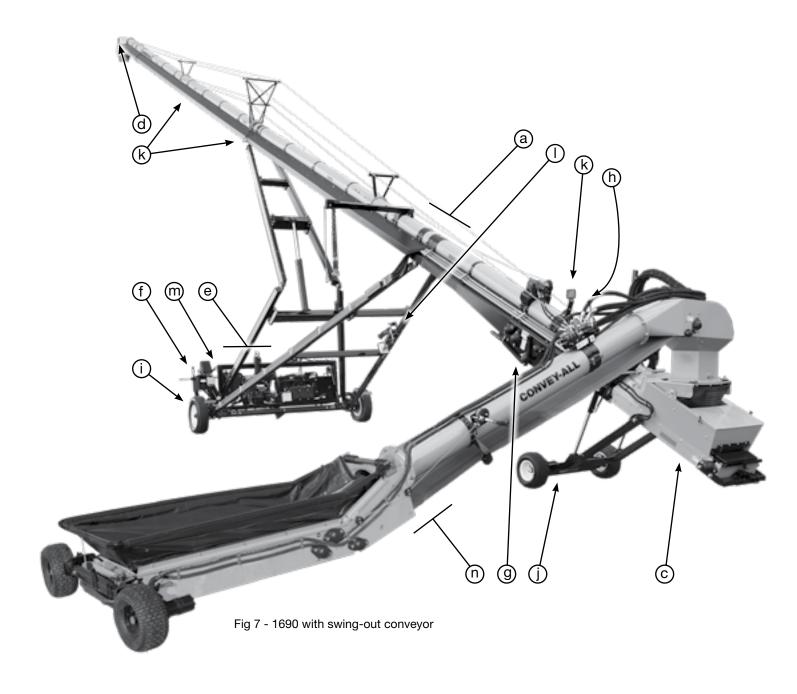
A hydraulic cylinder is used to lower the steering wheels when driving the unit. Another cylinder raises and lowers the tube.

Components may vary, and their positions may change depending on the options contained on the conveyor.

The main components are listed below:

- a. Main Conveyor Tube
- b. Standard Intake Hopper
- c. Swing-Out Hopper
- d. Discharge Spout
- e. Engine Cradle including Hydraulic Reservoir and Fuel Tank
- f. Hydraulics, Engine and Electrical Controls
- g. Drive Box with Tension Springs
- h. Hydraulic Motor
- i. Drive Wheels
- j. Steering Wheel
- k. Working Lights





3.2 COMPONENTS AND CONTROLS

Before starting to work, all operators must familiarize themselves with the location and function of the components and controls of their specific unit.

Options and locations may change without notice.

Refer to the engine manufacturer's manual for more detailed information.

Engine controls may vary depending on model.



The ignition switch is in the control box above the hydraulic valve table. Turn the key to start the engine.

Use the buttons in the control box to control the engine speed.

• Read the engine manual for more information.

Note:

Always run at maximum engine RPM when operating the conveyor belt.

Power Shut-Off Switch (Optional):

The red switch between the engine and hydraulic reservoir, controls the electricity. Turn on before starting the engine. Turn off when the conveyor will not be used for extended periods.

Hydraulic Oil Reservoir:

The 95 Litre (25 Gallons) reservoir sits in the corner of the engine cradle. There is a combination thermometer and level gauge mounted on the side.

An oil filter is connected to the rear.



Fig 8 - Engine cradle



Fig 9 - Power shut-off switch



Fig 10 - Engine control

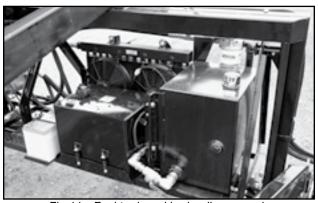


Fig 11 - Fuel tank and hydraulic reservoir

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Fuel Tank:

The 57 Litre (15 US Gallons) tank sits beside the hydraulic oil reservoir. Fuel cap has a level gauge incorportated in it.

Hydraulic Oil Cooler:

The cooler is standard feature to keep down the operational temperature of the oil.

Hydraulic Controls:

The hydraulic valve bank is beside the engine. There are two gauges on the valve bank, one to monitor the moving/lifting circuit, and one for the conveyor belt circuit.

a. Mover Kit Lever:

This 4 position, spring-loaded lever controls the movement of the conveyor. It drives the wheels forward and reverse, and also swivels the steering wheels for turning left or right.

b. Conveyor Lift:

This lever raises and lowers the conveyor tube.

Note:

A ball valve is located on the lift arm. Open, to raise or lower conveyor. Close, to lock in position. See Figure 16

c. Hopper Lift:

This lever controls the height of the steering wheels, which in turn moves the hopper.

- Lower the wheels, to raise the hopper when driving the unit.
- Raise the wheels, lowering the hopper into position for unloading.



Fig 12 - Hydraulic Filter and Hydraulic Cooler

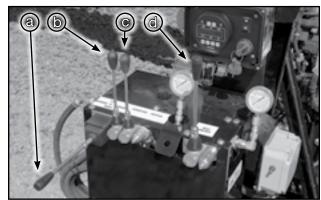


Fig 13 - Hydraulic levers



Fig 14 - Hydraulic pressure gauges

d. Conveyor Belt Control:

The hydraulic motor controlling the conveyor belt is turned on and off with this lever.

Note:

If the unit includes a swing-out conveyor, both belts will be controlled with this lever.

Conveyor Tube Lift Cylinder and Ball Valve:

The hydraulic cylinder raises/lowers the tube and the ball valve locks the cylinder in place.

IMPORTANT:

Ball valve must be fully opened prior to raising/lowering conveyor.

Always close valve fully when conveyor is to remain in fixed position. This will prevent ram from creeping downward during operation.



EQUIPMENT DAMAGE LIKELY
Always disengage both drive wheels before towing. Hydraulic motors will be damage if driven at highway speeds.

Drive Wheels:

The driven wheels have a lever to manually engage or disengage the hydraulic drive mechanism. When disengaged, insert the retaining clip to secure.

Steering Wheels:

Hydraulic cylinders raise and lower the wheels. A check valve locks the wheels, when they are raised.

Use the mover kit lever on the hydraulic valve bank to turn the wheels when driving the conveyor.

Drive Box and the Hydraulic Motor:

The conveyor belt winds through the Positive Pinch Drive Box, and is driven by hydraulics.



Fig 15 - Hydraulic ball valve to the lift cylinder



Fig 16 - Drive wheel



Fig 17 - Steering wheels

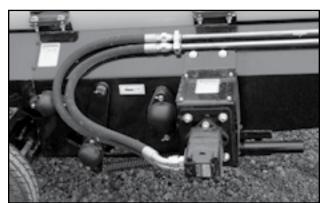


Fig 18 - Drive box with hydraulic motor

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Standard Collapsible Hopper:

The hopper is designed with a spring-loaded canvas frame. This allows the truck box to push the frame down.

The hopper have rubber flashing to seal the junction between the belt and the sides of the hopper.

A WARNING

UNEXPECTED MOVEMENT HAZARD Control the hopper frame at all times. Sudden release can cause serious injury.

Hopper Clip:

The standard hopper come with a clip on the frame to hold the canvas sides down when required.



Convey-All™ conveyors use a 2 ply, 220 weight, chevron belt with Alligator® Lacing.

Discharge Spout:

The discharge spout is designed with six settings to position the hood at the appropriate configuration for the application.

Move the spout into one of the hole settings if the product needs to be directed further back rather than straight down.

Remove the position bracket and flip the hood back to throw the product as far as possible. This configuration works well when making piles or inside buildings.



Fig 19 - Standard collapsible hopper



Fig 20 - Hopper clip

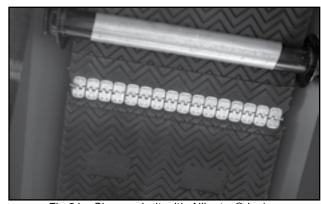


Fig 21 - Chevron belt with Alligator® lacing

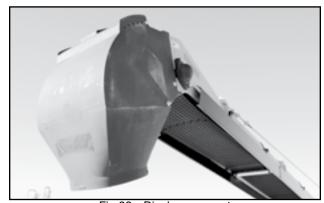


Fig 22 - Discharge spout

Electric Actuator on Discharge (Optional):

A 12 volt DC electric actuator is available. It will reposition the spout, tilting it for precise control over product output.

It is controlled by a switch in the junction box next to the hydraulic valves.

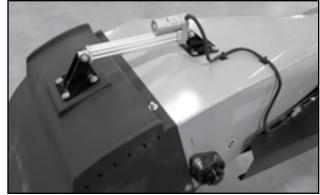


Fig 23 - Electric actuator

Working Lights:

Working lights are installed to illuminate the hopper and discharge ends of the machine. The 12 volt DC working lights make operating the conveyor at any time safe and convenient.

The light switch is in the junction box next to the hydraulic valves.



Fig 24 - Hopper working light

Transport Light Package (Optional):

A 12 volt DC transport light package is available. The wiring harness would plug into a truck.



Fig 25 - Discharge working light

Electric Switches (for Optional Equipment):

On the side of the valve bank, is a junction box where the electrical switches are located.

- Top switch works the lights.
- Bottom, toggle switch controls the actuator on the discharge spout.



Fig 26 - Electrical junction box

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Swing-Out Conveyor (Optional):

A swing-out conveyor is available for convenient unloading. Refer to Section 3.3

Swing-Out Remote Control (Optional):

Refer to Section 3.4



Fig 27 - Optional swing-out

Oil Reservoir Heater (Optional):

This is an electric heater patch, which is glued to the bottom of the Hydraulic Reservoir.

Block Heater (Optional):

This is an electric heater patch, which is glued to the bottom of the engine block.



Fig 28 - Oil reservoir heater

Document Holder:

The document holder is located between the engine and the hydraulic valve table.

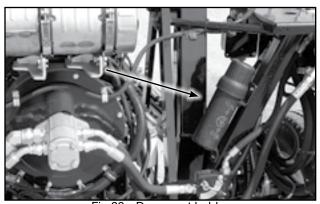


Fig 29 - Document holder

Drawbar and Jack Storage Plate:

This plate is mounted on the undercarriage. Store both here when they are not in use.

Wheel Chocks:

Wheel chocks are available.

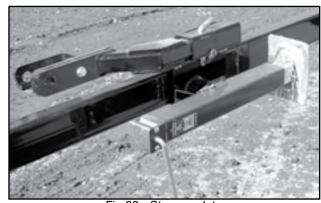


Fig 30 - Storage plate

3.3 SWING-OUT CONVEYOR (OPTIONAL)

The swing-out conveyor is an extension of the main tube conveyor. The discharge spout of the swing-out is attached to the main conveyor at the hopper. The swing-out can swivel 270°, placing its hopper in a convenient position for unloading.

This swing-out conveyor is available as:

- a manual unit, where it is pushed around the main conveyor.
- a hydraulic drive unit, which is driven



The hopper is designed with spring loaded canvas frame. This allows the truck box to push the frame down.

The hopper has rubber flashing to seal the junction between the belt and the sides of the hopper.

WARNING

UNEXPECTED MOVEMENT HAZARD Do not release hopper winch handle when ratchet lever is unlocked with load on winch. The handle could spin violently causing serious injury.

Hopper Winch:

The winch is located on the side of the tube just above the hopper. It is used to lower the canvas frame.

Hopper Wheels, Mover Kit (Optional):

Wheels are attached to the front end of the hopper.

Hydraulic valves controlling the mover kit would be located on the swing-out's tube.



Fig 31 - Swing-out conveyor (optional)



Fig 32 - Swing-out opper



Fig 33 - Swing-out hopper wheels

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Discharge Spout:

The swing-out's discharge spout is attached above the main conveyor's hopper. The spout can tilt and rotate as needed with the movement of the swing-out.

Use the removable cover, on the main conveyor's hopper, to access the main belt.

WARNING

ROTATING BELT HAZARD Be sure the cover is in place before running the belt.

Hydraulic Motor:

The swing-out conveyor belt is run by hydraulics.

- The main conveyor belt and swing-out belt are run with the same valve.
- The belts are timed, using a Hydraulic Oil Flow Regulator, so the swing-out will not overfeed the main belt.



A winch is located on the side of the main conveyor tube. The cable is routed through the hoist and attached by a hook to the front of the hopper.

A manual winch is standard, but a hydraulic one is available. The valve, controlling the winch may be located at the corner of the main conveyor, or on tube of the swing-out.

Transport Hooks:

When the swing-out is raised off the ground, using the winch hook (b). Attach both transport hooks (a) to either of the hopper frame.

- This will relieve pressure from the winch.
- It will also secure the swing-out for transportation or storage.



Fig 34 - Discharge of swing-out with manual winch



Fig 35 - Hydraulic winch

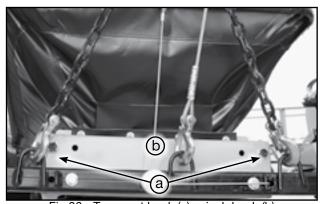


Fig 36 - Transport hook (a), winch hook (b)

AugerJogger Mover Kit (Optional):

An electric mover kit is available.

The AugerJogger receiver box is mounted on the swing-out tube.

- A key fob remote controller drives the unit.
- There are manual buttons which will operate the mover. They are located on the receiver box.



Fig 37 - Swing-out with electric mover kit



Fig 38 - AugerJogger receiver box



Fig 39 - AugerJogger key fob

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Hydraulic Valve Bank (Optional):

The set of 3 hydraulic valves located above the hopper of the swing-out, operates the following movements:

- a. Drives the wheels, moving the swing-out around the main conveyor.
- b. Swing-out winch valve raises/lowers the conveyor.
- c. Conveyor belt control includes detent to keep the belt rotating in only one direction.
 This valve controls both the swing-out and main conveyor belts.



d. The speed of the swing-out's mover kit can be adjusted. Use the set screw with lock nut below the valve.

There is another set screw on the rear of the drive valve, which must also be adjusted.

- Twist set screw "IN" to give less play to the handle, so the wheels don't turn too fast.
- Twist it "OUT" giving more play in the handle, to speed up the wheels.



If equipped with a swing-out, a regulator is added to divide the hydraulic oil flow between main conveyor and swing-out. It has been preset by the factory to optimize the flow to both the movements and belt speed. **DO NOT ADJUST.**

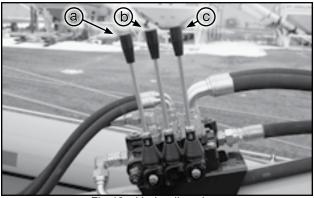


Fig 40 - Hydraulic valves

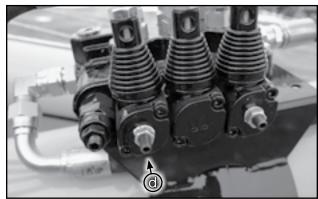


Fig 41 - (d) Mover kit set screw

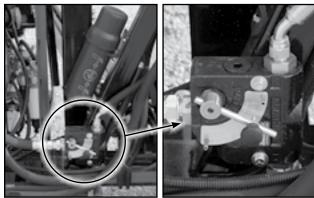


Fig 42 - Hydraulic oil flow regulator

3.4 SWING-OUT REMOTE CONTROL (OPTIONAL)

There is an optional remote control package for the swing-out conveyor.

Hydraulic Valves:

The valves functions can be operated using the remote control hand set or manually.

- Remotely, use the buttons on the handset.
- Manually, lift or lower the top of the valve.
- a. The first valve drives the mover kit wheels forward or reverse.
- b. This valve operates the winch which raises/ lowers the swing-out below the hoist.
- c. The manual valve on the far right, operates the conveyor belt.
 - The belt on the swing-out and the main conveyor belt are timed correctly so the swing-out will not overfeed the second.

Remote Control Handset:

The handset is stored in the document holder, which is attached to the Engine Cradle.

It has a power button, and two LEDs:

- The first indicates when battery level is low.
- The second shows when you have wireless connection to the bank of valves.

There are two sets of red and green buttons, and an oval blue button:

- a. The blue button, at the bottom, must be pressed at the same time as the other function buttons.
- b. The top buttons drive the swing-out wheels.
- c. The second set of buttons operate the winch to raise/lower the swing-out hopper.

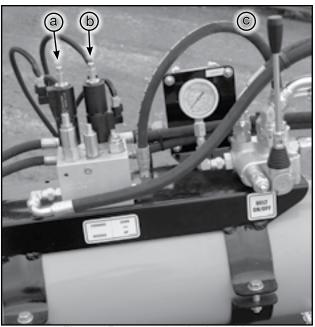


Fig 43 - Remote control valve table

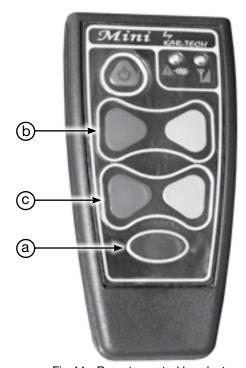


Fig 44 - Remote control handset

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3.5 MACHINE BREAK-IN

There is no operational restrictions on the conveyor when used for the first time.

The conveyor belt alignment is set at the factory, to track correctly without carrying a load.

Before Starting Work:

- 1. Read conveyor and engine operator manuals.
- 2. Run the unit for half an hour to seat the conveyor belt and hopper flashing. It is normal for rubber from the flashing to be expelled out the discharge and form a pattern on the belt.

After Operating or Transporting for 1/2 hour:

- 3. Re-torque all the wheel bolts.
- 4. Check fuel, engine oil and hydraulic oil levels.
- During the conveyors first few minutes of operation, check belt tension and alignment to ensure the factory preset does not vary under loaded conditions.
- Check the flashing seal on the hopper. If any product comes out of the hopper around the flashing; stop the belt, loosen flashing mounting screws and adjust. Retighten anchor screws and try again. Repeat until no product is lost.
- 7. Check the condition of all hydraulic lines, hoses and connections. Repair or replace any damaged system components.
- 8. Check that all guards are installed and working as intended.

After Operating For 5 Hours and 10 Hours: Repeat steps 1 through 8 above.

Service and maintain the conveyor as defined in Section 4: Service and Maintenance.

3.6 PRE-OPERATION CHECKLIST

Efficient and safe operation of the conveyor requires that each operator knows the operating procedures.

It is important for both the personal safety and maintaining the good mechanical condition of the machine that this checklist is followed.

Before operating the conveyor, and each time thereafter, the following areas should be checked.

- 1. Check worksite. Clean up working area to prevent slipping or tripping.
- 2. Be sure that the battery is fully charged. If needed, charge the battery before connecting it with the battery cables.
- 3. Lubricate and service the machine as per the schedule outlined in the Section 4.2.
- 4. Check that all guards are installed, secured and functioning as intended. Do not operate with missing or damaged shields.
- 5. Check that the belt is properly tensioned and aligned. Ensure it is not frayed or damaged. Refer to Section 4.3.1 and 4.3.2
- 6. Be sure conveyor wheels are chocked.
- 7. Check that discharge and intake areas are free of obstructions.

NOTICE

UPENDING HAZARD

Anchor or support conveyor during operation. When lower half empties of material, the weight balance transfers to the discharge end of the machine, which can cause upending.

3.7 ATTACHING TO TOW VEHICLE

DANGER

ELECTROCUTION HAZARD

Ensure enough clearance from overhead obstructions, power lines, other equipment.

- 1. Clear the working area of bystanders, especially small children.
- 2. If the conveyor is above a storage facility:
 - a. Raise the conveyor tube so the discharge spout clears the structure.
 - b. Use mover kit, to drive conveyor away.
 - c. Lower the tube to it's collapsed position.
- 3. Ensure that there is sufficient room and clearance to back up to the conveyor.

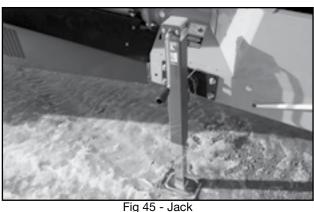
NOTICE

UPENDING HAZARD

The machine is closely balanced. Do not lift unless there is downward weight on the hopper end to prevent upending.

- 4. Insert the drawbar into the conveyor's hitch.
 - Secure with the anchor pin.
- 5. Align the tow vehicle's hitch with the drawbar of the conveyor while backing up.
- 6. Set park brake before dismounting tow vehicle.
- 7. Install the pin with its retainer clip, to connect the tow vehicle.
 - Secure the safety chain.
- 8. Raise the steering wheels.
- 9. Remove and store the jack.
- 10. Close hydraulic valves and turn off engine.

The conveyor is ready for transport.



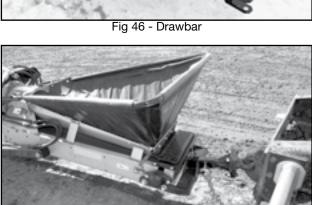


Fig 47 - Safety chain secured

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3.8 CONVEYOR PLACEMENT

Follow this procedure when placing the conveyor into its working position:

- 1. Clear the area of bystanders, especially small children, before starting.
- 2. Transport the conveyor to the working area. Refer to Section 3.11
- 3. Start the conveyor's engine, then lower the steering wheels.

- or -

Attach the jack. Use it to raise and support the hopper.

4. Detach the conveyor from the tow vehicle.



SAFETY HAZARD

Remove drawbar from conveyor to prevent interference and clear a tripping hazard.

5. Remove and store the drawbar.

▲ DANGER

ELECTROCUTION HAZARD

Ensure enough clearance from overhead obstructions, power lines or other equipment.

- 6. Remove the retainer clips. Manually engage drive wheels on the conveyor's mover kit.
- 7. Drive the conveyor to the working area while it is in its lowered configuration.

NOTICE

DAMAGE TO EQUIPMENT HAZARD Swing-out conveyor must be lowered and swung around the hopper, to be in-line with the main conveyor before raising the tube.



Fig 48 - Start engine



Fig 49 - Drive conveyor



Fig 50 - Drive in collapsed position

NOTICE

HIGH WIND HAZARD

Do not operate or leave conveyor fully raised, in high winds. It may blow over, damaging structures and equipment.

- 8. **IMPORTANT -** If equipped with a swing-out, before raising the conveyor tube, lower the swing-out, and rotate it around the hopper.
 - The swing-out can then follow the main conveyor as it is positioned over the bin.
- 9. Use the hydraulics to raise the main conveyor tube to working height.
- 10. Advance until the conveyor is in position above the storage bin.



To prevent damage to the conveyor tube and belt, be sure it does not rest on any structure.

NOTICE

UPENDING HAZARD
Always check the weight of the hopper end to prevent upending.

- 11. Stake or weigh down the hopper end to prevent upending when the machine is emptying.
- 12. Close hydraulic ball valve, to lock the conveyor tube in position.
- 13. Chock the drive wheels.
- 14. If equipped with swing-out conveyor:

 Now, the swing-out conveyor may be rotated around the main conveyor and into position.

IMPORTANT:

When removing the conveyor from a work location, move the swing-out conveyor to directly in front of the main tube. Then, drive the main conveyor straight back from the bin, the swing-out will be pushed ahead.

Lower the conveyor before storing swing-out.



Fig 51 - Working height



Fig 52 - Hydraulic ball valve to tube lift cylinder



Fig 53 - Chocked wheels

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3.9 OPERATING ON SITE

When operating the conveyor, follow this procedure:

- 1. Clear the area of bystanders, especially small children, before starting.
- 2. Review the Pre-Operation Checklist before starting. Refer to Section 3.6
- 3. Review the Workplace Hazards illustration and use extra care when inside the hazard area. Keep all spectators and bystanders out of this area.

Should anyone enter the hazard area, stop the machine immediately.

- 4. Check that all guards are in place and working as intended.
- Back the truck/tender into position for unloading into the conveyor's (or swing-out) hopper.

NOTICE

HIGH WIND HAZARD

Do not operate or leave conveyor fully raised in high winds. Avoid damage to structures and equipment, by always lowering conveyor.

3.9.1 Starting Conveyor:

- 1. Turn the red, Power Shut-Off switch "ON".
- 2. Start the engine.
- 3. Run for 2-3 minutes to allow engine to warm.
- 4. Increase engine speed to full throttle.

IMPORTANT:

Always run at maximum engine RPM when operating the conveyor belt.

- 5. Start the conveyor belt by using the hydraulic valve lever.
- 6. Begin the flow of product and unload into the hopper.

3.9.2 Stopping Conveyor:

- 7. Stop unloading. Wait for conveyor belt to empty completely.
- 8. Stop the conveyor belt.
- 9. Move the throttle to idle position.
- 10. Turn off engine and remove ignition key.

3.9.3 Emergency Stopping:

Although it is recommended that the tube be emptied before stopping, in an emergency situation, stop the engine immediately.

See to the emergency.

Correct the situation before resuming work.

3.9.4 Restarting after Emergency Stop:

When the conveyor is shut down inadvertently or in an emergency, the conveyor belt will still be covered with product.

Remove as much product from the hopper as possible, before restarting the engine.

Since start-up torque loads are much higher than normal when the belt is full, restart at a low engine speed. The RPM can be increased to full throttle, when the belt is empty.

Now product can again be unloaded into the conveyor hopper.

3.9.5 Unplugging:

In unusual moisture, crop or product conditions, the machine can become plugged. When unplugging, follow this procedure:

- 1. Stop the conveyor belt.
- 2. Throttle down. Then, stop the engine.
- 3. Lock-out, tag-out the controls.
- 4. Remove product from the discharge and hopper area.
- 5. Reposition the conveyor if discharge area plugs due to lack of clearance.
- 6. Restart using the same procedure as if after an emergency stop. Refer to Section 3.9.4



Fig 54 - Trailer unloading into swing-out conveyor

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3.10 OPERATING HINTS

- Keep the hopper full for maximum capacity. Most efficient results will be obtained when flow of incoming product is directed to the top of the hopper (closer to the tube).
- Always listen for any unusual sounds or noises. If any are heard, stop the machine and determine the source. Correct the problem before resuming work.
- Do not run the machine for long periods of time with no product on the belt. This will increase the wear. Try to run only when moving product.
- Do not support discharge end directly on the storage facility.
- Stake the hopper or weigh it down to prevent upending.
- For better performance, (if not equipped with a swing-out conveyor) use a transfer or driveover conveyor, to move product from the truck or trailer to conveyor hopper.
- The hopper is designed with flashing to seal the junction between the belt and the sides of the hopper. It must be kept in good condition to prevent product from "leaking" out of the hopper. Replace the flashing if leakage occurs.

• Belt Speed:

The best results are obtained when the drive is set to provide a belt speed of 600 ft/min.

Count the number of belt revolutions per unit time to determine belt speed. Use the belt lacing as a reference when counting belt revolutions.

Contact your dealer or the factory for the appropriate drive components to give the recommended belt speed.

• Belt Tension:

There may be a rapid decrease in belt tension during the first few hours of operation until the belt has worn in.

The correct operating tension is the lowest tension at which the belt will not slip under peak load conditions.

Operating Angle:

The hydraulic lift can set the tube angle at any position between 12° and 35° when operating. Because the belt does not have roll-back barriers, the product will roll-back if the angle is too steep. Do not position at more than 35°.

Note:

The lower the angle, the greater the capacity.



Fig 55 - CST unloading into conveyor

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3.11 TRANSPORTATION

Convey-All™ Self-Propelled Bin Fill Conveyors are designed to be conveniently moved from place to place.

When transporting the conveyor, follow this procedure:

1. Refer to Section 3.7: Attaching to Tow Vehicle.

NOTICE

EQUIPMENT DAMAGE LIKELY Always disengage drive wheels before transport. Hydraulic motors will be damaged if driven at highway speeds.

- 2. Ensure the conveyor is ready for transport:
 - It is in its fully collapsed position.
 - Swing-out (if equipped) is stowed securely.
 - Drive wheels are disengaged, and retainer clip is fastened in place.
 - Hydraulic lines are closed.
 - Drawbar is attached using anchor pin, retainer and safety chain.
- 3. Be sure all bystanders are clear of the machine.
- 4. Conveyor is attached to the tow vehicle and safety chains are secured.
- 5. Jack is raised, removed and stored.
- Chocks are removed from around conveyor wheels.
- 7. If equipped with transport lights, connect the wiring harness across the hitch.
 - Secure with clips, zip ties or tape. Provide slack for turning.

8. Ensure the SMV (Slow Moving Vehicle) emblem, all lights and reflectors; required by local highway and transport authorities, are in place.

They must be clean and clearly visible by all overtaking and oncoming traffic.

- 9. Do not allow riders on the conveyor.
- 10. Slowly pull away from the working area.
 - Be sure everything is connected and nothing is hanging.
- 11. Keep to the right and yield the right-of-way to allow faster traffic to pass. Drive on the road shoulder, if permitted by law.
- 12. Never travel across slopes of more than 20°. It is better to go straight up and down.
- 13. It is not recommended that the machine be transported faster than 80km/h (50mph).
- 14. During periods of limited visibility, use pilot vehicles or add extra lights to the machine.
- Always use hazard flashers on the tow vehicle when transporting unless prohibited by law.



Fig 56 - Drive wheel

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3.12 STORAGE

After the season's use, or when the conveyor will not be used for an extended period of time, it should be inspected and prepared for storage.

Repair or replace any worn or damaged components to prevent unnecessary down-time next season.

For a long, trouble-free life, this procedure should be followed when preparing the machine for storage:

- 1. Remove all left over product or residue from the hopper and inside tube.
- Inspect all moving or rotating parts and remove anything which has become entangled.
- 3. Wash the entire machine thoroughly using a water hose or pressure washer to remove all dirt, mud, debris or residue.
 - Wash on top and under the belt.
 - Clean inside the tube.
- 4. Inspect all hydraulic hoses, fittings, lines, couplers and valves.
 - Tighten any loose fittings.
 - Replace any hose that is badly cut, nicked or abraded or is separating from the crimped end of the fitting.
- 5. Lubricate all grease fittings. Refer to Section 4.2
 - Ensure all grease cavities have been filled with grease to remove any water residue from having been washing.

- 6. Check the condition of the conveyor belt. Replace if necessary.
- 7. Remove the battery.
 - Be sure it is fully charged.
 - Store it inside.
 - Do not sit the battery on a cold, concrete floor.
- 8. Touch up all paint nicks and scratches to prevent rusting.
- 9. Select an area that is dry, level and free of debris.

If the machine cannot be placed inside, cover the engine with a waterproof tarpaulin and tie securely in place.

- 10. Remove the ignition key.
 - Store in a memorable location.
- 11. Do not allow children to play on or around the conveyor.

IMPORTANT:

If conveyor has been stored for over 6 months, run engine for 2-3 minutes. Then, change oil, while still warm, to remove any condensation.



Fig 57 - Conveyor in storage

Section 4: SERVICE AND MAINTENANCE

A WARNING

- Review the Operator's Manual and all safety items before maintaining the conveyor.
- Clear the area of bystanders, especially children, before repairing or adjusting.
- Before servicing, repairing or unplugging; place controls in neutral, stop engine, remove ignition key and wait for moving parts to stop.
- Follow good shop practices:
 - Keep service area clean and dry.
 - Be sure electrical outlets and tools are properly grounded.
 - Use adequate light for the job at hand.
- Relieve pressure from the hydraulic circuit before servicing.

- Before applying pressure to a hydraulic system, make sure all components are tight, hoses and couplings are in good condition.
- Keep hands, feet, hair and clothing away from all moving and/or rotating parts.
- Make sure there is plenty of ventilation. Never operate the engine in a closed building. The exhaust fumes may cause asphyxiation.
- Place stands or blocks under frame before working beneath the unit.
- When maintenance is complete, before resuming work, install and secure all guards.
- Keep decals clean, replace if not readable.

By following the operating instructions, in conjunction with a good maintenance program, your conveyor will provide many years of trouble free service.

4.1 FLUIDS AND LUBRICANTS

Fuel and Engine Oil:

Refer to the engine's operator manual for specific information.

- Fuel tank capacity is 57 Litres (15 US Gal.)

Grease:

Use an SAE multipurpose high temperature grease with extreme pressure (EP) performance. Also acceptable, SAE multipurpose lithium based grease.

Hydraulic Oil:

Use an ISO grade 36 hydraulic oil for all operating conditions (Hydrex MV36 or comparable).

- Oil reservoir holds: 95 Litres (25 US Gal.)



Fig 58 - Hydraulic oil decal

Storing Lubricants:

Your machine can operate at top efficiency only if clean lubricants are used. Use clean containers to handle all lubricants.

Store them in an area protected from dust, moisture and other contaminants.

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Fig 59 - Lubricate decal

4.1.1 Greasing:

NOTICE

GREASING HAZARD

Too much grease causes excessive overheating. Under-greasing accelerates equipment wear.

No grease should be seen around bearings.
If there is, too much grease was applied
and the seal has ruptured!

IMPORTANT:

Grease bearings only one pump per month under normal usage conditions.

Bearing greasing frequency should be determined by usage and conditions.

- 1. Use a hand-held grease gun for all greasing.
- 2. Wipe grease fitting with a clean cloth before greasing, to avoid injecting dirt and grit.
- 3. All bearings are greasable, but require only minimal grease.

Recommended greasing is one small stroke every month. Be careful not to over-grease as this may push the seal out.

- 4. Repair or replace broken fittings immediately.
- 5. If fittings will not take grease, remove and clean thoroughly. Also clean lubricant passageway. Replace fitting if necessary.

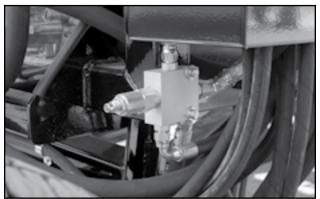


Fig 60 - Cushion Block below valve table

4.1.2 Cushion Block Setting:

Below the hydraulic valve table is a cushion block. The factory setting is:

- 1. Loosen nut, to turn set screw with hex key.
- 2. Turn set screw all the way in.
- 3. Then, turn out 1 and a 1/2 turns.
- 4. Hold set screw with hex key, tighten nut.

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4.2 SERVICING INTERVALS

Use the Service Record provided on page 4-21, to keep a record of all scheduled maintenance.

The conveyor belt alignment is preset to run true under a condition of no load. It is important to check alignment and make adjustments, if required, during the initial few minutes of loaded operation.

Check bearings for wear daily.

The following recommended periods are based on normal operating conditions. Severe or unusual conditions may require more frequent lubrication and oil changes.

Schedules may vary depending on options and engine model contained in your equipment.

IMPORTANT:

For engine servicing and maintenance, refer to it's manual for complete details.

4.2.1 Every 10 Hours or Daily:

- 1. Check fuel level.
 - Add as required.
- 2. Check oil level in hydraulic reservoir.
 - Add as required.
- 3. Inspect conveyor belt lacing for wear.
- 4. Check the conveyor belt tension daily while breaking-in the conveyor.
 - Refer to Section 4.3.1
- 5. Check the conveyor belt alignment frequently during the first 10 hours of operation until it seats itself. Refer to Section 4.3.3
- 6. Inspect all rollers and bearings for play and wear.
 - Replace if necessary.



Fig 61 - Hydraulic oil reservoir and fuel tank

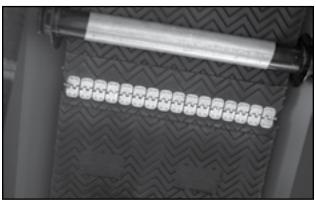


Fig 62 - Alligator® Lacing

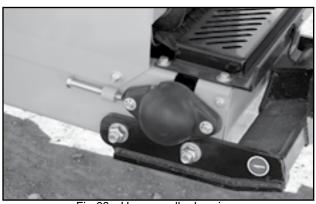


Fig 63 - Hopper roller bearings

4.2.2 Every 50 Hours or Weekly:

7. Check the conveyor belt tension.

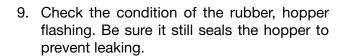
Watch the tension more often while breakingin the conveyor, because the belt might stretch. Refer to Section 4.3.1

Note:

A properly tensioned belt will not slip when in operation.

- 8. Check the conveyor belt alignment.
 - How the belt is aligned to the rollers must be checked at the hopper, transition, at the drive box and the discharge.

Watch the alignment more frequently during the first 10 hours of operation. It usually seats itself and can be checked weekly after that. Refer to Section 4.3.3



If any product comes out of the hopper around the flashing, loosen flashing mounting screws and adjust. Retighten anchor screws and try running the conveyor again. Repeat until no grain is lost.

If the flashing is stuck to the belt, manually peel the flashing up and off the hopper. Replace it if necessary.

- 10. Inspect the sprockets on the drive wheels, for wearing teeth.
- 11. Inspect the coupler between the hydraulic drive and the drive box, for wear.
- 12. Oil hydraulic drive coupler or chain.



Fig 64 - Drive box

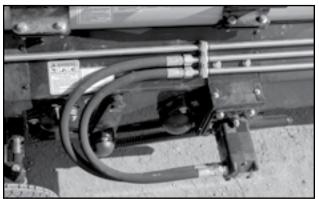


Fig 65 - Discharge roller bearings



Fig 66 - Hopper flashing



Fig 67 - Sprockets on drive wheel

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4.2.3 Every 100 Hours or Monthly:

Note:

Recommended greasing is one small stroke every month. Be careful not to over grease as this may push the seal out.

- 13. Grease hopper roller bearings.
- 14. Grease drive box assembly bearings.







Fig 68 - Adjustment bolts on side of hopper



Fig 69 - Positive pinch drive tension bolts

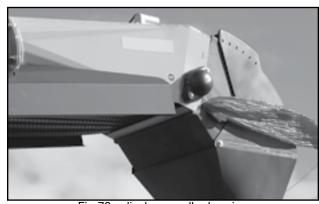


Fig 70 - discharge roller bearing

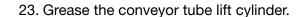


Fig 71 - Swing-out conveyor

4.2.4 Every 200 hours or Annually:

- 17. Refer to the engine manual for specific service and maintenance schedules.
- 18. Take a hydraulic oil sample and send it to a lab for particle count analysis.
 - Change oil if necessary.
- 19. Change the hydraulic oil filter.
- 20. Check that the battery retains its maximum charge.
- 21. Grease the steering wheel axle bushings and cylinder.





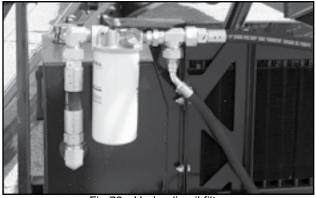


Fig 72 - Hydraulic oil filter



Fig 73 - Steering axle bushing



Fig 74 - Steering wheel lift cylinder



Fig 75 - Conveyor tube lift cylinder

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24. Check the tube's straightness, horizontally and vertically.

If adjustment is necessary:

 Take tension off the cables by supporting the tube.

Note:

A thin strap can be fed between the tube and windguard, around the bottom of the tube and out the other side. Then, it can be supported by a winch or forklift.

- Adjust eyebolts at the hopper end.
- Remove support from the tube to view the result of the adjustment.
- Repeat process until the tube is straight.
- 25. Repack the wheel bearings.
- 26. Wash the entire machine thoroughly using a water hose or pressure washer to remove all dirt, mud, debris or residue.
 - Wash the outside.
 - Wash around the hopper.
 - Leave the belt running while washing inside the tube and around the belt.



Fig 76 - Eyebolts and cable bridging



Fig 77 - Wheels



Fig 78 - Clean conveyor

4.3 MAINTENANCE PROCEDURES

By following a careful service and maintenance program for your machine, you will enjoy many years of trouble-free service.

Note:

Refer to the engine manual for complete details on your particular model.

WARNING

ROTATING BELT HAZARD

Turn off engine, lock-out power and wait for all components to stop moving before adjusting the belt.

To check belt position, idle the engine, then rotate the belt slowly.

4.3.1 Main Conveyor Belt Tension:

The tension of the belt should be checked weekly, or more often if required, to be sure that it does not slip under load.

Use the drive box tension bolts to adjust the belt.

Note:

If belt needs more or less slack, stop belt, and turn off engine. Move hopper roller 1/4 to 1/2 inch. Tension the belt at drive box.

IMPORTANT:

If tensioning the belt while it is running, adjust in small incriminates, alternating between the two bolts often. This will keep the belt aligned.



Fig 79 - Tension Bolt

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This conveyor has a Positive Pinch Drive.

When loading on the belt gets heavier, the pinch roller tightens against the drive roller in proportion. This provides more torque.

Tighten the tension bolts completely.

When the conveyor belt is tensioned correctly, the arm at the end of the spring should sit vertical. It can also be angled back, away from the tension bolt by as much as 2 inches. This indicates that the belt is a well adjusted, and is a good length.

The arm should never be angled towards the tension bolt. This indicates the belt is too long. Measure the angle. If the belt angles 2 inches away from vertical, cut and re-lace the belt 4 inches shorter.

If the arm touches the far edge (away from the tension bolt), the belt is too short. Remove and replace with longer belt.

4.3.2 Swing-Out Conveyor Belt Tension:

If equipped with a swing-out conveyor, tension its belt as follows:

A WARNING

ROTATING BELT HAZARD

Turn off engine, lock-out power and wait for all components to stop moving before adjusting the belt.

- 1. Loosen the tail roller bearing housings on both sides, then adjust.
- 2. Tighten the adjustment bolt against the housing.

3. Tighten the tail roller bearing housing.

IMPORTANT:

Adjust both sides equally to maintain the belt alignment.

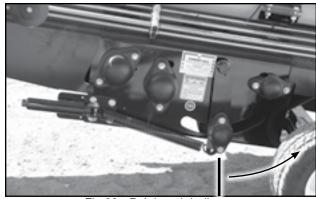


Fig 80 - Belt length indicator



Fig 81 - Swing-out hopper roller bearing

4.3.3 Main Conveyor Belt Alignment:

NOTICE

BELT DAMAGE HAZARD

Alignment of the belt must be checked at the hopper, drive box and discharge. Inspect weekly. Unaligned belt will cause damage and void warranty.

NOTICE

BEARING FAILURE

If a roller is replaced, ensure both ends are evenly aligned with the frame before running.

If not, bearing failure may occur.

The belt is properly aligned when it runs in the centre of all rollers.

Check frequently during the first few minutes of operation with a new belt, and then several times during the first 10 hours.

The new belt normally seats itself during the first 10 hours of operation and can be checked weekly after that.

WARNING

ROTATING BELT HAZARD
Idle the engine, then rotate the belt
slowly when checking alignment.
Turn off engine when adjusting rollers.

Belt Alignment at Tail Roller:

1. Rotate the conveyor belt slowly, and check the position of the belt on the tail roller.

Note:

If belt is out of alignment, it will move to the loose side.

Tighten loose side or loosen tight side.

- 2. Adjust one side of roller at a time.
 - Loosen the bearing housing, then adjust.
- 3. Tighten the adjustment bolt against the housing.
- 4. Tighten the tail roller bearing housing.
- 5. Rotate the conveyor belt slowly, and check the position of the belt on the hopper roller.
 - Repeat steps until the belt is centred.
- 6. Replace housing guard.

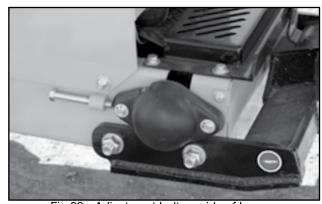


Fig 82 - Adjustment bolt on side of hopper

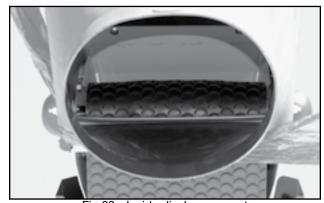


Fig 83 - Inside discharge spout

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Belt Alignment inside Drive Box:

Aligning the belt, so it tracks down the centre of the drive roller, is counter-intuitive! It is opposite from aligning the end rollers.

This time you must "loosen the loose side".

This is because the first roller to have contact with the belt is the pinch roller, but the drive roller (second in line) is the only one which can be adjusted.

- 7. Loosen the drive roller bearing housing on the loose side of the belt.
- 8. Use the adjustment bolts at the front of the drive box to move the brackets connected to the drive roller.
- 9. The misaligned belt will travel to towards the loose side of the roller.
 - Loosen the loose side, more.
- 10. Tighten the bearing housing.
- 11. Run the belt to check it's alignment.
 - Repeat steps if necessary.
- 12. Replace the housing guard.

Belt Alignment at Discharge Roller:

- 13. Stop the belt and turn off the engine.
- 14. If necessary, remove the discharge spout to view the roller.

Note:

If belt is out of alignment, it will move to the loose side. Tighten loose side or loosen tight side.

- 15. Adjust one side of roller at a time.
 - Loosen the bearing housing, then adjust.

- 16. Tighten the discharge roller bearing housing.
- 17. Run the belt a couple of revolutions and check the alignment.
 - Repeat steps until the belt runs centred.
- 18. Replace bearing guard.

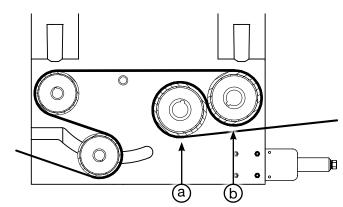


Fig 84 - Drive box, pinch roller (a) & drive roller (b)

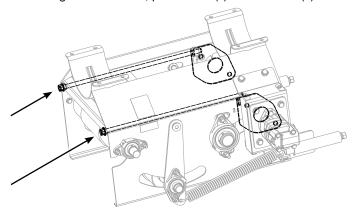


Fig 85 - Adjustment bolts and brackets inside drive box

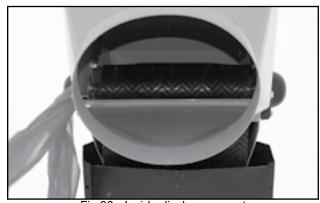


Fig 86 - Inside discharge spout

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4.3.4 Swing-Out Conveyor Belt Alignment:

NOTICE

BELT DAMAGE HAZARD

Alignment of the belt must be checked at the hopper, transition and discharge. Inspect weekly. Unaligned belt will cause damage and void warranty.

NOTICE

BEARING FAILURE

If a roller is replaced, ensure both ends are evenly aligned with the frame before running.

If not, bearing failure may occur.

The belt is properly aligned when it runs in the centre of all rollers. As with tensioning, the alignment should be checked weekly, or when necessary.

2. Adjust one side of roller at a time.

- Loosen the bearing housing, then adjust.
- 3. Tighten the adjustment bolt against the housing.
- 4. Tighten the roller bearing housing.
- 5. Rotate the conveyor belt slowly, and check the position of the belt on each roller.
 - Repeat steps until the belt is centred.
- 6. Replace the housing guard.
- 7. Continue the process to check and adjust the other rollers.

A WARNING

ROTATING BELT HAZARD

Idle the engine, then rotate the belt slowly when checking alignment.

Turn off engine when adjusting rollers.

1. Run the conveyor belt slowly, and check the position of the belt at the hopper, transition and discharge.

Note:

If belt is out of alignment, it will move to the loose side.

Tighten loose side or loosen tight side.

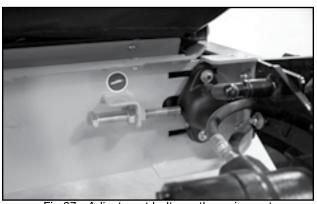


Fig 87 - Adjustment bolts on the swing-out

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4.3.5 Main Conveyor Belt Replacement:

- 1. Rotate the conveyor belt until the Alligator® Lacing is positioned under the tube, inside the wind guard, and is accessible.
- 2. Loosen the tension bolts at the drive box to release pressure on the springs connected to the take-up roller.
- 3. Pull all the slack to the lacing area.
- 4. Remove the lacing cable and open the belt.
- 5. Attach the new belt to the lacing end of the old belt which is hanging closest to the hopper.
- 6. Pull the end of the old belt which is coming from the direction of the discharge spout.

The new belt will follow and be threaded around the drive rollers, and into place.

- 7. Disconnect the old belt.
- 8. Link the ends of the new belt lacing.
- 9. Push the lacing cable through the lacing to fasten the belt.

Note:

Cordless drill can be used to thread cable.

Proceed slowly.

- 10. Cut off excess cable.
- 11. Crimp lacing at one end to lock the cable in place.
- 12. Cut and taper the corners of the trailing end of the belt.

IMPORTANT:

Taper the belt corners, so they don't catch when rotating.

- 13. Set belt tension. Refer to Sections 4.3.1
- 14. Set the belt alignment. Refer to Section 4.3.3

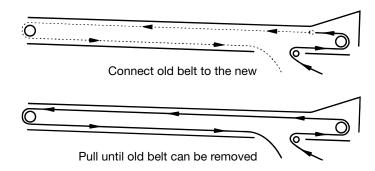


Fig 88 - Thread belt through conveyor

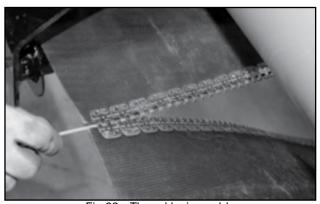


Fig 89 - Thread lacing cable

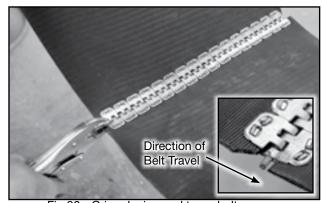
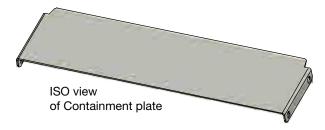


Fig 90 - Crimp lacing and taper belt corners

4.3.6 Swing-Out Belt Replacement:

- 1. Loosen the tail end bearing housing.
- 2. Rotate the conveyor belt until the Alligator® lacing is accessible.
- 3. Pull all the slack to the lacing area.
- 4. Remove the lacing pin and open the belt.
- 5. Loosen the belt from below the transition.
- 6. Remove the containment plate from underneath the transition rollers.
 - This will help when threading the new belt.



- 7. Attach the new belt to the end of the old belt which is hanging closest to the hopper.
- Pull the end of the old belt which is coming from the direction of the discharge spout. The new belt will follow and be threaded into place.
- 9. **IMPORTANT:** Reinstall the containment plate once the new belt is through the transition and around tail roller.
 - Leave the belt hanging below transition.
 - Do not fasten the belt lacing yet.
- The Containment Plate will fit between the two weldments below the second transition roller.
 - **Note:** The tongue of the plate will sit on top of the angle iron.
- 11. Insert the bolts from inside.
 - The washers and nuts are fastened from the outside of the hopper.

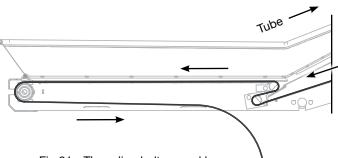


Fig 91 - Threading belt around hopper



Fig 92 - Containment plate in place



Fig 93 - Reinstall the containment plate

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- 12. Link the ends of the new belt lacing.
- 13. Push the lacing cable through the lacing to fasten belt.

Note:

Cordless drill can be used to thread cable.

Proceed slowly.

- 14. Cut off excess cable.
- 15. Crimp lacing at one end to lock cable in place.
- 16. Cut and taper the corners of the trailing end of the belt.

IMPORTANT:

Taper the trailing belt corners, so they doesn't catch when rotating.

- 17. Set belt tension. Refer to Sections 4.3.2
- 18. Set the belt alignment. Refer to Section 4.3.4

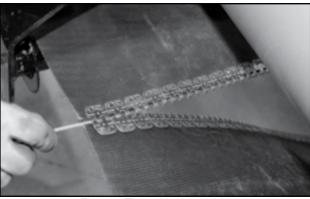


Fig 94 - Thread lacing cable

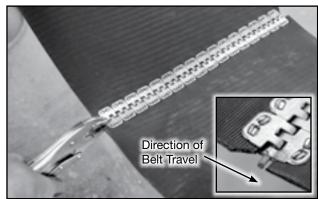


Fig 95 - Crimp lacing and taper belt corners

4.3.7 Changing Hydraulic Oil and Filter:

Use an ISO grade 36 hydraulic oil for all operating conditions (Hydrex MV36 or comparable).

Oil reservoir capacity is: 95 Litres (25 US Gal).

A WARNING

HOT LIQUID HAZARD

Allow hydraulics to cool before changing oil.

Hot oil will burn if it contacts exposed skin.

IMPORTANT:

Annually, have an oil sample tested for particle count.

Change oil only if necessary.

1. Allow the hydraulics to cool slightly before changing oil.

Note:

It is best to change oil while the engine is warm (not hot) to keep contaminants in suspension.

- 2. Place a large pan or pail under the drain plug. The reservoir capacity is 95 Litre (25 US Gallons).
- 3. Remove drain plug and allow to drain for 10 min.
- 4. Install and tighten the drain plug.
- 5. Dispose of the used oil in an approved container and manner.
- 6. Fill the reservoir with specified oil.

4.3.8 Change Hydraulic Oil Filter:

- 1. Place a pan under filter to catch any spilled oil.
- 2. Remove hydraulic oil filter, and dispose of it.
- 3. Fill the new filter with hydraulic oil.
- 4. Apply a light coat of oil to the O-ring and install the new filter. Snug up by hand and then tighten another 1/2 turn.
- 5. Run the engine for 1-2 minutes and check for oil leaks.
- 6. If leaks are found around the drain plug or filter, tighten slightly.
- 7. Check oil level. Top up as required.



Fig 96 - Hydraulic oil filter



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Fig 97 - Hydraulic oil decal

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4.3.9 Hopper flashing Replacement:

This is an image of our standard conveyor hopper before the belt is threaded.



Fig 98 - Standard hopper

1. Install the Hopper Tail Flashing onto the front of the hopper, first.

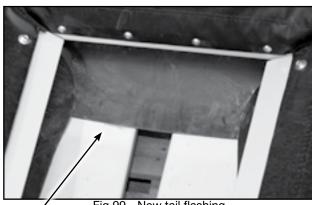


Fig 99 - New tail flashing

2. The Hopper Side Flashing must be placed over top the Tail Flashing.

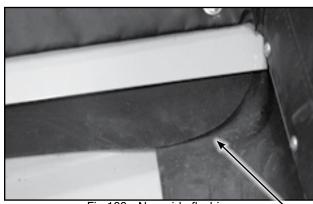


Fig 100 - New side flashing

3. When the conveyor belt is threaded through the tube and hopper, be sure to pull it underneath the Side and Tail Flashing.

IMPORTANT:

The hopper flashing must sit on top of the conveyor belt, to work correctly sealing the hopper.

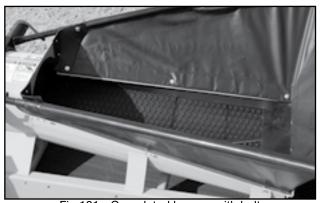


Fig 101 - Completed hopper with belt

4.3.10 Drive Wheel Gear Adjustment:

There must be good engagement between the drive motor pinion gear and the wheel ring gear. Both should be parallel with each other and 90° to the conveyor axle.

- The pinion gear is 3/8" wider than the wheel gear.
- When installing, the pinion gear surface should be offset from the wheel gear by 3/16" on each side.

To adjust the gears:

- 1. Bring the pinion gear close to the ring gear but not touching.
- 2. Rotate the conveyor wheel so you can find the "low spot".
- 3. Engage the motor pinion gear but not so that it will bottom out.

IMPORTANT: The gears should not fit too tightly against each other.

If more engagement is required, the outer 1/2" flange nut can be loosened at the bottom of the handle. The 1" slot in the bottom of the handle will allow it to be lifted up which will mesh the drive gear deeper into the wheel gear.

Retighten the hardware by holding the pivot bolt secure with a wrench.

- Tighten the inner 1/2" flange nut against the three stacked washers and then back off 1/2" turn to allow free play of pivot bolt in the overcentre bracket.
- Tighten the outer 1/2" flange nut against the handle.

Check to ensure the pivot bolt moves freely in the over-centre bracket.



Fig 102 - Bin fill conveyor drive wheel



Fig 103 - Bin fill conveyor drive gears

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4.3.11 Hydraulic Drive Motor Replacement:

- 1. Remove the wheel from the axle.
 - Disconnect the hydraulic hoses to the motor.
 - Take off the pinion gear.
 - Remove the used motor.
- 2. Bolt on the new hydraulic motor using the existing motor mount.
- 3. Push the pinion gear onto the shaft.
 - Align the hole in the gear with the shaft.
 - Insert the roll pin to fasten them together.

Note:

If needed, remove assembly components, apply anti-seize lubricant between the parts.

- 4. Be sure all bolts on the drive assembly are tight.
- 5. Bolt the wheel back onto the axle.
- 6. Work the handle up and down.
 - Make sure that there is good contact between motor pinion gear and wheel gear.
 - Both should be parallel with each other and 90° to the conveyor axle.
 - The pinion gear is 3/8" wider than the wheel gear. When installing, the drive gear surface should offset from the wheel gear by 3/16" on each side.
- 7. The only adjustment possible is to fine-tune the position of the 4" bolt.
 - Loose if the handle movement is too tight.
 - Tighten if the handle has too much play.

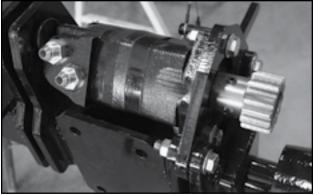


Fig 104 - Pinion gear



Fig 105 - Wheel ring gear and drive motor



Fig 106 - Adjustment bolt



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4.4 SERVICE RECORD

See Section 4.2 for service intervals. This section is only a general guide under good conditions. Under extreme, or unusual circumstances adjust service timing accordingly.

For more detailed schedule pertaining to the specific engine model, consult its Operator Manual.

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Hours							
Maintenance Serviced By							
10 Hours or Daily							
Check Fuel Level							
Check Hydraulic Oil Level							
Inspect Conveyor Belt Lacing							
Inspect Rollers and Bearings							
50 Hours or Weekly							
Check Conveyor Belt Tension							
Check Conveyor Belt Alignment							
Check Hopper Flashing							
Inspect Drive Wheels Sprockets							
Inspect Hydraulic Drive Coupler/Chain							
Oil Hydraulic Drive Coupler/Chain							
100 Hours or Monthly							
Grease Hopper & Transition Roller Bearings							
Grease Drive Box Roller Bearings							
Grease Discharge Roller Bearings							
Grease Swing-Out Roller Bearings							
200 Hours or Annually							
Change Hydraulic System Oil and Filter							
Check the Battery							
Grease Steering Wheel Axel Bushings							
Grease Steering Wheel Lift Cylinders							
Grease Conveyor Tube Lift Cylinder							
Check Tube Straightness							
Repack Wheel Bearings							
Wash Conveyor							



4.5 ORDERING PARTS

Always give the Model Number and Serial Number when ordering parts.

To get your parts promptly the following information will be required:

- The part name and number
- Your Name, Address, Town, Province/State, Country
- Complete information for shipping

Confirm all phoned in orders in writing. If Purchase Orders are required please note the number on the written order.

Unless claims for shortages or errors are made immediately upon receipt of goods, they will not be considered.

Inspect all goods received immediately upon receipt. When damaged goods are received, insist that a full description of the damage is made with the carrier against the freight bill. If this is insisted upon, full damage can be collected from the transport company.

No responsibility is assumed for delay or damage to merchandise while in transit. Dealers responsibility ceases upon delivery or pickup of shipment from or to the transportation company. Any freight damage claims must be made with the transportation company, not with the dealer.

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Section 5: TROUBLESHOOTING

This section contains a list of common problems, causes and offers quick solutions to those issues.

If problems are confronted which are difficult to solve, even after having read through this section, please contact your authorized dealer, distributor or the Meridian Manufacturing Inc. Before you call, please have this Operator's Manual and the unit's serial number ready.

Problem

Possible Cause Possible Solution

Engine won't start

No electrical charge to starter	Turn Power Shut-Off switch "ON"
Low battery charge	Recharge or replace
No fuel	Refuel
Cold engine	Open choke
Air filter dirty	Clean or replace the air filter

Electrical components do not function

Fuse may have blown	Replace a fuse. Check inside the junction box beside valve table. A fuse is connected to electrical cables between the engine and valve table. Another fuse is in the junction box by the
	swing-out RC receiver.

The engine blogs down or is labouring

I NOT ENOUGH NOWER	Open the gate to unload more product. This allows the governor to torque and engage.
Hopper flashing too tight	Adjust to loosen the flashing

Conveyor belt doesn't turn or is slipping

Hopper flashing may be stuck to belt, because it is running dry and rubber is heating up	Turn off unit! Manually peel flashing up and off hopper. Then run dry product through to create barrier between flashing and belt
Conveyor belt loose	Tighten and align
Conveyor belt loose because it has stretched	Shorten belt
Conveyor belt frozen to tube from operating in high humidity conditions in extreme cold	Remove conveyor from area of high humidity. Continue to run empty to dry belt prior to freezing
No power	Start engine, increase speed to maximum RPM
Seized bearing	Check all bearings, Replace any that are rough or seized



Conveyor belt doesn't turn or is slipping, continued

Belt/roller is jammed	Check for sticks, stones, other objects jammed in belt drive area and remove
Set screw (relief valve) on Detent on control valve on belt drive valve isn't set correctly	Sweet spot is to turn the set screw all the way in, then turn back 1-1/2 turns. Turning back/out increases volume of flow, turning in increases pressure.
Hydraulic motor on drive roller may be damaged	Hydraulic motor may need to be replaced

Conveyor belt won't align

Roller lagging may be worn	Replace roller or have it re-lagged
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Conveyor belt fraying

Product leakage

Product may be getting under the belt at the	
hopper, traveling up inside the belt and leaking off	Replace hopper flashing
delivery end	

Low capacity

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Conveyor belt not tight enough	Tighten conveyor belt
Conveyor belt not pinched enough	Inside drive box there is a drive roller and pinch roller. Be sure the belt is snug between both rollers.
Conveyor angle exceeds 30 degrees	Reposition with a lower tube slope

Belt is slowing down

Problem with 2 stage pump	Check flow of the pumps. Replacement of entire
1 Toblem with 2 Stage pump	pump may be needed

No hydraulic flow

Hydraulia valva alagad ar pluggad	Open hydraulic valve		
Hydraulic valve closed or plugged	Clean or replace hydraulic valve		
Hydraulic pump may be damaged	Check hydraulic pump. Replace if necessary		
Hydraulic pressure may be low, check gauge. It should be in 2000 lb range	Check hydraulic pump. Replace if necessary		

Steering wheel keeps sinking to the ground

Leak in hydraulic manifold or cylinder	Replace cartridge in check valve, or		
	replace seals in cylinder		

Swing-out mover kit drives too fast/too slow

Hydraulic valve adjustment incorrectly set	Twist set screw IN to slow down wheels		
	Twist set screw OUT to speed up		

Section 6: REFERENCE

For information not included here, or for a digital copy of this manual, please call your dealer or Meridian Manufacturing Inc. directly for assistance (1-800-418-9461).

Specifications and measurements are subject to change without notice.

Table 1 - Specifications

MODEL	TYPE OF UNDER-CARRIAGE	TUBE DIAMETER	BELT WIDTH	AXLE WIDTH	TRANSPORT HEIGHT	TRANSPORT LENGTH
1685	Scissor Lift	10"	16"	12' 6"	11' 7"	91' 1"
1690	Scissor Lift	10"	16"	12' 6"	12' 2"	96'
1695	Scissor Lift	10"	16"	12' 6"	12' 9"	100' 11"

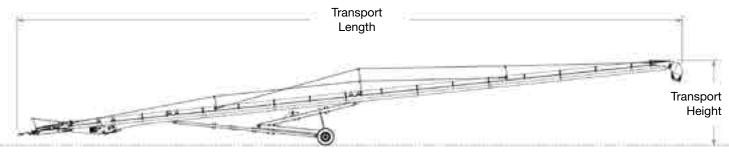


Fig 107 - Transport position

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Table 2 - Working Measurements

15°		20°		25°		30°		
MODEL	HEIGHT	LENGTH	HEIGHT	LENGTH	HEIGHT	LENGTH	HEIGHT	LENGTH
1685	21' 2"	84' 2"	28' 7"	82' 3"	35' 10"	79' 8"	42' 9"	76' 6"
1690	22' 6"	89'	30' 4"	86' 11"	37' 11"	84' 2"	45' 3"	80' 10"
1695	Measurements pending							

Lengths measured from centre of hopper to centre of discharge

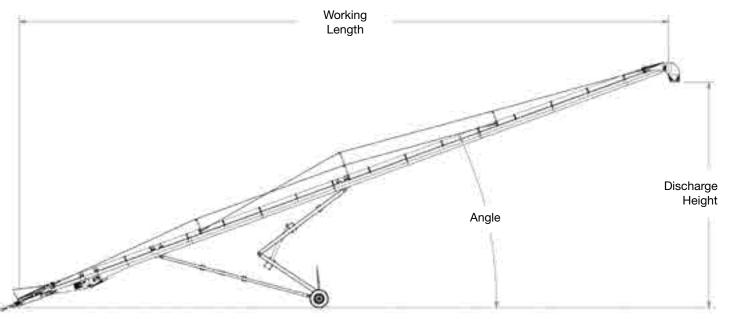


Fig 108 - Working heights

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6.1 BOLT TORQUE

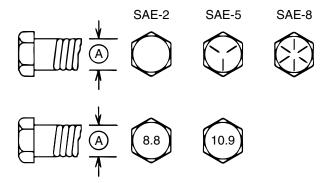
The tables shown below give correct torque values for various bolts and capscrews. Tighten all bolts to the torques specified in chart unless otherwise noted. Check tightness of bolts periodically, using bolt torque chart as a guide. Replace hardware with the same strength bolt.

Table 3 - English Torque Specifications

BOLT	BOLT TORQUE*					
DIA. "A"	SAE 2 (Nm) (ft-lb)		SAE 5 (Nm) (ft-lb)		SAE 8 (Nm) (ft-lb)	
1/4"	8	6	12	9	17	12
5/16"	13	10	25	19	36	27
3/8"	27	20	45	33	63	45
7/16"	41	30	72	53	100	75
1/2"	61	45	110	80	155	115
9/16"	95	60	155	115	220	165
5/8"	128	95	215	160	305	220
3/4"	225	165	390	290	540	400
7/8"	230	170	570	420	880	650
1"	345	225	850	630	1320	970

Table 4 - Metric Torque Specifications

BOLT	BOLT TORQUE*				
DIA. "A"	8.8 (Nm) (ft-lb)		10.9 (Nm) (ft-lb)		
M3	0.5	0.4	1.8	1.3	
M4	3	2.2	4.5	3.3	
M5	6	4	9	7	
M6	10	7	15	11	
M8	25	18	35	26	
M10	50	37	70	52	
M12	90	66	125	92	
M14	140	103	200	148	
M16	225	166	310	229	
M20	435	321	610	450	
M24	750	553	1050	774	
M30	1495	1103	2100	1550	
M36	2600	1917	3675	2710	



Torque figures indicated above are valid for non-greased or non-oiled threads and heads unless otherwise specified. Therefore, do not grease or oil bolts or capscrews unless otherwise specified in this manual. When using locking elements, increase torque values by 5%.

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^{*} Torque value for bolts and capscrews are identified by their head markings.

LIMITED WARRANTY STATEMENT

- 1. Meridian Manufacturing Inc, hereafter referred to as Meridian®, warrants each new product (the "Goods") to be free from defects in material and workmanship under normal use and service for a period of one (1) year or ninety (90) days in the case of commercial use, from the shipment date from the Meridian dealer (FCA).
- 2. Meridian warrants replacement parts and components either manufactured or sold by, will be free from defects in materials or workmanship under normal use and service for thirty (30) days from the shipment date from the Meridian dealer (FCA), or the remainder of the original warranty period on the Goods, whichever is longer.
- 3. This warranty does not apply to:
 - a. To any merchandise or components thereof, which in the sole and unfettered opinion of Meridian, have been subject to misuse, unauthorized modifications, alteration, accident, negligence, product abuse or lack of required maintenance.
 - b. If repairs have been made with parts or by persons other than those parts or persons approved by Meridian.
 - c. To parts and accessories not manufactured by Meridian including, but not limited to, engines, batteries, tires, belts, PTO shafts or other trade accessories. Such parts shall be covered by the warranty given by the actual manufacturer, if any.
 - d. To failure of parts; or failure of parts to perform due to wear under normal or excessive service conditions; or to failure due to use by the Purchaser for purposes other than originally intended at time of manufacture, including without limitation using the Goods for mixing fertilizer, etc.; or used in excess of the built specifications.
 - e. To Goods used in areas exposed to corrosive or aggressive conditions including, but not limited to, salt water from either inside or outside the Goods.
 - f. To failures or defects arising out of damage during shipment or during storage.
 - g. To materials replaced or repaired under this warranty, except to the extent of the remainder of the applicable warranty.
- 4. The obligation of Meridian under this warranty shall not arise unless Meridian is notified and this warranty is presented together with a written statement specifying the claim or defect within thirty (30) days after the failure is first detected or made known to the Purchaser and within: (i) one (1) year, or ninety (90) days in the case of commercial use; or (ii) thirty (30) days in the case of replacement parts and components manufactured by Meridian; from the shipment date from the Meridian dealer (FCA). Meridian in its sole and unfettered discretion shall determine if the claim is valid and whether correction of the defect or failure shall be made by repair or replacement of the materials.
- 5. Title to any replaced materials Meridian wishes to have pass to it, shall pass to Meridian.
- 6. The obligation of Meridian hereunder extends only to the original Purchaser or Buyer to whom the Goods were initially sold. This warranty shall not be subject to any assignment or transfer without the written consent of Meridian.
- 7. The purchaser acknowledges that it has made its own independent decision to approve the use of the Goods and also the specific fabrication and construction procedures utilized to complete the Goods, and has satisfied itself as to the suitability of these products for its use.

- 8. This warranty is subject to the following limitations, provisions and conditions:
 - a. Meridian shall have no liability hereunder for any claims, including field re-work.
 - b. Meridian shall not be liable for any incidental loss or damage, however caused, including, without limitation, normal wear and tear.
 - c. Meridian makes no express or implied warranties of any nature whatsoever except for such express warranties as set out herein. The warranty provided herein is in lieu of and excludes all other warranties, guarantees or conditions pertaining to the Goods, written or oral, statutory, express or implied, (except the warranty as to title) including any warranty as to the merchantability or fitness for any particular purpose. Meridian expressly disclaims all other representations, conditions or warranties, expressed or implied, statutory or otherwise and any representations, warranties or conditions that may arise from a course of dealing or usage of trade. The warranty provided herein shall constitute Meridian's sole obligation and liability and the Purchaser's sole remedy for breach of warranty. No other warranty has been made by any employee, agent, or representative of Meridian and any statements contained in any other printed material of Meridian is expressly excluded here from. Meridian shall not be responsible for any warranty offered by the Purchaser to its customers with respect to the Goods and the Purchaser shall indemnify Meridian with respect to same if any of those customers makes a claim against Meridian relating to any such warranty.
 - d. Subject to Meridian's obligations contained in paragraphs 1 and 2 herein, none of Meridian, its officers, directors, servants or agents shall be liable, or responsible for any loss or damage (including strict liability and liability for loss or damage due to items which the manufacturing processes are designed to identify) whether such loss or damage is caused by negligence in any manner whatsoever (including gross negligence, error, misrepresentation, misstatement, imprudence, lack of skill or lack of judgement).
- 9. The sole financial obligation of Meridian under this warranty shall be limited to the repair or replacement of the Goods as originally supplied and in no event shall they exceed the original cost of the Goods supplied.
- 10. Meridian shall not have any obligation under any warranty herein until all accounts have been paid in full by the Purchaser.
- 11. The construction and interpretation of this Warranty shall be governed by the laws of the Province of Manitoba.

Register your product at: www.meridianmfg.com
For warranty information send an email to: warranty@meridianmfg.com

WARRANTY REQUEST PROCEDURE

- 1. The product must be registered with Meridian Manufacturing Inc.
- 2. The purchaser must contact the dealer, from where the unit was purchased, immediately upon discovery of any defects.
- 3. A completed Warranty Request (Claim) Form must be submitted by the dealer to the Meridian's warranty representative for review and any subsequent course of action.
 - Warranty requests must be completed with ALL required information in order it to be considered for approval.
 - Send photographs of the entire piece of equipment, and of the specific area of concern.
- 4. Warranty repair work will only be performed by Meridian or an approved representative of Meridian. Warranty work completed prior to Meridian's approval will NOT be honoured. Failure to follow this procedure may affect any or all of this warranty.
- 5. All warranty requests will be adjudicated at the sole discretion of Meridian and in accordance with the terms and conditions of the warranty.

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