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8803 RAKE OPERATORS MANUAL

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SAFETY SYMBOLS **RECOGNIZE SAFETY INFORMATION** This is the safety symbol. When you see this, it means: **ATTENTION! BECOME ALERT! YOUR SAFETY IS INVOLVED!** Follow recommended precautions and procedures: UNDERSTAND SIGNAL WORDS A signal word -DANGER, WARNING, or **CAUTION**— is used with the safety-alert symbol. DANGER **DANGER** indicates imminently hazardous situations that, if not avoided, will result in serious injury, or death. **WARNING** indicates potentially hazardous situations that, if not avoided, could result in serious injury, or death. WARNING **WARNING** may also be used to alert against unsafe practices. **CAUTION** indicates potentially hazardous situations that, if not avoided, could result in minor or moderate injury. CAUTION CAUTION may also be used to alert against unsafe practices. FOLLOW SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

Carefully read all safety messages in this manual and on your machine safety signs. Keep safety signs in good condition. Remove missing or damaged safety signs. Contact for replacement parts.

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

Keep your machine in proper working condition. Unauthorized modifications to the machine or disrepair may impair safety, or the machine function.







ACCIDENTS CAN BE PREVENTED

Without the complete cooperation of the implement operator, no accident prevention program can be successful. The operator anticipating the results before an accident occurs and taking action to remedy the situation can prevent many accidents. No power driven equipment, whether it be for transportation or processing, whether it is used on the highway, in the field, or in the shop, can be safer than the person at the controls. If accidents are to be prevented, the operators who accept these responsibilities seriously will accomplish it. Elimination of careless acts and unsafe operation will be a help in getting your safety program off to a good start.

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- A. LOWER UNIT TO THE GROUND
- **B.** SHUT THE TRACTOR OFF
- C. LOCK THE TRACTOR'S PARKING BRAKE
- **D. REMOVE THE KEY**

PREPARE FOR EMERGENCIES

Be prepared in the event of personal injury, fire, or environmental problem. Keep handy a first aid kit, tools, equipment, supplies, fire extinguisher, and proper attire for handling chemicals associated with the machinery usage.

Keep handy the emergency numbers for doctors, ambulance service, hospital, fire department, and any other emergency personnel.

WARNING: AVOID HIGH-PRESSURE FLUIDS

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

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If ANY fluid is injected into the skin, it must be surgically removed Immediately.





- 1. Never connect hydraulic lines or operate any portion of the machine unless machine is hitched to tow vehicle or tractor.
- 2. Do not operate hydraulic systems when hydraulic leaks are present.
- 3. Never ride the machine during transport or movement.
- 4. Always observe local traffic laws when transporting unit on public roads.
- 5. Always operate machine in a careful, controlled manner.
- 6. Personnel operating and working with this machinery and in any related duties must be properly trained and free of conditions or substances that may impair safety or good judgment.
- 7. Personnel operating and working with this machinery must not wear loose, dangling or unbuttoned clothing which could tangle in machinery.
- 8. Do not exceed 90 RPM basket speed or serious rake damage may result.
- 9. Always stay clear of parts that can move and entangle, pinch or crush.
- 10. System hydraulic pressure is to be set at minimum possible for proper operation. DO NOT EXCEED 2000 psi WORKING PRESSURE OR 2500 psi MAXIMUM PRESSURE.
- 11. Keep out of machine when in use.
- 12. Before starting machine, always check area around machine to verify that all personnel are clear.
- 13. Before transport or unhitching, always tie back hydraulic lines.
- 14. Before transport or unhitching, always tie back wires or cable with attached control panel, and place in the storage box.
- 15. Daily inspect fasteners for tightness (bolts, pins, etc.)
- 16. Always use proper procedures and equipment for handling, transporting, and storing any chemical associated with the usage of the machinery.
- 17. Before transport, always verify that no part of the machine can swing or slide out into the other traffic lanes, or drag on the roadway.
- 18. Before transport, inspect lug bolts and tire inflation.
- 19. Always park machine on flat ground for unhitching or storage. Before unhitching, place chocks in front and behind all transport wheels to prevent rolling when unhitched and parked.





- 20. Stand clear of tongue, framework and tow vehicle or tractor when operating jack or working with hitch. Look around to be sure that if something slipped or accidentally moved that no harm would occur.
- 21. Always lock brakes on tractor or towing vehicle, place in parking gear, and shut off tractor or towing vehicle before working with rake jack or unhitching rake.
- 22. Do not attempt to use torch or welding arc around the machine when in the crop, in the field, or around other flammable items.
- 23. Always wear proper safety attire for each usage condition or service procedure.
- 24. READ AND OBSERVE SAFETY SIGNS.
- 25. ALWAYS USE A PROPER HITCH PIN WITH A SAFETY CLIP INSTALLED TO HITCH THE RAKE TO THE DRAW BAR OF THE TRACTOR OR TOWING VEHICLE.
- 26. THE EQUIPMENT DOES NOT HAVE BRAKES. DO NOT TOW AT SPEEDS OVER 20 MPH.
- 27. OPERATOR IS TO TURN ON FLASHING WARNING LIGHTS WHENEVER TRAVELING ON A HIGHWAY, EXCEPT WHERE SUCH USE IS PROHIBITED BY LAW.
- 28. MAXIMUM FIELD SPEED NOT TO EXCEED 7 MPH.





DECALS and SAFETY SIGNS			
CAUTION KEEP LUGS TIGHT P/N 79-007-02 Location: Facing outward on the framework above each wheel	GREASE DATE: DESCRIPTION		
MAXIMUM FIELD OPERATING TIRE PRESSURE: 15 PSI PN 79-159-88			
MODEL 8803 Location: Outwardly facing, on each side of the main frame, behind the main frame members that "V" outwards from the tongue.			

DESCRIPTION OF THE 8803 RAKE

The 8803 Rake is a hydraulically driven rake used in many heavy and custom applications.

The unitized frame is extended outward to each side for raking hay and retracted for transport to and from the field.

Hydraulic motors, allowing constant basket speed even if the tractor ground speed changes, drive the lefthand delivery and right-hand delivery baskets.

Controls for the rake can be either manually operated levers or an electric control panel. The operator keeps the rake control console handy for easy access while in the tractor seat.

The following V-SETUP REFERENCE applies to the standard configuration of the ALLEN 8803 RAKE.

Obtaining Assistance:

We at Allen Farm Equipment appreciate your choice of this rake. If you need assistance, you can reach us at:

Allen Farm Equipment, LP P.O. Box 21049 Carson City NV. 89721 Phone: (775) 246-4555 Fax: (775) 246-4555

SHIPPING, UNLOADING, SITE ASSEMBLY AND DELIVERY OF THE 8803 RAKE

The 8803 Rake is shipped in a partially assembled condition. Before hoisting any component from the truck or container, be sure that it is secured in a manner that will not allow accidental movement or falling.

BEFORE ATTEMPTING TO UNLOAD, ASSEMBLE, OR DELIVER THE HAY RAKE, READ THE SAFETY SECTION OF THIS MANUAL. BE ESPECIALLY AWARE OF THE FOLLOWING PRECAUTIONS:

- ス Always wear proper safety attire for each usage condition or service procedure.
- During unloading and assembly, always stand clear. Look around to be sure that if something slipped or accidentally moved that no harm would occur.
- Stand clear of tongue, framework and tow vehicle or tractor when operating jack or working with hitch. Look around to be sure that if something slipped or accidentally moved that no harm would occur.
- **7** Before transport, inspect lugs bolts and tire inflation
- I Before transport, always verify that no part of the machine can swing or slide out into other traffic lanes or drag on the roadway.

Pictures and instructions can be found throughout this manual to assist in the required site assembly.

Refer to the transport instructions in the manual prior to delivery of the Cotton Cart to the customer or work site.

See the Delivery Checklist prior to delivery or operation of the rake. (Next Page)

NOTE: Dealer, Customer, and Operator should review each item on this list together in order to know how each was accomplished.

2. Check all fasteners for tightness. Refer to the suggested tightening torque values for SAE Grade 5 bolts, below:

Minimum Torque			Minimum Torque		
Size	<u>Gr. 5 (Foot-Lbs)</u>	<u>Gr. 8 (Foot-Lbs)</u>	Size	<u>Gr. 5 (Foot-Lbs)</u>	<u>Gr. 8 (Foot-Lbs)</u>
1/4	7	10	5/8	125	173
5/16	15	21	3/4	225	306
3/8	25	35	7/8	340	495
7/16	41	57	1	510	740
1/2	63	87			

- 3. THIS EQUIPMENT DOES NOT HAVE BRAKES. DO NOT TOW AT SPEEDS OVER 20 MPH. OPERATOR IS TO TURN ON FLASHING WARNING LIGHTS WHENEVER TRAVELING ON A HIGHWAY, EXCEPT WHERE SUCH USE IS PROHIBITED BY LAW.
- 4. Hydraulic oil must be:
 - Clean. Change filter prior to cart operation and at frequent intervals during raking season. Change oil per tractor recommendations. Dirty oil or a clogged filter will cause poor performance, as well as harm the pump and other components.
 - 7 <u>Full.</u> Daily check level of hydraulic oil.
 - Properly Managed. Prevent spills during service procedures. Do not actuate cylinders with lines disconnected or loose.

PRE-DELIVERY AND DELIVERY LIST FOR THE DEALER, CUSTOMER, AND OPERATOR 8803 RAKE

5. Inspect rake systems (cont'd):

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- **D. REMOVE THE KEY**
- A. With the hydraulic hoses **NOT** connected to the tractor, turn the rake disc by hand. All parts should move freely. Tines should clear the stripper bars by at least 1/2". If a stripper bar has become bent in shipment, then straighten using the rake hickey bar or pipe wrench.
- B. With the hydraulic hoses NOT connected to the tractor, review the hydraulic system for proper tightness of all fittings.
- C. With the tractor engine shut off, connect the hydraulic hoses to the tractor.
- D. Read and follow the instructions in the manual for "*Adjusting the ALLEN Rake Hydraulic System*" for further explanation regarding adjustments.
- E. Start with the rake flow control set at about 1-1/2". Slowly and carefully turn on the tractor hydraulics to begin operation. The rake baskets should be turning very slowly.
- F. With the tractor safely parked and while keeping clear of the rake, visually inspect for loose parts and hydraulic leaks. Should there be any problems, follow all safety procedures, especially the messages given with this step and remedy the problem.

WARNING: AVOID HIGH-PRESSURE FLUIDS

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- 4. If ANY fluid is injected into the skin, a doctor familiar with this type of injury must surgically remove it immediately.

Never place or insert anything in basket or other moving parts during operation.

DO NOT EXCEED 2200 psi WORKING PRESSURE or 2500 psi MAXIMUM PRESSURE. System hydraulic pressure is to be set at minimum possible for proper operation.

6. Tractor requirements: (14) gallons per minute continuous flow.

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NOTE: Dealer, Customer, and Operator should review each item on this list together in order to know how each was accomplished.

7. Warranty Registration:

Customer must complete and send in the warranty registration card that is attached to the back of the manual. Warranty validation will not occur unless warranty registration card is returned to:

Allen Farm Equipment, LP P.O. Box 21049 Carson City NV. 89721 Attn: Warranty Department

8. Record the serial number here for future reference.

Serial Number: _____

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Allen Farm Equipment welcomes any comments regarding the condition of the rake upon arrival at the dealership or farm.

Comments:

Signature:

SETUP AND DESCRIPTION OF CONTROLS 8803 RAKE

Read all SAFETY MESSAGES at the beginning of this manual before attempting any of the procedures described in this section.

In order to set up your ALLEN rake, it may be necessary to utilize certain hydraulic functions.

If so, the rake will need a preliminary hydraulic setting. To achieve this preliminary setting, refer to the section of this manual, "*PRE DELIVERY AND DELIVERY LIST*". Perform all the steps.

The hydraulic settings in the "*PRE DELIVERY AND DELIVERY LIST*" will be sufficient to operate the rake functions during the set-up of the rake. Follow all of the safety precautions.

BEFORE RAKING HAY:

To prevent damage to your rake, the rake hydraulic system must be adjusted according to the instructions in the following sections of this manual:

"UNDERSTANDING THE ALLEN HYDRAULIC SYSTEM" "ADJUSTING THE ALLEN HYDRAULIC SYSTEM"

CONNECTIONS TO TRACTOR

FRAME HEIGHT 8803 RAKE

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Always lock brakes on tractor or tow vehicle, place in parking gear and shut off tractor or vehicle before working with the rake jack or unhitching rake.

ALWAYS USE A PROPER HITCH PIN WITH A SAFETY CLIP INSTALLED TO HITCH THE RAKE TO THE DRAW BAR OF THE TRACTOR OR TOWING VEHICLE.

FRAME HEIGHT:

For proper and consistent raking, the top surface of the tubing frame should be initially set level with the ground. The same measurement (58") is to be accomplished at the tongue and at the wheels.

To change the frame height:

First, support the rake with the jack. See "Jack Operation" in this manual. Secondly, reposition the hitch height using the bolt holes provided on the rake tongue. Torque hitch bolts properly. See chart in "...Delivery List".

The 58" frame height is the nominal setting to start from as a reference. This height will vary depending on tire pressure, wear of the tines, etc. Setting a level frame height can reduce the amount of basket readjustment required when changing from one raking position to another. (See "*Raking Positions*" in this manual.)

The frame height should be taken note of when:

- adjusting the overall rake to the individual raking preference.
- adjusting the rake baskets to the individual raking preference.
- se changing to another raking tractor.

TRANSPORTATION 8803 RAKE

Read all safety instructions at the beginning of the manual. Especially regard the following:

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Before transport or unhitching, always tie back wires or cable with attached control panel and place in the storage box.

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TRANSPORTING INSTRUCTIONS:

While following safety procedures, put the rake into the compact transport position, as shown on the next page. Drive slowly (20 mph or less). Drive carefully, always being aware of the rake's position in relation to traffic and roadside objects.

MOTOR REVERSAL CONTROLS: HYDRAULIC RAKING FUNCTION BASKET RAKE

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Regard especially the following:

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MOTOR REVERSAL CONTROLS: HYDRAULIC RAKING FUNCTIONS BASKET RAKE

<u>CAUTION</u>: See safety messages on previous page.

Motor Reversal Occasionally, the hydraulic hoses connecting the hydraulic motor on the basket will be installed backwards. This will result in the reverse rotation of the motor. When this occurs, reverse the hoses to the hydraulic motor. (See figure to the left)

Hydraulic Raking Functions

The rake comes equipped with a five function control box that hydraulically operates five raking and turning functions. The control box can be easily mounted to the towing vehicle for operation of the functions from the seat, see Fig. 11. To operate:

(The following instructions pertain to control box when mounted and operated from the seat.)

- 1) To lower the baskets into raking position, push the center switch downward.
- 2) To raise the baskets push the center switch upward.
- 3) To extend the left leg, push the left extend switch upward.
- 4) To retract the left leg, push the left extend switch downward.
- 5) To extend the right leg, push the right extend switch upward.
- 6) To retract the right leg, pull the right extend switch downward.
- 7) To adjust the left basket angle, push or pull, down or up on the left basket raise switch .
- 8) To adjust the right basket angle, push or pull, down or up on the right basket raise switch.

MANUAL RAKING ADJUSTMENTS BASKET ANGLE AND BASKET TILT BASKET RAKE

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Stay clear of the tines and framework.

Look around to be sure that if something slipped or accidentally moved, no harm would occur.

BASKET ANGLE AND BASKET TILT BASKET RAKE

<u>CAUTION</u>: See safety messages on previous page.

NOTE: BEFORE MAKING ANY OF THE FOLLOWING ADJUSTMENTS, LOWER THE BASKETS AS ILLUSTRATED IN HYDRAULIC RAKING FUNCTIONS. THIS WILL PREVENT DAMAGE TO THE FRAME AND MAKE IT EASIER TO MAKE THE ADJUSTMENTS.

Basket Tilt: The rake also comes equipped with a screw adjustment bar to position the tilt of the basket in relation to the ground.

- 1) Loosen the locking device.
- 2) Turn the bar for desired basket tilt.
- When the basket is perpendicular to the ground, a loose fluffy windrow is made.
- When the basket is tilted forward to the ground a tight, more compact windrow is made.
- 5) Tighten the locking device.

TINE ADJUSTMENT BASKET RAKE

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- D. REMOVE THE KEY

Stay clear of the tines and framework. Look around to be sure that if something slipped or accidentally moved, no harm would occur.

PREPARING FOR TINE ADJUSTMENT

Following all safety instructions the following must be accomplished before the tines can be adjusted:

- 1. Rake hitched to tractor. See "JACK OPERATION."
- 2. Frame height set level. See "FRAME HEIGHT".
- 3. Rake hydraulics set for operation. See "ADJUSTING THE ALLEN RAKE HYDRAULIC SYSTEM" or Rake hydraulic given a preliminary setting. See "PRE DELIVERY AND DELIVERY LIST".
- 4. Rake frame and baskets positioned as actually intended for raking. See "*RAKING POSITIONS*", "*HYDRAULIC RAKING FUNCTIONS*".

TINE ADJUSTMENT BASKET RAKE

<u>CAUTION</u>: See safety messages on previous page before attempting any of these procedures.

TINE ADJUSTMENT

The basket adjustment has a ground adjustment screw to allow the lowering of the basket and the positioning of the tines in relation to the ground.

To adjust the tines for raking, follow the procedure, below:

- 1. Using the control console, lower the basket fully, until the lifting frame comes to rest on a mechanical stop.
- 2. Shut off tractor hydraulics. Shut off tractor engine. Lock the parking brake. Remove key.

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Stay clear of the tines and framework. Look around to be sure that if something slipped or accidentally moved, no harm would occur. 3. Raise and lower the tines by first loosening the jam nut, then turning the bolt head (Figure 16: Item 1, on top of spring). Re tighten jam nut. The distance between the tine and the ground should be set to ½ inch minimum. The tines at the delivery end of the basket may sometimes be set higher since the crop is already lifting. This helps reduce tine damage and motor damage from obstructions on the ground.

RAKING POSITIONS BASKET RAKE		
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STAND CLEAR		
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Tedding a Windrow

Your 8803 also has built in versatility like no other.

To obtain the tedding position open the frame, rotate baskets behind the wheels.

NOTE: The hydraulic cylinders must be removed to obtain this operation. (A stiff arm installed in its place. The stiff arm is not provided with the unit.).

Move at normal ground speed with baskets operating. The crop will be lifted and moved over about 18" on to dry ground.

RAKING POSITIONS BASKET RAKE

<u>CAUTION</u>: See safety messages on previous page before attempting any of these procedures.

Turning Two Windrows Out

The uniqueness of the 8803 with its 360 degree swivel swing arm allows the raking of hay out, which enables

the operator to combine 3 or more windrows in tighter cuttings.

To obtain this position each basket must be changed from one side to the other.

NOTE:

- 1) Open the main frame with baskets in transport position.
- 2) With the aid of a front-end loader remove the baskets and set them on the ground.
- 3) Pull the frame away from basket. Turn frame around and pull back over the top of the baskets.
- 4) Install the baskets on the opposite swing arms.
- 5) Rotate swing arms to the outside; reconnect hydraulic hoses.
- 6) Before removing hydraulic hoses, mark hoses for proper reinstallation.

NOTES	

OPERATION OF THE 8803 RAKE

TOPICS:

START-UP

OPERATION

SHUT-DOWN

EMERGENCY PROCEDURES
STARTUP 8803 RAKE

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- 2. Do not operate hydraulic systems when hydraulic leaks are present.
- 3. Never ride on the machine during transport or movement.
- 4. Always observe local traffic laws when transporting unit on public roads.
- 5. Always operate machine in a careful, controlled manner.
- 6. Personnel operating and working with this machinery and in any related duties must be properly trained and free of conditions or substances that may impair safety or good judgment.
- 7. Personnel operating and working with this machinery must not wear loose, dangling or unbuttoned clothing that could tangle in machinery.
- 8. Do not exceed 90 rpm basket speed or serious rake damage may result.
- 9. Always stay clear of parts that can move and entangle, pinch or crush.
- 10. System Hydraulic pressure is to be set at minimum possible for proper operation. DO NOT EXCEED 2000-psi WORKING PRESSURE OR 2700 psi MAXIMUM PRESSURE.
- 11. Keep out of machine when in use.
- 12. Before starting machine, always check area around machine to verify that all personnel are clear.
- 13. Daily inspect fasteners for tightness (bolts, pins, etc.).

READ AND OBSERVE SAFETY SIGNS

RAKING POSITIONS BASKET RAKE



<u>CAUTION</u>: See safety messages on previous page before attempting any of these procedures.

PREPARATION FOR START-UP

Before starting the rake, the following should be accomplished:

- 1. Operator has reviewed and understood all of the safety messages in this manual.
- 2. Operator has become familiar with all of the controls and rake setting as described in this manual.
- 3. The rake has been properly hitched to the tractor as described in the "*SET-UP*" section of this manual.
- 4. Operator has given the rake an inspection for machine condition.
- 5. The rake hoses have been properly connected to the tractor remote connectors as per the section *"ADJUSTING THE ALLEN RAKE HYDRAULIC SYSTEM"* in this manual.
- 6. The rake hydraulic system has been properly set according to the instructions in *"UNDERSTANDING THE ALLEN RAKE HYDRAULIC SYSTEM"*, and *"ADJUSTING THE ALLEN RAKE HYDRAULIC SYSTEM"* in this manual.
- 7. The rake has been set, according to this manual, for: level frame, basket tilt, basket angle, and tine adjustment.
- 8. Tractor has been verified to have a new or clean hydraulic filter.
- 9. Tractor reservoir is full with clean hydraulic oil.
- 10. Control console has been affixed securely near convenient reach of the operator's position in the tractor seat.

START-UP

After completion of the "PREPARATION FOR START-UP", do the following:

- 1. Crank tractor and let engine idle out of gear and with tractor brake applied.
- 2. Slowly start the tractor remote hydraulic system per the recommended method for hydraulic motor operation in the tractor manual.
- 3. Slowly increase the tractor engine speed to operational field rpm (usually 2000-2500 rpm). See tractor manual for details.
- 4. The basket should be rotating at 85-90 rpm. Place the tractor in proper gear and gently begin traveling.

OPERATION 8803 RAKE



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ACCIDENTS CAN BE PREVENTED

Without the complete cooperation of the implement operator, no accident prevention program can be successful. The operator anticipating the results before an accident occurs and taking action to remedy the situation can prevent many accidents. No power driven equipment, whether it be for transportation or processing, whether it is used on the highway, in the field, or in the shop, can be safer than the person at the controls. If accidents are to be prevented, the operators who accept these responsibilities seriously will accomplish it. Elimination of careless acts and unsafe operation will be a help in getting your safety program off to a good start.

READ THE OPERATORS MANUAL – BE ALERT



- 1. Do not operate hydraulic systems when hydraulic leaks are present.
- 2. Never ride on the machine during transport or movement.
- 3. Always observe local traffic laws when transporting unit on public roads.
- 4. Personnel operating and working with this machinery and in any related duties must be properly trained and free of conditions or substances that may impair safety or good judgment.
- 5. Personnel operating and working with this machinery must not wear loose, dangling or unbuttoned clothing that could tangle in machinery.
- 6. Do not exceed 90-rpm basket speed or serious rake damage may result.
- 7. Always stay clear of parts that can move and entangle, pinch or crush.
- 8. System hydraulic pressure is to be set at minimum possible for proper operation. DO NOT EXCEED 2000-psi WORKING PRESSURE OR 2500 psi MAXIMUM PRESSURE.
- 9. Keep out of machine when in use.

MAXIMUM FIELD SPEED NOT TO EXCEED 7 MPH. READ AND OBSERVE SAFETY SIGNS.

OPERATION 8803 RAKE



5. Raise baskets when turning the tractor, as at the end of a swath.

OPERATION 8803 RAKE



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OPERATION, (continued)

- 6 If basket "carry's over" with hay, then the basket RPM is likely too fast for the crop condition and ground speed.
- 7. If the front of the basket dips down so that the tines are contacting the ground, then there is likely too much loose motion in the extension arms. This can be remedied by installation of Half-Shims behind the Poly-Slide Bearings. See "*MAINTENANCE*" Section for proper placement and installation instructions.
- 8. Occasionally the basket may load up with hay and stall or jam. If this occurs, utilize the following procedures:
 - A. Allow the basket to clear itself with the operator staying in the tractor seat using a suitable combination of the following efforts:
 - Raising the Basket.
 - Depressing the clutch to slow the tractor while maintaining engine RPM.
 - Breaking the tractor to a full stop, then slowly backing up, if necessary.
 - Starting and stopping the tractor hydraulics in order to repeatedly start and stop the rake basket.

B. Shut off the tractor. Very carefully, remove the jammed hay.



Read all SAFETY MESSAGES at the beginning of this manual before attempting any of the procedures described in this section.

Regard especially the following:

BEFORE APPROACHING OR ENTERING ANY MECHANISM TO SERVICE, INSPECT, OR MAKE ADJUSTMENTS:

- A. LOWER UNIT TO THE GROUND.
- B. SHUT THE TRACTOR OFF.
- C. LOCK THE TRACTOR'S PARKING BRAKE.
- D. REMOVE THE KEY.

STAND CLEAR

Look around to be sure that if something slipped or accidentally moved that no harm would occur.

Personnel operating and working with machinery must not wear loose, dangling or unbuttoned clothing that could tangle in machinery.

SHUTDOWN 8803 RAKE



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.<u>SHUT-DOWN</u>

- 1. Prior to shutting off the tractor hydraulic system, operate the rake hydraulic system as required (basket cylinders, extension arms, etc.)
- 2. Shut off the tractor hydraulic system.
- 3. Place the tractor in the proper parking gear and apply parking brake. Shut off engine.
- 4. Review the sections in this manual that pertain to the next anticipated function, such as:
 - ಜನನ SAFETY PRECAUTIONS
 - SEE JACK OPERATION hitching and unhitching
 - ESE TRANSPORTING THE RAKE
 - ese MAINTENANCE





SHUTDOWN 8803 RAKE



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4. Disconnect the lug bolts that attach the rake disc wheel to the hub at the hydraulic motor. Safely tie back the tines and disc wheel from the hub. (The hub will be turning once the rake is started.) Set rake flow control to a lower setting (2 TO 3 SUGGESTED). OPERATE THE RAKE IN THIS CONDITION ONLY LONG AS NECESSARY TO RELIEVE





RAKE FLOM CONTROL

THE BASKET RAKE

HYDRAULIC SYSTEM

TOPICS:

UNDERSTANDING THE ALLEN HYDRAULIC SYSTEM

ADJUSTING THE ALLEN RAKE HYDRAULIC SYSTEM









UNDERSTANDING THE RAKE HYDRAULIC SYSTEM

2. UNDERSTANDING TRACTOR HYDRAULIC OUTPUT AND HOW DIFFERENT TYPES OF TRACTOR HYDRAULIC SYSTEMS AFFECT RAKE ADJUSTMENT AND OPERATION.

(CONTINUED)



ACHIEVING SUFFICIENT HYDRAULIC FLOW FOR RAKE OPERATION

Hydraulic flow that is "constant" means flow without surges, or other variances, once the engine rpm is set to operating speed.

PERFECTLY CONSTANT FLOW IS NOT POSSIBLE. However, the hydraulic controls on the rake allow for settings that minimize surging and other variances of supply flow into the rake.

Surges and other variances in flow cause problems such as over speeding of the basket after a cylinder is actuated or the baskets raising "by themselves" while raking hay.

ACHIEVING CONSTANT FLOW USING A TRACTOR WITH BASIC OPEN-CENTER OR BASIC CLOSED-CENTER HYDRAULIC SYSTEM.

The settings are the simplest, when connecting to tractors that utilize a basic open-center, or basic closedcenter hydraulic system. With these tractors, once the engine rpm is set, the hydraulic flow to the rake remains approximately the same. Starting with the rake flow control set near 0 (zero), the side lever arm of the rake flow control is rotated clockwise until the basket is counted to be rotating at 90 RPM. The thumbscrew of the side lever spool is then tightened finger tight to retain the adjustment.











UNDERSTANDING THE RAKE HYDRAULIC SYSTEM

3. UNDERSTANDING THE PRESSURE RELIEF ON THE SPOOL VALVE



These relationships of cylinder force vs. basket rotation speed during the time that a control lever is actuated show that:

The optimum setting for the Spool Valve Pressure Relief is to be: High enough for sufficient cylinder force in all operational conditions, but as low as allowable so that there will be some basket rotation maintained during the time when a control lever is actuated.

Any pressure relief setting should be verified with actual worst-case raking conditions.

Helpful Hint:

The Telescoping Cylinders often require the highest pressure to operate. These cylinders widen and narrow the overall width of the rake baskets. Keeping some dry lubrication light to be used for applying to the extension tubes and Poly-Slide Bearings can reduce the hydraulic pressure required to operate the telescoping cylinders.

To keep the rake basket from stalling during actuation of a rake control lever, the tractor relief valve must be set to a higher pressure than the relief valve on the rake spool valve. Consult tractor technical information for these adjustments.

For the rake basket to rotate during the time that a control lever is actuated is not essential, but it is desirable, if possible.

NOTES



NOTE: On many tractors with load sensing or pressure sensing, it is best to port the rake return directly to the tractor reservoir. This can help to reduce the flow surges due to the tractor sensing circuit.

C. ADJUSTING THE RAKE HYDRAULIC SYSTEM.



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- ↓ Do not operate hydraulic systems when hydraulic leaks are present.
- ↓ Always operate machine in a careful, controlled manner.
- Personnel operating and working with this machinery must not wear loose, dangling, or unbuttoned clothing, which could tangle in machinery.
- ↓ Do not exceed 90-rpm basket speed or serious rake damage may result.
- ↓ Always stay clear of parts that can move and entangle, pinch, or crush.
- I System hydraulic pressure is to be set at minimum possible for proper operation. DO NOT EXCEED 2000-psi WORKING PRESSURE OR 2700-psi MAXIMUM PRESSURE.
- ↓ Keep out of machine when in use.
- ¹ Before starting the machine, always check area around machine to verify that all personnel are clear.
- Always use proper procedures and equipment for handling, transporting, and storing any chemical associated with the usage of the machinery.
- Always park machine on flat ground for unhitching or storage. Before unhitching, place chocks in front and behind all transport wheels to prevent rolling when unhitched and parked.
- Stand clear of tongue, framework, and town vehicle or tractor when operating jack or working with hitch. Look around to be sure that if something slipped or accidentally moved that no harm would occur.
- ↓ Always wear proper safety attire for each usage condition or service procedure.

C. ADJUSTING THE RAKE HYDRAULIC SYSTEM. (continued)



BEFORE ATTEMPTING THE FOLLOWING PROCEDURES, READ ALL OF THE SAFETY MESSAGES AT THE BEGINNING OF THE MANUAL. NOTE ESPECIALLY THE FOLLOWING PRECAUTIONS:

WARNING: AVOID HIGH-PRESSURE FLUIDS

- 1. Escaping fluid under pressure can penetrate the skin causing serious injury.
- 2. Shut off tractor before connecting or disconnecting hydraulic lines at tractor.
- 3. Relieve pressure before unhooking hydraulic or other lines. Tighten all connections before applying pressure. Keep hand and body away from pinholes and components that may eject fluids under pressure. Use a piece of cardboard to search for leaks.
- 4. If ANY fluid is injected into the skin, a doctor familiar with this type of injury must surgically removed immediately.
 - 1. Make sure that the rake hydraulic lines ARE NOT connected to the tractor.
 - 2. As per the safety messages, hitch the rake to the tractor and connect the hydraulic lines.
 - 3. Before turning on the tractor hydraulics, first set the rake flow control side lever to 2-1/2.
 - 4. Set the valve to open or closed, as required for the type of tractor hydraulic system. See figure, below: *Rake Flow Control*

C. ADJUSTING THE RAKE HYDRAULIC SYSTEM. (continued)

The SIDE-LEVER set to 2-1/2. NOTE:

The 0—10 digits are reverence numbers for ease in repeating a certain setup. These numbers DO NOT represent a certain flow rate.



- 5. Next, if the tractor has a flow control, set the tractor flow control to the approximate midpoint.
- 6. From the tractor operator manual, determine the recommended positions of the tractor remote hydraulic levers, etc. for running hydraulic motors. Per the recommendation, slowly turn on the tractor remote hydraulic supply.
- 7. The hydraulic hose to the "IN" port of the rake flow control should be pressurized. That is, it should stiffen when one of the rake control levers are pulled. If not, then while following recommended safety practices:



ADJUSTING THE ALLEN RAKE HYDRAULIC SYSTEM C. ADJUSTING THE RAKE HYDRAULIC SYSTEM. (continued) If the rake will not turn 85-90 RPM with the rake flow control at the highest setting, then: Set the rake flow control side lever to $2 - \frac{1}{2}$, and then increase the tractor flow control 1 turn Slowly increase the setting of the rake flow control side lever until 85-90 RPM is achieved. If the rake baskets are rotating faster than 90 RPM then decrease the setting of the rake flow control side lever until 85-90 rpm is achieved. BALANCING THE TRACTOR FLOW CONTROL AND THE RAKE FLOW CONTROL To verify that the tractor is trying to supply only slightly more fluid than the rake needs, perform the following steps:? With the tractor engine at field operational speed (usually 2000-2300 RPM), and the rake basket rotation at 85-90 RPM. NOTE: At this point, if the raking tractor hydraulic system DOES NOT have load sensing or pressure sensing then move directly to the instruction for "ADJUSTMENT OF THE SPOOL VALVE PRESSURE RELIEF." If the raking tractor hydraulic system, DOES have load sensing or pressure sensing continue on in the following instructions.

C. ADJUSTING THE RAKE HYDRAULIC SYSTEM. (continued)

If you have not done so already, you should read the section of this manual "UNDERSTANDING THE ALLEN RAKE HYDRAULIC SYSTEM". Reading that section will help provide understanding of the cause and effect relationship of the following rake symptoms.

Symptoms of Tractor Flow Control not Balanced with Rake Flow Control:

Symptom: Basket rises by itself while raking hay.

Symptom: After raising the baskets, or operating other cylinders: at the instant that the control lever is released, the baskets over-speed and may even clatter against the frame of the rake.

<u>Symptom:</u> After raising the baskets, or operating other cylinders: after the control lever is released, pressure remains above 1000-2000 psi and does not return to the normal raking pressure of 500-700 psi.

Symptom: Pressure on the rake pressure gauge is continuously above 1000 psi when only the baskets are operating (no cylinders operating). Ideally, after the oil is at operating temperature, the pressure gauge should read 500-700 psi when only the baskets are operating.

Possible Remedies for Above Symptoms:

Read through the section of this manual "UNDERSTANDING THE ALLEN RAKE HYDRAULIC SYSTEM". Then, review the type of system that you are using.

Proceed again through these adjustments instructions and verify that the proper rake and tractor settings are used. Give special attention to the instructions for "Balancing the Tractor Flow Control and the Rake Flow Control".

C. ADJUSTING THE RAKE HYDRAULIC SYSTEM. (continued)

If the above remedies do not help, then inquire with your tractor manufacturer's hydraulic staff about the feasibility of connecting the rake return line directly to the tractor reservoir port, instead of having the rake return line connected to a port on a tractor hydraulic remote valve.

Tractor hydraulic systems have evolved much over time, and continue to have new developments. If the tractor cannot seem to be adjusted to operate the rake properly, then use the following rake information to describe the requirements to your tractor manufacturer's hydraulic technical staff if seeking their assistance.

ALLEN RAKE HYDRAULIC SYSTEM:

Operating Flow Rate: 14 gpm Minimum

Flow capacity of Rake Flow Control Valve: 16 gpm

Note: 16 gpm includes the "CF" (controlled flow or operational flow rate) plus the "EX" flow (excess flow not needed and therefore returned to tank).

Pressure requirements for baskets idling at 85-90 rpm (no hay being raked), oil at operating temperature, and no cylinders being operated: 500-700 psi, typical

Pressure requirements for operation of a cylinder: 1500-2000 psi, typical. The pressure relief on the spool valve used to operate the cylinders sets this pressure.

Maximum tractor hydraulic remote supply pressure = 2500 psi. This is determined by the remote hydraulic system setting of the tractor. Refer to the tractor manual for adjustment instructions.



Certain tractors supply remote hydraulic fluid at pressures above 2500 psi. Although there is a safety factor associated with hydraulic ratings, NEVER ALLOW THE ALLEN RAKE TO BE RUN ON A TRACTOR THAT SUPPLIES REMOTE HYDRAULIC FLUID AT PRESSURE OVER 2700 PSI.

C. ADJUSTING THE RAKE HYDRAULIC SYSTEM. (continued)

Rake Hydraulic Circuit, Basic Description:

Hydraulic fluid leaves the tractor, passes through a <u>pressure compensated flow control valve</u>, then passes through the <u>first hydraulic motor</u>, then the <u>second hydraulic motor</u>. The hydraulic oil then passes through an <u>open-centered spool valve</u> used to occasionally operate the cylinders, and then the oil passes from this valve to the tractor.

Open center tractor hydraulics:

When oil is in the <u>pressure compensated flow control valve</u> the extra flow not needed for the rake does not pass through the "EX" port. The tractor is supposed to automatically adjust its pump output to the lower flow requirement.

Closed center tractor hydraulics:

When oil is in the pressure compensated flow control valve the extra flow not needed for the rake does not pass through the "EX" port. The tractor is supposed to automatically adjust its pump output to the lower flow requirement.

The pressure relief valve on the spool valve provides pressure when a lever is pulled in order to operate the cylinders.

The check valve allows the rake motors to free wheel and slow down gently when the hydraulic flow is ceased.

Note About Hydraulic Quick Connectors:

Quick Connectors on hydraulic supply hoses: As with any coupler, there may be some restriction in the lines because of theses couplers. Quick couplers usually present no problem for rake requirements, but may cause erratic responses in tractors having high capacity pumps with load sensing or pressure sensing hydraulic systems.

D. ADJUSTING OF THE PRESSURE RELIEF AT THE SPOOL VALVE



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- ↓ Do not operate hydraulic systems when hydraulic leaks are present.
- ↓ Always operate machine in a careful, controlled manner.
- Personnel operating and working with this machinery must not wear loose, dangling, or unbuttoned clothing that could tangle in machinery.
- Always stay clear of parts that can move and entangle, pinch, or crush.
- I System hydraulic pressure is to be set at minimum possible for proper operation. <u>DO NOT</u> <u>EXCEED 2000-psi WORKING PRESSURE OR 2700-psi MAXIMUM PRESSURE.</u>
- ↓ Before starting the machine, always check area around machine to verify that all personnel are clear.
- Always use proper procedures and equipment for handling, transporting, and storing any chemical associated with the usage of the machinery.
- Always park machine on flat ground for unhitching or storage. Before unhitching, place chocks in front and behind all transport wheels to prevent rolling when unhitched and parked.
- Stand clear of tongue, framework, and towing vehicle or tractor when operating jack or working with hitch. Look around to be sure that if something slipped or accidentally moved that no harm would occur.
- ↓ Always wear proper safety attire for each usage condition or service procedure.
- ↓ Keep out of machine when in use.

To set the pressure relief at the spool valve follow these steps:

- *1*. Hitch the ALLEN rake to the tractor.
- 2. Connect the hydraulic hoses to the tractor, and set the hydraulic adjustments as per the instructions in "C. Adjustment of the ALLEN Hydraulic System".
- 3. If the tractor has its own flow controls, make sure that the tractor flow control and the rake flow control are balanced, as per the instructions in "C. Adjustment of the ALLEN Hydraulic System".



D. ADJUSTING THE PRESSURE RELIEF AT THE SPOOL VALVE

To adjust the setting of the pressure relief valve at the spool valve, the following objectives must be kept in mind.?

- ↓ System back pressure due to the pressure relief valve must not exceed 2000 psi. Typical settings range from 1500 to 2000 psi.
- ↓ Enough back pressure to operate all of the cylinders. The extension cylinders are usually the most difficult and should be used to verify proper adjustment.
- I No more back pressure than is necessary, since a higher back pressure reduces the basket speed during cylinder operation. Helpful Hint: Keeping aerosol lubricant (drying type) handy to apply on the extension tubes and poly wear pads can reduce the hydraulic pressure setting required to extend and retract the extension arms.



Tractor must be towing rake while the extension arms are being extended or retracted. Rake MUST NOT be sitting still or else damage to the tires or rake is likely to occur.

Never operate a rake with the extension arms fully extended. If an extension arm fully extends, you should retract it about 4 inches prior to towing the rake any farther. This assists the ability of the rake to withstand unexpected shock loads, rough terrain, etc.

Repeat the following sequence until an acceptable setting is accomplished.

- 1 Read the system pressure as per the method in Step 5, above.
- Using the rake operator control, lower the baskets and relieve any other hydraulic pressure in the rake.
- ↓ Shut off the tractor.
- **↓** Go to the relief valve, loosen the locking nut, and rotate 1 turn.
- ↓ Usually, clockwise = increase pressure setting
- counter clockwise = decrease pressure setting.
- \neg Re-tighten the locknut.
- 1 Start the tractor. Read the system pressure as per Step 5.



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Stripper Bar Alignment

Keep the stripper bar ribs aligned to prevent contact with the tines at any point as the basket revolves. There should be a minimum of $\frac{1}{2}$ clearance at all times. See Fig. 19.

1) To align ribs for clearance, use either a hickey or pipe wrench as illustrated to re-position the stripper bar.



Fig. 19



HYDRAULIC ORBITAL MOTOR REMOVAL

To replace the orbital motor follow this procedure

- 1) Support the basket by wrapping a chain around the tine bar and securing it to the frame, see Fig. 20, Item 1.
- 2) Remove the four motor mounting bolts see, Fig. 20, Item 2.
- Remove the center motor shaft bolt, see Fig. 20, Item 3.
- 4) With a port-a-press, press the motor shaft out of the hub.
- 5) To install the orbital motor, reverse the process.

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Removal of Lift Cylinder

There are times when the removal of the lift cylinder or adjustment or components are necessary. The following procedure should be followed. See Fig. 24.

- 1) Place below the basket frame, Item 1, a jack stand or other suitable blocking means.
- 2) Lower the basket by turning the adjustment handle, Item 2, until the basket frame is resting on the jack stand and all tension has been removed from the lift cylinders.
- 3) Remove hydraulics hose, (not shown), from lift cylinder.
- 4) Remove cotter key on cylinder pin and then remove the pin. The cylinder is now free on the bottom.
- 5) Remove cylinder pin from cylinder rod on top and bottom.
- 6) Cylinder should now be free and replacement of the parts made.
- 7) Reverse process for installation.

ADJUSTMENT HANDLE, ITEM #2



ADJUSTMENT HANDLE, ITEM #2

Fig. 24





Read all safety messages on previous page before attempting any of these procedures.



Removal and Installation of Tines

The rakes tines are mounted individually so that they can be replaced easily without removing the tine bar or discarding a pair of teeth, see. Fig 25.

- 1) Shorten the replacement tine to the length of the other tines on the bar.
- 2) Remove 3/8" x 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " bolt, Item 1, that connects the tine, Item 2, to the tine bar, Item 3.
- 3) Attach new tine to tine bar. Caution should be used to make sure new tines are replaced in the same sequence and pattern as the other tines.
- 4) When installing any rubber-mounted tine, pull tines into saddle before tightening the mounting belt.
- 5) The tines should be checked and straightened periodically to keep them from contacting the stripper bars and contributing to failures.
- 6) Tighten the tine mounting bolts to 20 ft. lb. of torque.
- 7) Follow same procedure for installation of optional multi tines.

Tine Bar Replacement

The tine bar has been designed to make changing or replacing it very easy. Refer to Fig. 25.

- 1) Remove tines, Item 2, from tine bar, Item 3.
- 2) Remove 3/4" x 4" long bearing bolt, Item 4 that fastens the tine bar to the disc Item 5.
- 3) Remove tine bar from the disc.
- 4) Reverse the process to install.

Bearing Replacement

- 1) Remove Item 7 & 6 from Item 4.
- 2) Remove Item 9 & 10 from Item 11. (Typical in three locations per bearing.)
- 3) Remove bad bearing and position new bearing.
- 4) Place Item 11 in place and position Item 9 and 10 back in place.
- 5) Position Item 4 through bearing.
- 6) Place tine bar back against bearing and add Item 6 and 7.
- 7) Securely tighten Item 7 on Item 4.

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Swing Arm Bushing Replacement

Remove basket from swing arm.

Remove swing cylinder and mounting bracket.

Raise upper axle off of swing arm #2.

Replace bronze bushings, part number (94-1016-88) in swing arm #2 as needed

Reverse above for installation.

See Fig. 26



Fig. 26

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Spindle Replacement Instructions

- 1) Remove hub, Item 1, and bearings, Item 2. See Fig. 28
- 2) Remove spindle bolt, Item 3.
- 3) Remove spindle.
- 4) Replace spindle bolt, bearing, and hub.



Fig. 28







WARNING CAUTION Read all safety messages on previous page before attempting any of these procedures.

Electronic Control Box

- 1) If the control box, Item 1, is completely non-functional, check the fuse inside the control box. If the fuse is satisfactory, check the condition of the 12V battery source.
- 2) Electric Switches, Items 2,3,4,5,6 If only one function is non-operable, this could indicate a faulty switch. Or again, there could be a failure in the electrical cable.
- 3) The manual flow control, controls basket RPM not to exceed 90 RPM.

95% OF MALFUNCTIONS ARE DUE TO INFREQUENT REPLACEMENT OF THE HYDRAULIC FILTER.

NOTE: RAKE MUST BE HITCHED TO TRACTOR TO HAVE A GROUND CONNECTION



PROBLEM	CAUSE	CORRECTION 1. Slow basket speed down so that it does not exceed 90 RPM	
Tine bar breaking in half	1. Basket running too fast.		
Front basket idler spindle breaking.	 Basket height set too low, tines are digging into the ground Basket running too fast 	 Adjust basket height so that tines do not touch the ground. Tines shoe be within 1/2" of the ground, but not actually in contact with the ground. Slow basket speed down so that is does not exceed 90 RPM. 	
Disc wheels idler spindle breaking	 Loose tine bar head bolts. Tine bar head bearing. Basket speed too fast. 	 Tighten tine bar head bolts. Replace tine bar head bearing. Slow basket speed down so that it does not exceed 90 RPM. 	
Baskets fail to operate when hydraulic remote valve is opened.	1. Check valve #79-211-88 in in the open position.	 Replace hub, using new bolt, lock washer, and flat washer. Remove and clean flow control valve or replace the valve with a new one. 	
Baskets rise during field operation.	 System back pressure is excessive, because return oil flow is restricted. 	Read the HYDRAULICS section of OWNER'S MANUAL.	
Rake function fails to operate.	 Manual control cable out of adjustment. Wire came off solenoid adjustment. (Electric control valve only) Solenoid defective. (Electric control valve only) Hydraulic motor or cylinder is bypassing hydraulic oil internally. 	 Adjust cable to take up slack. Replace wire and tighten spade connector. Replace solenoid. Install new seal kit in defective part. 	

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MAIN FRAME 8803 RAKE			
ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	PART NO.	QUANTITY
1	WELDMENT, 8803 MAIN FRAME	85-4000-88	1
2	CYLINDER, 2-1/2" DIA. X 70" STROKE	79-1023-88	2
4	PIN CI EVIS (WITH 2 COTTER PINS)	77-003-85	4
5	POLY EXTENSION ARM SLIDE	68-0001-86	16
6	WELDMENT, 8803 EXTENSION ARM	85-1064-88	2
7	WELDMENT, RAKE JACK	85-1030-88	1
8	PIN, 5/8" X 3" BENT ARM	128007	1
9	PIN, #12, 3/16" X 3-1/2" HAIR	126004	1
10	WELDMENT, HICKEY BAR	85-014-85	1
NOT SHOWN	HYDRAULIC TUBE, 1/2"x 60", 8FP x 8FP	79-1102-88	1
NOT SHOWN	HYDRAULIC TUBE, 1/2"x 100", 8FP x 8FP	79-1100-88	1
NOT SHOWN	HYDRAULIC TUBE, 1/2" x 104", 8FP x 8FP	79-1110-88	1
	POLY SLIDE BEARING FASTENERS		
NOT SHOWN	WASHER, 3/8" SAE FLAT	4402-1200	32
NOT SHOWN	BOLT, 3/8" X 1" GRADE 5 HEX	2816-1210	32
NOT SHOWN	NUT, 3/8" UNC STOVER HEX	1412-1200	32





RIGHT/LEFT HAND EXTENSION ARM 8803 RAKE Quantities are for both left and right hand arms			
ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	PART NO.	QUANTITY
1	WELDMENT, 8803 EXTENSION ARM	85-1064-88	2
2	WELDMENT, 8803 UPPER AXLE TUBE	85-1073-88	2
3	WELDMENT, 8803 SWING ARM	85-1028-88	2
4	PLATE, SWING ARM CYLINDER LUG	93-1090-88	2
NOT SHOWN	BUSHING, HARDENED CONNEX	79-190-88	4
5	CVI INDER 2" DIA X 8" STROKE ASAE	79-158-88	2
5	WEI DMENT SWING ARM CVI INDER PIN	85-1032-88	2
7	PIN 3/16" X 2" LONG COTTER	77-015-04	2
8	PIN, CLEVIS (WITH 2 COTTER PINS)	77-003-85	2
0	BOLT $1/2^{\circ} \times 2^{\circ}$ LONG CRADE 5 HEY	2816 1620	2
10	NUT 1/2" STOVER HEX	1412-1600	4
10	BUSHING SWING ARM BRONZE	94-1016-88	4
12	WEIDMENT RH LOWER AXI F	85-1070-88	1
12	WELDMENT I. H. LOWER AXLE (NOT SHOWN)	85 1071 88	1
12	ADAPTER - #6MP-#6MIW/1/16" ORIFICE STRAIGHT	79-003-32	4
14	NUT 7/8" STOVER HEX	1412-2800	т 2
15	BOLT $7/8^{\circ}$ DIA Y 6° LONG GRADE 5 HEY	2816 2860	2
16	CLAMP 1/2" HOSE	79-034-88	4
17	PLATE CLAMP TOP COVER	77 037 38	
10	CLAMD 2/2"HOSE	77 111 88	4
19	DI ATE CI AMD COVED	122011	4
20	FLATE, CLAWF COVER DOI T $1/4^{\circ} \times 15^{\circ}$ HEV	2816 0814	2
21	$\begin{array}{c} \text{BOLI, 1/4, X I.5, IIEA} \\ \text{TIDE } 8.5/0.15V SMOOTH WHEEL 15 V (I.D. (((((((((((((((((($	2810-0814	4
23	TIRE, $6.3/9$ -15K, SMOOTE, WHEEL, 15 X OLD, 0-0-4.02, 1.25T	2816 1220	4
24	BOLLI, 5/8 X 3 GRADE 3 HEX	2816-1230	4
25	KOUND, SPINDLE, Q888 HUB	96-034-88	4
26	NU1, 5/8 SIOVER HEX	1412-1200	4
27	SEAL, Q888 HUB GREASE	77-006-02	4
28	BEAKING, Q888 HUB INNEK	77-007-02	4
29	HUB, Q888, 6 BOLT (WITH RACE)	77-001-02	4
30	BOLI, 1/2 -20 X I-1/4 LONG LUG	77-013-02	24
31	BEAKING, Q888 HUB OUTEK	77-008-02	4
32	WASHEK, Q888 HUB SPINDLE	//-005-02	4
35	NUI, //8 CASILE (UNU888)	//-004-02	4
34	PIN, 5/32" X I-3/4" LONG COTTER	77-011-02	4
35	CAP, Q888 HUB DUST	77-012-02	4
36	BOL1, 1" X 2-1/2" LONG GRADE 8 HEX	2818-3224	12
38	NUT, 1"-8 STOVER LOCK	1412-3200	12



TEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	PART NO.	QUANTITY
1&9	PIN, CLEVIS (WITH 2 COTTER PINS)	77-003-85	1
2	BOLT, 7/16" X 3" #3 PLOW	0315-1430	4
3	NUT, 7/16" HEX	812-1400	4
4	BOLT, 1/2" X 1-1/2" GRADE 5 HEX	2816-1614	4
5	BOLT, 1/2' X 3" GRADE 5 HEX	2816-1630	4
6	NUT, 1/2" HEX KEP	4112-1600	8
7	POLY, PIVOT ARM/BASKET BUMPER R.H. L.H.	68-1008-88	4
10	PIN, 3/16" X 2" LONG COTTER	77-015-04	4
11	TOP LINK, CAT. 1	79-022-88	1
12	BEARING, 2 HOLE	79-025-88	2
13	PIN, 7/16" DIA. LYNCH	79-061-36	12
14	PIN, 3/4" DIA. X 3" CLEVIS	79-081-88	2
15	CYLINDER, 2" DIA. X 6"	79-1006-88	1
16	FITTING, 5/16" DRIVE IN GREASE	79-6441-40	1
17	ASSEMBLY, GROUND PRESSURE ADJUSTING ARM		4
	WELDMENT, ADJUSTING ARM, GROUND PRESSURE	85-138-88	4
	NUT, 3/4" HEX JAM	1014-2400	4
	GREASE FITTING, 5/16-DRIVE IN	79-6441-40	4
	BUSHING, UHMW BOLT GUIDE 77-066-88 WASHER, 3/4" FLAT 79-126-88 SPRING, 79-204-88 BOLT, 3/4" X 17" GRADE 5 HEX 2816-2417 TRUNNION, BOLT GUIDE 79-1020-8	77-066-88	4
		79-126-88	8
		79-204-88	4
		2816-24170	4
		79-1020-88	4
18	WELDMENT, 8802 SWING ARM	85-1028-88	1
19	WELDMENT, BASKET RAKE PIVOT ARM	85-1031-88	1
20	WELDMENT, BASKET STAND OFF	85-128-88	2
21	PLATE, GROUND PRESSURE ADJUSTING ARM MOUNTS	93-1099-88	4
23	PIN, CYLINDER CLEVIS	96-015-88	1
24	ADAPTOR, 11'-6" PHYSICAL RH BASKET	85-1056-88	1
	ADAPTOR, 11'-6" PHYSICAL LH BASKET	85-1057-88	1

BASKET ADAPTOR DIVOT ARM AND SWINC ARM



II LIVI NO.	DESCRIPTION	PART NO.	QUANTITY
1	WELDMENT, 11'-6" RH DELIVERY BASKET FRAME	85-9001-88	1
	WELDMENT, 11'-6" LH DELIVERY BASKET FRAME	85-9000-88	1
2	ASSEMBLY, BASKET RAKE DISC/BEARING		2/4
	BEARING, VF3S-112M 3 BOLT	101-300-012C	10/40
	BUSHING, FORMED DISC BEARING SPACER	94-021-88	5/20
	DISC, BASKET RAKE FORMED	93-1119-88	2/4
	BOLT, 5/16" X 1-1/2" GRADE 8 HEX HEAD	2816-1014	15/60
	NUT, 5/16 STOVER HEX	1412-1000	15/60
	WASHER, 5/16" LOCK	1602-1000	15/60
4	NUT, 1/2" UNF STOVER HEX	1432-1600	8
5	WELDMENT, 1-1/2" SHAFT HUB (FULLY MACHINED)	85-1012-97	1
6	BOLT, 1/2"-20 UNF X 1-1/4" GR. 5 HEX	2836-1612	8
7	SPACER, HUB	96-001-97	1
8	SNAP RING, INTERNAL RETAINING	127003	1
9	WASHER, 3/8" REGULAR LOCK	1602-1200	1
10	BOLT, 3/8" X 1-1/4" LONG HEX	2816-1212	1
11	WASHER, EXTRA WIDE ISOLATOR	77-1025-88	4
12	ISOLATOR, MOTOR	79-1015-88	4
	SEAL KIT, MOTOR	72-061-88	2
13	MOTOR, RE24674100 HYDRAULIC	79-005-97	1
14	ADAPTOR, #10MORB#8MJ	77-070-06	2/4
15	BOLT, 3/4" X 3-1/2" LONG GRADE 5 HEX	2816-2434	5/20
16	NUT, 3/4" GRADE 5 STOVER	1412-2400	5/20
17	WELDMENT, 11'-6" TINE BAR	85-1044-88	5/10
18	TINE, RH/LH, UNIVERSAL	79-1021-88	120/175
19	BOLT, 3/8" X 2-1/2" LONG GR. 5 HEX (FULL / STANDARD TINES)	2816-1224	120/175
20	NUT, 3/8" STOVER HEX (FULL / STANDARD TINES)	1412-1200	120/175
NOT SHOWN	BOLT, 1/2" X 4-1/2" LONG GRADE 5 HEX (MOTOR BOLT)	2816-1644	4/8
NOT SHOWN	NUT, 1/2" STOVER HEX (MOTOR/IDLER MOUNT NUT)	1412-1600	8









