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# Operator's Manual

# 48in Hydraulic Blade

**Compact Utility Loaders** 

Model No. 22414—Serial No. 310000001 and Up

This product complies with all relevant European directives, for details please see the separate product specific Declaration of Conformity (DOC) sheet.

#### **A DANGER**

There may be buried power, gas, and/or telephone lines in the work area. Shock or explosion may occur if you dig into them.

Have the property or work area marked for buried lines and do not dig in marked areas. Contact your local marking service or utility company to have the property marked (for example, in the United States, call 811 for the nationwide marking service).

## Introduction

The machine is a grader blade designed to attach to a Toro compact utility loader. The blade is designed to hydraulically change its angle as needed for earth and snow grading applications.

Read this information carefully to learn how to operate and maintain your product properly and to avoid injury and product damage. You are responsible for operating the product properly and safely.

You may contact Toro directly at www.Toro.com for product and accessory information, help finding a dealer, or to register your product.

Whenever you need service, genuine Toro parts, or additional information, contact an Authorized Service Dealer or Toro Customer Service and have the model and serial numbers of your product ready. The model and serial numbers are located on a plate on the blade pivot frame. Write the numbers in the space provided.

Model No.	·
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This manual identifies potential hazards and has safety messages identified by the safety alert symbol (Figure 1), which signals a hazard that may cause serious injury or death if you do not follow the recommended precautions.



#### 1. Safety alert symbol

This manual uses 2 other words to highlight information. **Important** calls attention to special mechanical information and **Note** emphasizes general information worthy of special attention.

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# **Safety**

Improper use or maintenance by the operator or owner can result in injury. To reduce the potential for injury, comply with these safety instructions and those in the traction unit *Operator's Manual*. Always pay attention to the safety alert symbol, which means *Caution*, *Warning*, or *Danger*—personal safety instruction. Failure to comply with the instruction may result in personal injury or death.

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#### **A WARNING**

When the engine is off, attachments in the raised position can gradually lower. Someone nearby may be pinned or injured by the attachment as it lowers.

Always lower the attachment lift each time you shut off the traction unit.

#### **A WARNING**

When going up or down hill, the machine could overturn if the heavy end is toward the downhill side. Someone may be pinned or seriously injured by the machine if it overturns.

Operate up and down slopes with the heavy end of the machine uphill.

#### **A WARNING**

Lightning can cause severe injury or death. If lightning is seen or thunder is heard in the area, do not operate the machine; seek shelter.

#### **Stability Ratings**

To determine the degree of slope you can traverse with the attachment installed on a traction unit, find the stability rating for the hill position you want to travel in the appropriate table on the following page, then find the degree of slope for the same rating and hill position in the Stability Data section of the traction unit *Operator's Manual*.

#### **A WARNING**

Exceeding the maximum recommended slope can cause the traction unit to tip, crushing you or bystanders.

Do not drive the traction unit on a slope steeper than the maximum recommended slope, as determined in the following tables and the traction unit operator's manual.

Orientation	Stability Rating	
Front Uphill		
	D	
Rear Uphill		
	C	
Side Uphill		
	В	

Important: When using this attachment with traction units with wheels and a built-in rear operator's platform, do not use the counterweight. If you use the counter weight, the traction unit will be less stable in the front and side uphill orientations.

# Safety and Instructional Decals



Safety decals and instructions are easily visible to the operator and are located near any area of potential danger. Replace any decal that is damaged or lost.



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- Crushing hazard of hand—keep bystanders a safe distance from the machine.
- Crushing hazard of foot—keep bystanders a safe distance from the machine.

# **Operation**

**Important:** Always use the traction unit to lift and move the attachment.

Refer to your traction unit *Operator's Manual* for more information on installing and removing the attachment from your traction unit.

## **Operational Specifications**

**Note:** Specifications and design are subject to change without notice.

Width	47.75 inches (121.3 cm)	
Length	25.0 inches (63.5 cm)	
Height	21.0 inches (53 cm)	
Weight	212 lb (96.2 Kg)	

## **Blade Operation**

**Note:** If you traction unit has a speed selector, move it to the Fast position.

- To angle the blade to the right, pull the auxiliary hydraulics lever to the operator grip.
- To angle the blade to the left, push the auxiliary hydraulics lever away from the operator grip.

#### **Operating Tips**

- Clean the area of trash, branches and rocks before beginning work to prevent equipment damage.
- Always begin with the slowest ground speed possible. Increase speed if conditions permit.
- Always use full throttle (maximum engine speed).
- Never transport the blade with the loader arms raised. Keep the arms lowered and the blade tilted up.
- When scraping, leveling, and surface stripping, lower the blade to the ground, ensuring that the cutting edge makes contact. The blade will bite into the soil as you move forward.

## **Maintenance**

## Recommended Maintenance Schedule(s)

Maintenance Service Interval	Maintenance Procedure
Before each use or daily	Grease the hydraulic cylinder pivot points. (Grease all fittings immediately after every washing.)
Every 200 hours	Inspect the hydraulic hoses and replace them if they are damaged.
Before storage	<ul><li>Inspect the hydraulic hoses and replace them if they are damaged.</li><li>Paint chipped or worn surfaces.</li></ul>
Yearly	Check the blade cutting edge for wear.

#### **A** CAUTION

If you leave the key in the ignition switch, someone could start the engine. Accidental starting of the engine could seriously injure you or other bystanders.

Remove the key from the ignition switch before you do any maintenance.

# **Greasing the Hydraulic Cylinder Pivot Points**

**Service Interval:** Before each use or daily (Grease all fittings immediately after every washing.)

Grease Type: General-purpose grease

- 1. Stop the engine and remove the key.
- 2. Clean the grease fittings with a rag.
- 3. Connect a grease gun to each fitting.
- 4. Pump grease into the fittings until grease begins to ooze out of the bearings.
- 5. Wipe up any excess grease.

# **Checking the Blade Cutting Edge**

Service Interval: Yearly

If the blade is badly worn, complete the following procedure:

- 1. Remove the pins securing the blade to the frame and hydraulic cylinder and remove the blade.
- 2. Turn the blade 180 degrees so the worn edge is on top, then install it back on the mounting frame and hydraulic cylinder.

# **Storage**

- 1. Before long term storage, wash the attachment with mild detergent and water to remove dirt and grime.
- 2. Check the condition of the cutting edge. Remove and rotate the blade 180 degrees so the worn edge is on top, if it is badly worn.
- 3. Check and tighten all bolts, nuts, and screws. Repair replace any part that is damaged or worn.
- 4. Ensure that all hydraulic couplers are connected together to prevent contamination of the hydraulic system.
- 5. Paint all scratched or bare metal surfaces. Paint is available from your Authorized Service Dealer.
- 6. Store the attachment in a clean, dry garage or storage area. Cover it to protect it and keep it clean.

# **Troubleshooting**

Problem	Possible Cause	Corrective Action
Blade will not change angle.	Hydraulic coupler not completely connected	Check and tighten all couplers.
	Damaged hydraulic coupler	<ol><li>Check couplers and replace any that are damaged.</li></ol>
	An obstruction in a hydraulic hose	3. Find and remove the obstruction.
	Auxiliary valve on the traction unit is not opening.	4. Repair the valve.
	5. Damaged hydraulic cylinder	5. Replace or repair the cylinder.

# **Notes:**



#### **Toro Compact Utility Equipment Warranty**

A One-Year Limited Warranty

CUE Products

#### **Conditions and Products Covered**

The Toro® Company and its affiliate, Toro Warranty Company, pursuant to an agreement between them, jointly warrant your Toro Compact Utility Equipment ("Product") to be free from defects in materials or workmanship. The following time periods apply from the date of purchase:

#### Products

#### Loaders, Trenchers and Attachments

Kohler Engines
All other Engines

#### **Warranty Period**

1 year or 1000 operating hours, whichever occurs first

3 years 2 years

Where a warrantable condition exists, we will repair the Product at no cost to you including diagnosis, labor, and parts.

#### **Instructions for Obtaining Warranty Service**

If you think that your Toro Product contains a defect in materials or workmanship, follow this procedure:

- Contact any Authorized Toro Compact Utility Equipment (CUE) Service Dealer to arrange service at their dealership. To locate a dealer convenient to you, access our website at www.Toro.com. You may also call our Toro Customer Care Department toll free at 888-865-5676 (U.S. customers) or 888-865-5691 (Canadian customers).
- Bring the product and your proof of purchase (sales receipt) to the Service Dealer.
- If for any reason you are dissatisfied with the Service Dealer's analysis or with the assistance provided, contact us at:

LCB Customer Care Department Toro Warranty Company 8111 Lyndale Avenue South Bloomington, MN 55420-1196

Toll Free: 888-865-5676 (U.S. customers)
Toll Free: 888-865-5691 (Canada customers)

#### **Owner Responsibilities**

You must maintain your Toro Product by following the maintenance procedures described in the *Operator's Manual*. Such routine maintenance, whether performed by a dealer or by you, is at your expense. Parts scheduled for replacement as required maintenance ("Maintenance Parts"), are warranted for the period of time up to the scheduled replacement time for that part. Failure to perform required maintenance and adjustments can be grounds for disallowing a warranty claim.

#### **Items and Conditions Not Covered**

Not all product failures or malfunctions that occur during the warranty period are defects in materials or workmanship. This express warranty does not cover the following:

- Product failures which result from the use of non-Toro replacement parts, or from installation and use of add-on, modified, or unapproved accessories
- Product failures which result from failure to perform required maintenance and/or adjustments
- Product failures which result from operating the Product in an abusive, negligent or reckless manner
- Parts subject to consumption through use unless found to be defective. Examples of parts which are consumed, or used up, during normal Product operation include, but are not limited to, digging teeth, tines, spark plugs, tires, tracks, filters, chains, etc.
- Failures caused by outside influence. Items considered to be outside influence include, but are not limited to, weather, storage practices, contamination, use of unapproved coolants, lubricants, additives, or chemicals, etc.
- Normal "wear and tear" items. Normal "wear and tear" includes, but is not limited to, worn painted surfaces, scratched decals or windows, etc.
- Any component covered by a separate manufacturer's warranty
- Pickup and delivery charges

#### **General Conditions**

Repair by an Authorized Toro Compact Utility Equipment (CUE) Service Dealer is your sole remedy under this warranty.

Neither The Toro® Company nor Toro Warranty Company is liable for indirect, incidental or consequential damages in connection with the use of the Toro Products covered by this warranty, including any cost or expense of providing substitute equipment or service during reasonable periods of malfunction or non-use pending completion of repairs under this warranty. All implied warranties of merchantability and fitness for use are limited to the duration of this express warranty. Some states do not allow exclusions of incidental or consequential damages, or limitations on how long an implied warranty lasts, so the above exclusions and limitations may not apply to you.

This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state.

Except for the engine warranty coverage and the Emissions warranty referenced below, if applicable, there is no other express warranty. The Emissions Control System on your Product may be covered by a separate warranty meeting requirements established by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) or the California Air Resources Board (CARB). The hour limitations set forth above do not apply to the Emissions Control System Warranty. Refer to the California Emission Control Warranty Statement supplied with your Product or contained in the engine manufacturer's documentation for details.

#### **Countries Other than the United States or Canada**

Customers who have purchased Toro products exported from the United States or Canada should contact their Toro Distributor (Dealer) to obtain guarantee policies for your country, province, or state. If for any reason you are dissatisfied with your Distributor's service or have difficulty obtaining guarantee information, contact the Toro importer. If all other remedies fail, you may contact us at Toro Warranty Company.