## COMPACT TRACK LOADER OPERATOR SAFETY

The Compact Track Loader is a versatile machine with numerous attachments that can be found on worksites worldwide including construction sites, landscaping operations and farms. Conduct a pre-operation inspection before every shift to avoid maintenance issues, then follow these tips to ensure the safety of jobsite personnel.

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Mount and dismount the machine using three points of contact.

Watch for overhead wires and obstacles when raising the attachment. Know where underground wires are buried before digging.

Never overload any attachment. Learn the load limits for attachments listed in the Operation & Maintenance Manual.

Never ride or carry anyone in the bucket. Buckle the seat belt.
Always stay seated while operating the controls.

When working on a hill, keep the machine's heavy end pointed uphill. Do not operate at an angle across slopes. Drive up or down but not across.

Avoid operation on any ground condition that could cause the machine to tip. Tipping can occur when working on hills, banks or slopes and when crossing ditches, ridges or other unexpected objects.

Due to potential collapse, never drive along a ditch or excavation too closely.

Never allow anyone to walk under a raised bucket.

Carry the load low to maintain stability and visibility. Make sure the load is high enough to avoid contact with the ground.

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