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# **WARNINGS - READ THIS PAGE!**

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- ♦ **WARNING!** Federal law (49 cfr part 571) requires that the Final Stage Manufacturer of a vehicle certify that the vehicle complies with all applicable federal regulations. Any modifications performed on the vehicle prior to the final stage are also considered intermediate stage manufacturing and must be certified as to compliance. The installer of this crane and body is considered one of the manufacturers of the vehicle. As such a manufacturer, the installer is responsible for compliance with all applicable federal and state regulations, and is required to certify that the vehicle is in compliance.
- ♦ **WARNING!** It is the further responsibility of the installer to comply with the OSHA Truck Crane Stability Requirements as specified by 29 CFR part 1910.180 (C) (1).
- ♦ **WARNING! NEVER OPERATE THE CRANE NEAR ELECTRICAL POWER LINES!** Death or serious injury will result from boom, line, or load contacting electric lines. Do not use crane within 10 feet (3.05m) of electric power lines carrying up to 50,000 volts. One foot additional clearance is required for every additional 30,000 volts or less.
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  - un-reel last 5 wraps of cable from drum!
  - wrap cable around load!
  - attempt to lift or drag a load from the side! The boom can fail far below its rated capacity.
  - weld, modify, or use unauthorized components on any Auto Crane unit! This will void any warranty or liability. Also failure of the crane may result.
  - place a chain link on the tip of the hook and try to lift a load!
  - use a sling bar or anything larger than the hook throat that could prevent the hook latch from closing, thus negating the safety feature!
  - hold on any pendant Select Switch that will cause unsafe operating conditions!
- ♦ **WARNING!** In using a hook with latch, **ALWAYS** make sure that the hook throat is closed before lifting a load! Proper attention and common sense applied to the use of the hoist hook and various slings will prevent possible damage to material being hoisted and may prevent injury to personnel.
- ♦ **WARNING!** Failure to correctly plumb and wire crane can cause inadvertent operation and damage to crane and/or personnel!
- ♦ **WARNING!** Auto Crane Company remote controlled cranes are not designed or intended to be used for any applications involving the lifting or moving of personnel.
- ♦ **WARNING! ALWAYS** operate the crane in compliance with the load capacity chart. **Do not use** the overload shutdown device to determine maximum rated loads, if your crane is equipped with this type of device.



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# **INTRODUCTION**

## **2003 SERIES**

Auto Crane products have been engineered to provide safe, trouble-free, dependable service for many years when these products are properly used and maintained.

To assist you in obtaining the best service from your crane and to avoid untimely failure of the unit and / or the vehicle on which it is mounted, the following operating and service instructions are herein published, and it is specifically recommended that all operating and service personnel consider this manual as mandatory material for reading and study before operating or servicing Auto Crane products. It is highly recommended that crane owners, equipment managers and supervisors also read this manual.

Auto Crane has incorporated several safety features in the 2003 series for your protection. The material and electrical systems were designed to minimize weight and lengthen durability. For your convenience the overall dimensions of the 2003 series are included on page 6-1.0.0. Remember that the crane adds weight to the vehicle and may change the driving and riding characteristics of the vehicle on which it is mounted unless this weight is properly provided for with appropriate overload springs. The payload of the vehicle is also reduced by the amount that the crane weighs, and as the vehicle is loaded, care should be exercised not to overload the vehicle. Exercising care in distributing the payload on the vehicle will greatly improve the driving and riding characteristics of the vehicle.

The 2003 series cranes are attached directly to your 12 volt truck electrical system. The power cable and retaining clips are included with the crane. A typical power cable mounting and hookup is shown on page 7-1.0.0. The performance of your new crane depends on the truck electrical system. The use of the low maintenance battery is not recommended for use on any Auto Crane product. The recommended alternator and battery that will give the longest life with the most useful duty cycle is a 70 amp. alternator with a 625 cold cranking rated battery. These specifications should be considered minimum.

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**Auto Crane Company issues a limited warranty certificate with each unit sold. See last page for warranty policy.**

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It has always been Auto Crane Company policy to handle all warranty claims we receive as promptly as possible. If a warranty claim involves discrepant material or workmanship, Auto Crane will take

immediate corrective action. It is understandable that Auto Crane company cannot assume responsibility of liability when it is obvious that our products have been abused, mis-used, overloaded or otherwise damaged by inexperienced persons trying to operate the equipment without reading the manual.

***Auto Crane will not assume responsibility or liability for any modifications or changes made to unit, or installation of component parts done without authorization.***

Auto Crane maintains a strong distributor network and a knowledgeable Customer Service Department. In most cases, an equipment problem is solved via phone conversation with our customer service department. The customer service department also has the ability to bring a local distributor, a regional sales manager, or a factory serviceman into the solution of an equipment problem. If, through no fault of Auto Crane Company, it is necessary to send an experienced factory serviceman on a field service call, the rates stated in the Auto Crane Distributor's Flat Rate Manual will apply.

Auto Crane Company's extensive Research and Development Program allow our customers to use the best equipment on the market. Our Engineering Staff and our knowledgeable sales people, are always available to our customers in solving crane and winch-type application problems. When in doubt, call the Auto Crane factory.

### **DISTRIBUTOR ASSISTANCE:**

Should you require any assistance not given in this manual, we recommend that you consult your nearest Auto Crane Distributor. Our distributors sell authorized parts and have service departments that can solve almost any needed repair.

***NOTE: THIS MANUAL  
SHOULD REMAIN WITH  
THE CRANE AT ALL TIMES.***

This manual does not cover all maintenance, operating, or repair instructions pertinent to all possible situations. If you require additional information, please contact the Auto Crane Company at the following telephone number: (918) 438-2760. The information contained in the manual is in effect at the time of this printing. Auto Crane Company reserves the right to update this material without notice or obligation.

# ***GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS***

## ***2003 SERIES***

### **DIMENSIONS**

**Width:** 19.0 in (.48 m)

**Height:** 21.0 in (.53 m)

**Length:** 6 ft 2 in (1.88 m)  
8 ft 11 in (2.72 m)  
[boom(s) stored]

**Weight:** 5-9 385 lbs (175 kg)  
8-14 440 lbs (200 kg)

### **CAPACITY**

6000 ft lbs (.8 Tm)

[ft lbs = horizontal distance from centerline of rotation to free hanging weight (feet) x amount of weight (pounds)]

<b>LIFTING CAPACITIES</b>	
<b>ft</b>	<b>lbs</b>
3	2,000
4	1,565
5	1,160
6	1,000
7	800
8	760
9	665

### **REACH**

Manual boom will reach from 5 ft to 9 ft

Optional manual boom will reach from 8 ft to 14 ft

### **CABLE**

50 ft (15.2 m) of 1/4 in diameter aircraft quality cable is standard. This cable has a single line breaking strength of 7,000 lbs (3,175 kg).

### **CHASSIS REQUIREMENTS**

8,000 lbs (3,628 kg) GVWR minimum

### **ELECTRICAL SYSTEM**

**Hoist Motor:** 12 volt DC series wound

### **ELECTRICAL SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS**

**Alternator:** 70 amp (minimum)

**Battery:** 625 cold cranking amps  
100 minute reserve capacity (minimum)  
Maintenance type

### **ROTATION**

360° Continuous manual rotation

## **--- IMPORTANT ---**

# **OPERATING PRACTICES & WARNINGS**

1. Make certain the vehicle meets minimum chassis requirements. (These requirements do not guarantee unit stability)
2. Make certain the crane is installed per factory specifications. Contact your local Distributor or the Auto Crane factory if any questions arise.
3. Keep the vehicle in as level a position as possible while loading or unloading.
4. **ALWAYS** set the vehicle emergency brake before beginning crane operations.
5. **ALWAYS** use outriggers from vehicle to the ground during crane operation. Make sure they are firmly positioned on solid footings.
6. All load ratings are based on crane capacity, **NOT** truck/crane stability.
7. Keep objects and personnel clear of crane path during operation.
8. Keep hoist cable pulled tight at all times.
9. **REMEMBER**, in lifting a heavy load, the weight can create enough tipping momentum to overturn the vehicle.
10. **ALWAYS** keep load as close to ground as possible.
11. Oil gears as required.
12. Periodic adjustment of hoist worm brake may be required (see automatic safety brake drawing in this manual).
13. Hydraulic hoses need to be inspected frequently for signs of deterioration, and be replaced as required.
14. The hoist hook is an important item that an operator should consider and use properly. It should be checked on a daily basis for distortion or cracks.
15. **ALWAYS** store outriggers before road travel.
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## **--- IMPORTANT ---**

# **OPERATION OF UNIT**

1. Make sure this manual has been thoroughly read by all crane operating personnel and supervisors.
2. A routine inspection of the crane should be mandatory before each operating day. Any defects should be corrected immediately.
3. At a job site the vehicle should be positioned so that the crane can adequately reach the load within the rated capacity (centerline of rotation to hoist hook).
4. Keep the vehicle as level as possible during operation.
5. For electric cranes, engage emergency brake and leave ignition on with transmission in neutral (or in park for automatic transmissions). Activate any crane power switches. For Auto Crane units requiring battery and hydraulic operation, engage emergency brake, place gear selector in neutral, press clutch, activate PTO, release clutch and after hydraulic fluid is warm, set throttle control to proper engine speed.
6. Always use outriggers from the truck to the ground. Be sure these are firm and adequately positioned. When rotating, keep load as low to the ground as possible.
7. Remove pendant control from cab or storage area. On smaller units, plug pendant into receptacle on crane. On larger units, remove pendant control from guard and unwrap cable from boom. Do not operate crane until cable is unwound completely. On all cranes, detach hook from dead man. Crane is now ready for operation.
8. Always boom up before rotating so the boom will clear the required boom support.
9. When extending the boom, always maintain clearance between the boom crown and the traveling block or hoist hook.
10. Always observe safe and practical operation to avoid possible accidents. Refer to Safety Tips and Precautions.
11. After completing lifting operations, return the boom to stowed position on the boom support. Avoid unneeded pressure on the boom support.
12. Store pendant control on proper location (in cab or on crane).
13. Return outriggers to stowed position. Make sure they are pinned in place or jacklegs are returned to compartment.
14. Check work area for any tools or equipment not stored.
15. Release throttle control, depress clutch and disengage PTO. Deactivate any crane power switches.
16. Report any unusual occurrence during crane operation that may indicate required maintenance or repair.
17. NEVER use two cranes to support a load too large for either crane.
18. Spray all electrical equipment with special corrosion resistant coating. This eliminates rust or corrosion due to melting and freezing action of condensation.

## **OPERATION OF OUTRIGGERS**

### **For hydraulic outriggers:**

1. Shift crane/outrigger control valve to "outrigger" position.
2. While operating the outrigger control valves (located on the outrigger cylinders) simultaneously operate the boom-up control switch. This will allow the hydraulic system to build pressure.
3. After outriggers are positioned, return crane/outrigger selector to "crane" position.
4. Crane is now ready to operate.

### **For manual outriggers:**

1. Pull lock pins to release jack leg or drop down outrigger and move to outermost lock position.
2. Make sure lock pins are reinstalled properly.
3. Lower outrigger pad to firm ground and adjust foot to take out slack.
4. Crane is now ready to operate.

# ***QUALIFICATIONS FOR AND CONDUCT OF OPERATORS AND OPERATING PRACTICES***

## **OPERATORS**

- 1 Crane operation shall be limited to personnel with the following minimum qualifications:
    - A. designated persons
    - B. trainees under the direct supervision of a designated person
    - C. maintenance and test personnel (when it is necessary in the performance of their duties)
    - D. inspectors (crane).
  - 2 No one other than the personnel specified above shall enter the operating area of a crane with the exception of persons such as oilers, supervisors, and those specified persons authorized by supervisors whose duties require them to do so and then only in the performance of their duties and with the knowledge of the operator or other persons.
- 7 Operators and operator trainees should have normal depth perception, coordination, and no tendencies to dizziness or similar undesirable characteristics.
  - 8 In addition to the above listed requirements, the operator shall:
    - A. Demonstrate the ability to comprehend and interpret all labels, operator's manuals, safety codes and other information pertinent to correct crane operations.
    - B. Possess knowledge of emergency procedures and implementation of same.
    - C. Demonstrate to the employer the ability to operate the specific type of equipment.
    - D. Be familiar with the applicable safety regulations.
    - E. Understand responsibility for maintenance requirements of crane.
    - F. Be thoroughly familiar with the crane and its control functions.
    - G. Understand the operating procedures as outlined by the manufacturer.

## **QUALIFICATIONS FOR OPERATORS**

- 3 Operators shall be required by the employer to pass a practical operating examination. Qualifications shall be limited to the specific type of equipment for which examined.
- 4 Operators and operator trainees shall meet the following physical qualifications:
  - A. Vision of at least 20/30 Snellen in one eye and 20/50 in the other, with or without corrective lenses.
  - B. Ability to distinguish colors, regardless of position, if colors differentiation is required for operation.
  - C. Adequate hearing with or without hearing aid for the specific operation.
- 5 Evidence of physical defects or emotional instability which render a hazard to operator or others, which in the opinion of the examiner could interfere with the operator's performance may be sufficient cause for disqualification. In such cases, specialized clinical or medical judgement and tests may be required.
- 6 Evidence that the operator is subject to seizures or loss of physical control shall be sufficient reason for disqualification. Specialized medical tests may be required to determine these conditions.

## **CONDUCT OF OPERATORS**

- 9 The operator shall not engage in any practice which will divert his attention while actually operating the crane.
- 10 Each operator shall be responsible for those operations under the operator's direct control. Whenever there is any doubt as to safety, the operator shall consult with the supervisor before handling the loads.
- 11 The operator should not leave a suspended load unattended unless specific precautions have been instituted and are in place.
- 12 If there is a warning sign on the switch or engine starting controls, the operator shall not close the switch or start the engine until the warning sign has been removed by the appointed person.
- 13 Before closing the switch or starting the engine, the operator shall see that all controls are in the "OFF" or neutral position and all personnel are in the clear.
- 14 If power fails during operation, the operator shall:
  - A. move power controls to the "OFF" or neutral position.



# ***QUALIFICATIONS FOR AND CONDUCT OF OPERATORS AND OPERATING PRACTICES***

B. land the suspended load and boom, if practical.

**15** The operator shall be familiar with the equipment and its proper care. If adjustments or repairs are necessary, the operator shall report the same promptly to the appointed person, and shall also notify the next operator.

**16** All controls shall be tested by the operator at the start of each shift. If any controls do not operate properly, they shall be adjusted or repaired before operations are begun.

**17** Stabilizers shall be visible to the operator while extending or setting unless operator is assisted by a signal person.

## **OPERATING PRACTICES**

### **HANDLING THE LOAD**

#### **18 Size of load**

- A. No crane shall be loaded beyond the rated load except for test purposes.
- B. The load to be lifted is to be within the rated load of the crane and its existing configuration.
- C. When loads which are not accurately known are to be lifted, the person responsible for the job shall ascertain that the weight of the load does not exceed the crane rated load at the radius at which the load is to be lifted.

#### **19 Attaching the load**

- A. The load shall be attached to the hook by means of slings or other devices of sufficient capacity.
- B. Hoist rope shall not be wrapped around the load.

#### **20 Moving the load**

- A. The operator shall determine that:
- B. The crane is level and, where necessary, the vehicle/carrier is blocked properly.
- C. The load is well secured and balanced in the sling or lifting device before it is lifted more than a few inches.
- D. Means are provided to hold the vehicle stationary while operating the crane.
- E. Before starting to lift, the hook shall be brought over the load in such a manner as to minimize swinging.

F. During lifting care shall be taken that:

- 1. there is no sudden acceleration or deceleration of the moving load.
- 2. load, boom or other parts of the crane do not contact any obstruction.

G. Cranes shall not be used for dragging loads sideways.

H. This standard recognizes that articulating boom cranes are designed and intended for handling materials. They do not meet personnel lift or elevator requirements. Therefore, no lifting, lowering, swinging or traveling shall be done while a person is on the hook or load. Hook attached suspended work platforms (baskets) shall not be used with cranes covered by this standard. Work platforms attached to the boom must be approved by crane manufacturer.

I. The operator should avoid carrying loads over people.

J. When the crane is so equipped, the stabilizers shall be fully extended and set. Blocking under stabilizers shall meet the requirements as follows:

- 1. strong enough to prevent crushing.
- 2. of such thickness, width and length as to completely support the stabilizer pad.

K. Firm footing under all tires, or individual stabilizer pads should be level. Where such a footing is not otherwise supplied, it should be provided by timbers, cribbing, or other structural members to distribute the load so as to not exceed allowable bearing capacity or the underlying material.

L. In transit, the boom shall be carried in stowed position.

M. When rotating the crane, sudden starts and stops shall be avoided. rotational speed shall be such that the load does not swing out beyond the radius at which it can be controlled.

N. The crane shall not be transported with a load on the hook unless recommended by the manufacturer.

O. No person should be permitted to stand or pass under a suspended load.

**21 Stowing procedure. Follow the manufacturer's procedure and sequence when stowing and un-stowing the crane.**

# ***QUALIFICATIONS FOR AND CONDUCT OF OPERATORS AND OPERATING PRACTICES***

## **MISCELLANEOUS**

### **OPERATING NEAR ELECTRICAL POWER LINES**

- 22 Except where the electrical distribution and transmission lines have been de-energized and visibly grounded at point of work or where insulating barriers not a part of, or an attachment to, the crane have been erected to prevent physical contact with the lines, cranes shall operate so that no part of the crane or load enters within 10 ft. (3m).
- A. caution shall be exercised when working near overhead lines having long spans as they tend to move laterally or vertically due to the wind which would breach the safety zone.
  - B. in transit with no load and boom lowered the clearance shall be 10 ft. (3.0m)
  - C. a qualified signal person shall be assigned to observe the 10 ft. (3.0m) clearance and give warning before approaching above.
- 23 Any overhead wire shall be considered to be an energized line unless and until the person owning such line or the electrical utility authorities verify that it is not an energized line.
- 24 Exceptions to this procedure, if approved by the administrative or regulatory authority if the alternate procedure provides equivalent protection and set forth in writing.
- 25 Durable signs shall be installed at the operator's station and on the outside of the crane, warning that electrocution or serious bodily injury may occur unless a minimum clearance of 10 ft. (3.0m) between the crane or the load being handled and energized power lines. Greater clearances are required because of higher voltage as stated above. These signs shall be revised but not removed when local jurisdiction requires greater clearances.

# ***INSPECTION, TESTING AND MAINTENANCE***

## **GENERAL**

### **INSPECTION CLASSIFICATION**

- 1 **Initial inspection.** Prior to initial use, all new, altered, modified or extensively repaired cranes shall be inspected by a designated person to insure compliance with provisions of this standard.
- 2 **Regular inspection.** Inspection procedure for cranes in regular service is divided into two general classifications based upon the intervals at which inspection should be performed. The intervals in turn are dependent upon the nature of the components of the crane and the degree of their exposure to wear, deterioration, or malfunction. The two general classifications are herein designated as "frequent" and "periodic" with respective intervals between inspections as defined below.
  - A. frequent inspection - daily to monthly intervals.
  - B. periodic inspection - one to twelve intervals, or as specifically recommended by the manufacturer.

### **FREQUENT INSPECTION**

- 3 **Inspection shall be performed by designated personnel.**
  - A. control mechanisms for ~~maladjustment~~ interfering with proper operation - daily, when used;
  - B. control mechanisms for excessive wear of components and ~~contamination~~ by lubricants or other foreign matter;
  - C. ~~safety devices~~ for malfunction;
  - D. all hydraulic hoses, particularly those which flex in normal operation of crane functions, should be visually inspected once every working day, when used;
  - E. hooks and latches for deformation, chemical damage, cracks, and wear. Refer to ANSI/ASME B30.10;
  - F. ~~rope reeving~~ for compliance with crane manufacturer's specifications, if ~~optional~~ winch is used;
  - G. electrical apparatus for malfunctioning, signs of excessive deterioration, dirt and moisture accumulation;

- H. hydraulic system for proper oil level and leaks daily;
- I. tires for recommended inflation pressure, cuts and loose wheel nuts;
- J. connecting pins and locking device for wear and damage;

### **PERIODIC INSPECTION**

- 4 Deformed, cracked or corroded members in the crane structure and carrier;
- 5 Loose bolts, particularly mounting bolts;
- 6 Cracked or worn sheaves and drums;
- 7 Worn, cracked, or distorted parts such as pins, bearings, shafts, gears, rollers and devices;
- 8 Excessive wear on brake and clutch system parts and lining;
- 9 Crane hooks inspected for cracks;
- 10 Travel steering, braking, and locking devices, for malfunction;
- 11 Excessively worn or damaged tires;
- 12 Hydraulic and pneumatic hose, fittings, and tubing inspection;
  - A. evidence of leakage at the surface of the flexible hose or its junction with metal and coupling;
  - B. blistering, or abnormal deformation to the outer covering of the hydraulic or pneumatic hose;
  - C. leakage at threaded or clamped joints that cannot be eliminated by normal tightening or recommended procedures;
  - D. evidence of excessive abrasion or scrubbing on the outer surface of a hose, rigid tube, or fitting. Means shall be taken to eliminate the interference of elements in contact or otherwise protect the components.

# ***INSPECTION, TESTING AND MAINTENANCE***

## **GENERAL**

### **13 Hydraulic and pneumatic pumps and motors inspection**

- A. loose bolts or fasteners;
- B. leaks at joints between sections;
- C. shaft seal leaks;
- D. unusual noises or vibrations;
- E. loss of operating speed;
- F. excessive heating of the fluid;
- G. loss of pressure.

### **14 Hydraulic and pneumatic valves inspection**

- A. cracks in valve housing;
- B. improper return of spool to neutral position;
- C. leaks at spools or joints;
- D. sticking spools;
- E. failure of relief valves to attain or maintain correct pressure setting;
- F. relief valve pressure shall be checked as specified by the manufacturers.

### **15 Hydraulic and pneumatic cylinders inspection**

- A. drifting caused by fluid leaking across piston;
- B. rod seals leaking
- C. leaks at welding joints
- D. scored, nicked, or dented cylinder rods;
- E. damaged case (barrel);
- F. loose or deformed rod eyes or connecting joints.

**16 Hydraulic filters.** Evidence of rubber particles on the filter elements may indicate hose, "O" ring, or other rubber component deterioration. Metal chips or pieces on the filter may denote failure in pumps, motors, or cylinders. Further checking will be necessary to determine origin of the problem before corrective action can be taken.

**17 Labels** are to be in place and legible.

### **CRANES NOT IN REGULAR USE**

**18** A crane which has been idle for a period of over one month or more, but not less than six months, shall be given an inspection conforming with the initial-regular-frequent inspections.

**19** A crane which has been idle for a period of over six months shall be given a complete inspection conforming with the initial-regular-frequent inspection requirements.

### **INSPECTION RECORDS**

**20** Dated records for periodic inspection should be made on critical items such as brakes, crane hooks, rope, hydraulic and pneumatic cylinders, and hydraulic and pneumatic relief pressure valves. Records should be kept available to an appointed person.

### **OPERATIONAL TESTS**

**21** Prior to initial use, all new, altered, modified, or extensively repaired cranes shall be tested for compliance with the operational requirements of this section, including functions such as the following:

- A. load lifting and lowering mechanisms;
- B. boom lifting and lowering mechanisms;
- C. boom extension and retraction mechanisms;
- D. swing mechanisms;
- E. safety devices;
- F. operating controls comply with appropriate function labels.

***Operational crane test results shall be made available to an appointed person.***

### **RATED TEST LOAD**

***Prior to initial use, altered, modified, or extensively repaired cranes shall be load***

# ***INSPECTION, TESTING AND MAINTENANCE***

## **GENERAL**

*tested by or under the direction of an appointed person.*

22 Test loads shall **not** exceed 110% of the manufacturer's load ratings.

23 Written reports shall be maintained showing test procedures and confirming the adequacy of repairs.

## **MAINTENANCE**

### **PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE**

24 Before adjustment and repairs are started on a crane, the following precautions shall be taken as applicable:

- A. crane placed where it will cause the least interference with other equipment or operations;
- B. all controls at the "off" position;
- C. starting means rendered inoperative;
- D. boom lowered to the ground if possible or otherwise secured against dropping;
- E. relieve hydraulic oil pressure from all hydraulic circuits before loosening or removing hydraulic components.

25 Warning or "OUT OF ORDER" signs shall be placed on the crane controls.

26 After adjustments and repairs have been made, the crane shall not be returned to service until all guards have been reinstalled, trapped air removed from hydraulic system (if required), safety devices reactivated, and maintenance equipment removed.

### **ADJUSTMENTS AND REPAIRS**

27 Any hazardous conditions disclosed by the inspection requirements shall be corrected before operation of crane is resumed. Adjustments and repairs shall be done only by designated personnel.

28 Adjustments shall be maintained to assure correct functioning of components. The following are examples:

A. functional operating mechanism;

B. safety devices;

C. control systems;

29 Repairs or replacements shall be provided as needed for operation.

*The following are examples:*

A. critical parts of functional operating mechanisms which are cracked, broken, corroded, bent, or excessively worn;

B. critical parts of the crane structure which are cracked, bent, broken, or excessively corroded;

C. crane hooks showing cracks, damage, or corrosion shall be taken out of service. Repairs by welding are not recommended.

30 Instructions shall be provided by the manufacturer for the removal of air from hydraulic circuits.

## **LUBRICATION**

*All moving parts of the crane, for which lubrication is specified, should be regularly lubricated per the manufacturer's recommendations and procedures.*

## **ROPE INSPECTION**

31 Frequent Inspection

A. All running ropes in service should be visually inspected once each working day. A visual inspection shall consist of observation of all rope which can be in use during the days operations. These visual observations should be considered with discovering gross damage such as listed below, which may be an immediate hazard;

1. distortion of the rope such as kinking, crushing, un-stranding, birdcaging, main strand displacement, or core protrusion. Loss of rope diameter in a short length or unevenness of outer strands should be replaced;
2. general corrosion;

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3. broken or cut strands;
  4. number, distribution and type of visible broken wires. When such damage is discovered, the rope shall either be removed from service or given as inspection.
- B. Care shall be taken when inspecting sections of rapid deterioration such as flange points, crossover points, and repetitive pickup points on drums.

### **32 Periodic inspection**

- A. the inspection frequency shall be determined by a qualified person and shall be based on such factors as:
1. expected rope life as determined by experience on the particular installation or similar installations;
  2. severity of environment;
  3. percentage of capacity lifts;
  4. frequency rates of operation;
  5. exposure to shock loads;

***Inspection need not be at equal calendar intervals and should be more frequent as the rope approaches the end of its service life. This inspection shall be made at least annually.***

- B. Periodic inspection shall be performed by a designated person. This inspection shall cover the entire length of the rope. Only the surface wires need be inspected. No attempt should be made to open the rope. Any deterioration results in appreciable loss of original strength, such as described below, shall be noted and determination made as to whether use of the rope would constitute a hazard: points listed above reduction of rope diameter below nominal diameter due to loss of core support, internal or external corrosion, or wear of outside wires; severely corroded, cracked, bent, worn or improperly applied connections;
- C. Care shall be taken when inspecting sections subject to rapid deterioration such as the following:

1. sections in contact with saddles, equalizer sheaves, or other sheaves where rope travel is limited;
2. sections of the rope at or near terminal ends where corroded or broken wires may protrude.

### **ROPE REPLACEMENT**

- 33 No precise rules can be given for determination of the exact time for replacement of rope, since many variable factors are involved.

***Continued use in this respect depends upon good judgement by a designated person in evaluating remaining strength in a used rope after allowance for deterioration disclosed by inspection. Continued rope operation depends upon this remaining strength.***

- 34 Conditions such as the following shall be reason for questioning continued use of the rope or increasing the frequency of inspection:

- A. in running ropes, six randomly distributed broken wires in one lay or three broken wires in one strand in one lay;
- B. one outer wire broken at the contact point with the core of the rope structure and protrudes or loops out of the rope structure. Additional inspection of this section is required.
- C. wear of one third of the original diameter of the outside individual wire.
- D. kinking, crushing, birdcaging, or any other damage resulting in distortion of the rope structure.
- E. evidence of any heat damage from any cause.
- F. reduction from nominal diameter of more than 1/64 in. (0.4mm) for diameters up to and including 5/16 in. (8 mm), 1/32 in. (0.8 mm) for diameter 3/8 in. (9.5 mm) to and including 1/2 in. (13 mm), 3/64 in. (1.2 mm) for diameter 9/16 in. (14.5 mm) to and including 3/4 in. (19 mm), 1/16 in. (1.6 mm) for diameter 7/8 in. (22 mm) to and including 11/8 in. (29 mm), 3/32 in. (2.4 mm) for diameters 11/4 in. (32 mm) to and including 11/2 in. (38 mm).

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G. In standing ropes, more than two broken wires in one lay in sections beyond end connections or more than one broken wire at an end connection.

H. Replacement rope shall have a strength rating at least as great as the original rope furnished or recommended by the crane manufacturer. Any deviation from the original size, grade, or construction shall be specified by a rope manufacturer, or a qualified person.

**35 Rope not in regular use:** all rope which has been idle for a period of a month or more due to shutdown or storage of a crane on which it is installed, shall be given an inspection in accordance with above information before it is placed in service. This inspection shall be for all types of deterioration and shall be performed by a qualified person.

### **36 Inspection records**

A. frequent inspection- no records required

B. periodic inspections- in order to establish data as a basis for judging the proper time for replacement, a dated report condition at each periodic inspection should be kept on file. This report shall cover points of deterioration listed above.

## **ROPE MAINTENANCE**

**37 Rope should be stored to prevent damage or deterioration.**

**38 Unreeling or uncoiling of rope shall be done as recommended by the rope manufacturer and with care to avoid kinking or inducing twist.**

**39 Before cutting a rope, seizing shall be placed on each side of the place where the rope is to be cut to prevent unlaying of the strands. On pre-formed rope, one seizing on each side of the cut is required. On non-preformed ropes of 7/8 in. (22 mm) diameter or smaller, two seizings on each side of the cut are required, and for non-preformed rope 1 in. (25 mm) diameter or larger, three seizings on each side of the cut are required.**

**40 During installation care should be exercised to avoid dragging of the rope in the dirt or around objects which will scrape, nick crush or induce sharp bends in it.**

**41 Rope should be maintained in a well-lubricated condition. It is important that lubricant applied as a part of a maintenance program shall be compatible with the original lubricant and to this end the rope manufacturer should be consulted. Lubricant applied shall be the type which does not hinder visual inspection. Those sections of rope which are located over sheaves or otherwise hidden during inspection and maintenance procedures require special attention when lubricating rope. The object of rope lubrication is to reduce internal friction and to prevent corrosion.**

**42 When an operating rope shows greater wear or well defined localized areas than on the remainder of the rope, rope life can be extended in cases where a section at the worn end, and thus shifting the wear to different areas of the rope.**

# MAINTENANCE OF BATTERIES

Maintenance of Auto Crane unit batteries differs very little from the generally prescribed maintenance of any lead acid battery. All batteries must be kept *properly charged, properly filled with water, and relatively clean.*

## Keep Properly Charged

Many things affect the proper charge to a battery, such as:

- 1 Regulator settings
- 2 Proper tightness of belts on the alternator or generator
- 3 Good, clean connections of all cables and wires at the following places:
  - A. Battery
  - B. Regulator
  - C. Starting motor
  - D. Alternator or generator
  - E. Ground connections (most important)

It is of extreme importance to keep the battery as fully charged as possible without overcharging, especially when vehicles are left outside for extended periods in extremely cold climates. A battery *can* freeze. Freezing points for various specific gravities of acid are as follows:

Specific Gravity (Corrected to 80°F)	Freezing Temp. Degrees F.
1.280	-90°F
1.250	-62°F
1.200	-16°F
1.150	5°F
1.100	19°F

As shown, a half-charged battery (about 1.200 specific gravity) cannot stand for any length of time at 20°F or it will freeze.

The *main reason* for keeping the battery as fully charged as possible without over-charging is to ensure that power is available even though the vehicle has been standing for some time.

## Keep Properly Filled with Water

The battery should *always* be properly filled with water. If the electrolyte level is allowed to fall below the top of the plates, the results become threefold:

- 1 The exposed portion of the plate will become sulfated.
- 2 The portion of the plate exposed is not usable.
- 3 That portion of the acid remaining becomes more concentrated and may cause more rapid deterioration of the remaining parts of the battery.

## Keep A Relatively Clean Battery

The battery should be kept clean. Batteries filled with acid and which are not in use self-discharge to a limited degree because of the nature of the materials within the battery. If dirt is allowed to collect on the top of the battery (and this dirt absorbs moisture) and electrical path can be set up between the various terminals of the battery and the ground. Once such a path has been established, the self-discharge of the battery is accelerated. This also accelerates corrosion of the battery cables at the terminals.

## Periodic Maintenance is Needed

A definite program of periodic maintenance of all batteries should be conducted on a regular basis. Periodic maintenance includes:

- 1 Checking belts for tightness on the charging equipment
- 2 Checking battery electrolyte levels
- 3 Checking cables for good connections
- 4 Cleaning where corrosion is apparent

When corrosion is cleaned off, the cable terminals and battery terminals should be coated with a light coating of petroleum jelly before they are replaced. When terminals are cleaned, the top of the battery should be cleaned with a mild solution of soda water.



# ***MAINTENANCE OF BATTERIES***

## **Low Maintenance Batteries**

### **(Maintenance Free)**

Low maintenance batteries should not be used on Auto Cranes or trucks equipped with Auto Cranes. The batteries are not designed for "deep" discharge.

### **Testing Your Battery**

If the condition of the battery is in question, it should be removed from the vehicle, taken to the shop, and allowed to reach room temperature. It should then be recharged until specific gravity readings taken at one-half hour intervals. If the specific gravity readings are fairly uniform, the battery should be checked with a high rate tester. Use the tester in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions. The high rate tester is the best method to test a questionable battery.

If, after charging, it is noted that the specific gravity reading of one cell is 30 points less than any of the other cells, it may be assumed that the cell is bad and that the battery should be replaced. If all cells are uniform but not up to full charge, a low rate of charge

should be attempted for an extended time. This usually will recover a badly sulfated battery.

### **Replacing a Battery**

If it is necessary to replace a battery, and a dry charge battery is used, the following procedure applies:

- 1 Fill the battery with electrolyte of the proper specific gravity.
- 2 Place the battery on charge according to the manufacturer's instructions.

It is essential that the second step above be followed to ensure that the battery going on the vehicle is fully charged.

It is also very important that the battery hold-downs be checked periodically to ensure that the batteries are properly positioned to avoid vibration problems, breakage of cables or terminals. Care must be taken to avoid cracking or breaking containers or covers by tightening hold-down fixtures excessively. They also must not be so loose that breakage results from a hold-down that is too loose.

# SAFETY DECAL SECTION

**PART NO.:** 040517  
**DECAL:** STAY CLEAR OF BOOM  
**FUNCTION:** To inform the operator of the hazard of proximity or contact with the crane boom during operation.  
**QUANTITY:** 2  
**PLACEMENT:** Both sides of upper boom  
*(see page 5-3.0.0, Item 1)*

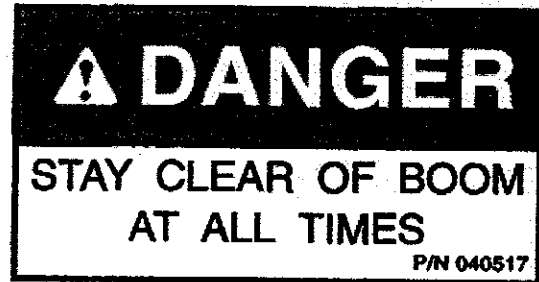


FIG. SD-1.

**PART NO.:** 040518  
**DECAL:** STAY CLEAR OF LOAD  
**FUNCTION:** To inform the operator of the hazard of proximity or contact with the crane load during operation.  
**QUANTITY:** 2  
**PLACEMENT:** Down hall weight  
*(see page 5-3.0.0, Item 6)*

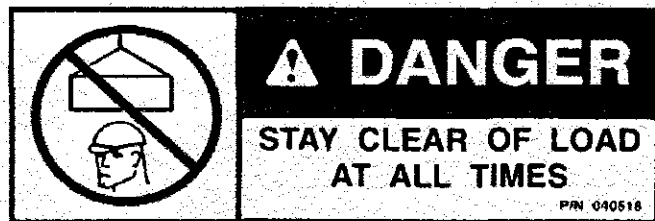


FIG. SD-2.

**PART NO.:** 040519  
**DECAL:** SCISSORS POINT  
**FUNCTION:** To inform the operator of possible danger at scissors point on crane.

**QUANTITY:** 1  
**PLACEMENT:** Lower boom  
*(see page 5-3.0.0, Item 9)*



FIG. SD-3.

# SAFETY DECAL SECTION

PART NO.: 040529 QUANTITY: 2  
 DECAL: ELECTROCUTION HAZARD PLACEMENT: Lower boom  
 FUNCTION: To inform the operator of the hazard involved with contacting electrical power lines with crane boom. (see page 5-3.0.0, Item 10)

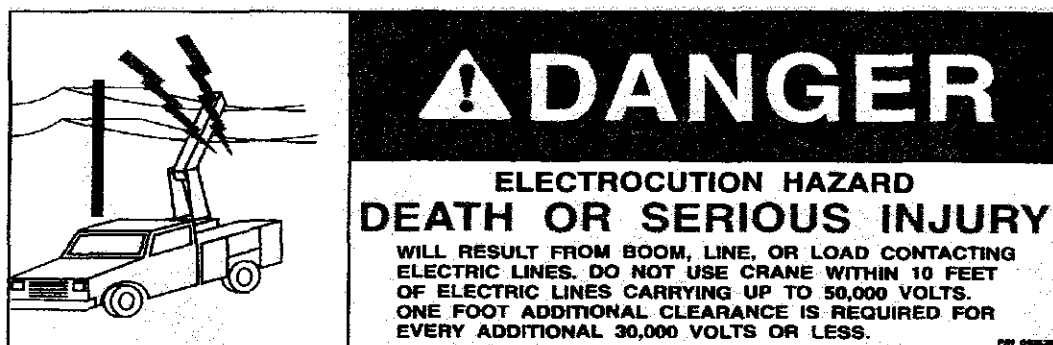


FIG. SD-4.

PART NO.: 040579  
 DECAL: OPERATION INSTRUCTIONS  
 FUNCTION: To inform the operator of the proper procedure to follow for safe operation of the crane.  
 QUANTITY: 1  
 PLACEMENT: Housing weldment  
 (see page 5-3.0.0, Item 5)

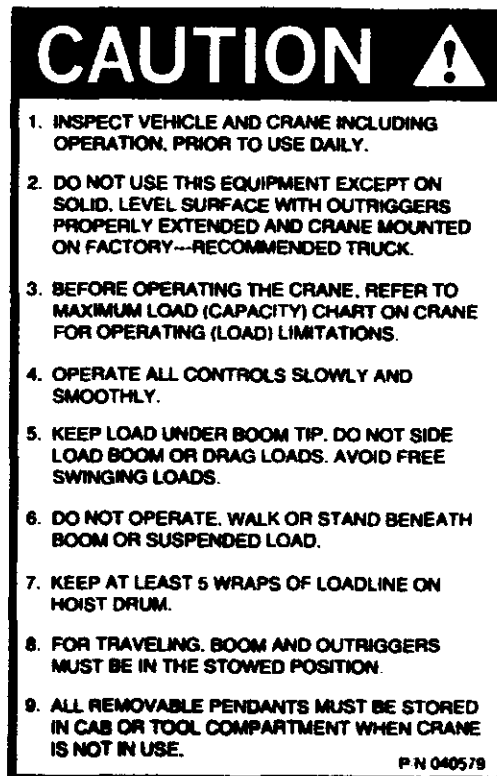
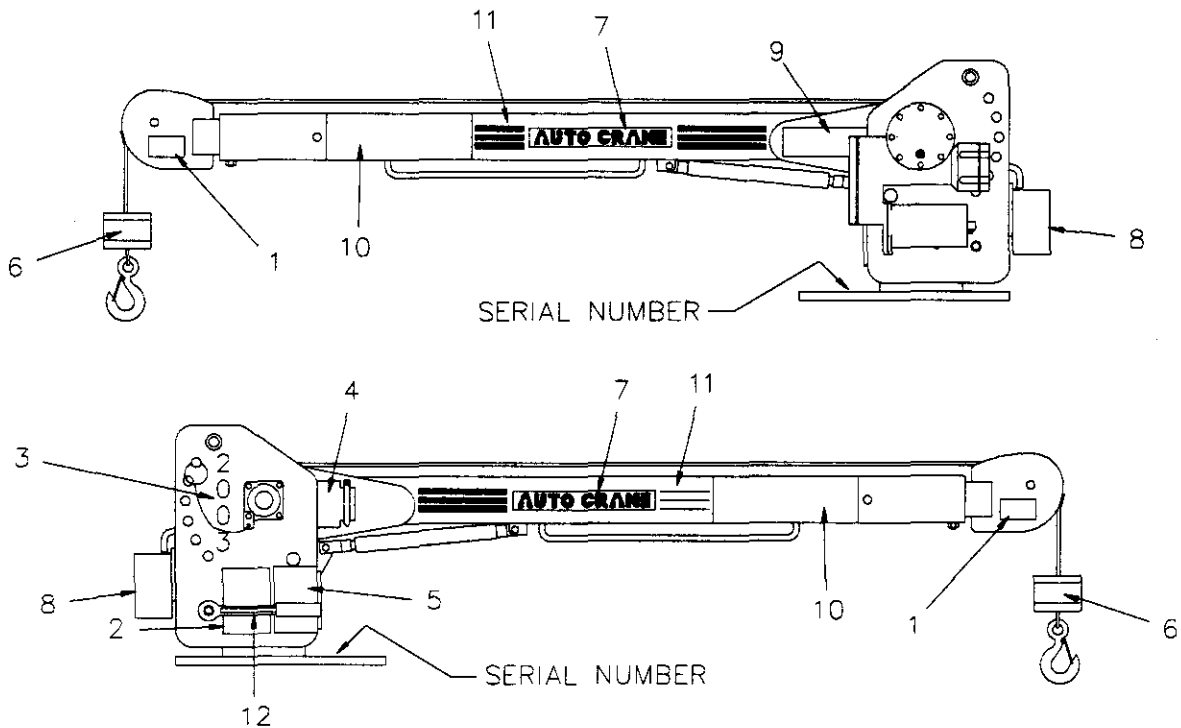


FIG. SD-5.

# **DECAL DRAWING**

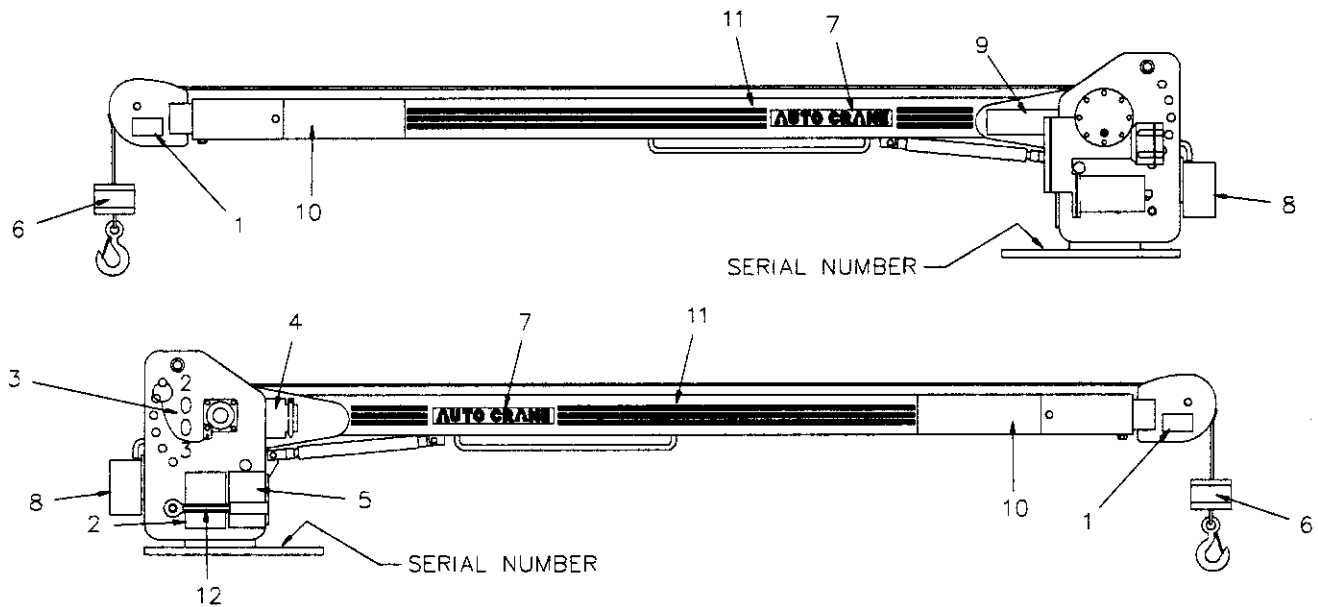
## **9' BOOM - 2003 SERIES**



<b>ITEM</b>	<b>QTY</b>	<b>P/N</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>
1	2	040517	STAY CLEAR DECAL
2	1	600006	LOAD CHART 9' BOOM DECAL (see page 13-1.0.0)
3	1	330967	2003 DECAL
4	1	320318	ANGLE IND DECAL
5	1	040579	WORK RULES DECAL
6	2	040518	STAY CLEAR DECAL
7	2	600047	AUTO CRANE DECAL
8	1	040619	A/C LOGO DECAL
9	1	040519	SCISSORS POINT DECAL
10	2	040529	DANGER ELECT DECAL
11	2'	040620	STRIPING
12	.5'	600066	1/4" WIDE STRIPING TAPE

# **DECAL DRAWING**

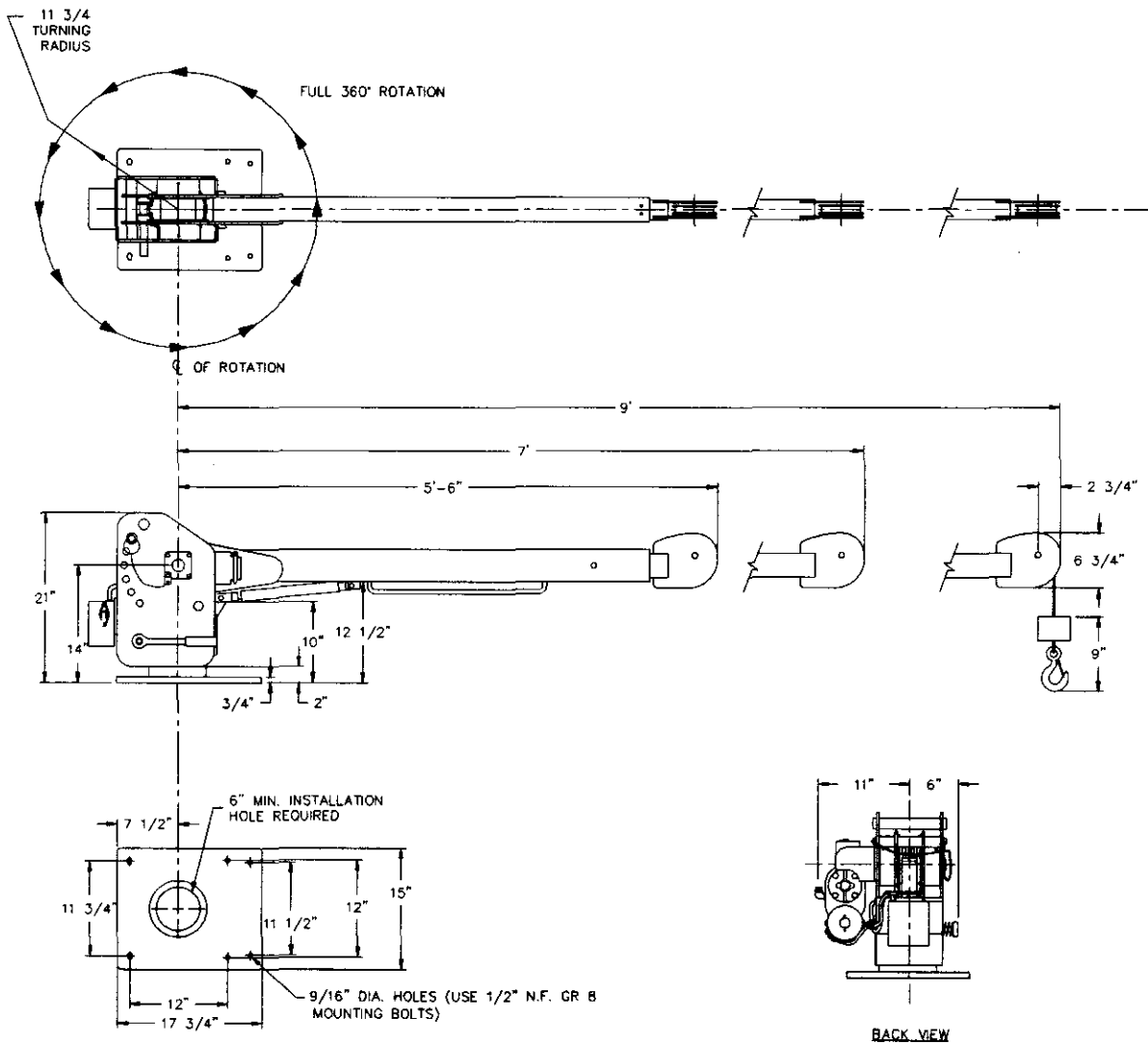
## **14' BOOM - 2003 SERIES**



<b>ITEM</b>	<b>QTY</b>	<b>P/N</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>
1	2	040517	STAY CLEAR DECAL
2	1	600084	LOAD CHART 9' BOOM DECAL (see page 13-2.0.0)
3	1	330967	2003 DECAL
4	1	320318	ANGLE IND DECAL
5	1	040579	WORK RULES DECAL
6	2	040518	STAY CLEAR DECAL
7	2	600047	AUTO CRANE DECAL
8	1	040619	A/C LOGO DECAL
9	1	040519	SCISSORS POINT DECAL
10	2	040529	DANGER ELECT DECAL
11	7.5'	040620	STRIPING
12	.5'	600066	1/4" WIDE STRIPING TAPE

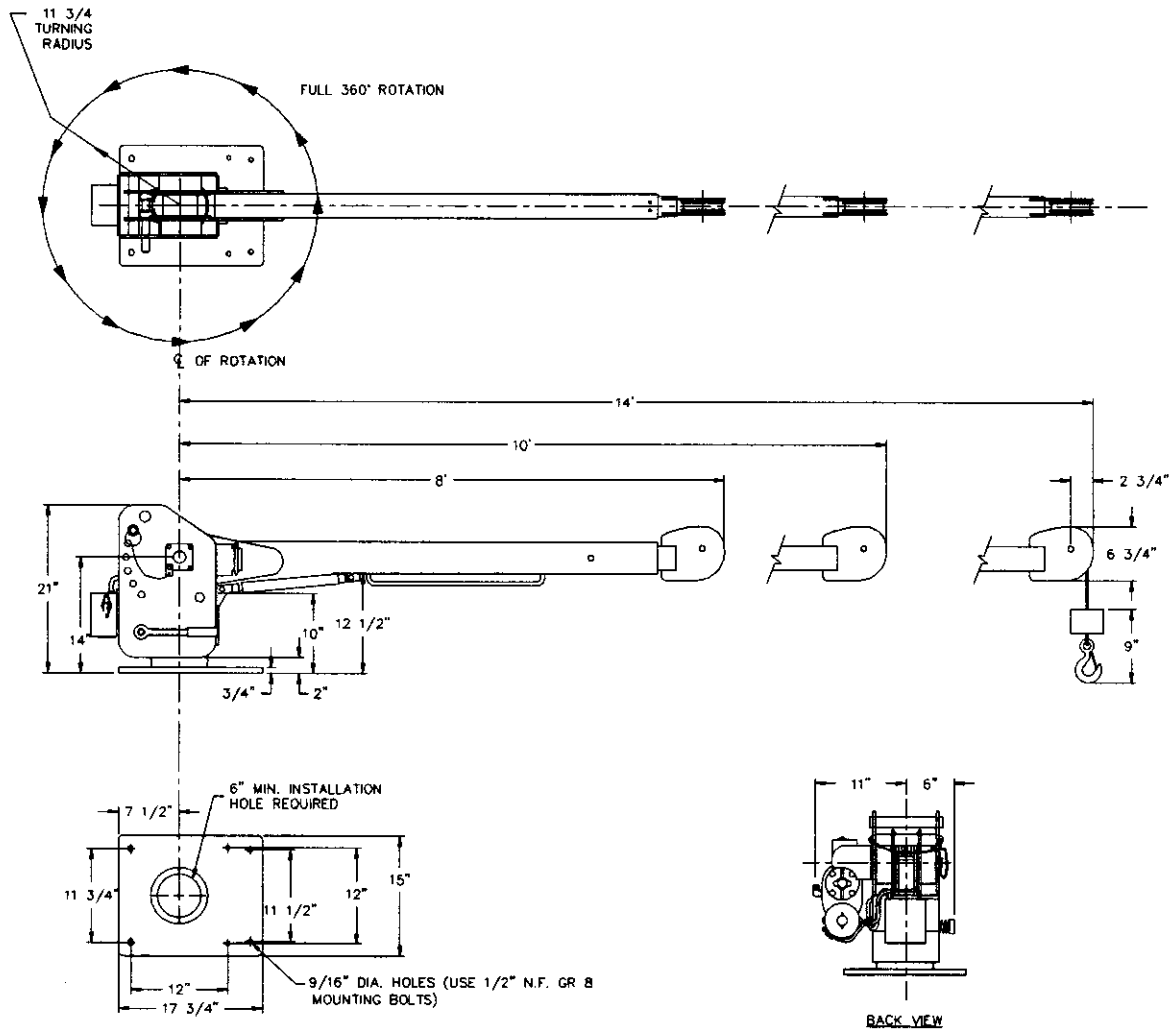
# 9' BOOM GENERAL DIMENSIONS

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# 14' BOOM GENERAL DIMENSIONS

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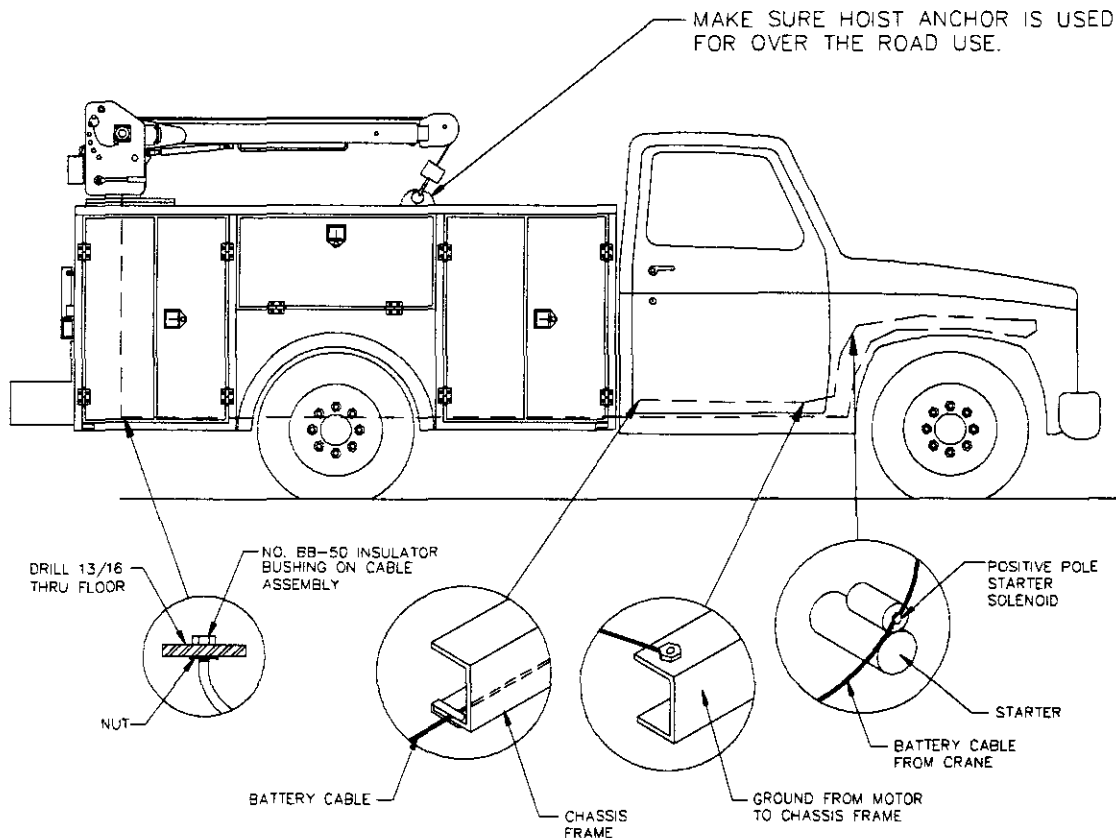


# **ASSEMBLY & INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS**

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### **NOTE:**

For mounting bolt hole pattern - see page 6-1.0.0.



### **INSTALLATION - BATTERY CABLE**

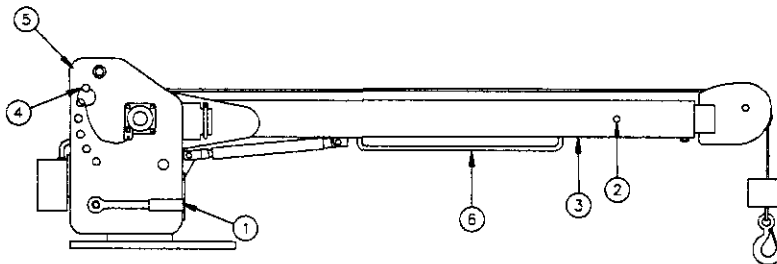
1. Drill 13/16" hole in floor. Install bushing, which is connected to cable, so it fits hole snug.
2. Run cable to positive battery terminal. Connect black cable to negative battery terminal or suitable chassis ground point. Locate cables so that they will be protected. Avoid sharp edges. Use the No. 083800 frame clips provided to hold cables securely in place.
3. If the battery is grounded to the engine it may be necessary to add an additional ground cable from the engine to the chassis frame to obtain maximum power at crane



# OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

## **To Extend:**

Turn Brake Handle (1) counter clock-wise to release brake and turn boom to a convenient location for extending boom. Tighten Brake by turning Brake Handle clock-wise. Use pendant control to let out more cable for boom extension. Remove Boom Extension Pin (2) in Lower Boom (3). Slide Upper Boom out of Lower Boom until a new set of pin holes in Upper Boom appear in pin hole in Lower Boom. Replace Pin in Lower Boom.

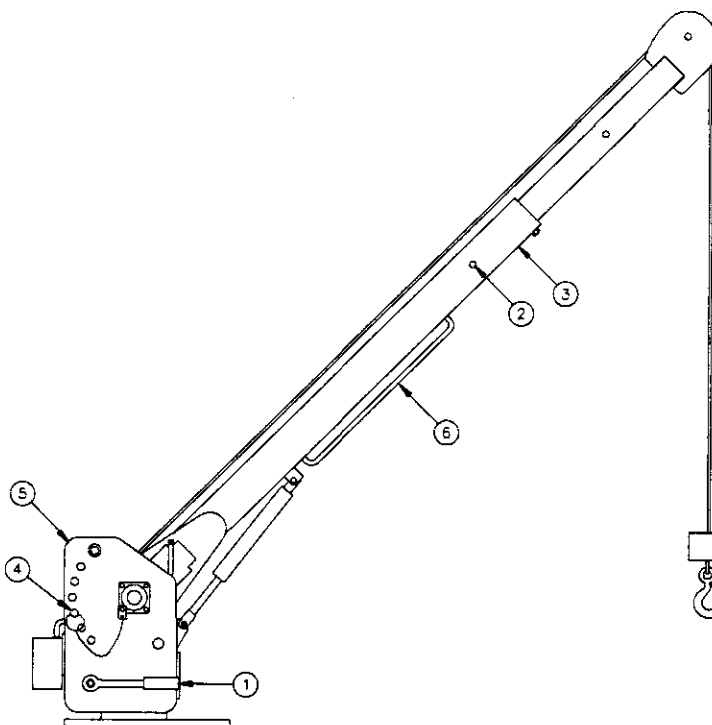


Boom is now ready to raise.

## **To Raise:**

Use pendant control to let out more cable for boom elevation. Remove Hitch Clip from Boom Elevation Pin (4) in Boom Housing (5). Place hand on Lower Boom Handle (6) and gently pull down on handle. Pull Boom Elevation Pin out of Boom and Boom Housing. Raise Boom to desired elevation. Align tube in Boom with holes in Housing and replace Boom Elevation Pin. Replace Hitch Clip on Boom Elevation Pin.

The crane is now ready to lift the load.



## **CAUTION:**

**DO NOT STAND DIRECTLY UNDER BOOM WHEN RAISING OR LOWERING BOOM OR SERIOUS INJURY MAY RESULT.**

## **LUBRICATION & MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE 2003 CRANE**

SERVICE PERFORMED	DAILY	WEEKLY	MONTHLY	6 MONTHS	NOTES
LOAD HOOK	X				INSPECT HOOK & LATCH FOR DEFORMATION, CRACKS, & CORROSION
CABLE DRUM	X				MAKE SURE CABLE IS WOUND EVENLY ON DRUM
HOIST CABLE	X				CHECK FOR FLATTENING, KINKS, & BROKEN STRANDS, SEE MANUAL
MOUNTING BOLTS		X			CHECK-TORQUE TO 85 FT-LBS (DRY) AS REQUIRED
MOTOR CONNECTION		X			CHECK TERMINALS FOR TIGHT CONNECTIONS
SHEAVE BEARINGS		X			SEALED BEARING, REPLACE IF ROUGH OR LOOSE
ALL OTHER BOLTS		X			CHECK-TIGHTEN AS REQUIRED
BATTERY CONNECTIONS		X			CHECK FOR CORROSION & TIGHT CONNECTIONS. CLEAN & COAT AS REQUIRED
EXTENSION DETENT PIN		X			LUBE DETENT SPRING & BALL W/ WD-40
ROTATION BRAKE		X			CHECK ADJUSTMENT
POWER CABLE			X		CHECK INSULATION FOR DAMAGE OR DETERIORATION
BOOM PIVOTS			X		GREASE WITH MOBILPLEX EP-2 OR EQUIV @ ZERKS
HOIST GEARBOX				X	WORM GEAR-EP GEAR LUBE SAE 80-90, SPUR GEAR SAE 30 OIL
BOOM SLIDE PADS					PADS GREASED WHEN REPLACED
FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION SEE:	1) OWNER'S MANUAL 2) OSHA SECTION 1910.180 3) ANSI B30.5-1989				

## ***LIFE OF WIRE LINE***

So many variable factors can cause the deterioration of wire line cable that it is not possible to determine a definite life expectancy. Some of these factors are:

1. **Load being handled.**
2. **Corrosive conditions.**
3. **Maintenance of the unit.**
  - A. Keep the sheaves turning freely
  - B. Maintain tension on cable to insure proper spooling
  - C. Avoid kinks in cable
  - D. Avoid abrasive action and contact with sharp corners
4. **Frequency of use.**

This Auto Crane unit uses 1/4 inch diameter galvanized pre-formed 7 x 19 aircraft cable. This cable has a working strength, when new, of 7,000 pounds. Follow load chart for load capacities.

Keeping the above factor of safety in mind and knowing the kind of loads that will be handled, the user can determine by inspection of the cable as to when it should be replaced.

**Items to look for while inspecting the cables are:**

1. **Broken strands.**
2. **Kinks and flattened sections.**
3. **Corrosion and abrasion.**

## ***WIRE LINE LUBRICATION***

**Lubrication of the wire line serves two important purposes:** (1) helps to prevent corrosion; (2) lubricates the cable strands to reduce wear due to flexing and abrasion caused by contact with the sheaves, rollers, and cable on the drum.

### **PREPARATION:**

Remove rust and foreign matter with a wire brush and wipe clean. Be sure cable is dry.

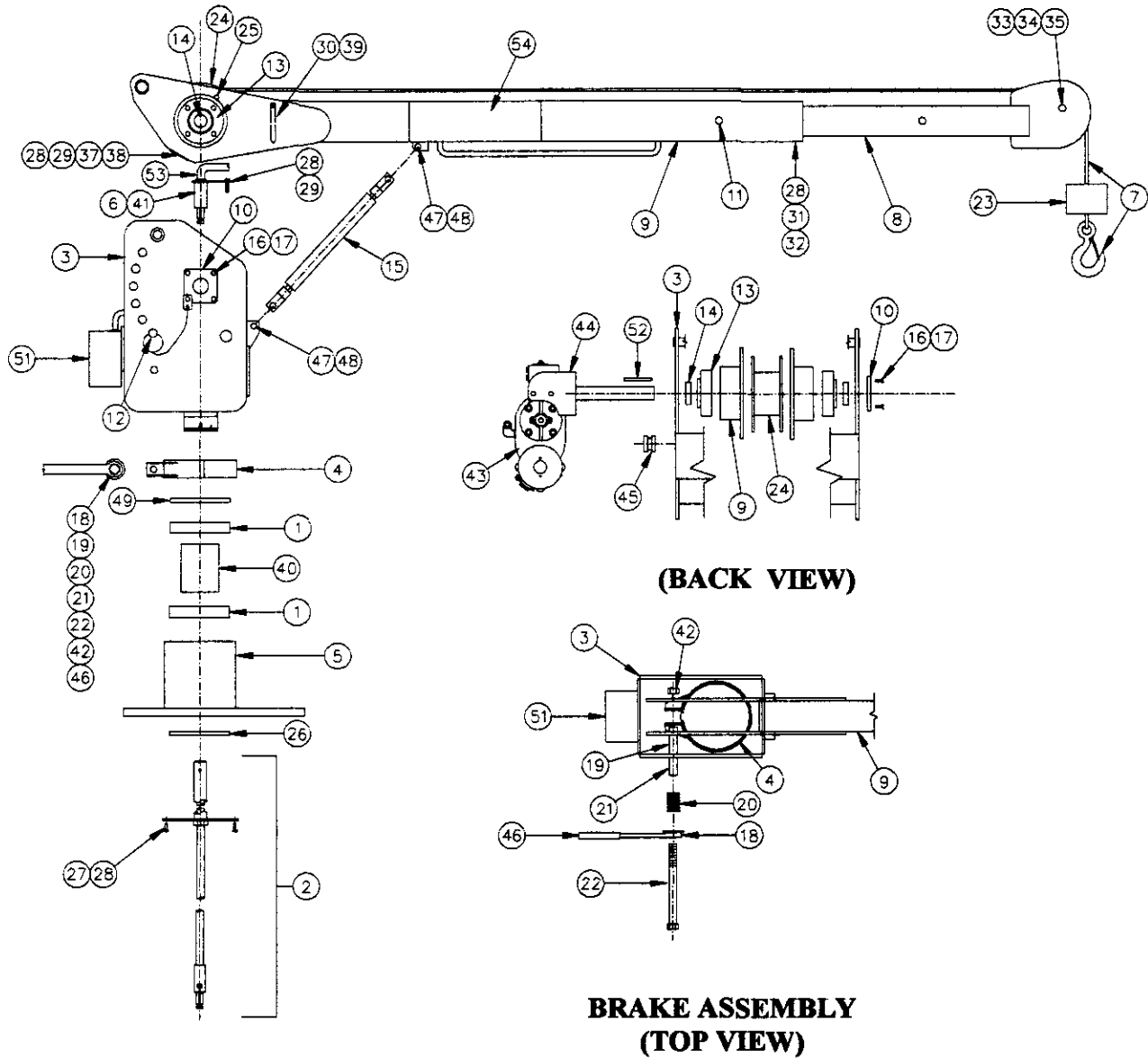
### **APPLICATION:**

**Method 1:** A light weight motor oil may be used by dipping a brush into the lubricant and applying. In some cases, a rag or piece of sheepskin is dipped in the lubricant and used to swab the lubricant on to the rope.

**Method 2:** A heavier lubricant such as a grease gun lubricant may be used by applying with hands while wearing leather gloves. (Leather gloves are preferred to canvas because of greater protection and less penetration of the grease)

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## **2003 SERIES 9' BOOM**



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## **2003 SERIES 9' BOOM**

<b>ITEM</b>	<b>QTY</b>	<b>P/N</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>
1	2	330192	BALL BEARING
2	1	600016	POWER CABLE ASSEMBLY (see page 10-6.0.0)
3	1	600027	HOUSING WELDMENT
4	1	600043	BRAKE BAND WELDMENT
5	1	600007	BASE WELDMENT
6	1	600013	UPPER TWECO BRACKET ASSEMBLY
7	1	600037	CABLE 1/4 x 50' w/ HOOK
8	1	600023	BOOM UPPER WELDMENT
9	1	600021	BOOM LOWER WELDMENT (MANUAL)
10	1	320368	BEARING RETAINER
11	1	370002	PIN ASSEMBLY w/ LANYARD (BOOM POSITION)
12	1	600026	PIN ASSEMBLY w/ LANYARD (BOOM ANGLE)
13	2	320411	BOOM PIVOT
14	2	400500	BEARING
15	1	600031	GAS SPRING
16	12	021100	WASHER SP LK 3/8
17	12	330394	SCREW HEX HD 3/8 NC x 1 1/2
18	1	600057	BRAKE WRENCH
19	1	600029	SPACER
20	1	320509	SPRING COMPRESSION
21	1	330489	SPACER
22	1	600044	CAPSCREW - HEX 5/8 NC GR8
23	1	600060	DOWNHAUL WEIGHT
24	1	320379	DRUM
25	2	239000	GREASE ZERK
26	1	330182	SNAP RING
27	2	005401	SCREW HEX HD 1/4 NC x 5/8
28	7	020200	WASHER SP LK 1/4
29	3	005500	SCREW HEX HD 1/4 NC x 3/4
30	1	016300	NUT HEX LOCK 1/4 NC
31	2	005901	SCREW HEX HD 1/4 NC x 1/2
32	1	600025	EXTENSION PAD
33	1	227401	SHEAVE ASSEMBLY
34	1	012200	SCREW HEX HD 5/8 NF x 1 3/4 GR5
35	1	018100	NUT HEX 5/8 NC STAINLESS
36	-	-	-
37	2	015900	NUT HEX 1/4 NC STAINLESS
38	1	320442	GUARD CABLE RETAINER

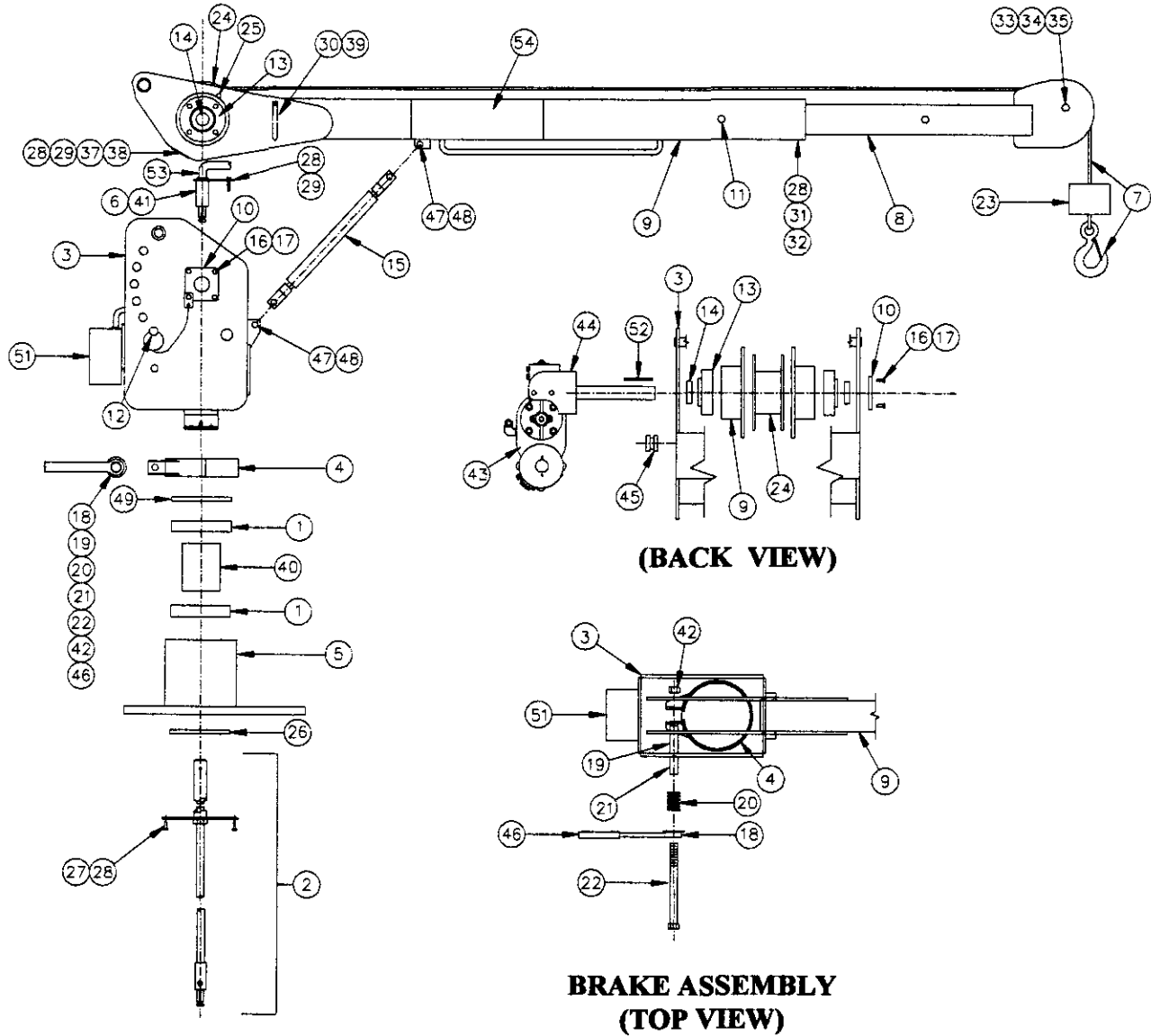
## ***GENERAL ASSEMBLY - P/N 600000-009***

### ***2003 SERIES 9' BOOM***

<b><u>ITEM</u></b>	<b><u>QTY</u></b>	<b><u>P/N</u></b>	<b><u>DESCRIPTION</u></b>
39	2	320453	ANGLE INDICATOR
40	1	600003	INNER TUBE SPACER 2003
41	1	330258	TWECO - MALE CONNECTOR
42	1	018301	NUT HEX 5/8 NC
43	1	320324	ACTUATOR ASSEMBLY ( <i>see page 10-3.0.0</i> )
44	1	600034	ACTUATOR BRACKET
45	1	600039	WIRE GUIDE GROMMET
46	1	600058	GRIP
47	2	600077	GAS SPRING PIN
48	2	000115	HAIR PIN CLIP
49	3	725894	ROLL PIN
50	1	600422	POWER CABLE x 22' ( <i>not shown</i> )
51	1	600099	RELAY BOX ASSEMBLY
52	1	341561	KEY 1/4 SQ x 2 3/4
53	1	330258	TWECO POWER CONDUCTOR
54	3	270326	BLACK INSULATOR BOOT ( <i>not shown</i> )

# **GENERAL ASSEMBLY - P/N 600000-014**

## **2003 SERIES 14' BOOM**



## **GENERAL ASSEMBLY - P/N 600000-014**

### **2003 SERIES 14' BOOM**

<b>ITEM</b>	<b>QTY</b>	<b>P/N</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>
1	2	330192	BALL BEARING
2	1	600016	POWER CABLE ASSEMBLY (see page 10-6.0.0)
3	1	600027	HOUSING WELDMENT
4	1	600043	BRAKE BAND WELDMENT
5	1	600007	BASE WELDMENT
6	1	600013	UPPER TWECO BRACKET ASSEMBLY
7	1	600037	CABLE 1/4 x 50' w/ HOOK
8	1	600082	BOOM UPPER WELDMENT
9	1	600080	BOOM LOWER WELDMENT (MANUAL)
10	1	320368	BEARING RETAINER
11	1	370002	PIN ASSEMBLY w/ LANYARD (BOOM POSITION)
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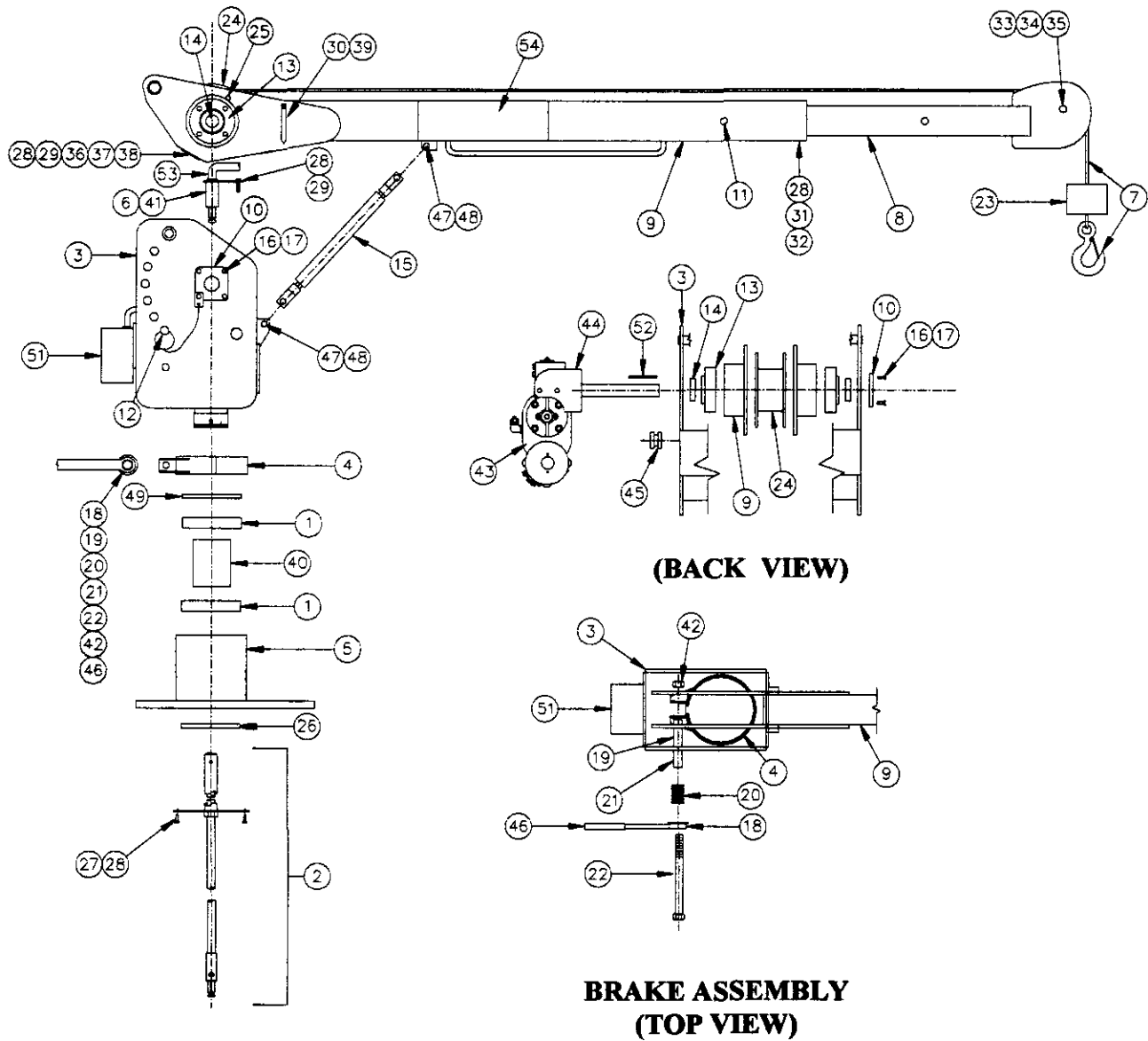
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### ***2003 SERIES 14' BOOM***

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>QTY</u>	<u>P/N</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
39	2	320453	ANGLE INDICATOR
40	1	600003	INNER TUBE SPACER 2003
41	1	330258	TWECO - MALE CONNECTOR
42	1	018301	NUT HEX 5/8 NC
43	1	320324	ACTUATOR ASSEMBLY ( <i>see page 10-3.0.0</i> )
44	1	600034	ACTUATOR BRACKET
45	1	600039	WIRE GUIDE GROMMET
46	1	600058	GRIP
47	2	600077	GAS SPRING PIN
48	2	000115	HAIR PIN CLIP
49	3	725894	ROLL PIN
50	1	600422	POWER CABLE x 22' ( <i>not shown</i> )
51	1	600099	RELAY BOX ASSEMBLY
52	1	341561	KEY 1/4 SQ x 2 3/4
53	1	330258	TWECO POWER CONDUCTOR
54	3	270326	BLACK INSULATOR BOOT ( <i>not shown</i> )

# **GENERAL ASSEMBLY - P/N 600053**

## **2003 SERIES 9' BOOM w/ LOAD SENSOR**



**GENERAL ASSEMBLY - P/N 600053**

**2003 SERIES 9' BOOM w/ LOAD SENSOR**

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>QTY</u>	<u>P/N</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
1	2	330192	BALL BEARING
2	1	600016	POWER CABLE ASSEMBLY (see page 10-6.0.0)
3	1	600027	HOUSING WELDMENT
4	1	600043	BRAKE BAND WELDMENT
5	1	600007	BASE WELDMENT
6	1	600013	UPPER TWECO BRACKET ASSEMBLY
7	1	600037	CABLE 1/4 x 50' w/ HOOK
8	1	600023	BOOM UPPER WELDMENT
9	1	600021	BOOM LOWER WELDMENT (MANUAL)
10	1	320368	BEARING RETAINER
11	1	370002	PIN ASSEMBLY w/ LANYARD (BOOM POSITION)
12	1	600026	PIN ASSEMBLY w/ LANYARD (BOOM ANGLE)
13	2	320411	BOOM PIVOT
14	2	400500	BEARING
15	1	600031	GAS SPRING
16	12	021100	WASHER SP LK 3/8
17	12	330394	SCREW HEX HD 3/8 NC x 1 1/2
18	1	600057	BRAKE WRENCH
19	1	600029	SPACER
20	1	320509	SPRING COMPRESSION
21	1	330489	SPACER
22	1	600044	CAPSCREW - HEX 5/8 NC GR8
23	1	600060	DOWNHAUL WEIGHT
24	1	320379	DRUM
25	2	239000	GREASE ZERK
26	1	330182	SNAP RING
27	2	005401	SCREW HEX HD 1/4 NC x 5/8
28	7	020200	WASHER SP LK 1/4
29	3	005500	SCREW HEX HD 1/4 NC x 3/4
30	1	016300	NUT HEX LOCK 1/4 NC
31	2	005901	SCREW HEX HD 1/4 NC x 1/2
32	1	600025	EXTENSION PAD
33	1	227401	SHEAVE ASSEMBLY
34	1	012200	SCREW HEX HD 5/8 NF x 1 3/4 GR5
35	1	018100	NUT HEX 5/8 NC STAINLESS
36	1	000115	CLIP
37	2	015900	NUT HEX 1/4 NC STAINLESS
38	1	320442	GUARD CABLE RETAINER

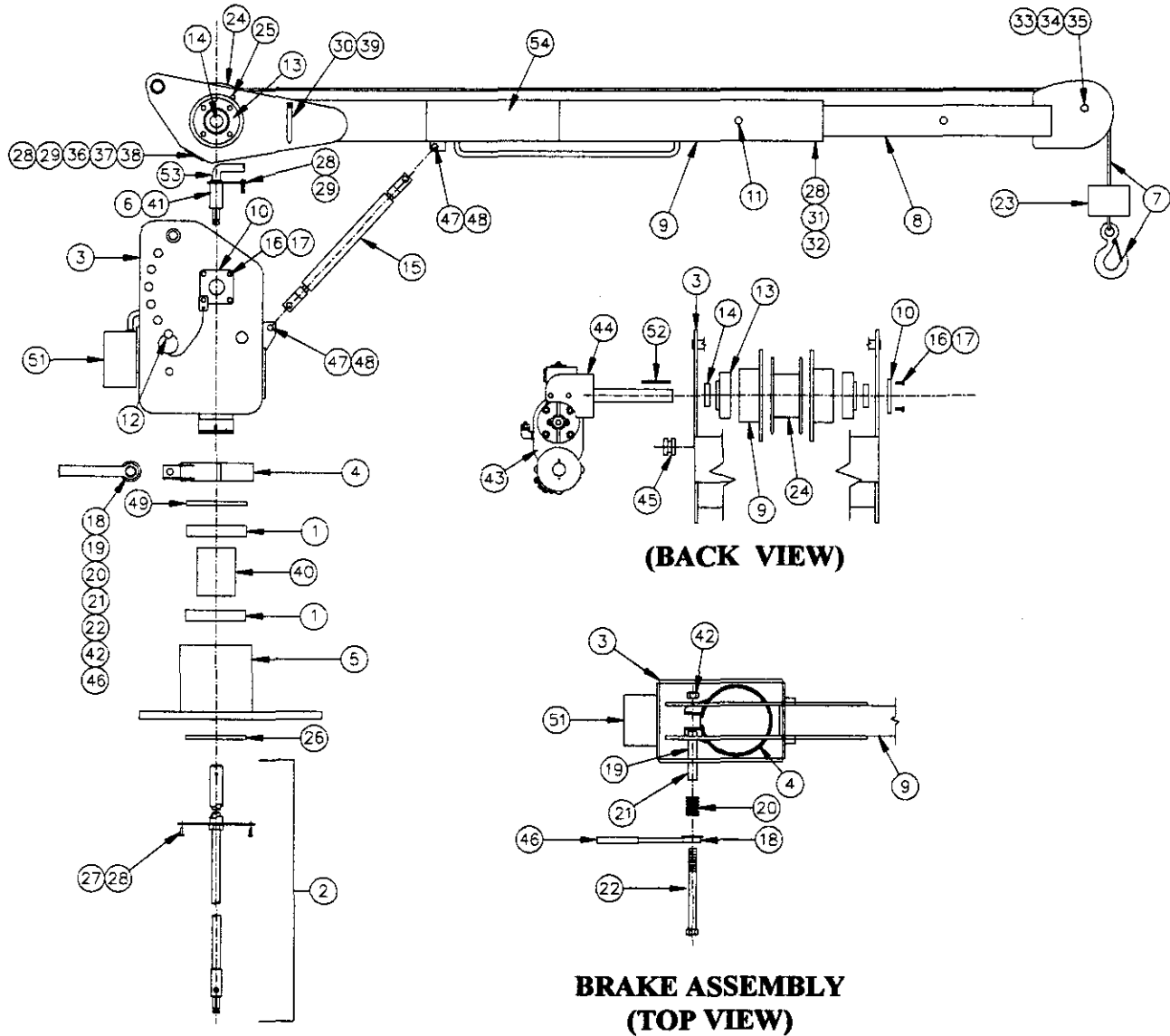
**GENERAL ASSEMBLY - P/N 600053**

**2003 SERIES 9' BOOM w/ LOAD SENSOR**

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>QTY</u>	<u>P/N</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
39	2	320453	ANGLE INDICATOR
40	1	600003	INNER TUBE SPACER 2003
41	1	330258	TWECO - MALE CONNECTOR
42	1	018301	NUT HEX 5/8 NC
43	1	320324	ACTUATOR ASSEMBLY (see page 10-3.0.0)
44	1	600034	ACTUATOR BRACKET
45	1	600039	WIRE GUIDE GROMMET
46	1	600058	GRIP
47	2	600077	GAS SPRING PIN
48	2	000115	HAIR PIN CLIP
49	3	725,894	ROLL PIN
50	1	600422	POWER CABLE x 22' (not shown)
51	1	600087	RELAY BOX ASSEMBLY
52	1	341561	KEY 1/4 SQ x 2 3/4
53	1	330258	TWECO POWER CONDUCTOR
54	1	666400	LOAD SENSOR
54	3	270,326	BLACK INSULATOR BOOT (not shown)

# **GENERAL ASSEMBLY - P/N 600052**

## **2003 SERIES 14' BOOM w/ LOAD SENSOR**



**GENERAL ASSEMBLY - P/N 600052**

**2003 SERIES 14' BOOM w/ LOAD SENSOR**

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>QTY</u>	<u>P/N</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
1	2	330192	BALL BEARING
2	1	600016	POWER CABLE ASSEMBLY (see page 10-6.0.0)
3	1	600027	HOUSING WELDMENT
4	1	600043	BRAKE BAND WELDMENT
5	1	600007	BASE WELDMENT
6	1	600013	UPPER TWECO BRACKET ASSEMBLY
7	1	600037	CABLE 1/4 x 50' w/ HOOK
8	1	600082	BOOM UPPER WELDMENT
9	1	600080	BOOM LOWER WELDMENT (MANUAL)
10	1	320368	BEARING RETAINER
11	1	370002	PIN ASSEMBLY w/ LANYARD (BOOM POSITION)
12	1	600026	PIN ASSEMBLY w/ LANYARD (BOOM ANGLE)
13	2	320411	BOOM PIVOT
14	2	400500	BEARING
15	1	600031	GAS SPRING
16	12	021100	WASHER SP LK 3/8
17	12	330394	SCREW HEX HD 3/8 NC x 1 1/2
18	1	600057	BRAKE WRENCH
19	1	600029	SPACER
20	1	320509	SPRING COMPRESSION
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31	2	005901	SCREW HEX HD 1/4 NC x 1/2
32	1	600025	EXTENSION PAD
33	1	227401	SHEAVE ASSEMBLY
34	1	012200	SCREW HEX HD 5/8 NF x 1 3/4 GR5
35	1	018100	NUT HEX 5/8 NC STAINLESS
36	1	000115	CLIP
37	2	015900	NUT HEX 1/4 NC STAINLESS
38	1	320442	GUARD CABLE RETAINER

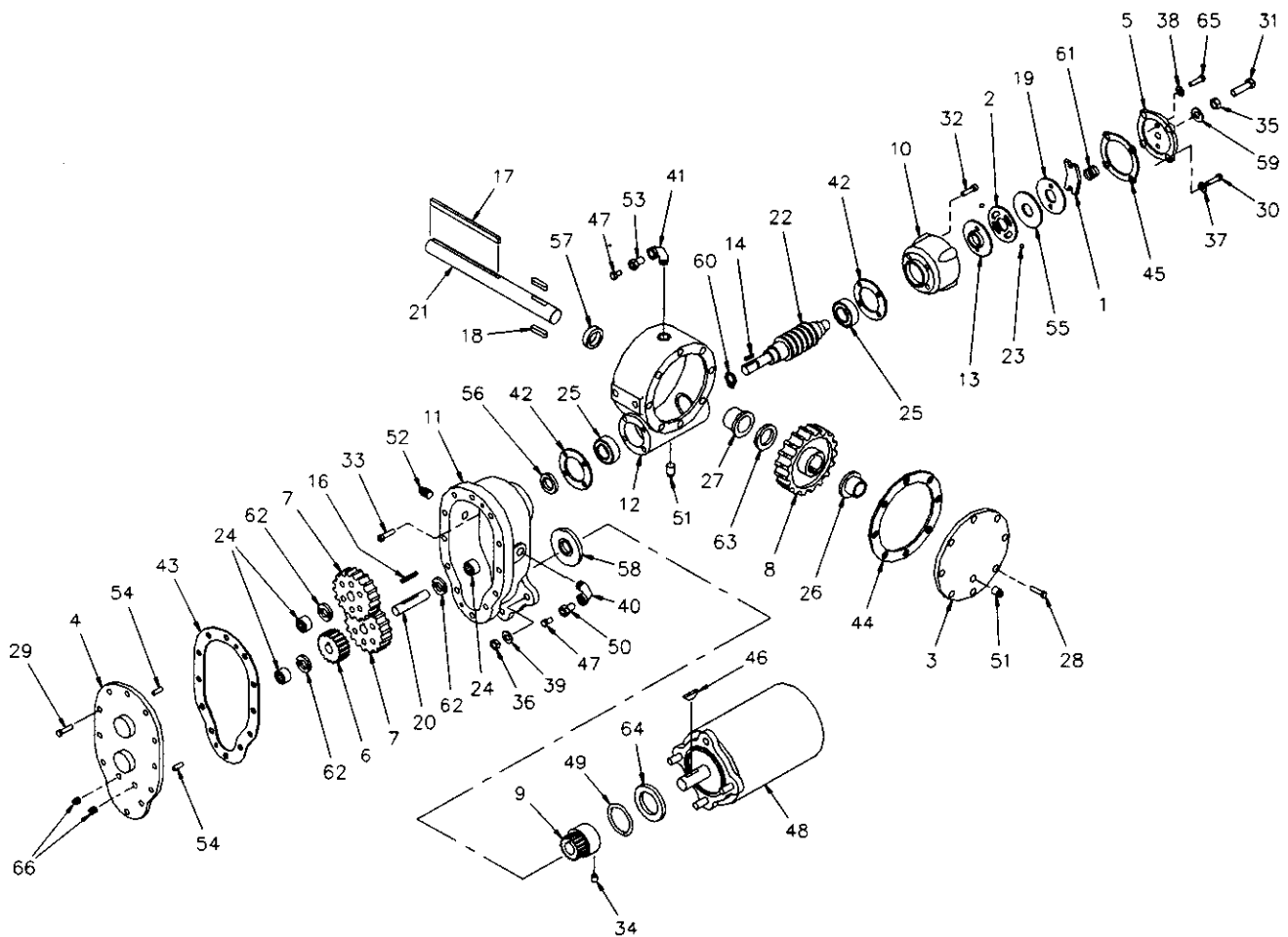
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**2003 SERIES 14' BOOM w/ LOAD SENSOR**

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39	2	320453	ANGLE INDICATOR
40	1	600003	INNER TUBE SPACER 2003
41	1	330258	TWECO - MALE CONNECTOR
42	1	018301	NUT HEX 5/8 NC
43	1	320324	ACTUATOR ASSEMBLY ( <i>see page 10-3.0.0</i> )
44	1	600034	ACTUATOR BRACKET
45	1	600039	WIRE GUIDE GROMMET
46	1	600058	GRIP
47	2	600077	GAS SPRING PIN
48	2	000115	HAIR PIN CLIP
49	3	725894	ROLL PIN
50	1	600422	POWER CABLE x 22' ( <i>not shown</i> )
51	1	600087	RELAY BOX ASSEMBLY
52	1	341561	KEY 1/4 SQ x 2 3/4
53	1	330258	TWECO POWER CONDUCTOR
54	1	666400	LOAD SENSOR
54	3	270326	BLACK INSULATOR BOOT ( <i>not shown</i> )

# ***HOIST ACTUATOR ASSEMBLY***

***P/N 320324 - 2003 SERIES***





# **HOIST ACTUATOR ASSEMBLY**

## **P/N 320324 - 2003 SERIES**

<b><u>ITEM</u></b>	<b><u>QTY</u></b>	<b><u>P/N</u></b>	<b><u>DESCRIPTION</u></b>
1	1	360637	FLAT SPRING
2	1	360331	CAM PLATE
3	1	300041	GEAR HOUSING COVER
4	1	300042	SPUR GEAR HOUSING COVER
5	1	360450	BRAKE COVER
6	1	300043	IDLER GEAR
7	2	300044	SPUR GEAR
8	1	300045	WORM R.H. GEAR
9	1	300046	PINION GEAR
10	1	360336	BRAKE HOUSING
11	1	300047	SPUR GEAR HOUSING
12	1	300048	GEAR HOUSING
13	1	360339	BRAKE HUB
14	1	300049	KEY 3/16 SQ x 1/2 LG
15	-	-	-
16	1	300050	KEY 3/16 SQ x 1 9/16 LG
17	1	341561	KEY 1/4 SQ x 2 3/4 LG
18	2	300052	KEY RD 5/16 x 5/16 x 15/16 LG
19	1	360342	RETAINER PLATE
20	1	300053	SPUR GEAR SHAFT
21	1	320323	OUTPUT SHAFT
22	1	320312	RIGHT HAND WORM GEAR
23	2	360345	BALL
24	3	300056	NEEDLE BEARING
25	2	300057	BALL BEARING
26	1	300058	BUSHING
27	1	300059	BUSHING
28	10	320313	SCREW HEX HD 1/4-20 NC x 3/4 LG NYLOCK
29	12	005500	SCREW HEX HD 1/4-20 NC x 3/4 LG
30	4	005604	SCREW HEX HD 1/4-20 NC x 1 LG
31	1	320311	SCREW HEX HD 3/8 x 1 1/2 LG ALL THREAD
32	4	320310	SCREW HEX HD 1/4-20 NC x 1 LG
33	4	300060	SCREW SOC HD 1/4-20 NC x 3/4 LG LOC-WEL
34	1	300061	SETSCREW 1/4-20 NC x 5/16 LG LOC-WEL
35	1	360353	NUT HEX JAM 3/8-16 NC
36	3	071012	NUT HEX 3/8-24 NF
37	4	360354	WASHER SP LK 1/4 MED SECT
38	2	360455	WASHER FLAT 1/4 ALUM

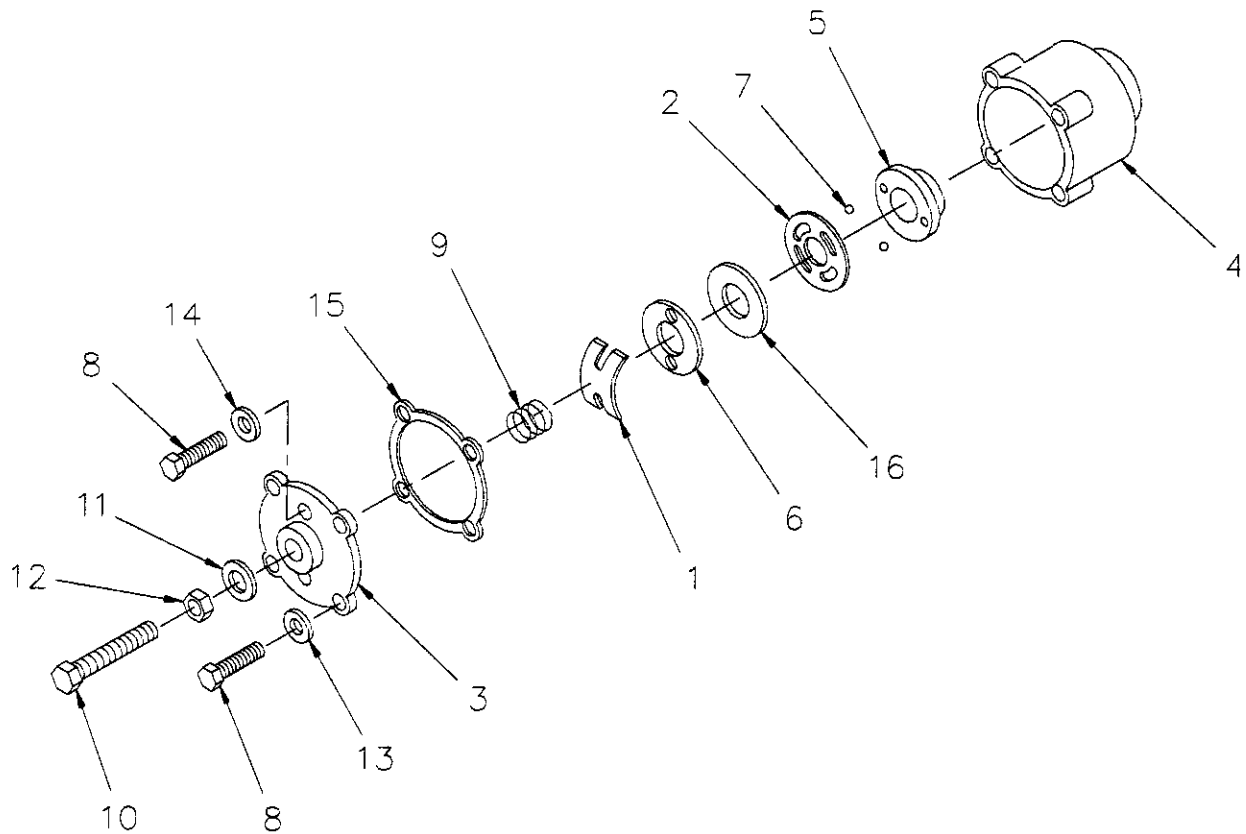
## ***HOIST ACTUATOR ASSEMBLY***

### ***P/N 320324 - 2003 SERIES***

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>QTY</u>	<u>P/N</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
39	3	021100	WASHER SP LK 3/8
40	1	320314	ELBOW 90° 3/8-18 NPT BOTH ENDS
41	1	320315	ELBOW 90° 1/4-18 NPT BOTH ENDS
42	2	300062	GASKET BEARING
43	1	300063	SPUR GEAR HOUSING GASKET
44	1	300064	GEAR HOUSING COVER GASKET
45	1	360359	BRAKE COVER GASKET
46	1	300065	WOODRUFF KEY
47	2	300066	RELIEF FITTING
48	1	300067	12V MOTOR
49	1	300068	O-RING 1 OD x 1/8 THICK
50	1	300069	REDUCER -6 NPT / -2 NPT
51	2	300070	PLUG PIPE -4 NPT SQ HD
52	1	300073	PLUG PIPE -6 NPT HEX SOC HEADLESS
53	1	300074	REDUCER -4 NPT / -2 NPT
54	2	300075	DOWEL PIN
55	2	360364	THRUST PLATE
56	1	300076	OIL SEAL 3/4 ID x 1 1/4 OD x 1/4 THICK
57	1	300077	OIL SEAL 1 1/4 ID x 1 3/4 OD x 1/4 THICK
58	1	300078	OIL SEAL 1 1/2 ID x 2 1/4 OD x 5/16 THICK
59	1	360371	THREAD SEAL
60	1	300079	SNAP RING
61	1	360368	SPRING
62	3	300080	THRUST WASHER
63	1	300081	THRUST WASHER
64	1	300082	FIBER WASHER
65	2	360456	SCREW 1/4-20 NC x 1 LG ALL THREAD
66	2	320382	PIPE PLUG

# ***AUTOMATIC SAFETY BRAKE ASSEMBLY***

## ***(OIL COOLED) HOIST - 2003 SERIES***



<b><u>ITEM</u></b>	<b><u>QTY</u></b>	<b><u>P/N</u></b>	<b><u>DESCRIPTION</u></b>
1	1	360367	FLAT SPRING
2	1	360331	CAM PLATE
3	1	360450	HOUSING COVER
4	1	360336	BRAKE HOUSING
5	1	360339	BRAKE HUB
6	1	360342	RETAINER PLATE
7	2	360345	BRAKE BALL
8	6	360453	CAPSCREW 1/4-20 NC x 1 LG GR5
9	1	360368	COIL SPRING
10	1	360456	CAPSCREW 3/8-16 NC x 1 1/2 LG GR5
11	1	360371	THREAD SEAL
12	1	360353	NUT HEX JAM 3/8-16 NC
13	4	360465	THREAD SEAL
14	2	360455	WASHER FLAT 1/4 ALUM
15	1	360359	GASKET
16	1	360364	THRUST PLATE

# ***AUTOMATIC SAFETY BRAKE ASSEMBLY***

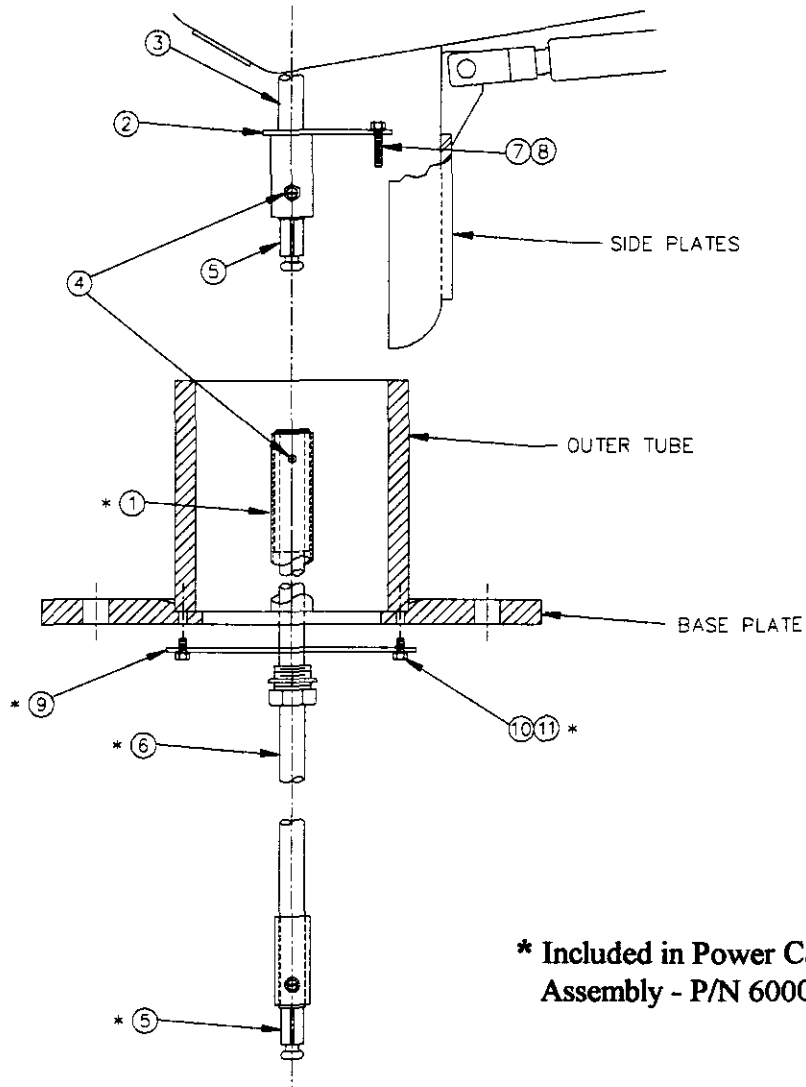
## ***(OIL COOLED) HOIST - 2003 SERIES***

### **ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Winch has right hand worm and gear. Cable spools over drum. Use number one slots for brake balls(7) in cam plate(2).
2. Install brake hub(5) through brake housing(4) on winch worm with key.
3. Assemble balls(7) in cam plate(2) using hard grease to hold balls in place.
4. Place cam plate(2) on brake hub(5), matching its holes with the balls.
5. Install thrust plate(16).
6. Thread capscrew(10) with jam nut (12) and thread seal (11) through housing cover(3).
7. Place gasket(15) on housing cover(3).
8. Install coil spring(9) on capscrew(10).
9. Install flat spring(1) on capscrew(10).
10. Secure retainer plate(6) and flat spring(1) to housing cover(3) using capscrews(8) and washers(14).
11. Using capscrews(8) and thread seals(13) attach housing cover(3) to brake housing(4).
12. Test brake by shifting winch to UP then DOWN to see if brake is working in proper rotation. If not, remove housing cover(3) and locate brake balls(7) in opposite set of slots of cam plate(2).
13. Adjust to suit by tightening or loosening capscrew(10) on outside of housing cover(3). When proper adjustment is obtained, secure capscrew(10) with jam nut(12).

# POWER CABLE ASSEMBLY

**P/N 600016 - 2003 SERIES**

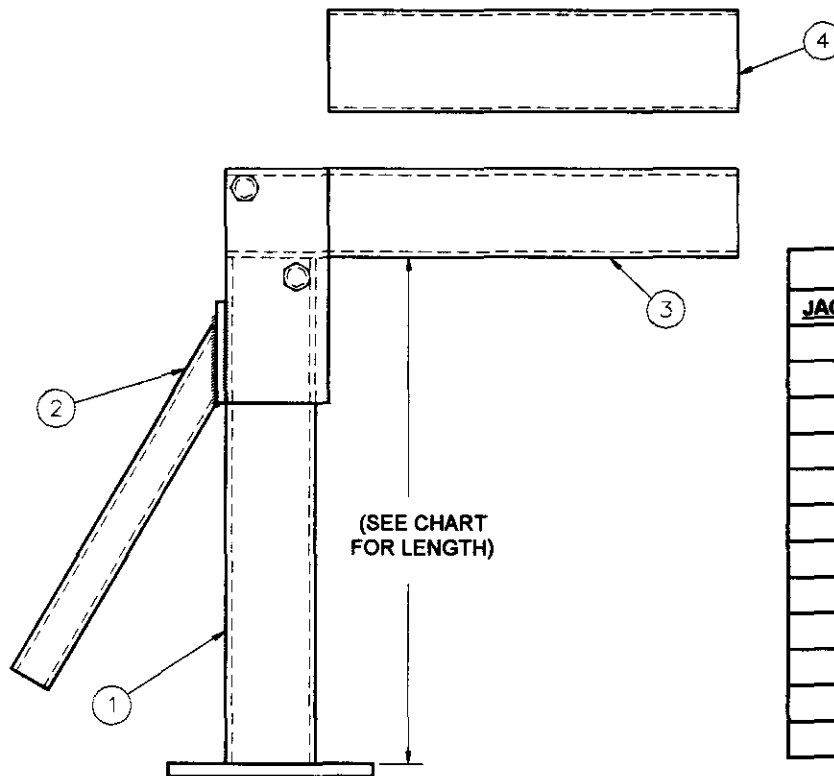


**\* Included in Power Cable Assembly - P/N 600016.**

<b>ITEM</b>	<b>QTY</b>	<b>P/N</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>
1	1	669200	FEMALE TWECO CONNECTOR
2	1	600015	TWECO BRACKET
3	1	330258	TWECO POWER CONDUCTOR
4	1	002900	SCREW SOC HD 1/4 NC x 3/8 GR8
5	2	669300	MALE TWECO CONNECTOR
6	1	341219	CONDUCTOR 600V x 29"
7	1	005500	SCREW HEX HD 1/4 NC x 3/4
8	1	020300	WASHER FL 1/4 CP
9	1	600015	LOWER TWECO BRACKET
10	2	005401	SCREW HEX HD 1/4 NC x 5/8
11	2	020200	WASHER SP LK 1/4

# JACK LEG ASSEMBLY

## 2003 SERIES



**Note:**

These jack legs all use the standard jack leg toggles & sleeves.

SMALL JACK LEGS		
JACK LEG ASSY	LEG w/ BASE	LENGTH
700320	**200454	14"
700321	200255	15"
700322	200456	16"
700323	200457	17"
700324	200458	18"
700325	200459	19"
700326	200460	20"
700328	200462	22"
700329	200463	23"
700330	200464	24"
700331	200465	25"
700336	200476	30"

\*\*STANDARD

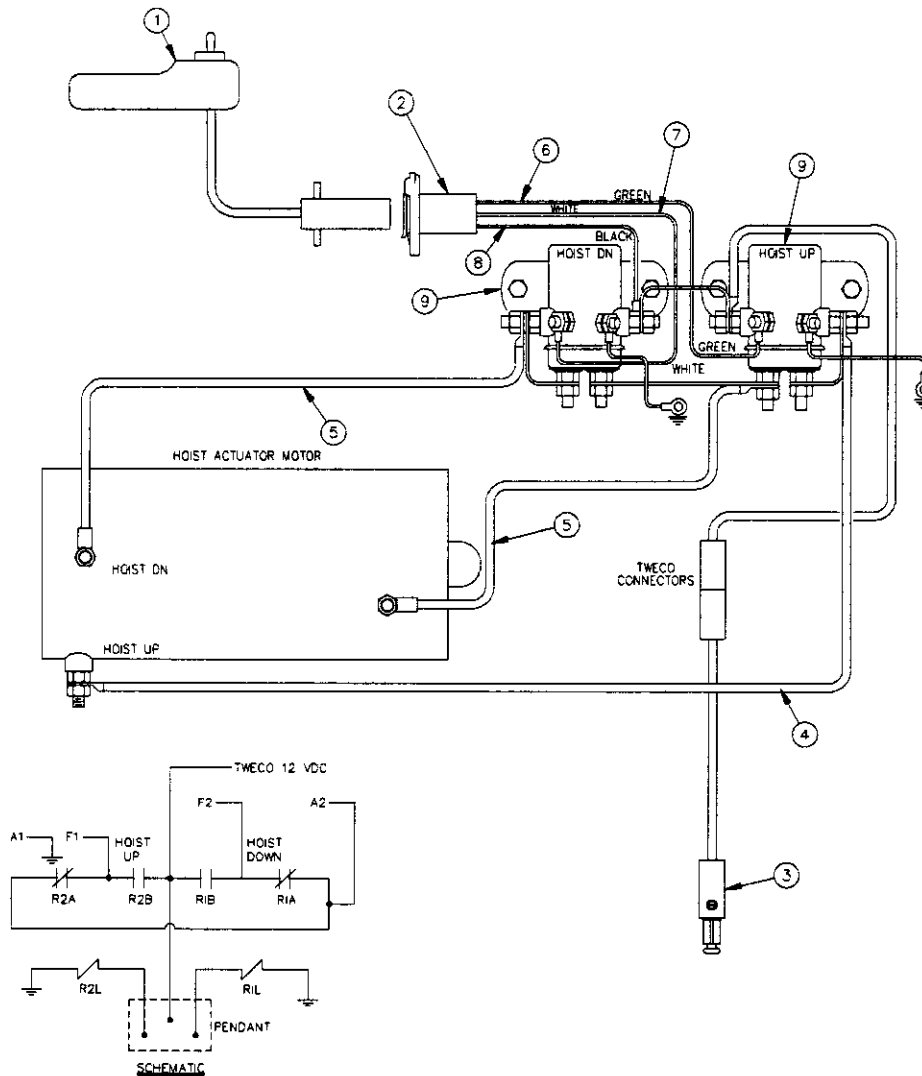
ITEM	QTY	P/N	DESCRIPTION
1	1	SEE CHART	JACK LEG w/ BASE
2	1	200074	JACK LEG TOGGLE
3	1	200282	JACK LEG INSERT
4	1	200372	JACK LEG POCKET (SLEEVE)

### JACK LEG INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

1. Make sure truck is parked on level surface. Weld pocket (Item 4) to truck body at rear just inside bumper, or desirable location. End of pocket should be flush with outside of the truck body. Be sure the pocket is welded securely. Next, slide insert (Item 3) into pocket. Make sure leg assembly is fully inserted in pocket.
2. Jack leg is ready for use. Upon use, make sure jack leg has adequate tension (self-determining), before self-locking in place.

# WIRING DIAGRAM

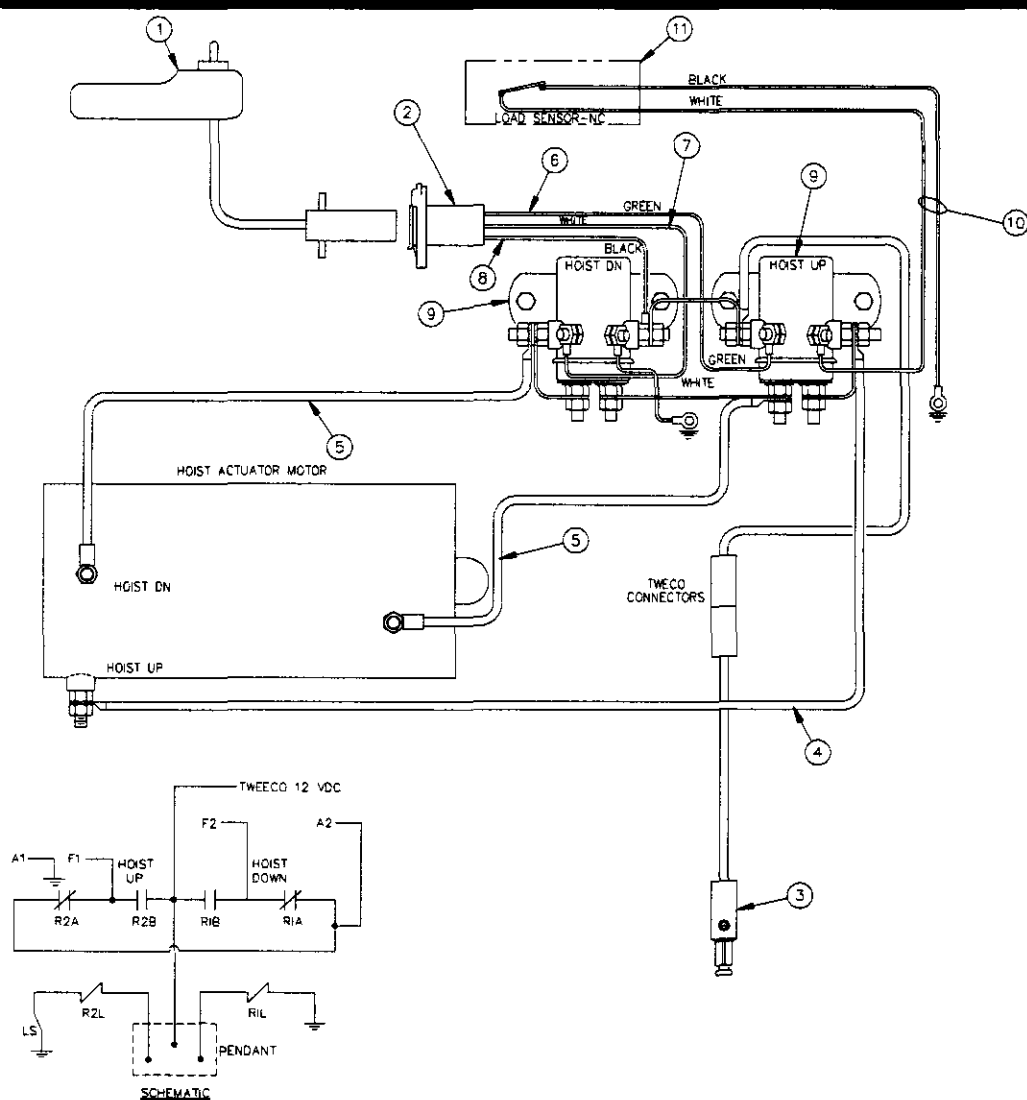
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ITEM	QTY	P/N	DESCRIPTION
1	1	330519	HOIST CONTROL PENDANT
2	1	330517	FEMALE SOCKET
3	1	600016	POWER CABLE ASSEMBLY (see page 10-6.0.0)
4	1	622322	CONDUCTOR 6GA 600V BLACK x 26"
5	2	622327	CONDUCTOR 6GA 600V BLACK x 28"
6	3	600061	CONDUCTOR 16GA ST GREEN x 2 3/4"
7	1	600062	CONDUCTOR 16GA ST WHITE x 2 3/4"
8	1	600063	CONDUCTOR 16GA ST BLACK x 1 1/4"
9	2	200182	12V RELAY

# WIRING DIAGRAM w/ LOAD SENSOR

## 2003 SERIES



ITEM	QTY	P/N	DESCRIPTION
1	1	330519	HOIST CONTROL PENDANT
2	1	330517	FEMALE SOCKET
3	1	600016	POWER CABLE ASSEMBLY (see page 10-6.0.0)
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7	1	600062	CONDUCTOR 16GA ST WHITE x 2 3/4"
8	1	600063	CONDUCTOR 16GA ST BLACK x 1 1/4"
9	2	200182	12V RELAY
10	1	600064	CABLE 2C 16GA 300V S10 BLACK x 54"
11	1	666400	LOAD SENSOR



# ***TROUBLESHOOTING 2003***

## **PROBLEM**

## **CAUSE/SOLUTION**

**CRANE WILL NOT HOIST UP.**

**CRANE WILL NOT HOIST DOWN.**

### **CAUSE:**

Bad relay, crane not grounded properly, or power cable not connected to 12V power source. Bad switch in pendant, broken wire in pendant connector, pendant not plugged together properly, wire on relay not in proper place or lead wires to motor not connected properly.

### **SOLUTION:**

Problems can be solved by replacing bad relay, grounding the crane properly to the truck chassis, connecting the power cable properly to 12V+ power source, switch in pendant can be replaced, cord in remote control can be replaced, check connector on cord to make sure of contact of all the prongs on it are plugged together correctly, make sure wires on relays are according to the wiring print supplied with each new crane in the owner book and also wires going to motor are connected properly. **NOTE: 12V must pass through opposite relay to complete circuit.**

**WITH LOAD SENSOR (OPT.)  
CRANE WILL NOT HOIST UP.**

### **CAUSE:**

Crane is overloaded.  
Sensor switch is bad.  
Bad connection to relays.

### **SOLUTION:**

Hoist down. Do not overload crane. Replace sensor switch. Check for loose or damaged wiring.

**CRANE RUNS UP OR DOWN ANY  
TIME POWER SOURCE IS  
CONNECTED.**

### **CAUSE:**

Relay stuck in run position which will let crane run up or down any time 12V power is connected. Wires shorted together in remote control. Lead or cable can also cause this problem. Wires jumped across relay in wrong place can cause crane to run all the time.

### **SOLUTION:**

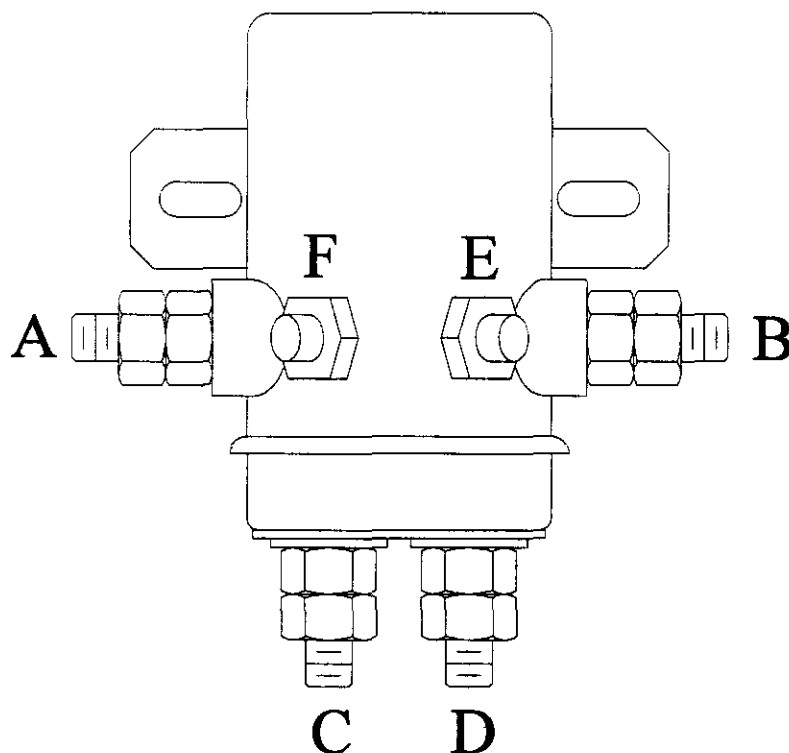
Problem can be solved by checking the relays and replacing the bad one or removing jumper wires from the relays or replacing the remote control cord or switch.

# ***TROUBLESHOOTING 2003***

## **HOW TO CHECK RELAY:**

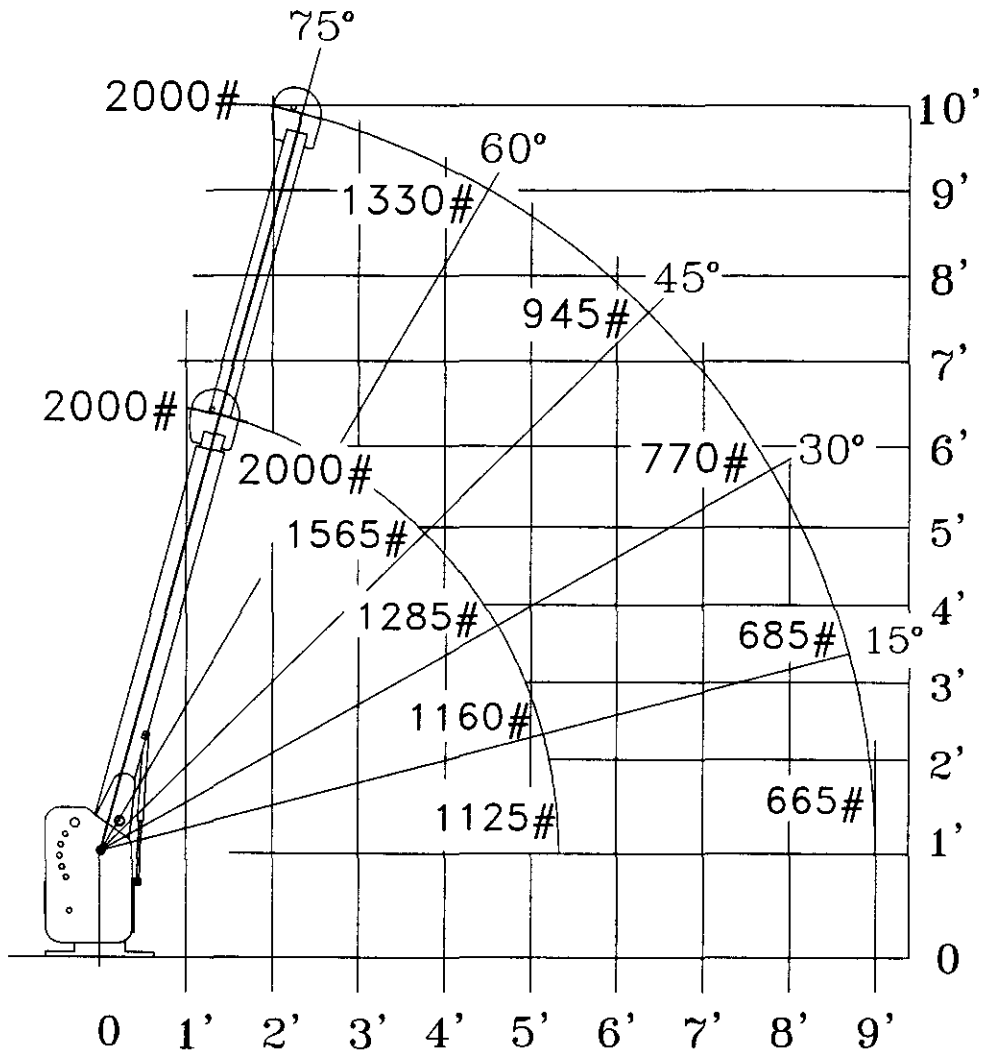
Our relays are normally closed across the bottom posts (C & D). When activated, they will open across (C & D) and close across A & B). To activate these relays, use 12V positive and 12V negative wires and place them on posts (F & E). You may place 12V+ on post F or E as long as you place 12V on the remaining post (F & E) using an ohm meter or test light. Check across posts (A & B). You should get an ohm reading or your test light should be on when you have the relay activated. With the relay still activated, check across posts (C & D). You should have no ohm reading or test light at this point with relay activated. (At this point, disconnect 12V+ and 12V- from posts (F & E). This

should let relay return to its normal position. Using your ohm meter or test light again, check the relay across posts (A & B). If relay is working correctly, you should have no reading at all. Then check across posts (C & D). You should have an ohm reading or test light should be on. If you get the above results, relay is okay. If you get any variation in the above explanation on the relay you are checking, check the relay again. If it still shows a difference, the relay is bad and should be replaced. **NOTE: The above explanation is with relays completely disconnected from all wires on motor circuits and ground wires. These circuits can give you false readings sometimes.**



# LOAD CHART FOR 9' BOOM

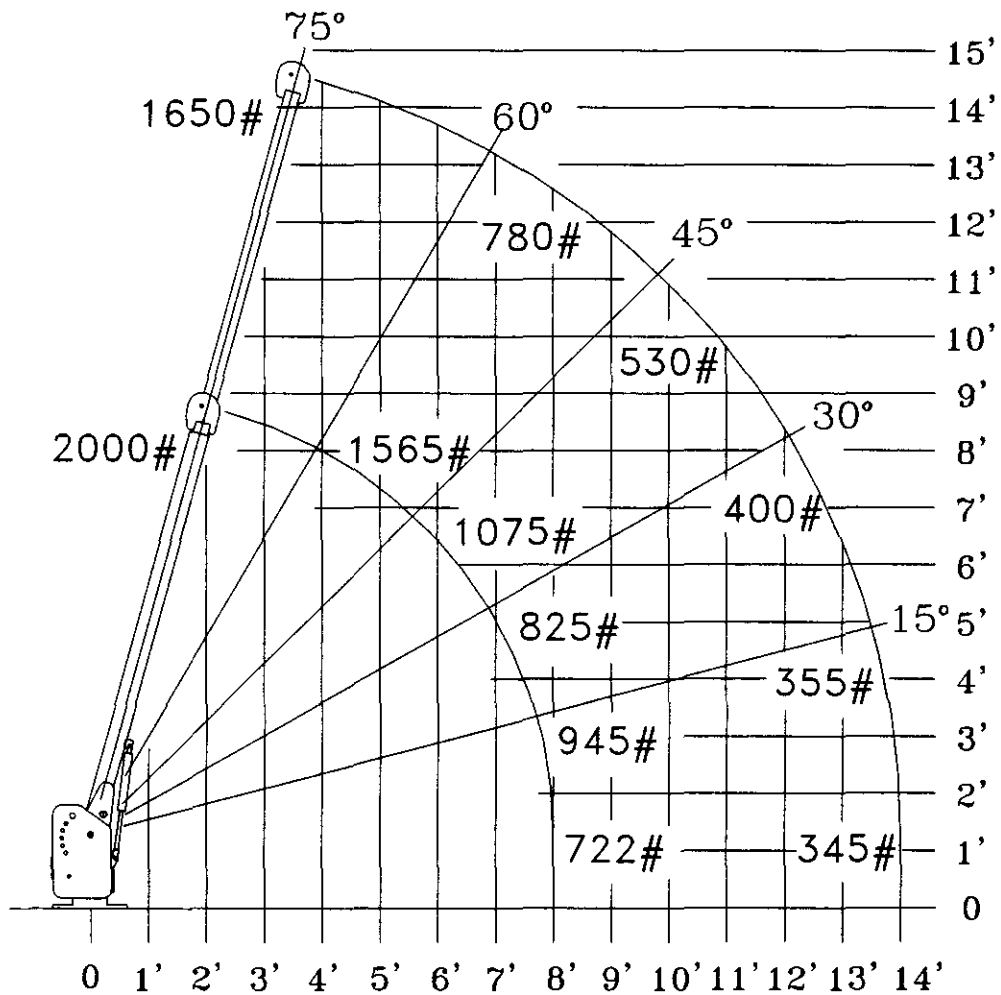
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**HORIZONTAL REACH IN FEET**  
**CAPACITY IN POUNDS**

## LOAD CHART FOR 14' BOOM

2003 SERIES - P/N 600084



**HORIZONTAL REACH IN FEET**  
**CAPACITY IN POUNDS**



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Auto Crane makes no warranty in respect to component accessories, same being subject to the warranties of their respective manufacturers.

If field service, at the request of buyer, is rendered and fault is found not to be with Auto Crane's product, the buyer shall pay the time and expense of the field representative. Claims for service labor or other expenses that have been incurred by the buyer without approval or authorization of Auto Crane will not be accepted.

AUTO CRANE COMPANY IS UNDER NO OBLIGATION TO EXTEND THIS WARRANTY TO ANY CUSTOMER FOR WHICH AN AUTO CRANE WARRANTY REGISTRATION CARD HAS NOT BEEN COMPLETED AND MAILED TO AUTO CRANE COMPANY WITHIN FIFTEEN (15) DAYS AFTER DATE OF PURCHASE.