



REDUCE RISKS FOR SAFE OPERATIONS

Material handling equipment provides the most benefit when it is used safely and appropriately. The Manitou Group has provided this REDUCE Risks program to inform you of some practices to improve safety.



Before using the machine, inspect it for damage, loose or missing parts, and other hazards



Only allow trained and qualified personnel to operate the machine



Identify and monitor working conditions to avoid hazards



Be prepared to react to any unexpected situation or changing condition



Maintain a safe distance and awareness when approaching hazardous or unfamiliar areas



Do not use the machine to lift or transport people



Never allow anyone under a raised lift arm



Do not exceed the machine's rated operating capacity



Only use Manitou-approved attachments intended and designed for the task



Follow all precautions when visibility is masked or obscured



Never operate the machine without the seat belt properly fastened



Avoid steep slopes and unstable ground



Always follow the mandatory safety shutdown procedure



Remove or secure all items that could become caught in the machine



Never make unauthorized modifications to any part of the machine



Complete all maintenance in accordance with legal requirements and machine documentation



Equip and operate the machine in accordance with all rules and laws for the location



Operator's must read and follow all information in the operator's manual



Always carry the load low at speeds appropriate for the conditions



Use an assistant when required



Wear protective clothing or equipment as needed while operating the machine



Do not jump from the machine if it becomes unstable and starts to tip



Do not smoke around the fuel tank or battery



Be aware of overhead obstacles



Do not operate the machine without all doors, panels and safety guards

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