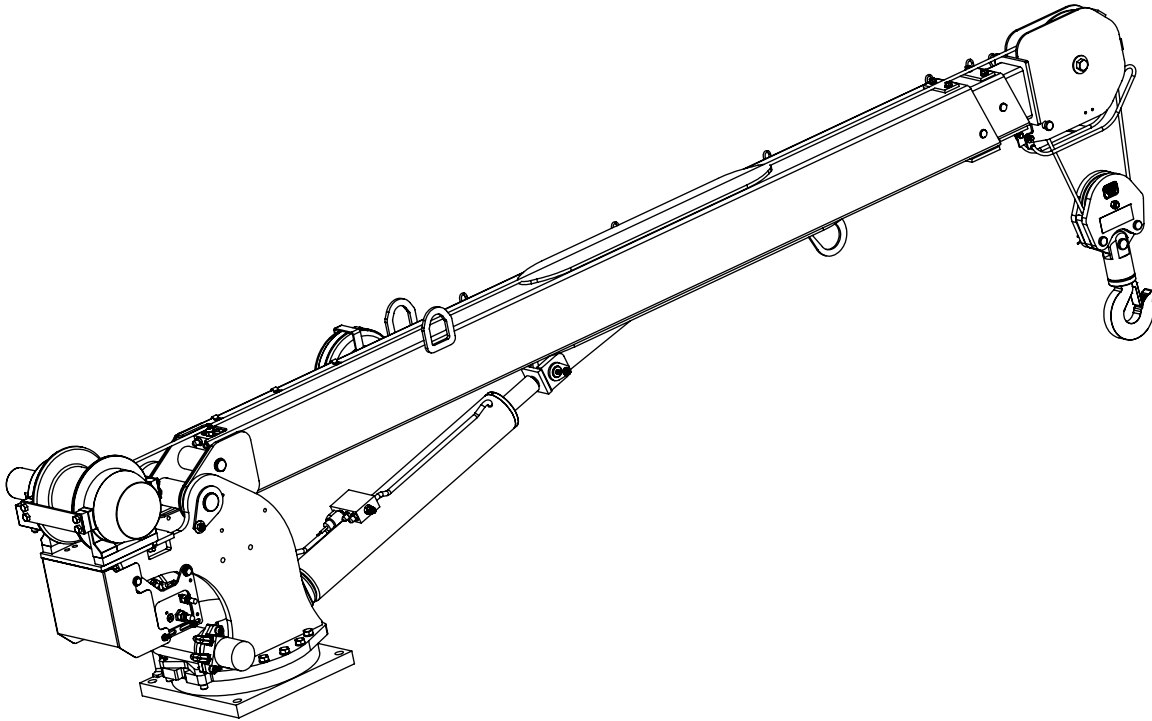




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# WARNINGS

**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 state 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. SEE DANGER DECAL (P/N 040529) in this Owner's Manual.**

**WARNING! NEVER.....**

- ◆ **EXCEED load chart capacities (centerline of rotation to hoist hook).**
- ◆ **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 for use 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 the crane is equipped with this type of device.**

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# HC-6 HW INTRODUCTION

Auto Crane products are designed to provide many years of safe, trouble-free, dependable service when properly used and maintained.

To assist you in obtaining the best service from your crane and to avoid untimely crane and/or vehicle failure, this manual provides the following operating and service instructions. 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 HC-6 HW crane for your protection.

For your convenience the overall dimensions of the HC-6 HW crane are included on the General Dimension Drawing. Rotation and turning radius are also listed on that drawing.

Remember, the crane adds weight to the vehicle. Adding weight may change the driving and riding characteristics of the vehicle unless the appropriate overload spring(s) are installed on the truck. The payload of the vehicle is reduced by the weight of the crane. The operator should exercise care when loading the vehicle. Distributing the payload on the vehicle evenly will greatly improve the driving and riding characteristics of the vehicle.

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

The HC-6 HW cranes are attached to your 12 volt truck electrical system through the relay provided. The HC-6 HW is another highly efficient Auto Crane product. The use of a maintenance-free battery is not recommended on any Auto Crane product. The recommended alternator and battery that will give the longest life with the most useful duty cycle is a 60-amp

alternator with a 500 cold cranking amp battery. These specifications should be considered minimum.

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, misused, 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 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.

***Note: This manual should remain with the crane at all times.***

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## **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. 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) 836-0463.** 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.

# **HC-6 HW**

## **GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS**

### **DIMENSIONS**

**Width:** 21.25 in (0.54 m)

**Height:** 35.25 in (0.90 m)

**Length:** 12 ft 10 in (3.91 m)  
[Boom(s) stored]

**Weight:** 1,390 lbs (630 kg)

### **CAPACITY**

35,000 ft-lbs (5.33 ton-m)  
[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>	<b>ft</b>	<b>lbs</b>
5	6,000	14	2,626
8	4,375	16	2,143
10	3,402	18	1,819
12	3,041	20	1,367

### **REACH**

Second boom will reach from 10 feet 4 inches to 16 feet 4 inches.  
Third boom will reach from 16 feet 4 inches to 20 feet 4 inches.

### **CABLE**

80 ft (24.4 m) of 5/16 in (7.9 mm) diameter aircraft quality cable. This cable has a single line breaking strength of 9,800 lbs (4,445.2 kg).

### **CHASSIS REQUIREMENTS**

14,500 lbs (6,577 kg) GVWR minimum  
360,000 in-lbs RBM

### **ELECTRICAL SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS**

**Voltage:** 12 VDC

**Alternator:** 60 amps (minimum)

**Battery:** 100 minute reserve capacity (minimum)  
Maintenance type

### **ROTATION**

370° Rotation with electric stop.

### **HYDRAULIC REQUIREMENTS**

8 GPM FLOW @ 2,750 PSI

# **--- IMPORTANT --- SAFETY TIPS AND PRECAUTIONS**

1. No unqualified or unauthorized person shall be allowed to operate the crane.
2. **WARNING:** Never weld, modify, or use unauthorized components / parts on any Auto Crane unit. This will void any warranty or liability. Also, failure of the crane may result.
3. Make certain the vehicle meets minimum chassis requirements. (These requirements do not guarantee unit stability.)
4. Make certain the crane is installed per factory specifications. Contact your local distributor or the Auto Crane factory if any questions arise.
5. Visual inspections and tests should be conducted at the beginning of each shift each day to insure that the crane and all its operating systems are in good condition and working order before it is used.
6. Inspect hydraulic hoses frequently for signs of deterioration, and replace them as required.
7. If a hydraulic break occurs, leave the area of the break and do not attempt to stop the break by hand as the hydraulic oil may be hot and under high pressure which can cause serious injury. Shut the system down as soon as possible.
8. Check the hook at least every thirty days for distortions or cracks and replace it as required.
9. Oil gears as required.
10. Stop all operations when cleaning, adjusting or lubricating the machine.
11. Keep dirt and grit out of moving parts by keeping crane clean. Make sure machine is free of excess oil, grease, mud and rubbish, thus reducing accidents and fire hazards.
12. When a new cable is installed, operate first with a light load to let the cable adjust itself.
13. Locate the vehicle at the work site for the best stability possible.
14. Keep the vehicle in a level position while loading or unloading.
15. Observe operating area for obstructions and/or power lines that might be a hazard.
16. **WARNING: NEVER OPERATE THE CRANE NEAR ELECTRICAL POWER LINES.** Auto Crane Company recommends that the crane never be any closer to a power line (including telephone lines) than 10 feet at any point.
17. Allow the vehicle engine to warm up before operating crane.
18. Know the weight of your rigging and load to avoid overloading the crane.
19. Deduct the weight of the load handling equipment from the load rating to determine how much weight can be lifted.
20. All load ratings are based on crane capacity, NOT the vehicle stability. Remember in lifting a heavy load, the weight can create enough tipping moment to overturn the vehicle.
21. Always comply with load chart capacities, (centerline of rotation to hook).
22. Secure all loads before lifting.
23. Always set the emergency brake before beginning operation.
24. Keep objects and personnel clear of crane path during operation.
25. Operate control levers slowly and smoothly in order to meter oil flow for safe operation.
26. Always extend the outriggers from vehicle to the ground before crane operation. Insure that they are firmly positioned on solid footings. Stand clear of outriggers while they are being extended.
27. If any outrigger, when extended, rests on a curb or other object that prevents it from extending to its maximum distance, shorten bearing or fulcrum point and reduce the maximum load accordingly.
28. When an outrigger will not reach the ground due to holes or grades, it shall be blocked up to provide level and firm support for the truck.
29. When working in soft earth, use wide pads under outrigger feet to prevent sinking.
30. Always store outriggers before transportation.

## **WARNING!**

Auto Crane Company cranes are not designed or intended for use in lifting or moving persons. Any such use shall be considered to be improper and the seller shall not be responsible for any claims arising there from. This sale is made with the express understanding that there is no warranty that the goods shall be fit for the purpose of lifting or moving persons or other improper use and there is no implied warranty or responsibility for such purposes.

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

# **SAFETY TIPS AND PRECAUTIONS**

31. Always store the crane in its stowed position for transportation.
32. Remember the overall height of the entire unit for garage door clearance or when moving under objects with low overhead clearance
33. Disengage power takeoff (PTO) before moving the vehicle.
34. Always walk around the vehicle before moving.
35. Never drive with a load suspended from crane.
36. Do not take your eyes off a moving load. Look in the direction you are moving.
37. Never swing a load over people.
38. Do not stop the load sharply in midair so that it swings like a pendulum. Meter the control levers to avoid this situation.
39. Crane boom length should be kept as short as possible for maximum lifting capacity and greater safety. Longer booms require additional care in accelerating and decelerating the swing motion, and thus slow down the working cycle and reduce productivity.
40. Keep the load directly and vertically under the boom point at all times. Crane booms are designed to handle vertical loads, not side lifts.  
**WARNING:** Never attempt to lift, drag, tow or pull a load from the side. The boom can fail far below its rated capacity.
41. Do not push down on anything with boom extensions; similarly do not lift anything with boom extensions.
42. Do not lift personnel with any wire rope attachment or hook. There is no implied warranty or responsibility for such purposes.
43. **WARNING:** In using a safety hook, ALWAYS close the hook throat before lifting a load. Proper attention and common sense applied to the use of the hook and various slings will prevent possible damage to material being hoisted and may prevent injury to personnel.
44. **WARNING:** Never place a chain link on the tip of the hook and try to lift a load with the hoist.
45. **WARNING:** Never use a sling bar or anything larger than the hook throat which could prevent the safety latch from closing, thus negating the safety feature.
46. Do not wrap the wire rope around sharp objects when using winch.
47. **WARNING:** Never unreel last 5 wraps of cable from drum.

## **--- IMPORTANT --- OPERATING PRACTICES AND 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. Hydraulic hoses need to be inspected frequently for signs of deterioration, and be replaced as required.
12. 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.
13. **ALWAYS** store outriggers before road travel.
14. **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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22. **WARNING!** In using a hook with latch, **ALWAYS** insure 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! NEVER** hold any Control Select Switch on that will cause unsafe operating conditions!

### **WARNING!**

**Auto Crane Company remote controlled, stiff boom cranes are not designed or intended to be used for any applications involving the lifting or moving of personnel.**



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

## **REFERENCE ASME B30.5a AND OSHA 1910.180 FOR COMPLETE QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS**

### **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.

### **QUALIFICATIONS FOR OPERATORS**

1. 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.
2. 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 color differentiation is required for operation.
  - C. Adequate hearing with or without hearing aid for the specific operation.
3. 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 judgment and tests may be required.
4. Evidence that 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.

5. Operators and operator trainees should have normal depth perception, coordination, and no tendencies to dizziness or similar undesirable characteristics.
6. 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 the knowledge of emergency procedures and implement it.
  - C. Demonstrate to the employer the ability to operate the specific type of equipment.
  - D. Be familiar with the applicable safety regulations.
  - E. Understand the operating procedures as outlined by the manufacturer.
  - F. Be thoroughly familiar with the crane and its control functions.
  - G. Understand the operating procedures as outlined by the manufacturer.

### **CONDUCT OF OPERATORS**

1. The operator shall not engage in any practice, which will divert his attention while actually operating the crane.
2. 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.
3. The operator should not leave a suspended load unattended unless specific precautions have been instituted and are in place.
4. 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.
5. Before closing the switch or starting the engine, the operator shall see that all controls are in the "OFF"

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

or neutral position and all personnel are in the clear.

6. If power fails during operation, the operator shall:
  - A. Move power controls to the "OFF" or neutral position.
  - B. Land the suspended load and boom, if practical.
7. 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.
8. The operator at the start of each shift shall test all controls. If any controls do not operate properly, they shall be adjusted or repaired before operations are begun.
9. Stabilizers shall be visible to the operator while extending or setting unless a signal person assists operator.

## **OPERATING PRACTICES/HANDLING THE LOAD**

1. 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 that 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.
2. 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.
3. Moving the load.

The operator shall determine that:

  - A. The crane is level and, where necessary, the vehicle/carrier is blocked properly.
  - B. The load is well secured and balanced in the sling or lifting device before it is lifted more than a few inches.
- C. Means are provided to hold the vehicle stationary while operating the crane.
- D. Before starting to lift, the hook shall be positioned over the load in such a manner as to minimize swinging.
- E. 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.
- F. Cranes shall not be used for dragging loads sideways.
- G. This standard recognizes that telescopic 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. Crane manufacturer must approve work platforms attached to the boom.
- H. The operator should avoid carrying loads over people.
- I. 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.
- J. Firm footing under all tires, or individual stabilizer pads should be level. Where such a footing is not otherwise supplied, timbers, cribbing, or other structural members to distribute the load so as to not exceed allowable bearing capacity or the underlying material should provide it.
- K. In transit, the boom shall be carried in stowed position.
- L. 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.
- M. The crane shall not be transported with a load on the hook unless recommended by the manufacturer.

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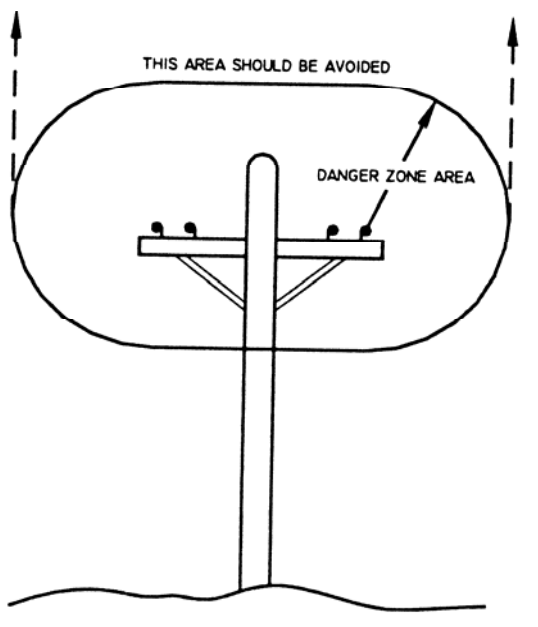
N. No person should be permitted to stand or pass under a suspended load.

## 4. Stowing procedure.

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

## MISCELLANEOUS

### OPERATING NEAR ELECTRICAL POWER LINES



1. Cranes shall be operated so that no part of the crane or load enters into the danger zone shown above.

### EXCEPTIONS

- A. The danger zone may be entered after confirmation by an appointed person that the electrical distribution and transmission lines have been de-energized and visibly grounded at the point of work; or
  - B. The danger zone may be entered if insulating barriers (not a part of nor an attachment to the crane) have been erected to prevent physical contact with the lines.
2. For lines rated 50 kV or below, minimum clearance between the lines and any part of the crane or load (including handling appendages) shall be 10-ft. (3m). For higher voltages, see Table 1.

3. Caution shall be exercised when working near overhead lines, because they can move horizontally or vertically due to wind, moving the danger zone to new positions.
4. In transit with no load and boom lowered the clearance shall be specified in Table 1.
5. A qualified signalperson shall be assigned to observe the clearance and give warning before approaching the above limits.
  - A. 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.
  - B. Exceptions to this procedure are allowed, if approved by the administrative or regulatory authority provided the alternate procedure insures equivalent protection and is set forth in writing.
  - C. 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.

**TABLE 1**

		minimum required clearance	
normal voltage, kV (phase to phase)		ft	(m)
<u>when operating near high voltage power lines</u>			
over	to 50	10	(3.50)
over	50 to 200	15	(4.6)
over	200 to 350	20	(6.1)
over	350 to 500	25	(7.62)
over	500 to 750	35	(10.67)
over	750 to 1000	45	(13.72)
<u>while in transit with no load and boom lowered</u>			
over	to 0.75	4	(1.22)
over	0.75 to 50	6	(1.83)
over	50 to 345	10	(3.83)
over	345 to 750	16	(4.87)
over	750 to 1000	20	(6.1)

## **--- 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 the transmitter from cab or storage area. Power transmitter on. 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 transmitter in proper location (in cab or storage area).
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.

## **OPERATION OF OUTRIGGERS**

### **HYDRAULIC OUTRIGGERS**

1. Shift crane/outrigger control valve to "outrigger" position.
2. Operate the outrigger control valves to position the outriggers.
3. After outriggers are positioned, return crane/outrigger selector to "crane" position.
4. Crane is now ready to operate.

### **MANUAL OUTRIGGERS**

1. Pull lock pins to release jackleg 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.

# INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS

## REFERENCE ASME B30.5a AND OSHA 1910.180 FOR COMPLETE INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS

### 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 or before each use
- B. Periodic inspection - one to twelve-month intervals or as specifically recommended by the manufacturer or qualified person.

**DESIGNATED PERSONNEL SHALL  
PERFORM INSPECTIONS ONLY.**

### FREQUENT INSPECTION

Inspections should also occur during operation for any deficiencies that might appear between regular inspections. Any deficiencies, such as those listed below, shall be carefully examined and a determination made as to whether they constitute a hazard:

- 1. Inspect control mechanisms for maladjustment that interferes with proper operation.
- 2. Inspect control mechanisms for excessive wear of components and contamination by lubricants or other foreign matter.

- 3. Inspect safety devices for malfunction.
- 4. Visually inspect all hydraulic hoses, particularly those that flex in normal operation of crane functions.
- 5. Inspect hooks and latches for deformation, chemical damage, cracks, and wear. Refer to ANSI/ASME B30.10.
- 6. Inspect for proper rope reeving.
- 7. Inspect electrical wiring and components for malfunctioning, signs of excessive deterioration, dirt and moisture accumulation.
- 8. Inspect hydraulic system for proper oil level and leaks.
- 9. Inspect tires for recommended inflation pressure, cuts and loose wheel nuts.
- 10. Inspect connecting pins and locking device for wear damage and loose retaining bolts.
- 11. Inspect rope for gross damage, such as listed below, which may be an immediate hazard.
  - A. Distortion such as kinking, crushing, unstranding, birdcaging, main strand displacement, or core protrusion. Loss of rope diameter in a short length or unevenness of outer strands should be replaced.
  - B. General corrosion.
  - C. Broken or cut strands.
  - D. Use care when inspecting sections of rapid deterioration around flange points, crossover points, and repetitive pickup points on drums.
  - E. Inspect number, distribution, and type of visible broken wires. Reference Rope Maintenance section in the owner's manual.

***Continued use of rope depends upon good judgment 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.***

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## PERIODIC INSPECTION

Any deficiencies, such as those listed below, shall be carefully examined and determination made as to whether they constitute a hazard:

1. Inspect for deformed, cracked or corroded members in the crane structure and entire boom.
2. Inspect for loose bolts, particularly mounting bolts.
3. Inspect for cracked or worn sheaves and drums.
4. Inspect for worn, cracked, or distorted parts such as pins, bearings, shafts, gears, rollers and devices.
5. Inspect for excessive wear on brake and clutch system parts and lining.
6. Inspect crane hooks for cracks.
7. Inspect travel steering, braking, and locking devices for malfunction.
8. Inspect for excessively worn or damaged tires.
9. Inspect hydraulic hose, fittings, and tubing for the following problems:
  - 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.
10. Inspect hydraulic pumps and motors for the following problems:
  - A. Loose bolts and 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.
11. Inspect hydraulic valves for the following problems:
  - 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.
12. Inspect hydraulic cylinders for the following problems:
  - 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.
13. Inspect hydraulic filters for evidence of rubber particles on the filter elements indicating possible hose, O-ring, or other rubber component deterioration. Metal chips or pieces on the filter may denote failure in pumps, motors, or cylinders. Further inspection will be necessary to determine the origin of the problem before corrective action can be taken.
14. Inspect labels to confirm correct location and legibility. Reference decal layout in this manual for proper location of decals.
15. **Rope Inspections need not be at equal calendar intervals and should be more frequent as the rope approaches the end of useful life.** A qualified person shall inspect the wire rope based on such factors as:
  - A. Expected rope life as determined by experience on the particular installation or similar installations.
  - B. Severity of environment.
  - C. Percentage of capacity lifts.
  - D. Frequency rates of operation.
  - E. Exposure to shock loads.

This inspection shall cover the entire length of the rope. Only the surface wires need to be inspected and no attempt should be made to open the rope. Any deterioration resulting in appreciable loss of original strength shall be noted and determination made as to whether use of the rope would constitute a hazard. A few notable deterioration points are listed below:

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- A. Reduction of rope diameter below nominal diameter due to loss of core support.
- B. Internal or external corrosion.
- C. Wear of outside wires.
- D. Severely corroded, cracked, bent, worn, or improperly applied connections.

## **CRANES NOT IN REGULAR USE**

A crane, which has been idle for a period of over one month or more, shall be given an inspection conforming to the “initial” and “regular” inspection requirements of this section.

## **INSPECTION RECORDS**

Dated records of periodic inspection should be made on critical items such as brakes, crane hooks, rope, cylinders, and relief pressure valves.

# ***TESTING REQUIREMENTS***

**REFERENCE ASME B30.5a AND OSHA 1910.180 FOR COMPLETE TESTING REQUIREMENTS**

**TESTING SHALL BE PERFORMED BY DESIGNATED PERSONNEL ONLY.**

Prior to initial use, all new, altered, modified, or extensively repaired cranes shall be tested for compliance with the operational requirements of this crane.

Test requirements:

1. Test all functions to verify speed and operation.
2. Check that all safety devices are working properly.
3. Confirm operating controls comply with appropriate function labels.
4. Test loads shall not exceed 110% of the manufacturer's load rating.
5. Written reports shall be maintained showing test procedures and confirming the adequacy of repairs.



# **GENERAL REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE**

## **REFERENCE ASME B30.5a AND OSHA 1910.180 FOR COMPLETE MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR REQUIREMENTS**

A preventative maintenance program should be established based on this section and all replacement parts should be obtained from AutoCrane Company.

**For replacement parts contact your local authorized distributor.**

### **MAINTENANCE PRECAUTIONS**

1. Place crane where it will cause the least interference with other equipment or operations.
2. Verify all controls are in the "off" position and all operating features secured from inadvertent motion by brakes, pawls, or other means.
3. The means for starting the crane shall be rendered inoperative.
4. The boom should be secured in place before maintenance.
5. Relieve hydraulic oil pressure from all hydraulic circuits before loosening or removing hydraulic components.
6. Warning or "OUT OF ORDER" signs shall be placed on all crane controls.
7. 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**

1. Any hazardous conditions disclosed by the inspection requirements shall be corrected before operation of crane is resumed. Only designated personnel shall do adjustments and repairs.
2. Adjustments shall be maintained to assure correct functioning of components, the following are examples:
  - A. Functional operating mechanism.
  - B. Safety devices.
  - C. Control systems.
3. 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.
4. If bleeding the hydraulic system is required, run each crane function until smooth operation of that particular function is noticeable.

### **LUBRICATION**

All moving parts of the crane, for which lubrication is specified, should be regularly lubricated per the manufacturer's recommendations and procedures. **Reference Lubrication and Maintenance Schedule in this manual.**

### **ROPE REPLACEMENT**

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

1. 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, bird caging, 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 1 1/8 in. (29 mm), 3/32 in.

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(2.4 mm) for diameters 1 1/4 in. (32 mm) to and including 1 1/2 in. (38 mm).

- 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.
- 2. Replacement rope shall have a strength rating at least as great as the original rope furnished or recommended by AutoCrane. A rope manufacturer, AutoCrane, or a qualified person shall specify any deviation from the original size, grade, or construction.

## **ROPE MAINTENANCE**

- 1. Rope should be stored to prevent damage or deterioration.
- 2. Unreeling or uncoiling of rope shall be done as recommended by the rope manufacturer and with care to avoid kinking or inducing twist.
- 3. 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.
- 4. During installation care should be exercised to avoid dragging of the rope in the dirt or around objects that will scrape, nick crush or induce sharp bends in it.
- 5. 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 that does not hinder visual inspection. Those sections of rope that 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.
- 6. 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 some cases by 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 1.100 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 insure 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.

## **Low Maintenance Batteries (Maintenance Free)**

**Low maintenance batteries should not be used on AutoCrane Cranes or trucks equipped with AutoCrane 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.

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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 insure 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.

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## LUBRICATION & MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE

SERVICE PERFORMED	DAY	WKLY	3 MOS	6 MOS	YEAR	NOTES
LOAD HOOK	X					INSPECT HOOK & LATCH FOR DEFORMATION, CRACKS, & CORROSION
CABLE DRUM	X					MAKE SURE CABLE IS WOUND EVENLY ON DRUM
HOIST / BOOM CABLE	X					CHECK FOR FLATTENING, KINKS, & BROKEN STRANDS, SEE MANUAL
HYD. HOSES	X					VISUAL INSPECTION
HYD. FLUID	X					CHECK FLUID LEVEL PIN
RETAINING BOLTS	X					CHECK TORQUE TO 23 FT-LBS (GRADE 5), 35 FT-LBS (GRADE 8) AS REQUIRED
MOUNTING BOLTS		X				CHECK TORQUE TO 501 FT-LBS AS REQUIRED
ROTATION RING GEAR		X				LUBE WITH MOBILETAC LL, OR LUBRIPLATE P/N 15263, OR EQUAL
SHEAVE BEARINGS		X				SEALED BEARING, REPLACE IF ROUGH OR LOOSE
ALL OTHER BOLTS		X				CHECK TIGHTEN AS REQUIRED
LIFT CYLINDER BEARINGS			X			GREASE WITH MOBILEPLEX EP-2 OR EQUIVALENT @ ZERKS
ROTATION BEARING			X			GREASE WITH MOBILEPLEX EP-2 OR EQUIVALENT @ ZERKS
ROTATION BEARING BOLTS			X			CHECK TORQUE TO 170 FT-LBS (HEX HEAD) 180 FT-LBS (SOCKET HEAD) AS REQUIRED
ROTATION GEAR BOX			X			CHECK TORQUE TO 90 FT-LBS (SOCKET HEAD) AND 55 FT-LBS (HEX HEAD) AS REQUIRED
ROTATION GEAR BOX				X		EP GEAR LUBE SAE 80-90
HYDRAULIC FLUID				X		DRAIN, FLUSH, AND REFILL WITH MOBILE DTE 13 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					

### CAUTION:

Routine maintenance insures trouble-free operation and protects your investment. All warranties are void if maintenance is neglected.

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## ***LUBRICATION & MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE***

### **NOTES:**

1. Use only authorized parts. Any damage or malfunction caused by the use of unauthorized parts is not covered by Warranty or Product Liability.
2. Once a bolt has been torqued to its rated capacity and then removed; the bolt should be replaced with a new one.
3. Auto Crane Company recommends that this crane be serviced per ☐Crane Inspection Log☐ P/N 999978. These logs should be filled in at the intervals noted and kept as a permanent record. Additional copies are available from your local distributor.

# ***ROTATION BEARING REPLACEMENT GUIDELINES 5005 THRU 8406***

All bearings can wear over time. This includes the main rotation bearing on the crane. No precise rules can be given for replacement of the rotation bearing, since many factors are involved. However, there are common symptoms seen during crane operation that may be caused by rotation bearing wear. These symptoms include:

1. Excessive Noise
2. Rough rotation
3. Increased drive power required to rotate.
4. Metal particles in grease

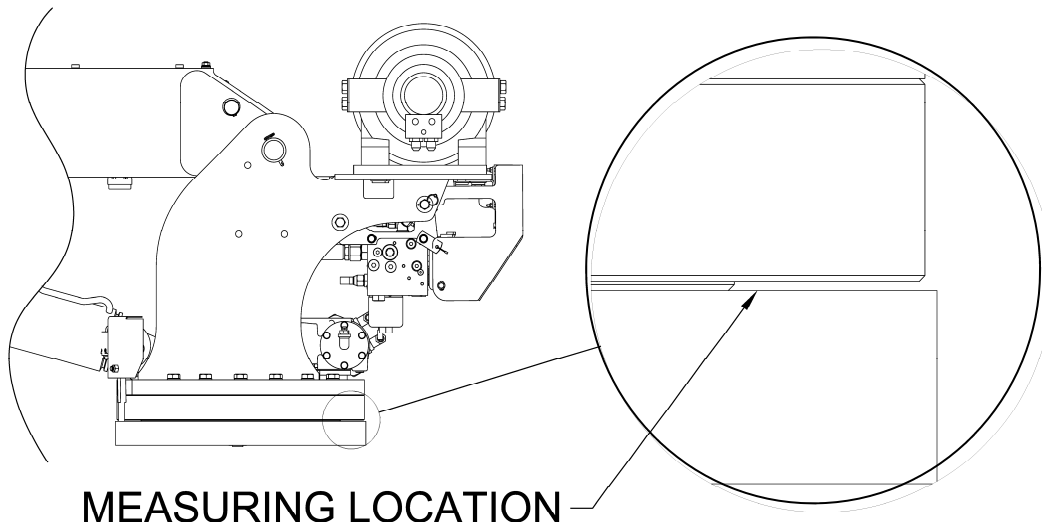
## **REASONS FOR ROTATION BEARING REPLACEMENT**

1. Any noticeable cracking in the bearing housing
2. Damage to internal teeth
3. Excessive axial play (reference axial play check instructions below)

**WARNING—NEVER TRY TO REPAIR A ROTATION BEARING. FOR A REPLACEMENT BEARING CONTACT YOUR LOCAL AUTHORIZED DISTRIBUTOR.**

## **AXIAL PLAY ALLOWANCE CHECK PROCEDURE**

1. Boom up to the max boom angle and measure the clearance between base plate and the rotation bearing with a dial or filler gauge. Reference figure 1 for location.
2. Boom down to the horizontal position and measure the clearance between the base plate and the rotation bearing with a dial indicator or feeler gauge. Reference figure 1 for location.
3. If the difference between the two measurements exceeds 1/16 inch, replace bearing.
4. Rotate crane 45 degrees then repeat steps above until you reach 360 degrees of rotation.



**Rotation bearing replacement kit part number is 480023010**

**WARNING—WHEN REPLACING ROTATION BEARING, USE NEW HARDWARE WHICH IS INCLUDED IN THE KIT ABOVE.**

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## SAFETY DECAL SECTION

PART NO.: 040579000  
 DECAL: OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS  
 FUNCTION: To inform the operator of the proper procedure to follow for safe operation of the crane.  
 USED ON: All Cranes  
 QUANTITY: 1  
 PLACEMENT: Left side plate

### ⚠ CAUTION

1. INSPECT VEHICLE AND CRANE INCLUDING OPERATION, PRIOR TO USE DAILY.
2. DO NOT USE THIS EQUIPMENT EXCEPT ON SOLID, LEVEL SURFACE WITH OUTRIGGERS PROPERLY EXTENDED AND CRANE MOUNTED ON FACTORY-RECOMMENDED TRUCK.
3. BEFORE OPERATING THE CRANE, REFER TO MAXIMUM LOAD (CAPACITY) CHART ON CRANE FOR OPERATING (LOAD) LIMITATIONS.
4. OPERATE ALL CONTROLS SLOWLY AND SMOOTHLY.
5. KEEP LOAD UNDER BOOM TIP. DO NOT SIDE LOAD BOOM OR DRAG LOADS. AVOID FREE SWINGING LOADS.
6. DO NOT OPERATE, WALK OR STAND BENEATH BOOM OR A SUSPENDED LOAD.
7. KEEP AT LEAST 5 WRAPS OF LOADLINE ON HOIST DRUM.
8. FOR TRAVELING, BOOM AND OUTRIGGERS MUST BE IN THE STOWED POSITION.
9. ALL REMOVABLE PENDANTS MUST BE STORED IN CAB OR TOOL COMPARTMENT WHEN CRANE IS NOT IN USE.

P/N 040579

PART NO.: 040580000  
 DECAL: OPERATING TRAINING  
 FUNCTION: To inform the operator of the need to receive proper training before using the crane.  
 USED ON: All Cranes  
 QUANTITY: 1  
 PLACEMENT: Right side plate

### ⚠ DANGER

AN UNTRAINED OPERATOR  
 SUBJECTS HIMSELF AND  
 OTHERS TO

#### DEATH OR SERIOUS INJURY

- 1.) YOU MUST HAVE BEEN TRAINED IN THE OPERATION OF THIS CRANE, AND
- 2.) YOU MUST KNOW AND FOLLOW THE SAFETY AND OPERATING RECOMMENDATIONS CONTAINED IN THE MANUFACTURER'S MANUAL, YOUR EMPLOYER'S WORK RULES AND APPLICABLE GOVERNMENT REGULATIONS.

P/N 040580

PART NO.: 040632000  
 DECAL: TAMPERING WITH OVERLOAD DEVICE  
 FUNCTION: To inform the operator that tampering with the overload device may cause a unit failure or possible personal injury.  
 USED ON: All Cranes equipped with a load sensor  
 QUANTITY: 1  
 PLACEMENT: Right side of plate

### ⚠ WARNING

TAMPERING WITH OVERLOAD DEVICE VOIDS WARRANTY. OVERLOADED CRANE MAY HYDRAULICALLY RELEASE AND LET LOAD DOWN TO GROUND. OVERLOAD PROTECTION DEVICE CANNOT FUNCTION WITH BOOM BELOW HORIZONTAL (0°). HOIST UP, BOOM DOWN, AND EXTEND OUT WILL BE INOPERATIVE WHEN CRANE IS IN OVERLOAD CONDITION.

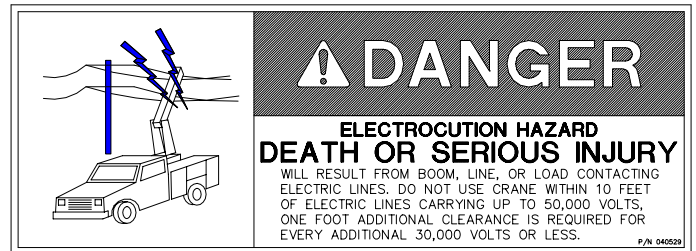
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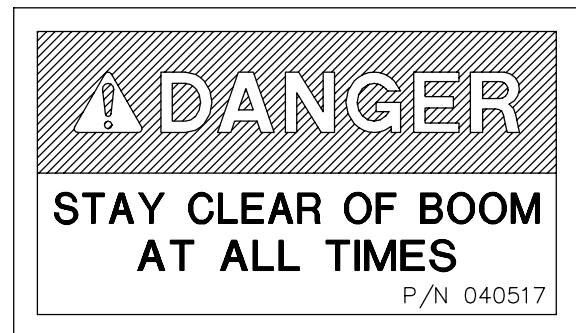
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## SAFETY DECAL SECTION

PART NO.: 040529000  
 DECAL: ELECTROCUTION HAZARD  
 FUNCTION: To inform the operator of the hazard involved with contacting electrical power lines with crane boom.  
 USED ON: All Cranes  
 QUANTITY: 2  
 PLACEMENT: Both sides of end of lower boom



PART NO.: 040517000  
 DECAL: STAY CLEAR OF BOOM  
 FUNCTION: To inform the operator of the hazard of proximity or contact with the crane boom during operation.  
 USED ON: All Cranes  
 QUANTITY: 2  
 PLACEMENT: Both sides of crown



PART NO.: 040518000  
 DECAL: STAY CLEAR OF LOAD  
 FUNCTION: To inform the operator of the hazard of proximity or contact with the crane load during operation.  
 USED ON: All Cranes  
 QUANTITY: 2  
 PLACEMENT: Both sides of traveling block



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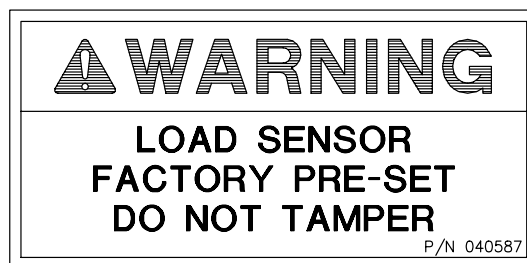
USED ON: All cranes equipped with a load sensor.

DECAL: LOAD SENSOR, DON'T TAMPER

QUANTITY: 1

FUNCTION: To inform the operator that the load sensor is pre-set and that tampering with the sensor may cause potentially hazardous situation.

PLACEMENT: Left side of the lift cylinder near the load sensor.



PART NO.: 040519000

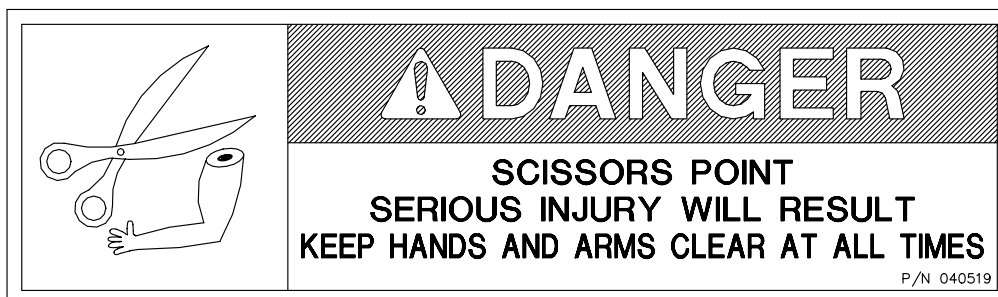
USED ON: All cranes.

DECAL: SCISSORS POINT

QUANTITY: 2

FUNCTION: To inform the operator of possible danger at scissors point on crane.

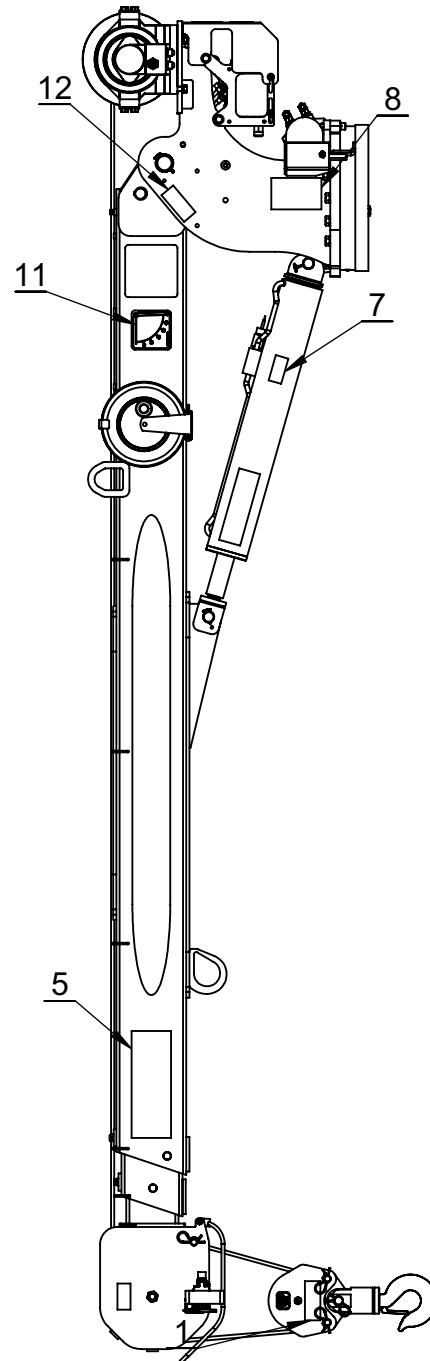
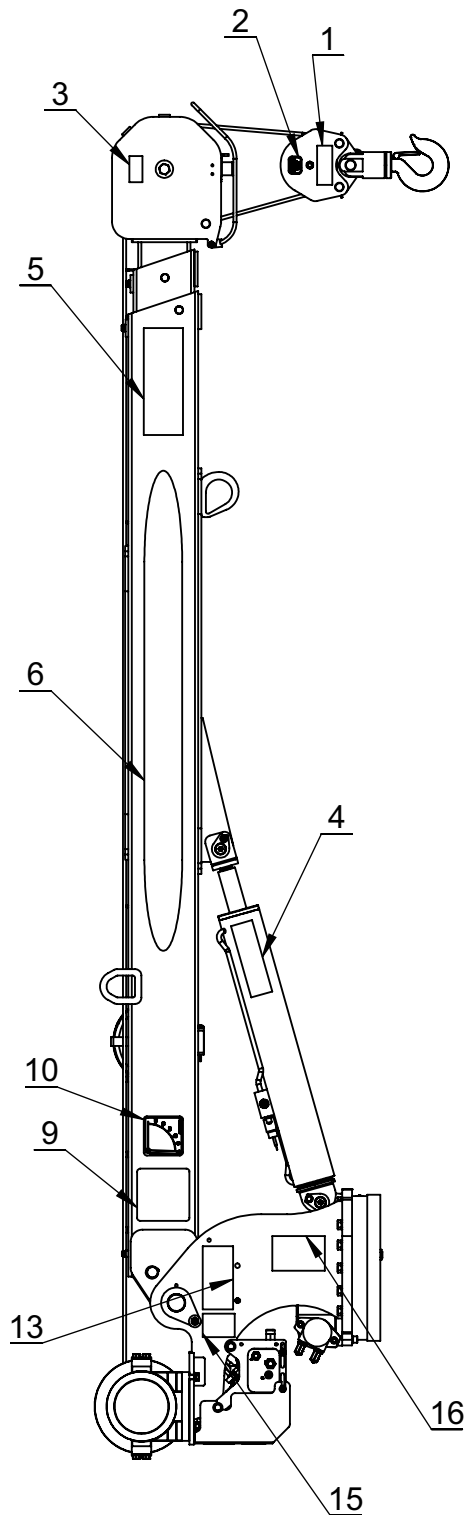
PLACEMENT: Both sides of the lift cylinder



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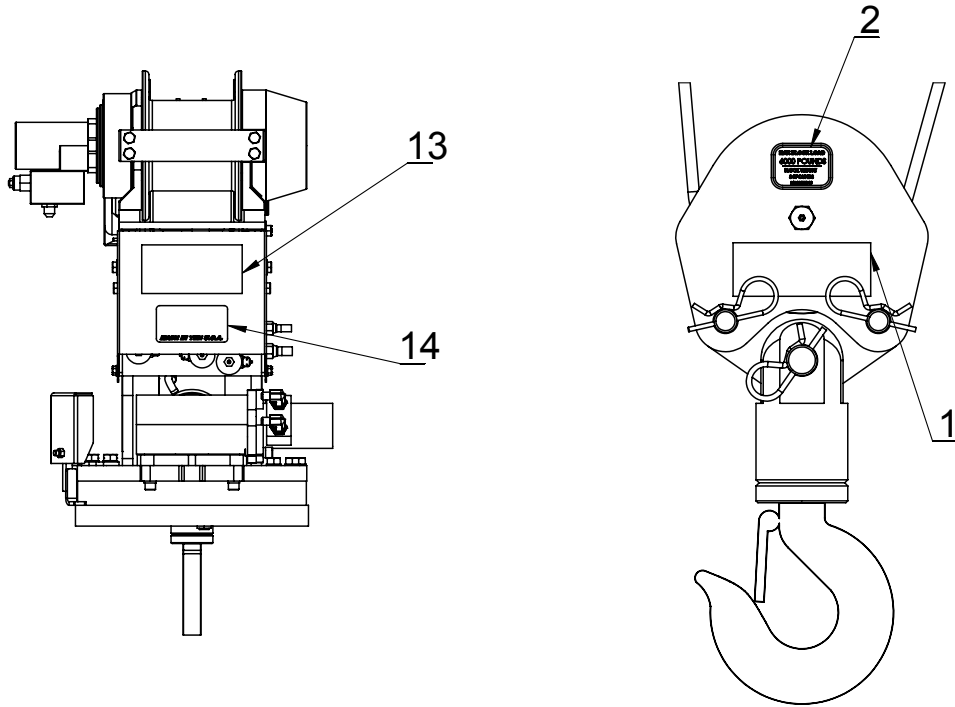
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# HC-6 HW DECAL LAYOUT

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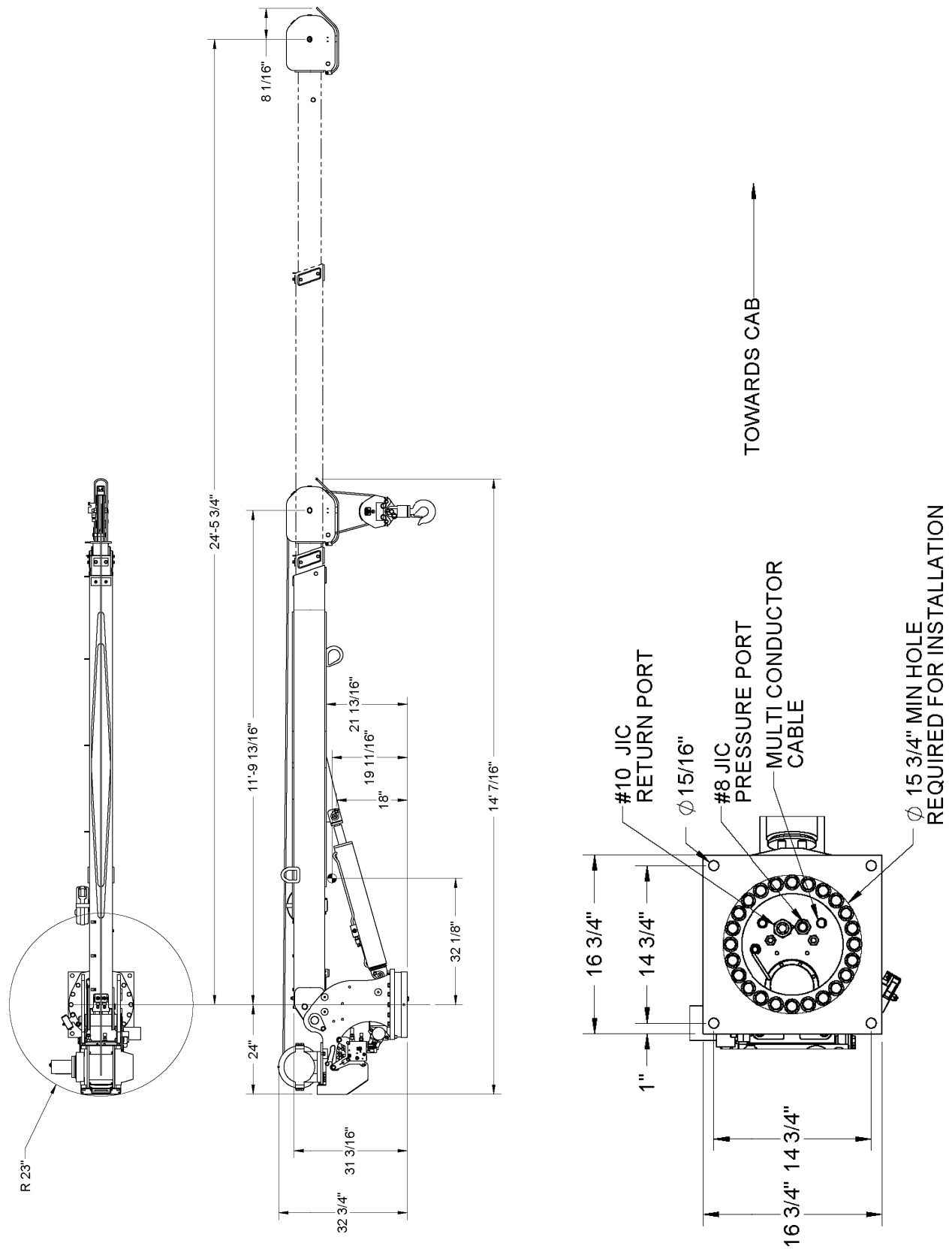


ITEM NO.	QTY	PART NO.	DESCRIPTION
1	2	040518000	DECAL STAY CLEAR OF LOAD
2	2	366063100	DECAL, TRAVELING BLOCK 6006H
3	2	040517000	DECAL STAY CLEAR OF BOOM
4	2	040519000	DECAL DANGER SCISSOR POINT
5	2	040529000	DECAL DANGER "ELECTROCUTION HAZARD" POWER LINE
6	2	492624100	DECAL, BOOM, HC-6, HW
7	1	040587000	DECAL WARNING LOAD SENSOR
8	1	040579000	DECAL OPERATION INSTRUCTIONS
9	2	492000300	DECAL, LOAD CHART, HC-6
10	1	320318001	DECAL ANGLE INDICATOR SS
11	1	320318000	DECAL ANGLE INDICATOR CS
12	2	360034000	DECAL AUTO CRANE LOGO
13	1	040824000	DECAL, AMERICAN FLAG, MADE IN THE U.S.A.
14	1	040632000	DECAL WARNING - OVERLOAD
15	1	040580000	DECAL TRAINED OPERATOR
16*	REF	330622000	DECAL SERIAL NO
*Note: Item included in 492000002			

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## GENERAL DIMENSION



# HC-6 HW MOUNTING AND INSTALLATION

1. Check to make sure the following items are with your crane. Please note the different, model specific, quantities.

ITEM NO.	QTY.	PART NO.	DESCRIPTION
1	4	015100000	7/8-14 X 4 HH GR 8
2	4	022200000	WASHER SP LK 7/8
3	4	018900000	NUT HX 7/8 NFCP GR8
4	1	480689000	FUSE 15 AMP TIME-DELAY
5	1	480688000	FUSE HOLDER IN-LINE WATERPROOF
6	120	800596000	WIRE 16G 600V 1C YEL
7	6	634401000	WIRE TIE 7 INCHES LONG
8	6	750738000	WIRE TIE STICK ON RETAINER
9	5	320357000	CONNECTOR FEM POWER
10	1	340638000	CONDUCTOR POWER
11	1	320355000	POWER RELAY
12	1	320363000	PLUG RELAY
13*	1	680040001	PENDANT ASSY, 8 FUNC., PROPORTIONAL, W/ HORN
14*	1	366520003	JUNCTION BOX ASS'Y W/ UNLOAD VALVE, W/ HORN
15*	1	366466000	WIRE HARNESS, TRUCK FUNCTIONS
16	1	492823016	MANUAL, HC-6, HW, W/ HORN
17	1	492000300	DECAL, LOAD CHART, HC-6

\*Note: Items part of Electrical Kit 470091001

2. Pressure and return hoses are not furnished with this crane. The hoses must be provided by the installer and the lengths determined at installation.

## REQUIREMENTS FOR INSTALLATION USING 23 GALLON RESERVOIR(\*)

- A. **RETURN LINE** FROM CRANE TO RESERVOIR (IN COMPARTMENT): -10 SAE 100R2 (OR EQUIVALENT). HOSE LENGTH IS DETERMINED BY INSTALLER. RETURN LINES LONGER THAN 6 FEET SHOULD BE SIZE -12. HOSE END FITTINGS ARE -10 JIC FEMALE SWIVEL (CRANE END) AND -10 JIC FEMALE SWIVEL (RESERVOIR END).
- B. **PRESSURE LINE** FROM PUMP TO CRANE: -8 SAE 100R12 (OR EQUIVALENT) WITH A **2,750 PSI MINIMUM WORKING PRESSURE**. HOSE LENGTHS IS DETERMINED BY INSTALLER. HOSE END FITTINGS ARE BOTH - 8 JIC FEMALE SWIVEL.

(\*) NOTE: 23 GAL RESERVOIR IS MINIMUM REQUIREMENT FOR CRANE ONLY. THE ADDITION OF OTHER AUXILLARY EQUIPMENT WILL REQUIRE ADDITIONAL CAPACITY.

## **CAUTION: FAILURE TO USE CLEAN HYDRAULIC HOSES AND COMPONENTS MAY CONTAMINATE THE CRANE AND HYDRAULIC SYSTEM AND VOID WARRANTY.**

3. Crane must be provided with a flow of 8 gallons per minute and a pressure of 2,750 PSI. Excess flow will cause erratic operation, and too little flow will cause poor crane operation.
4. Vehicle should meet minimum GVW rating of 14,500 pounds.
5. The vehicle MUST be equipped with an engine speed control and tachometer.
6. Make sure mounting surface is properly reinforced to withstand 35,000 ft-lb capacity loading of crane and that outriggers are used to provide total stability for the truck.
7. A 13 1/2" diameter hole should be cut out of mounting location (centered with mounting bolts) for access to hydraulic connections.
8. Make sure the mounting bolts are 7/8" dia, grade 8-UNF. Torque bolts to 501 ft-lbs.



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9. When crane is not in operation, a boom support should always be used. Traveling block should be connected to hook loop.

10. Electrical hookup:

Wiring:

- A. CONNECT THE BLACK WIRE TO THE BATTERY NEGATIVE (GROUND).
- B. CONNECT THE RED WIRE TO FUSED 12VDC POWER. 12VDC POWER SHOULD BE SUPPLIED THROUGH A DEDICATED SWITCH THAT IS POWERED ONLY WHEN THE IGNITION SWITCH IS ON.
- C. OPTIONALLY, USE THE WHITE WIRE FOR ENGINE FAST/SLOW (12VDC MAINTAINED-FM ONLY).
- D. OPTIONALLY, USE THE BLUE WIRE FOR ENGINE START.
- E. OPTIONALLY, USE THE ORANGE WIRE FOR ENGINE STOP.
- F. OPTIONALLY, USE THE GREEN WIRE FOR AUXILIARY (12VDC MAINTAINED-FM ONLY).

**NOTE: ALL ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS BETWEEN THE CRANE AND THE VEHICLE SHOULD BE MADE USING RELAYS TO ISOLATE THE ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS OF EACH AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE.**

**WARNING!** FAILURE TO CORRECTLY PLUMB AND WIRE CRANE CAN CAUSE INADVERTENT OPERATION AND DAMAGE TO CRANE AND/OR PERSONNEL!

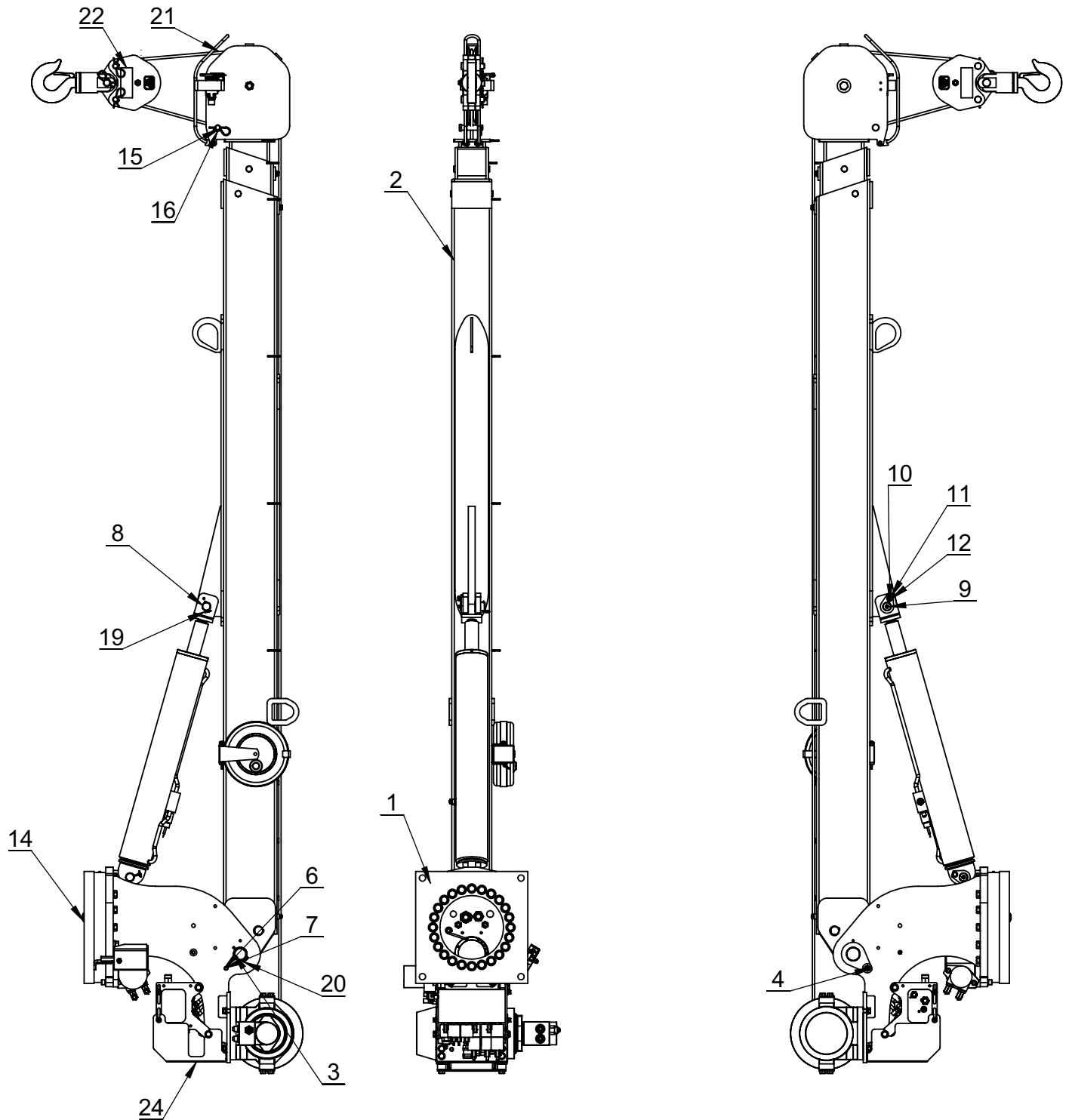
11. Once crane and plumbing are installed on the truck, fill the reservoir to top of sight glass (mobile DTE 13 or equal). Before operating crane, connect together the pressure and return hoses going to base of crane using 10-12 JIC union and engage PTO with engine running. Allow oil to circulate for 15 to 20 minutes. This will flush contaminants from the system back to the return line filter. Operate all cylinders to full extension and retraction a minimum of six times, to bleed air from system. Return all cylinders to the stored position and disengage PTO. Refill reservoir to top sight glass. To ensure 8 gallons per minute (GPM), install an in-line flow meter between the crane and the reservoir in the return hose.
12. Load test the crane to ensure proper functioning and truck stability.
13. Make certain the owner's manual is delivered to the customer.
14. For additional help: call the service department at the Auto Crane Company (918) 836-0463 (Tulsa, Oklahoma).

## **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.

**IT IS THE FURTHER RESPONSIBILITY** OF THE INSTALLER OF THE CRANE TO COMPLY WITH THE OSHA TRUCK CRANE STABILITY REQUIREMENTS AS SPECIFIED BY 29 CFR PART 1910.180 (C) (1).

# HC-6 HW GENERAL ASSEMBLY HARDWIRED - P/N: 492000001

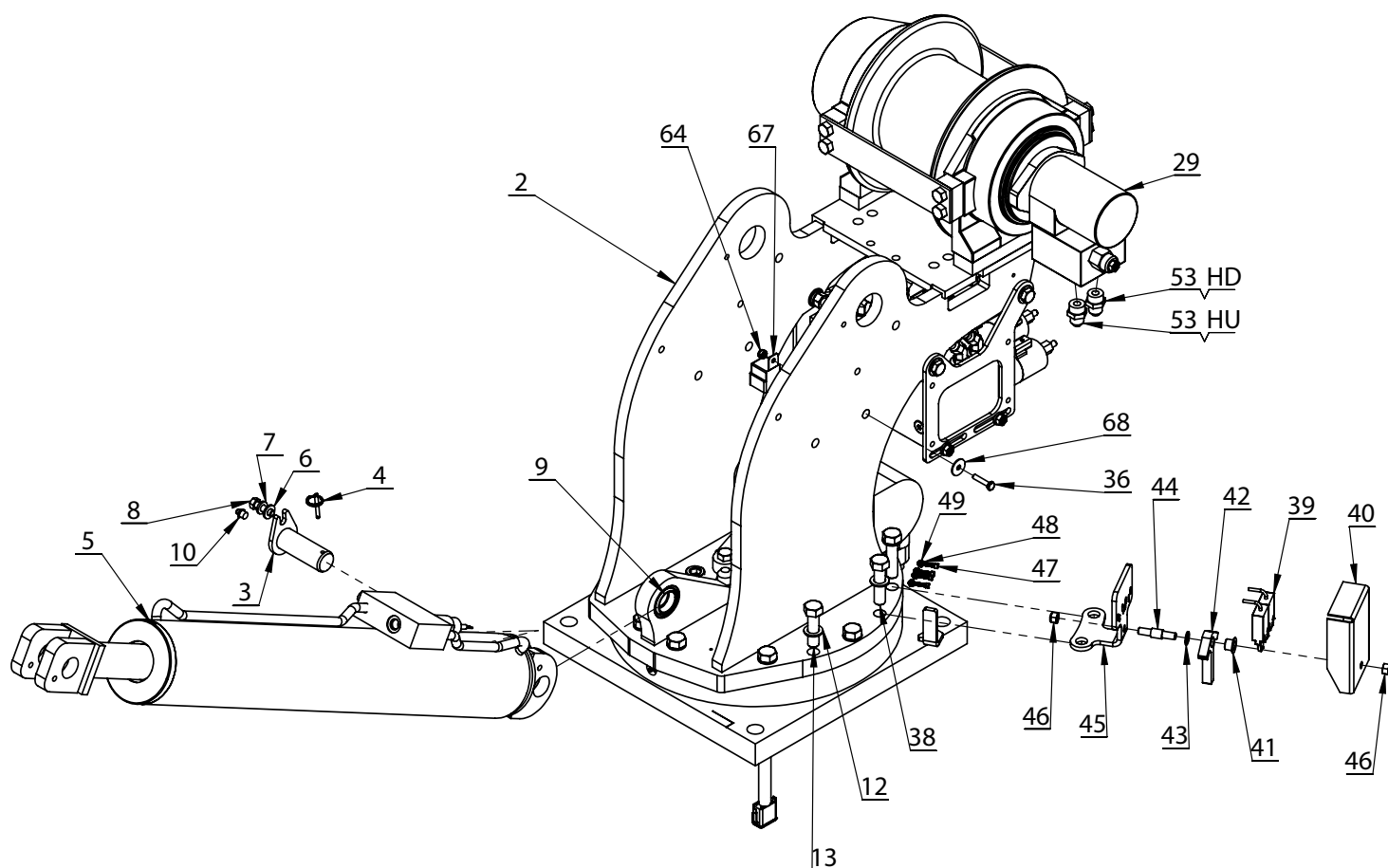


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## HARDWIRED - P/N: 492000001

ITEM NO.	QTY	PART NO.	DESCRIPTION
1	1	492000201	HC-6, HW
2	1	360647010	BOOM ASSEMBLY, 5005EH, 5005H
3	1	480988020	PIN, PIVOT, 8406H
4	1	480988025	VALVE COVER
5	1	021600000	WASHER FL 1/2
6	1	239300000	ZERK, GREASE
7	1	738642000	SCREW HX HD 1/2-13UNC X 1 3/4 LG GR8
8	1	366159000	SCREW HX HD 3/8-16UNC X 1 1/2 LG GR8
9	1	021100000	WASHER SP LK 3/8
10	1	320976000	WASHER, FLAT, 3/8 SAE HARDENED
11	1	360124000	PIN HITCH
12	1	360676000	PIN, CYLINDER
13	1	366066000	TRAVELING BLOCK ASSY LESS 2-BLOCK BAR 6006EH
14	1	360677000	PIN, 1/4 COTTERLESS RING
15	1	360678000	PIN, 3/16 COTTERLESS RING
16	1	360445000	CAP, 8 JIC
17	1	367238000	CAP, 10 JIC
18	1	017701000	NUT HX 1/2-13UNC
19	1	480367000	PIN BLOCK
20	1	492000315	DECAL LAYOUT, HC-6, HW
21	1	021500000	WASHER, SP LK 1/2
22	1	360758000	ROPE ASSY
23	1	492823115	SHIP KIT, HC-6, HW
24	1	330622000	DECAL SERIAL NO

# HC-6 HW PEDESTAL ASSEMBLY HARDWIRED - P/N: 492000201



NOTE: TORQUE TO 200 FT-LBS  
DRY (NO THREAD LUBE)

## HYDRAULICS:

“HD” PORT: HOIST DOWN

“HU” PORT: HOIST UP

“CW” PORT: ROTATION CW

“CCW” PORT: ROTATION CCW

“BU” PORT: LIFT CYL EXTEND

“BD” PORT: LIFT CYL RETRACT

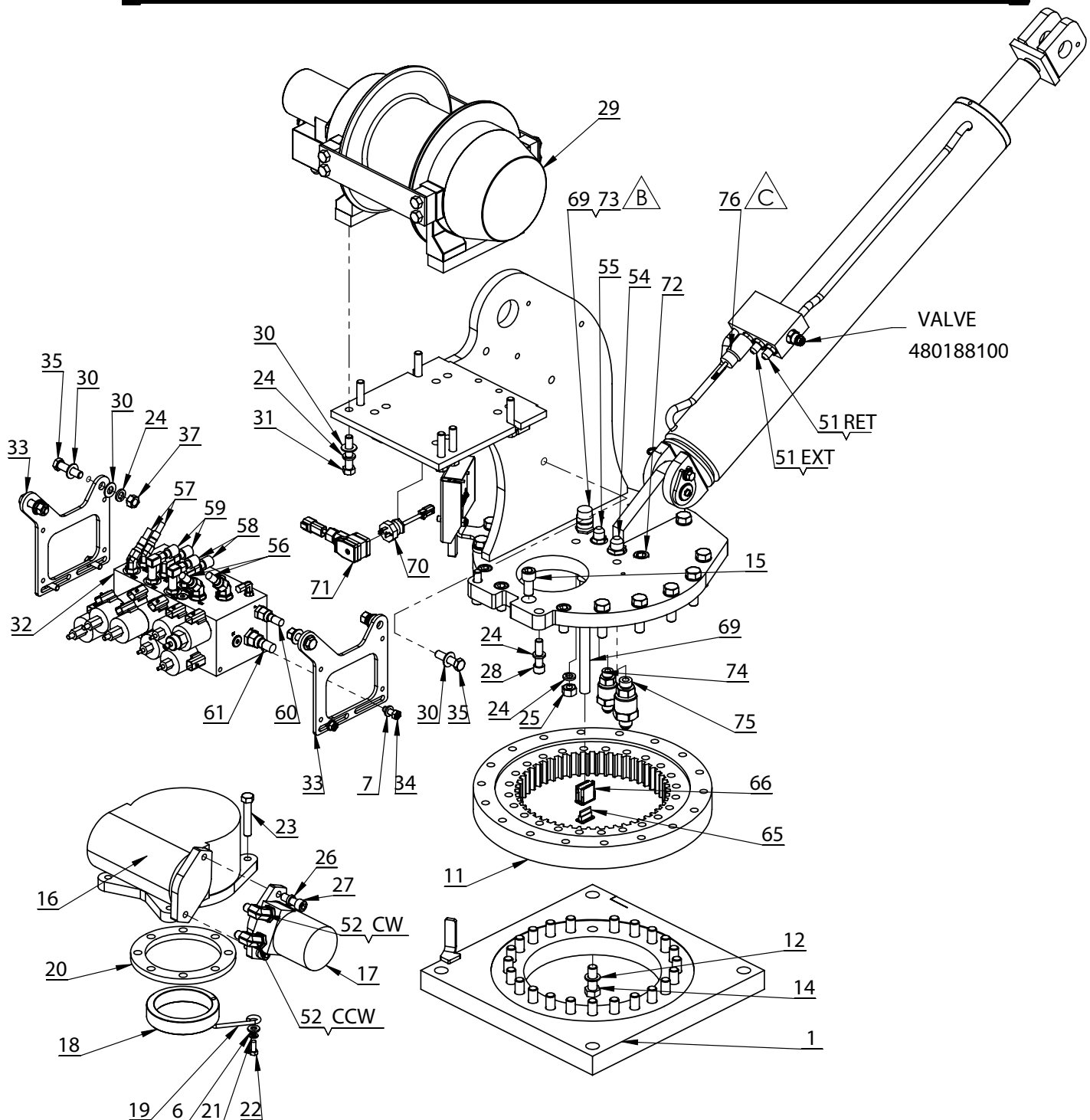
“EXT” PORT: EXT CYL EXTEND

“RET” PORT: EXT CYL RETRACT

CYLINDER SEAL KIT: 360681002 (:CBBA-LHN)

COUNTER BALANCE CARTRIDGE: 480188100

***HC-6 HW PEDESTAL ASSEMBLY  
HARDWIRED - P/N: 492000201***



ADD 6 INCHES OF NYLON HOSE SLEEVE TO 812409023  
WHERE IT RUBS AGAINST THE SIDE PLATE

ADD 6 INCHES OF NYLON HOSE SLEEVE TO 480205000  
WHERE IT RUBS AGAINST THE VALVE BLOCK

## **HC-6 HW PEDESTAL ASSEMBLY HARDWIRED - P/N: 492000201**

ITEM NO.	QTY.	PART NO.	DESCRIPTION
1	1	480988220	BASE PLATE WELDMENT
2	1	480988210	PEDESTAL WELD, LARGE CRANE
3	1	360676000	PIN, CYLINDER
4	1	360678000	PIN, 3/16 COTTERLESS RING
5	1	366822255	CYLINDER, LIFT, 5005EH, STROKE - 27.81
6	2	320976000	WASHER, FLAT, 3/8 SAE HARDENED
7	5	021100000	WASHER SP LK 3/8
8	1	008702000	SCREW HX HD 3/8-16UNC X 1 1/4 LG GR5
9	1	366333000	BEARING, SPHERICAL 1.25 ID
10	1	239300000	ZERK, GREASE
11	1	480023002	BEARING ROTATION 5005-8005
12	36	023902000	WASHER FL 5/8 HARDENED
13	10	490171000	SCREW HX HD 5/8-11UNC X 2 1/4 LG GR8
14	24	012198000	SCREW HX HD 5/8-11UNC X 1 3/4 LG GR8
15	4	006205000	SCREW SOC HD 5/8-11UNC X 1 1/4 LG
16	1	160407	GEAR BOX, ROTATION
17	1	366440000	ROTATION MOTOR
18	1	360162000	RING, ECCENTRIC
19	1	360207000	RETAINER ECCENTRIC RING
20	1	480011000	SEAL ROTATION BOX
21	1	020601000	WASHER SP LK 5/16
22	1	007807000	SCREW HX HD 5/16-18UNC X 3/4 LG GR5
23	2	011202000	SCREW HX HD 1/2-20UNF X 2 3/4 LG GR5
24	14	021500000	WASHER, SP LK 1/2
25	2	017704000	NUT HX HVY 1/2-20UNF
26	2	021502000	WASHER SP LK 1/2 HI COLLAR
27	2	012197000	SCREW SOC HD 1/2-13UNC X 1/2 LG
28	2	009118000	SCREW SOC HD 1/2-13UNC X 2 LG
29	1	123313	WINCH-RPH 2500, 9.6 CU IN MOTOR, W/BLK CLTCH
30	14	320588000	WASHER, FL 1/2, HARDENED
31	6	011609000	SCREW 1/2 X 2 1/2NC GR5
32	1	366818000	VALVE, CONTROL 4 FUNC, W/BOOM DOWN RELIEF
33	2	460177250	PLATE, MANIFOLD MOUNT, LARGE CRANE

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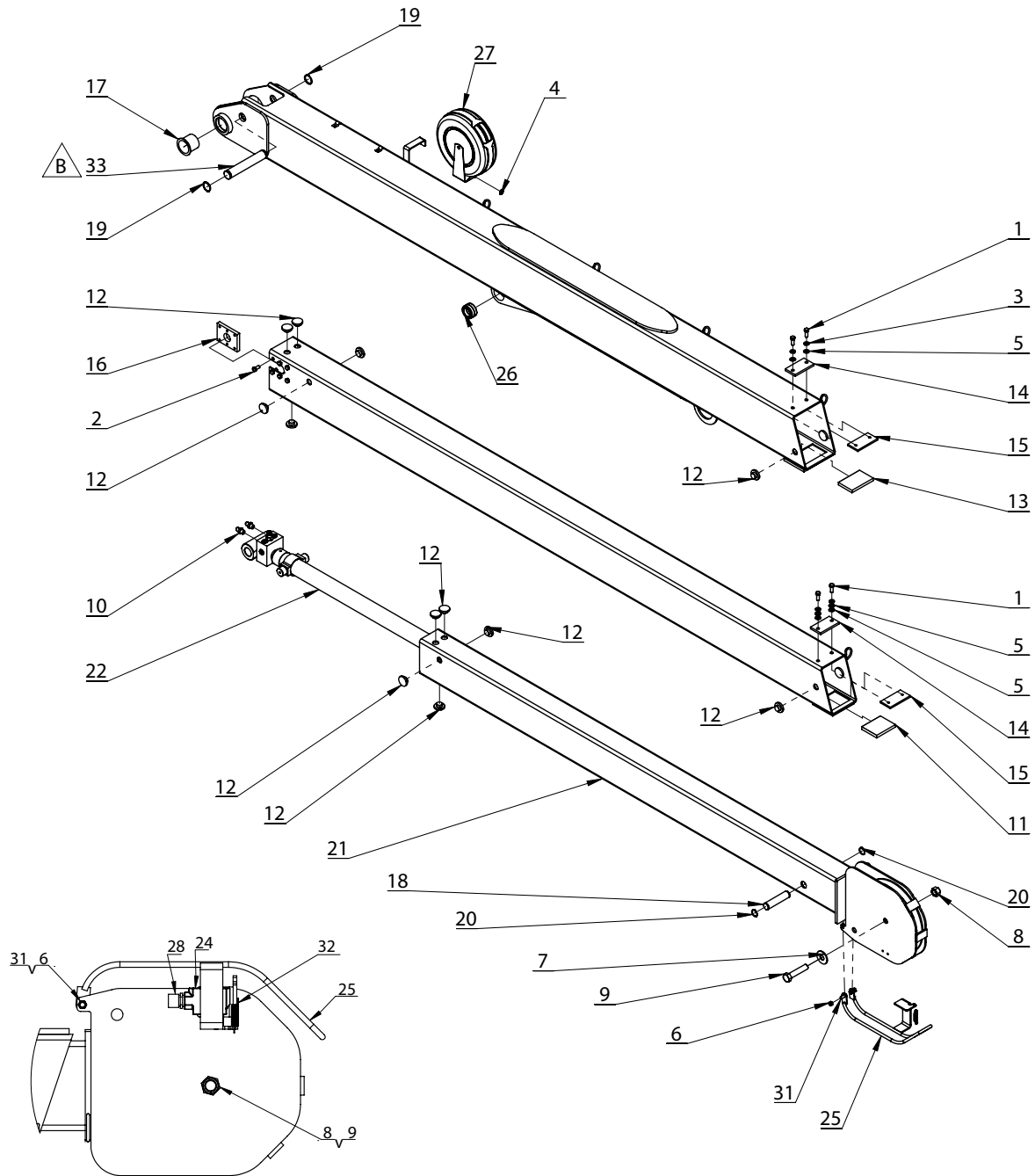
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34	4	330371000	SCREW HX HD 3/8-16UNC X 1 LG GR8
35	4	011608000	SCREW HX HD 1/2UNC X 2 GR5
36	1	006200000	SCREW HX HD 1/4UNC X 1 1/4 GR5
37	4	017701000	NUT HX 1/2-13UNC
38	2	366393000	SCREW HX HD 5/8-11UNC X 2 1/2 LG GR8
39	1	460110100	ROTATION STOP SWITCH ASSEMBLY, 24"
40	1	366676000	COVER, ROTATION STOP
41	1	460079000	BEARING, ROTATION STOP
42	1	366671000	ARM, ROTATION STOP
43	1	366675000	WASHER, NYLON
44	1	366673000	PIN, ROTATION STOP
45	1	480988255	BRACKET, ROT STOP
46	2	017301000	NUT HX NYLK 3/8-16UNC CP
47	4	006210000	CAPSCREW-#8-32 X 7/8 LG SOC HD Z/P
48	4	019700000	WASHER SP LK #8
49	4	725321000	NUT HX NYLK #8-32UNC
50	1	813008000	KIT, HOSE, 8406H
51*	2	200876000	FITTING 6 SAE/6 JIC STRAIGHT
52*	2	490198000	FITTING 10SAE(M)/6JIC ELBOW 90
53*	2	372041000	FITTING 8JIC/10SAE STRAIGHT 8-10 F5OX
54*	1	490199000	FITTING STR 10-SAE/10-JIC
55*	1	367145000	FITTING STR 8-SAE/8-JIC
56*	2	812303023	HOSE ASSY 8 JIC STR
57*	2	812203022	HOSE ASSY, -6 JIC FEM, STR
58*	2	812203037	HOSE ASSY 6 JIC STR
59*	2	480205000	HOSE ASSY 6 STR X 19.25
60*	1	812309026	HOSE ASSY 8 STR/90
61*	1	812409023	HOSE ASSY 10 STR/90
62*	41	374086000	NYLON HOSE SLEEVE, 1.81" ID
63	1	470091000	KIT, ELECTRICAL, LARGE-H-CRANE, HW
64	1	016300000	NUT HX NYLK 1/4-20UNC
65	1	366522002	WEDGE, DEUTSCH PLUG, 12 SOCKET
66	1	366522001	HOUSING, PLUG, DEUTSCH 12-PIN
67	1	320355000	RELAY, BOSCH
68	1	460177253	WASHER, 0.28 ID X 1.0 OD X .06 THICK
69**	1	680195000	HARNESS, HW, LARGE CRANE
70**	1	470011000	CABLE ASSY, AMP TO 2-PIN DEUTSCH
71	1	470010000	AMPLIFIER ASSY, 4-PIN DEUTSCH
72	1	750426000	PLUG, 1/4 NPT, SOC HD
73	1	366698000	CORD GRIP .375-.500 3/4" HUB
74	1	366359000	FITTING, -8 SAE / -8 JIC, SWIVEL, STR
75	1	366358000	FITTING, -10 SAE / -10 JIC, SWIVEL, STR
76	1	480988252	LOAD SENSOR SWITCH, 2620 PSI

\*NOTE: Parts are in Hose Kit

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# **HC-6 HW** **BOOM ASSEMBLY P/N: 360647010**



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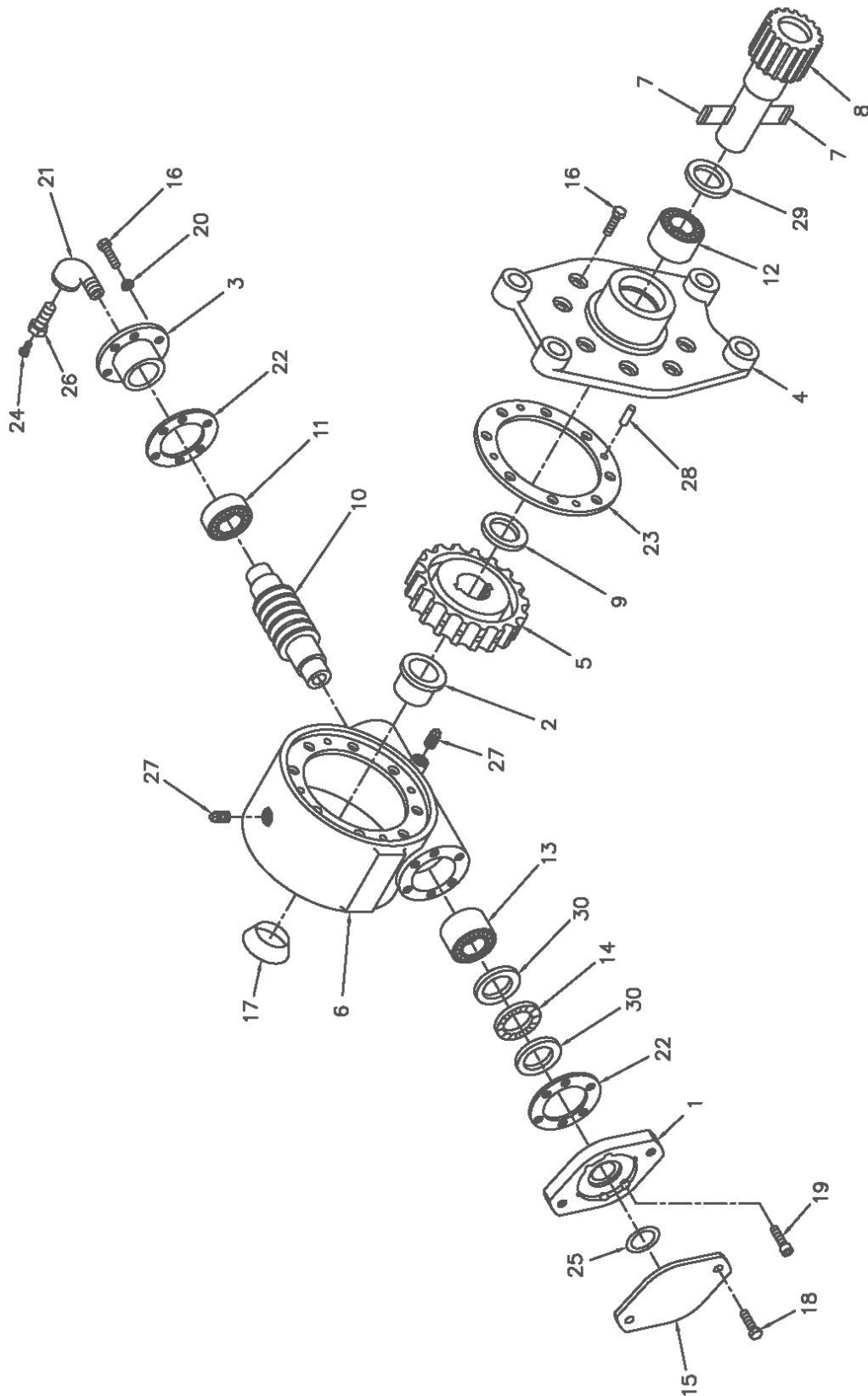
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ITEM NO.	QTY	PART NO.	DESCRIPTION
1	4	008800000	SCREW HX HD 3/8-24UNF X 1 LG
2	12	008400000	SCREW HX HD 3/8-16UNC X 3/4 LG GR 5
3	4	021100000	WASHER SP LK 3/8
4	1	360882000	NUT, PUSH-ON TYPE (.161-.164DIA)
5	6	021200000	WASHER FL 3/8
6	2	016801000	NUT HX NYLK 5/16-18UNC CP
7	1	022102000	WASHER FL 3/4
8	1	360756000	NUT, HX NYLK 3/4-10UNC
9	1	367366000	SCREW HX HD 3/4-10UNC X 3-1/2 LG
10	2	200876000	FITTING 6 SAE/6 JIC STRAIGHT
11	1	360674000	WEAR PAD, BOTTOM UPPER
12	14	360767000	PAD BOOM 1.5 O.D.
13	1	460053000	WEAR PAD, BOTTOM UPPER
14	2	366201000	WEAR PAD 3 .75 X 2.00 X .313
15	2	366483000	PLATE, WEAR PAD .25 X 2 X 4
16	2	366184000	RETAINER, EXTENSION CYLINDER
17	2	366394000	BEARING, PIVOT
18	1	738732000	PIN 1<MOD-DIAM> X 4.063 LG
19	2	480029000	RING RETAINING
20	2	360122000	RING RETAINING 5100-98
21	1	360666010	UPPER BOOM WELDMENT
22	1	360789000	CYL EXTENSION DUAL
23	1	366198000	SHEAVE ASSY 3/8
24	1	646900000	SWITCH, LIMIT ANTI-TWO BLOCK
25	1	470110160	BAIL WELDMENT W/ 2 IN TRIP BAR
26	1	366333000	BEARING, SPHERICAL 1.25 ID
27	1	360759001	CORD REEL ASSY
28	1	642918000	CORD CONNECTOR
29	1	360665010	MID BOOM WELMENT, 5005EH, 5005H
30	1	361106115	LOWER BOOM WELDMENT
31	2	007807000	SCREW HX HD 5/16-18UNC
32	1	366678000	SPRING, EXTENSION
33	1	361106113	PIN, 1.25 DIA X 6-7/8 LG

## ***NOTES***

# HC-6 HW ROTATION GEARBOX

## P/N: 160407



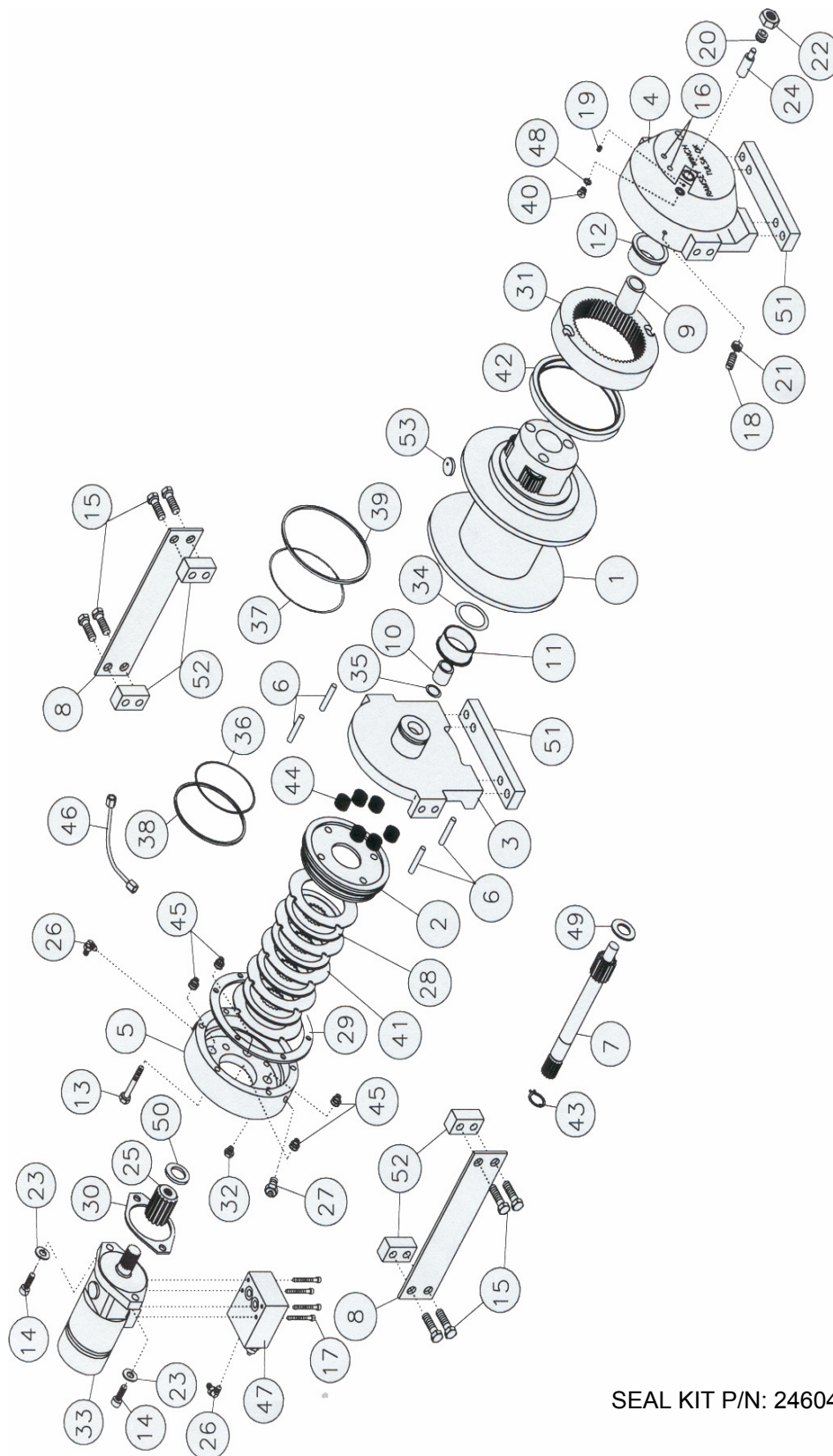
## **HC-6 HW ROTATION GEARBOX**

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ITEM NO.	QTY.	PART NO.	DESCRIPTION
1	1	300058	ADAPTER
2	1	308085	BUSHING
3	1	316092	CAP BEARING
4	1	328126	COVER
5	1	334016	GEAR R.H.
6	1	338261	HOUSING GEAR
7	2	342120	KEY
8	1	357139	SHAFT OUTPUT
9	1	366019	WASHER THRUST
10	1	368183	WORM R.H.
11	1	402044	BEARING BALL
12	1	402105	BEARING NEEDLE
13	1	402106	BEARING NEEDLE
14	1	402107	BEARING THRUST
15	1	413013	COVER
16	14	414146	SCREW HX HD 5/16 NC X 1 1/4 GR5 (NYLON HEAVY PATCH)
17	1	530101	PLUG - EXPANSION
18	2	414581	SCREW HX HD 1/2 NC X 3/4 GR5
19	6	414869	SCREW SOC HD 5/16 NC X 1
20	6	418163	WASHER LK 5/16 MED SECT
21	1	432011	ELL 90 DEG
22	2	442182	GASKET
23	1	442187	GASKET
24	1	456008	FITTING RELIEF
25	1	462029	O-RING
26	1	468002	REDUCER
27	2	468018	PLUG PIPE
28	4	470062	PIN DOWEL
29	1	486071	SEAL OIL
30	2	518026	WASHER THRUST

# HC-6 HW HOIST ASSEMBLY

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SEAL KIT P/N: 246048

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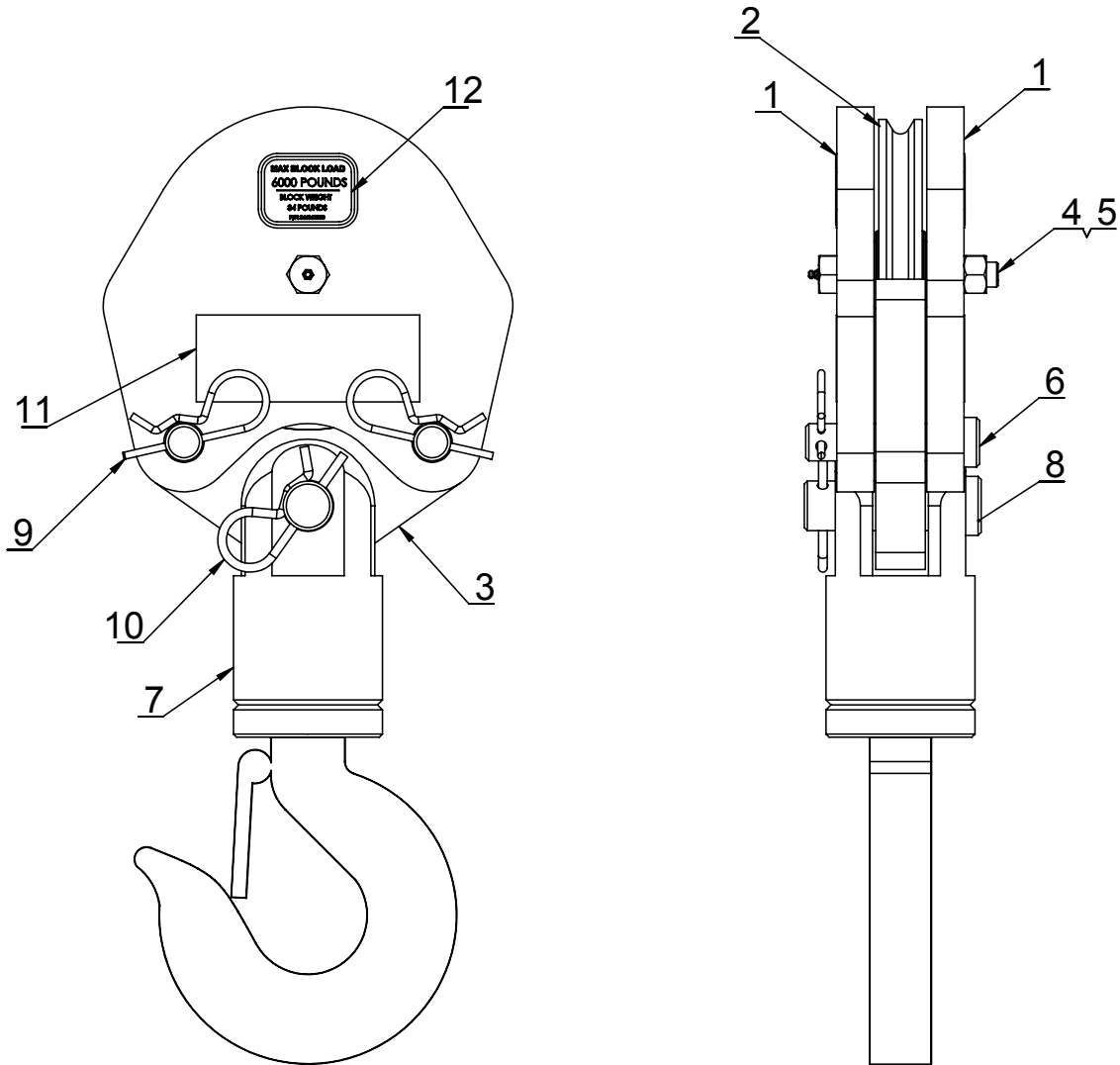
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1	1	234189	DRUM ASSEMBLY
2	1	306042	PISTON BRAKE
3	1	338300	END BEARING MOTOR
4	1	338301	END BEARING GEAR HOUSING
5	1	338302	HOUSING BRAKE
6	4	346045	PIN BRAKE
7	1	357513	INPUT SHAFT SUN GEAR
8	2	474065	PLATE TIE
9	1	402120	BEARING GEAR HOUSING
10	1	402121	BEARING MOTOR
11	1	412084	BUSHING DRUM (MOTOR END)
12	1	412085	BUSHING DRUM (GEAR HOUSING END)
13	6	414303	SCREW HX HD 3/8-16UNC X 2 1/2 LG
14	2	414948	SCREW SOC HD 1/2-13UNC X 1 1/4 LG
15	8	414548	SCREW HX HD 1/2-13UNC X 1 1/2 LG
16	2	414854	SCREW RD HD 1/4-20UNC X 1/2 LG
17	4	414129	SCREW SOC HD 5/16-18UNC X 3 LG
18	1	414926	SCREW SOC SET 3/8-16UNC X 1 LG NYLON
19	1	416016	SCREW SOC SET 1/4-20UNC X 1/4 LG CUP
20	1	416080	SCREW SOC SET 5/8-11UNF X 1 LG CUP
21	1	418036	NUT JAM 3/8-16UNC
22	1	418088	NUT JAM 5/16-18UNC
23	2	418218	WASHER LK 1/2 ID
24	1	426048	PLUNGER
25	1	431015	COUPLER MOTOR
26	2	432018	FITTING 7/16 ELBOW 90 DEG
27	1	432026	FITTING BLEEDER
28	4	438022	DISC BRAKE
29	1	442220	GASKET BRAKE
30	1	442223	GASKET MOTOR
31	1	444085	GEAR RING
32	1	456038	FITTING VENT
33	1	458124	MOTOR HYDRAULIC
34	1	462046	O-RING DRUM
35	1	462056	O-RING
36	1	462057	O-RING
37	1	462058	O-RING
38	1	462059	O-RING BACKUP
39	1	462060	O-RING BACKUP
40	1	472052	PLUG

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ITEM NO.	QTY.	PART NO.	DESCRIPTION
41	5	474111	PLATE SEPERATOR
42	1	486080	SEAL GEAR HOUSING
43	1	490037	SNAP RING
44	6	494110	SPRING BRAKE
45	4	494112	SPRING
46	1	509019	TUBE ASSEMBLY
47	1	516028	VALVE MOTOR CONTROL
48	1	518037	THRUST WASHER
49	1	518047	THRUST WASHER
50	1	518052	THRUST WASHER
51	2	362283	SPACER FOOT MOUNTING
52	4	362284	SPACER TIE PLATE
53	1	315004	CABLE ANCHOR

# HC-6 HW TRAVELING BLOCK ASSEMBLY P/N: 366066000



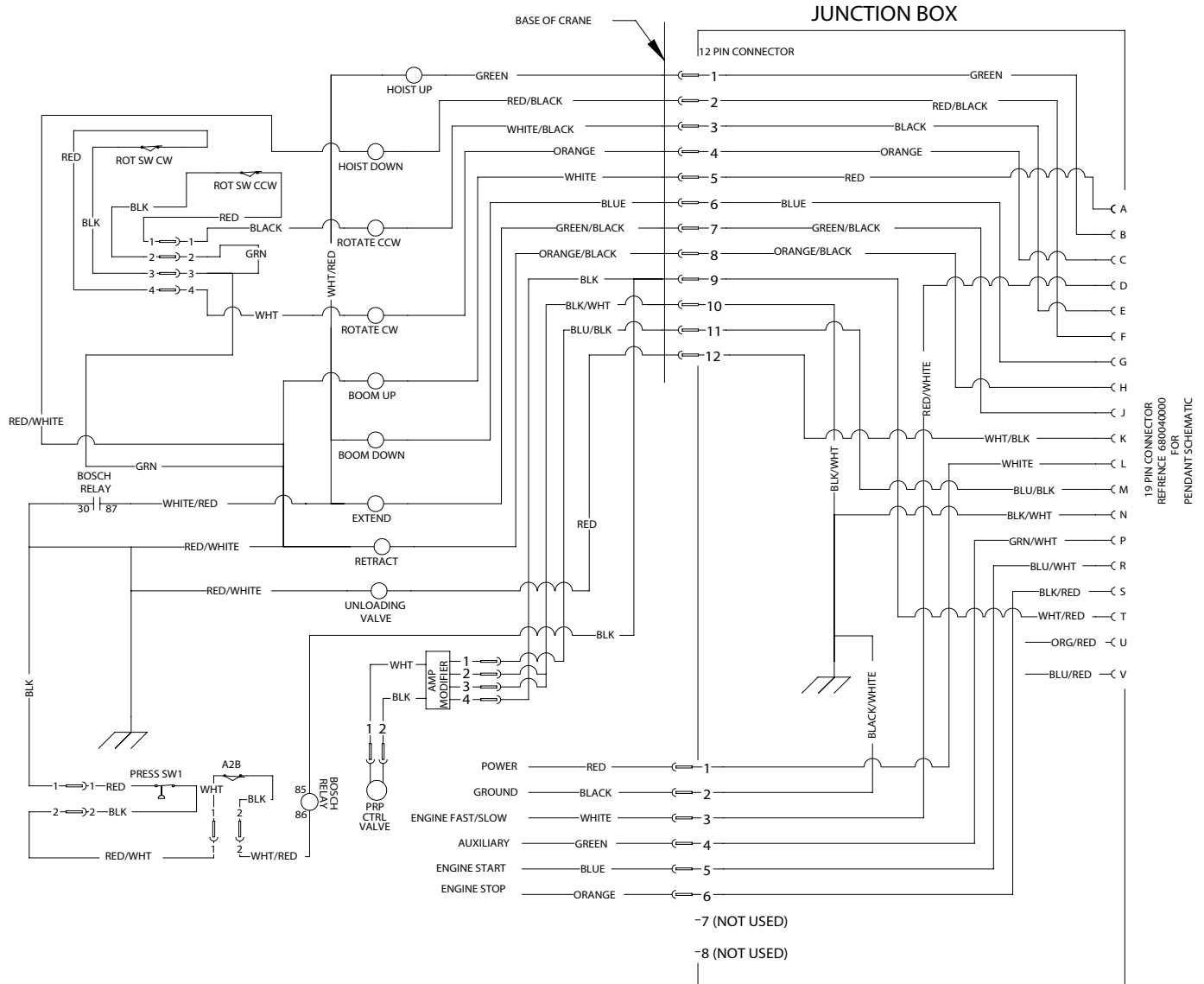
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1	2	480363000	SHORT BLOCK SIDE PLATE
2	1	480130000	SHEAVE ASSY
3	1	480364000	TACKLE LOWER
4	1	480372000	BOLT, SHEAVE W/ ZERK FITTING
5	1	017800000	NUT, HX LK 1/2-20UNF
6	2	480367000	PIN BLOCK
7	1	480371000	HOOK SWIVEL 3 METRIC TON
8	1	480368000	PIN SWIVEL HOOK
9	2	366813000	PIN HITCH
10	1	360124000	PIN HITCH
11	2	040518000	DECAL STAY CLEAR OF LOAD
12	2	366063100	DECAL, TRAVELING BLOCK 6006H



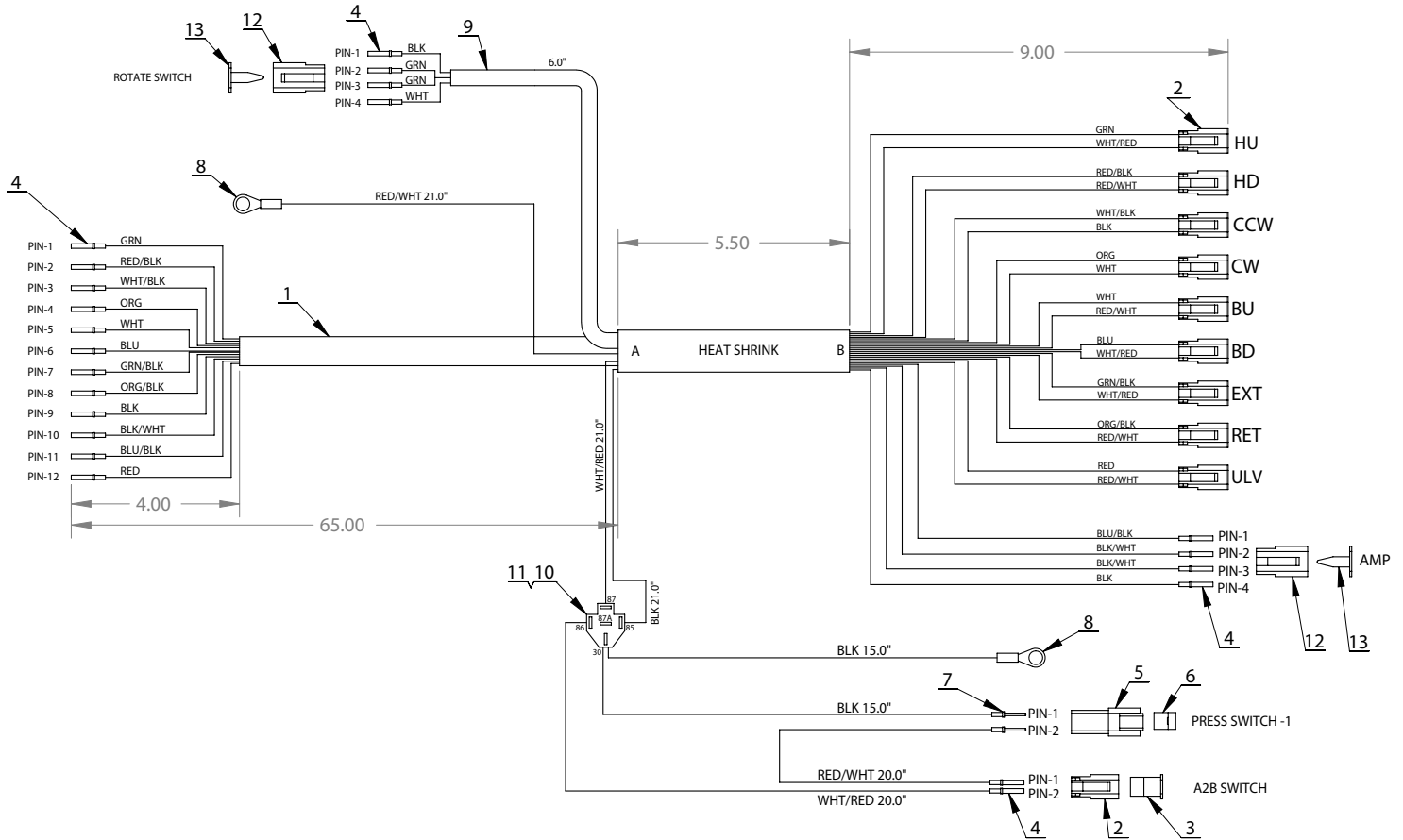
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## ELECTRICAL SCHEMATIC HARDWIRED -

### P/N 680195001



# HC-6 HW MAIN WIRING HARNESS HARDWIRED - P/N 680195000



ITEM NO.	QTY	PART NO.	DESCRIPTION
1	1	470038000_18-12 CABLE	CABLE, 18/12 GRAY PVC JACKET
2	10	366367001	HOUSING, DEUTSCH 2-PIN PLUG
3	10	366367002	WEDGE, DEUTSCH PLUG, 2 PIN
4	40	366367003	CONTACT, DEUTSCH SOCKET
5	1	360769001	HOUSING, DEUTSCH 2-PIN RECEPTACLE
6	1	360769002	WEDGE, DEUTCH 2-PIN RECEPTACLE
7	2	366376003	CONTACT, DEUTSCH
8	2	000501000	TERMINAL RING, 5/16, 14-16 GA
9*	REF	800628000	WIRE, 3 CONDUCTOR
10	1	320363000	PLUG TERMINAL CONNECTOR
11	4	320357000	FEMALE SPADE, NON-INSULATED
12	2	320931001	HOUSING, DEUTSCH 4-PIN PLUG
13	2	320931002	WEDGE, DEUTSCH 4-PIN PLUG

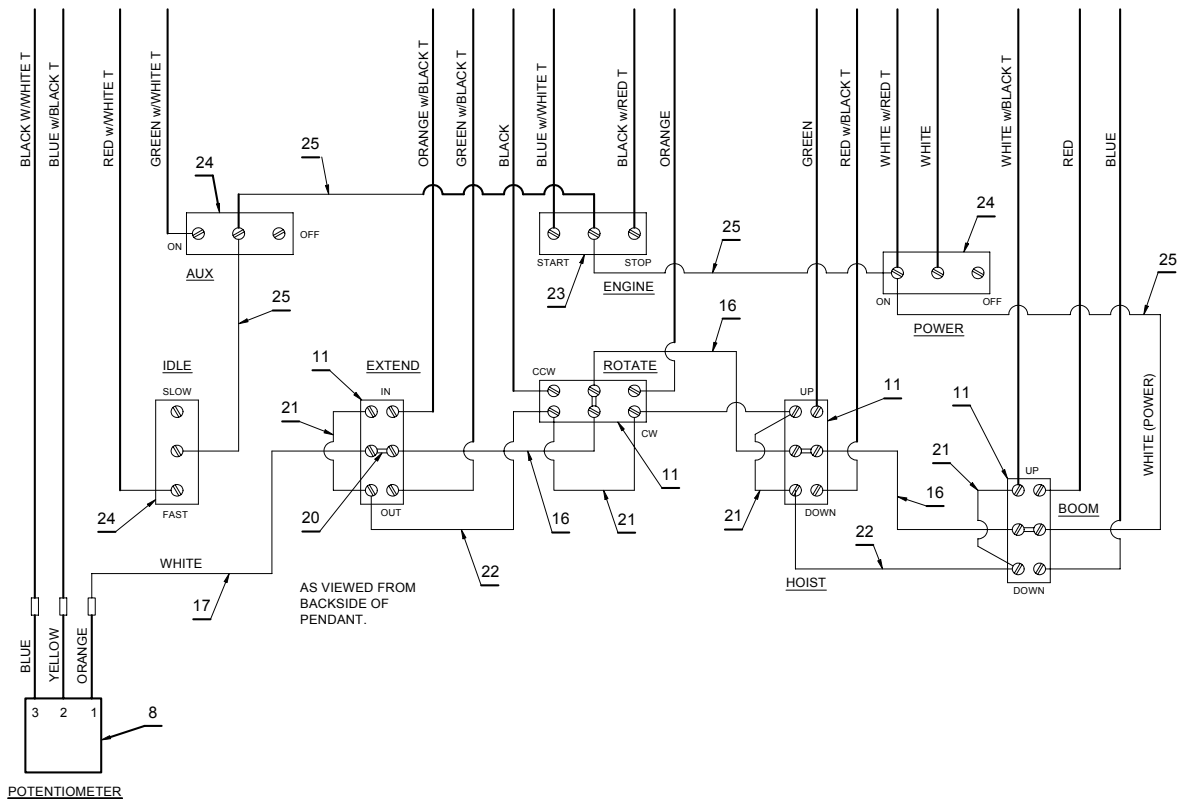
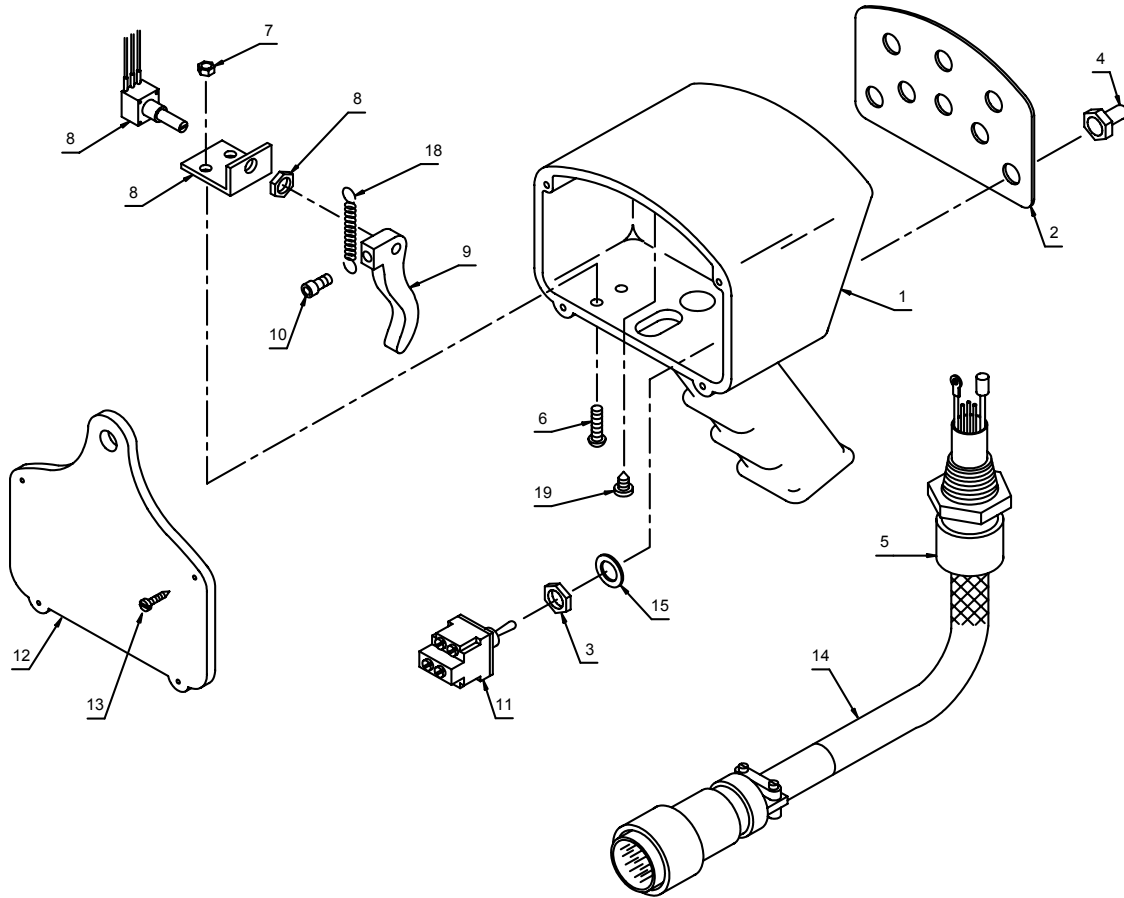
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FUNCTION	PIN	WIRE COLOR	NOTES
HOIST UP	1 2	GREEN WHITE/RED	TO PIN 1 (MAIN) TO A2B GROUND
HOIST DN	1 2	RED/BLACK RED/WHITE	TO PIN 2 (MAIN) GROUND
ROTATE CCW	1 2	WHITE/BLACK BLACK	TO PIN 3 (MAIN) TO PIN 1 (ROTATE SWITCH)
ROTATE CW	1 2	ORANGE WHITE	TO PIN 4 (MAIN) TO PIN 4 (ROTATE SWITCH)
BOOM UP	1 2	WHITE RED/WHITE	TO PIN 5 (MAIN) GROUND
BOOM DN	1 2	BLUE WHITE/RED	TO PIN 6 (MAIN) TO A2B GROUND
EXTEND	1 2	GREEN/BLACK WHITE/RED	TO PIN 7 (MAIN) TO A2B GROUND
RETRACT	1 2	ORANGE/BLACK RED/WHITE	TO PIN 8 (MAIN) GROUND
A2B SWITCH	1 2	RED/WHITE WHITE/RED	TO PIN 2 (PRESS SWITCH-1) TO PIN 86 (RELAY)
PRESSURE SWITCH	1 2	BLACK RED/WHITE	GROUND TO PIN 1 (A2B SWITCH)
ROTATE SWITCH 3 COND CABLE	1 2,3 4	BLACK GREEN WHITE	TO PIN 2 (CCW) GROUND TO PIN 2 (CW)
AMP	1 2 3 4	BLUE/BLACK BLACK/WHITE BLACK/WHITE BLACK	TO PIN 11 (MAIN) TO PIN 10 (MAIN) TO PIN 10 (MAIN) TO PIN 9 (MAIN)
UNLOADING VALVE	1 2	RED RED/WHITE	TO PIN 12 (MAIN) GROUND
BOSCH RELAY	86	WHITE/RED	PIN 2, (FOR A2B SW)
BOSCH RELAY	85	BLACK	TO PIN 9 (MAIN)
BOSCH RELAY	87	WHITE/RED	PIN 2, (FOR PRESS SW-1)
BOSCH RELAY	30	RED/WHITE	PIN 1, (FOR PRESS SW-1)

This exploded perspective view illustrates the assembly of a device. The components are numbered as follows: 1 (main rectangular housing), 2 (circular fan or filter), 3 (bottom flange), 4 (curved duct), 5 (top plate), 6 (screw), 7 (rod), 8 (pin), 9 (screw), 10 (nut), 11 (washer), 12 (bracket), 13 (bracket), 14 (terminal block), 15 (fan assembly), and 16 (top plate). The diagram shows the spatial arrangement and assembly sequence of these parts.

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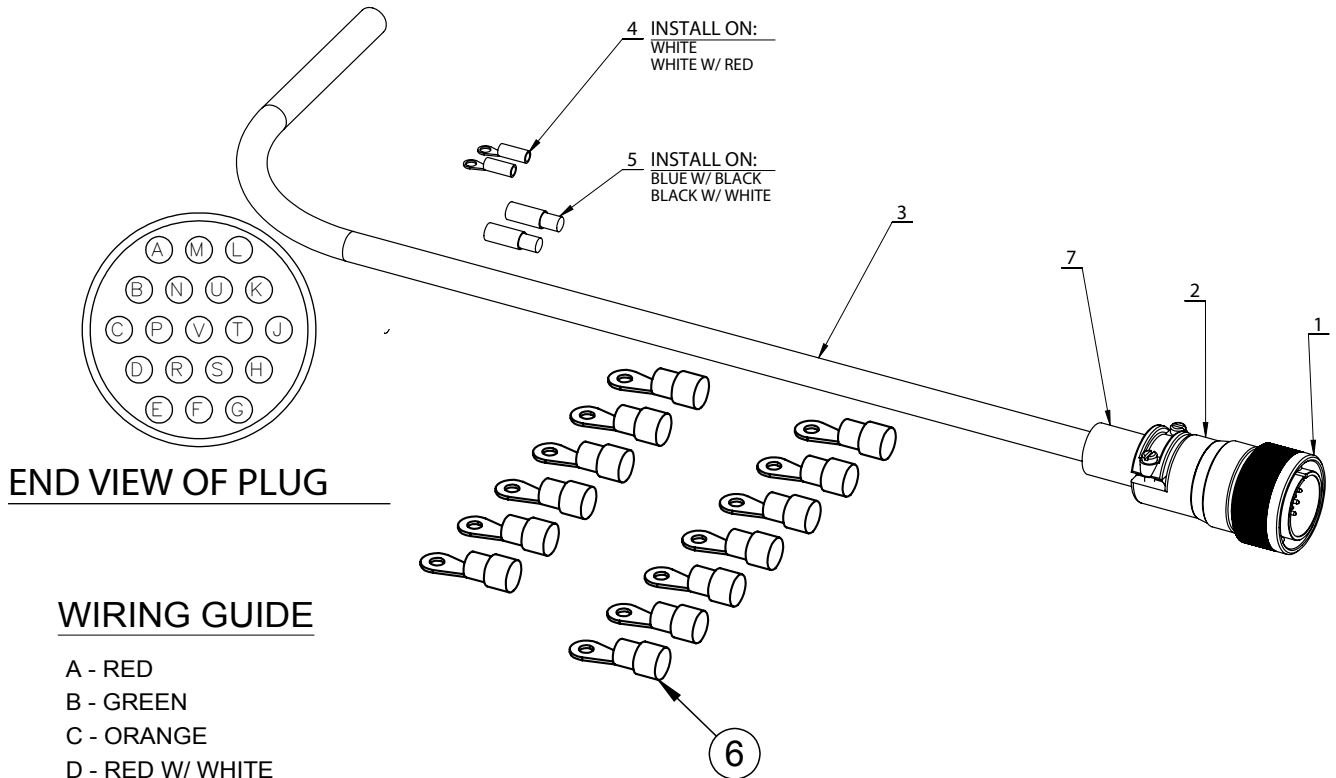
# HW-6 HW PENDANT ASSEMBLY HARDWIRED - P/N 68004000



## **HC-6 HW PENDANT ASSEMBLY HARDWIRED - P/N: 680040000**

ITEM	QTY	PART NO.	DESCRIPTION
1	1	480501000	HOUSING, PROP. PENDANT MACHINED
2	1	480518000	DECAL/COVER PLATE
3	8	REF	NUT (INCLUDED WITH SWITCH)
4	8	640300000	BOOT, TOGGLE
5	1	480567000	CORD GRIP, HUBBELL CONNECTOR
6	2	002607000	SCREW, HX HD #10-24 NC X 3/4 LG
7	2	015801000	NUT, HEX, LOCKING, #10-24UNC
8	1	480507000	POTENTIOMETER ASSEMBLY
9	1	480506000	TRIGGER
10	1	480517000	SCREW, SOC HD, #10-32UNF X 5/8 LG
11	4	634200000	SWITCH, TOGGLE DPDT
12	1	480504000	BACK PLATE, HOUSING
13	4	001004000	SCREW, PAN HD, #6-32UNC X 3/4 LG
14	1	680113000	CABLE ASSEMBLY, BAYONET
15	8	REF	WASHER, LOCK (INCLUDED WITH SWITCH)
16	3	660302000	CONDUCTOR ASSEMBLY
17	1	480524000	CONDUCTOR ASSEMBLY
18	1	480523000	SPRING, TRIGGER RETURN
19	1	005003000	SCREW, S.T. PAN HD, #6-32UNC X 3/8 LG
20	4	636600000	JUMPER
21	4	622346000	CONDUCTOR ASSEMBLY
22	3	622347000	CONDUCTOR ASSEMBLY
23	1	622000000	SWITCH, TOGGLE SPDT
24	3	750090000	SWITCH, TOGGLE ON/OFF
25	1	480526000	CONDUCTOR ASSEMBLY
26	2	750737000	TIE, CABLE

# HC-6 HW PENDANT ASSEMBLY HARDWIRED P/N 680113000



## WIRING GUIDE

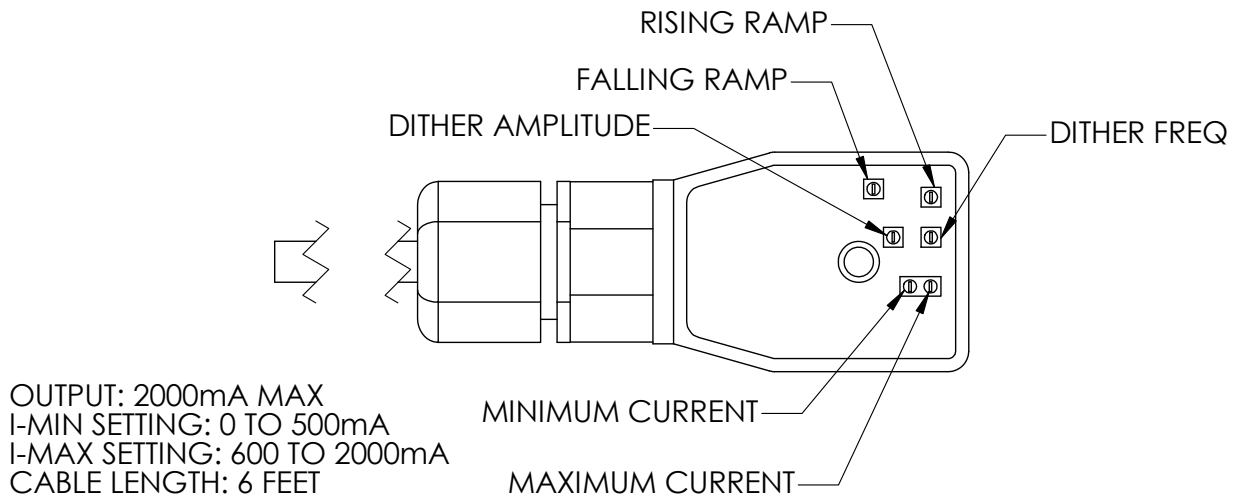
A - RED  
B - GREEN  
C - ORANGE  
D - RED W/ WHITE  
E - BLACK  
F - RED W/ BLACK  
G - BLUE  
H - ORANGE W/ BLACK  
J - GREEN W/ BLACK  
K - WHITE W/ BLACK  
L - WHITE  
M - BLUE W/ BLACK  
N - BLACK W/ WHITE  
P - GREEN W/ WHITE  
R - BLUE W/ WHITE  
S - BLACK W/ RED  
T - WHITE W/ RED  
U - ORANGE W/ RED  
V - BLUE W/ RED

INSTALL ON:  
ORANGE  
GREEN  
RED  
BLUE  
BLACK  
RED W/ BLACK  
ORANGE W/ BLACK  
GREEN W/ BLACK  
WHITE W/ BLACK  
RED W/ WHITE  
GREEN W/ WHITE  
BLUE W/ WHITE  
BLACK W/ RED

ITEM	QTY.	PART NO.	DESCRIPTION
1	1	366098000	PLUG, CONNECTOR
2	1	480515001	CABLE PEND, 30ft
3	1	480594000	CABLE, CONDUCTOR (19 COND)
4	2	000101000	TERMINAL RING #6 / 14-16 GA
5	2	480510000	CONNECTOR, BULLET, FEMALE
6	13	002012000	TERMINAL RING #6 / 18-22 GA
7	1	490243000	TUBING, HEAT SHRINK

# **HC-6 HW PENDANT CABLE ASSEMBLY**

## **HARDWIRED - P/N: 470010000**



### **MINIMUM CURRENT ADJUSTMENTS**

Current is factory set at 150 mA, no adjustment required at installation. If adjustment is required, set the minimum current before setting the maximum current. Apply minimum input (0 VDC). If the desired minimum current is greater, adjust the trim pot CW until the desired current is achieved.

### **MAXIMUM CURRENT**

Current is factory set at 1600 mA, no adjustment required at installation. If adjustment is required, apply maximum control (5 VDC). Turn the trim pot CCW to adjust the current setting downwards to the desired minimum.

### **RAMP AND DITHER**

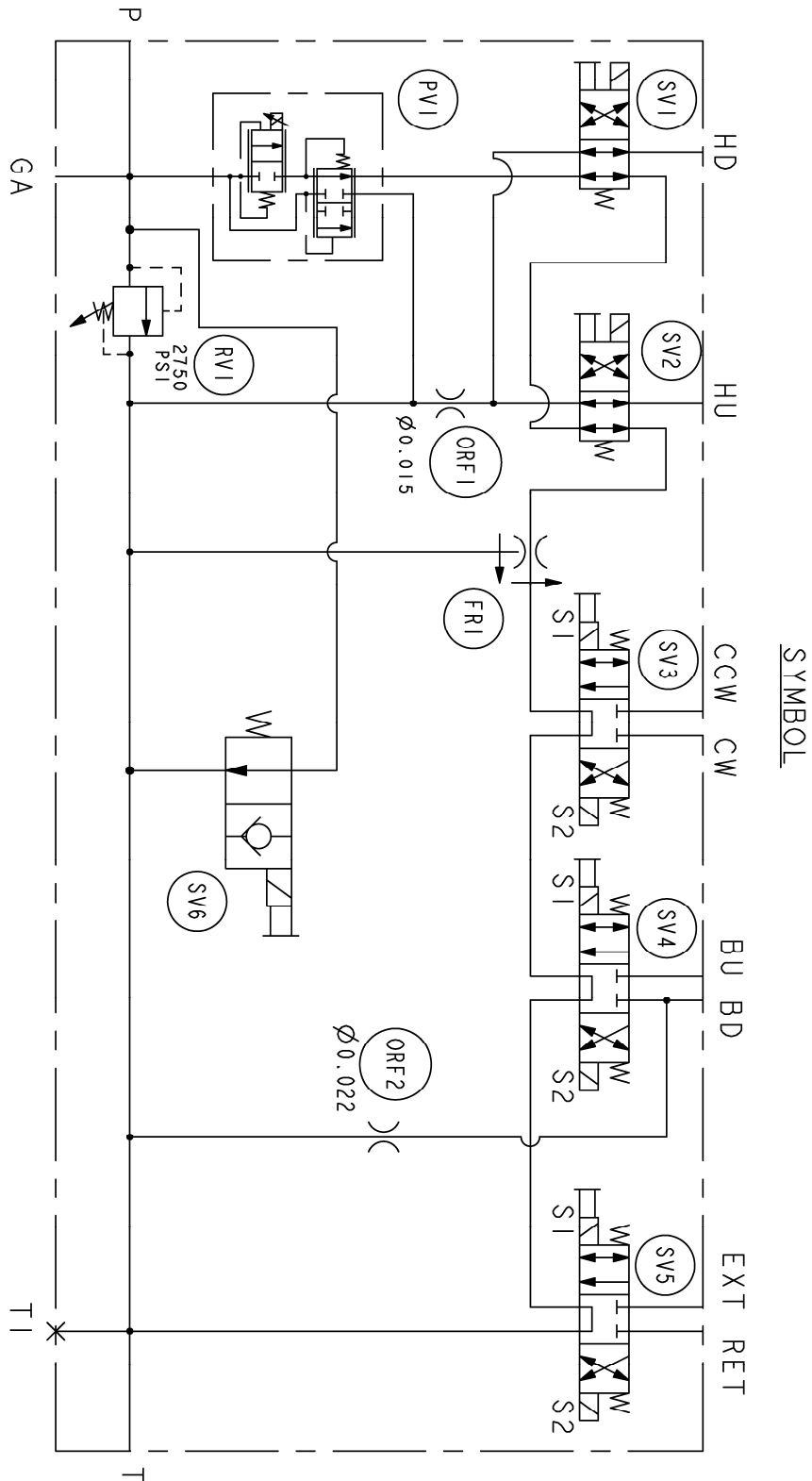
Ramp and dither is adjusted at the factory and does not require any further adjustment.

## ***NOTES***



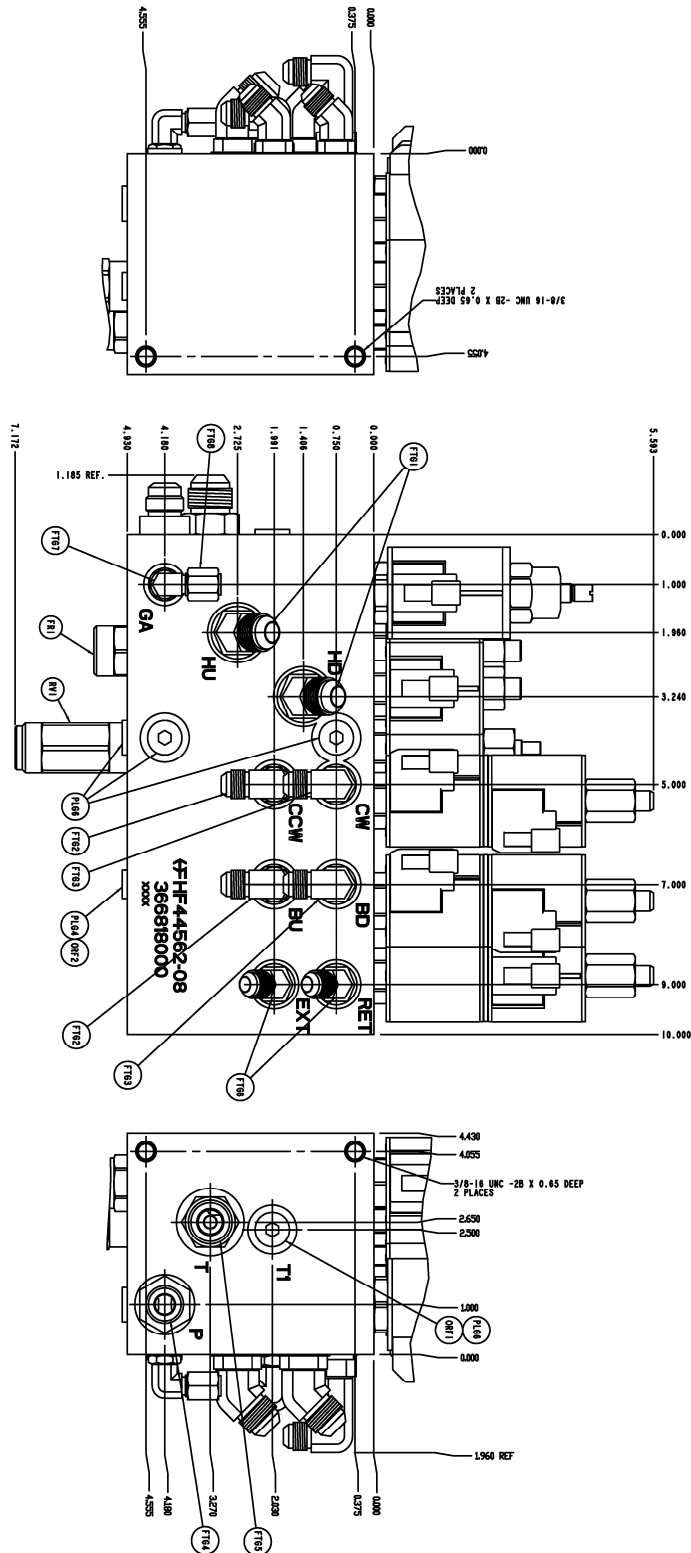
# HC-6 HW HYDRAULIC SCHEMATIC

## P/N: 366818000



# HC-6 HW HYDRAULIC CONTROL VALVE

## P/N: 366818000



# HC-6 HW HYDRAULIC CONTROL VALVE

## P/N: 366818000

ITEM NO.	QTY	VENDOR	VENDOR NO.	A/C NO.	DESCRIPTION
PV1	1	HYDRAFORCE	PV70-30AM-0-N-00	366365002	PROPORTIONAL VALVE
CL1	1	HYDRAFORCE	4303212	366370001	PROPORTIONAL COIL
FR1	1	HYDRAFORCE	FR10-30F-0-N-/4.00	366365003	FLOW REGULATOR
RV1	1	HYDRAFORCE	RV10-22H-0-N-35/27.5	366365004	RELIEF VALVE
SV6	1	HYDRAFORCE	SV10-21P-0-N-00	366760001	UNLOADER VALVE
		COMMAND CONTROLS	EMDV-10-N-02-0-12D-D	366818901	UNLOADER VALVE
SV1,SV2	2	HYDRAFORCE	SV10-L40M-0-N-00	480186000	HOIST VALVES
		PARKER	DSL104-B-T-N	366818902	HOIST VALVES
SV3,SV4,SV5	3	HYDRAFORCE	SV10-47AM-0-N-00	320725001	EXT/RET, BOOM UP/DN, ROTATE CW,CCW VALVES
CL2	9	HYDRAFORCE	4303712	460160002	FUNCTION COILS
		PARKER	CAP012H	366823901	FUNCTION COILS
		COMMAND CONTROLS	60191-12DD	366818903	FUNCTION COILS
PLG6	4	HYDRAFORCE	6103006		PORT PLUG
ORF1	1	HYDRAFORCE	6101015		PLUG ORIFICE
PLG4	1	HYDRAFORCE	6103004		PORT PLUG
ORF2	1	HYDRAFORCE	6101022		PLUG ORIFICE
FTG1	2	HYDRAFORCE	4160065	374017000	FITTING
FTG2	2	HYDRAFORCE	6114010	241175000	FITTING
FTG3	2	HYDRAFORCE	4160066	330645000	FITTING
FTG4	1	HYDRAFORCE	6114090	367145000	FITTING
FTG5	1	HYDRAFORCE	4160014	490199000	FITTING
FTG6	2	HYDRAFORCE	6114014	480195000	FITTING
FTG7	1	HYDRAFORCE	4160038	369127000	FITTING
FTG8	1	HYDRAFORCE	4160106	330348000	FITTING
NOT SHOWN	21	HYDRAFORCE	6108080		PLUG ORIFICE
BLK	1	HYDRAFORCE	72XXXXX		BLOCK

# HC-6 HW

## COUNTERBALANCE VALVE ADJUSTMENT

### Counterbalance Valve Adjustment

1. With PTO disengaged and boom properly supported, remove the plug on the counterbalance valve. Install a pressure gauge (0-3000 PSI) into the port.
2. Engage PTO and insure pump flow is 8 to 9 GPM. With no load on boom, boom up to an angle of 70 degrees. Boom down and note pressure. If pressure reading is not approximately 1300 PSI, the counterbalance valve requires adjustment.
  - A. To increase the CB valve setting, loosen nut and turn Allen head screw counter clockwise.
  - B. To reduce the CB valve setting, loosen nut and turn Allen head screw clockwise.
3. Tighten nut on adjustment screw and repeat procedure if needed to obtain the proper pressure setting.
4. Disengage PTO, remove the pressure gauge and install plug. Crane is now ready for operation.

### *Notice:*

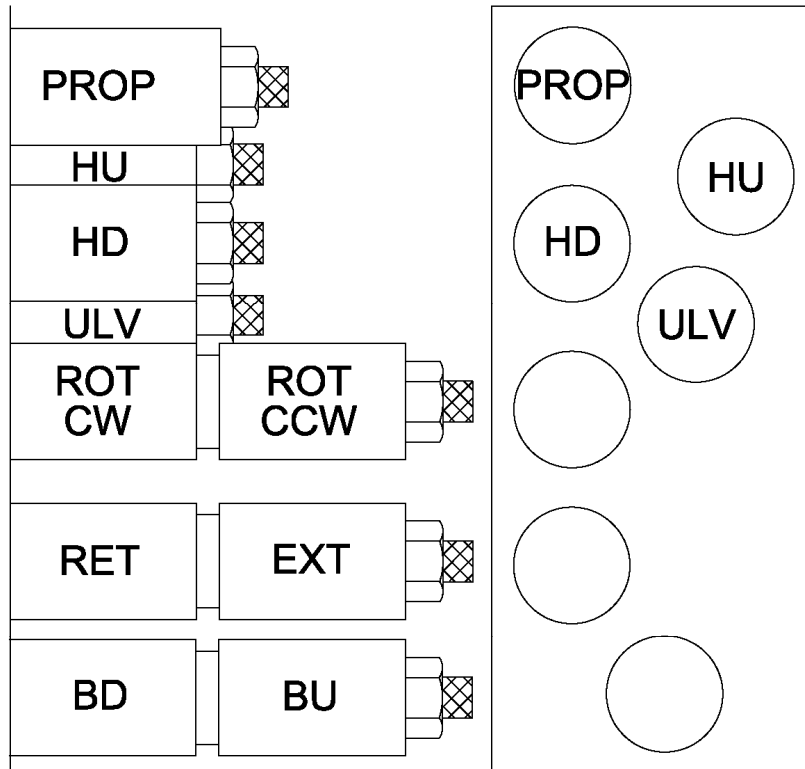
1. In an **EMERGENCY** situation when it becomes necessary to lower the boom without flow present, the CB valve adjustment can be turned in until the boom begins to descend. Make sure the boom will lower onto a proper support. Loosen the lock nut and carefully turn adjustment screw clockwise! Count the number of turns. *Turn slowly until the boom just begins to lower, and remove hand/arm/fingers from cranes while boom is lowering.*
2. Turning adjustment screw too far will cause valve to come apart on the inside. This condition is not repairable
3. After boom is lowered, turn adjustment screw counter clockwise the approximate number of turns made during lowering procedure. After the problem is corrected, readjust the counterbalance valve using the procedure in this manual.

### **WARNING:**

**DO NOT TRY TO ADJUST VALVES WHILE BOOM IS MOVING.  
Doing so may result in personal injury!**

# **HC-6 HW**

## **VALVE OVERRIDE OPERATION**



## **DIRECTIONAL CONTROL**

## **VALVE IDENTIFICATION**

In the event that the electrical control system fails the crane can be operated using the manual overrides on the hydraulic control valve.

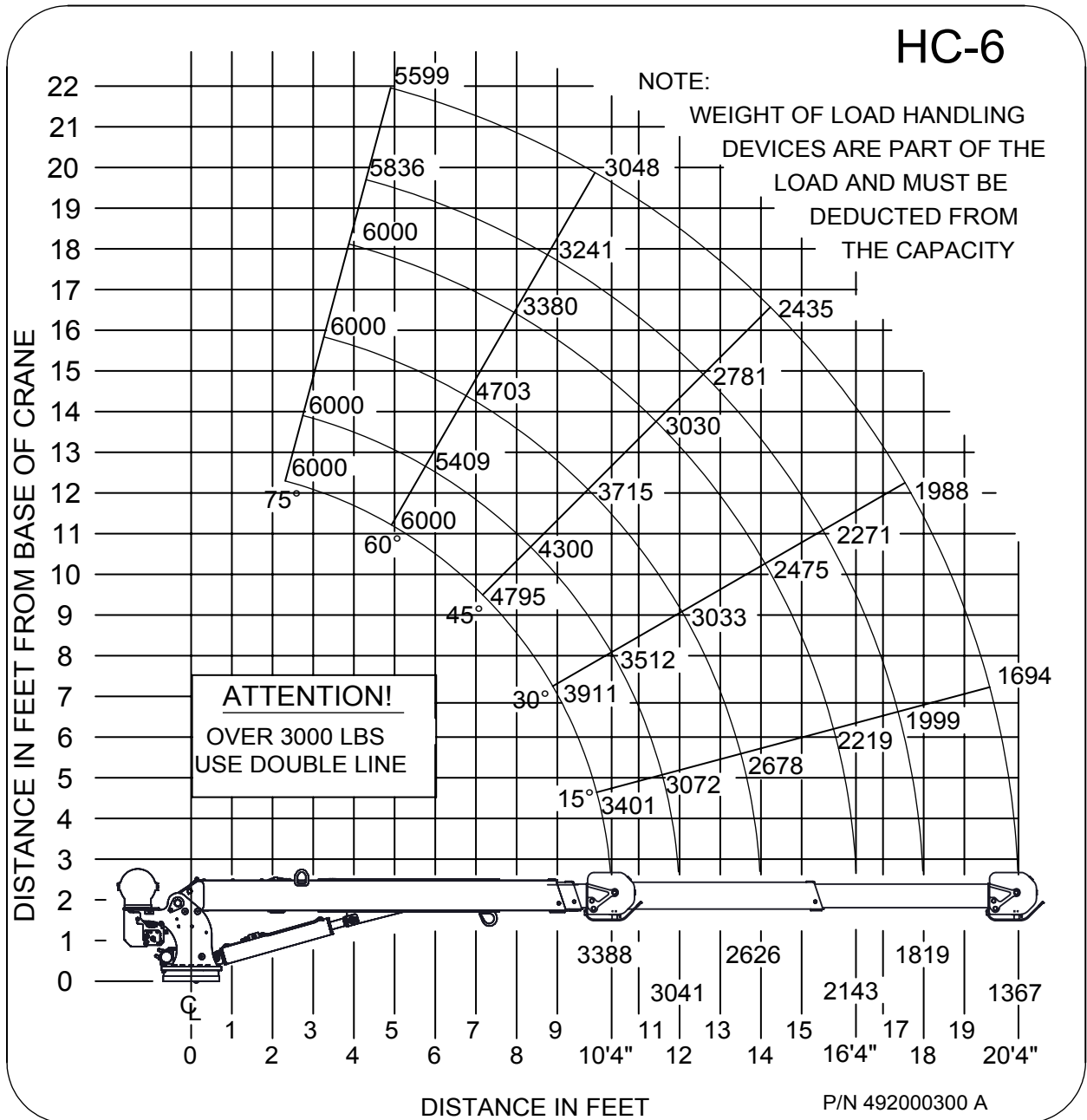
The overrides operate as follows:

1. Proportional – increase flow by turning clockwise.
2. Extend/Retract, Boom Up/Down, Rotate CW/CCW – push to operate boom down, pull to operate boom up etc. See graphics above.
3. Unload Valve – Push in to operate.
4. Hoist Up/Down Valve – Push in to operate (Red override-Hydraforce), Twist to release (Gold override-Parker).

**Note:** To manually activate a function the crane with no electrical power, you must first turn manual override on proportional clockwise then push in the unload valve while pushing or pulling the function you want to activate.

# HC-6 HW LOAD CHART

## P/N 492000300





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## LIMITED WARRANTY 2 YEAR PARTS AND LABOR

Auto Crane will warranty to the consumer for a period of (2) years parts and labor from the date of purchase. Each new Auto Crane unit they sell will be free under normal use and service from defects in material and workmanship. Date of purchase will be honored as the date indicated on the Bill of Sale, which must accompany the Warranty Registration and be on file with Auto Crane. Absent a valid Warranty Registration and appropriate documentation, the original date of manufacture, as indicated by the serial number on the product, will be used to determine the effective date of the 2 year warranty.

The obligation of Auto Crane under this warranty is limited to the replacement or repair of parts that appear to the manufacturer after review and/or inspection to be defective and paid flat rate labor for replacing defective parts. This warranty does not obligate Auto Crane to bear the travel time charges in connection with the replacement or repair of defective parts. Responsibility for customer's claims arising from misapplication, abuse, misuse or alteration of equipment or parts lies with the distributor or user and no warranty obligation is assumed in these circumstances by Auto Crane.

Auto Crane will in no event be liable for any consequential damages or contingent liabilities arising out of the failure of any Auto Crane Product or parts to operate properly.

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If field service, at the request of the distributor, is rendered and fault is found not to be with Auto Crane's product, the distributor shall pay the time and expense of the field representative.

Claims for service labor or other expenses that have incurred by the buyer without approval or authorization or Auto Crane will not be accepted.

When applying for warranty, claims may be handled by contacting your nearest authorized Auto Crane Distributor. All claims are to be filed in writing on an Auto Crane Warranty Claim Form.

**AUTO CRANE COMPANY IS UNDER NO OBLIGATION TO EXTEND THIS WARRANTY TO ANY CUSTOMER FOR WHICH AN AUTO CRANE DELIVERY REPORT FORM HAS NOT BEEN COMPLETED AND ON FILE WITH AUTO CRANE COMPANY**





*Note: This manual should remain with the crane at all times.*

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

