

Hire Equipment Policies

FAIR WEAR AND TEAR POLICY
FOR HORIZONTAL SHEAR
MACHINES

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1. Horizontal Shear Fair Wear & Tear Policy

1.1 Definition of Hirer Wear & Tear on Hire Agreements

To avoid any misunderstandings in Hire Agreements between our hirers and PMH, we have documented what is and is not covered by Fair Wear & Tear for all Material Handling machines. On delivery to the site of each unit of equipment, a condition report is completed and signed off by a hirer representative. The hirer retains one copy and Adaptalift Hyster retains the other copy and attaches it to the contract papers.

1.2 What is covered by the Contract

Scheduled maintenance

- Scheduled service and maintenance required to keep the equipment in good working order to be carried out between 7:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday to Friday. Other arrangements may be negotiated with the hirer as per the Hire Agreement.

Hydraulics

- Wear on the exterior of hoses is acceptable as long as external impact has happened.

Onboard Monitoring Systems

- Software upgrades
- Refreshing of settings due to normal usage

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1.3 What is not covered by the Contract (including any further obligations of the Hirer):

Main structure



- Damage due to overloading
- Damage due to using machine for a purpose that it is not designed for.
- Damage sustained due to use on uneven surfaces not limited to but including potholes, and poor ground conditions.
- Damage to sensors and switches.
- Damage to shear cylinders due to incorrect use of manual controls.
- Excessive wear on pins & bushes due to improper lubrication/greasing
- Cracking of structure due to incorrect operating technique by drivers
- Damage to chassis.
- Damage to all panels, fluid reservoirs of all kinds.
- Damage to exhaust or engine covers.

Hydraulic Rams & Hoses



- Damage to outer barrel or chrome rod
- Damage to all hoses connect to the rams.
- Damage to all connect pins and fixing bolts

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Blades and Bolts



- Damage due to overloading.
- Damage incorrect selection of material been processed.
- Damage due to blades coming lose.
- Premature wear due to incorrect operating technique

Engine



- Damage due to excessive infiltration of dirt and/or debris through the air intake system
- Damage due to excessive idling which results in internal glazing (occasionally referred to as bore glazing or piling)
- Damage to fuel system due to old or contaminated fuel.

Electricals / Remote



- Damage or lose of remote control.
- Damage to electrical control box.

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Chassis, Frame and Body



Hydraulics

- Hydraulic hose fittings damaged as a result of impact e.g. valve block or cylinder hoses and fittings.
- Hydraulic hose bracketry showing signs of impact to the outer covers.
- Damage to hydraulic cylinders, dents or bent piston rods will not be covered.

Fuel contamination.

- Any work associated with fuel contamination will be the responsibility of the Hirer.
- Any work associated with running out of fuel will be the responsibility of the Hirer.

On-board Monitoring Systems

- Any damage as a result of abuse or misuse will be at the hirer's expense.
- Adjustments to alter settings or recalibration will be at the hirer's expense.
- Additional programming, tags, FOBs, or other alterations will be at the hirer's expense.

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1.5 Hirers Obligations

- The Hirer has a responsibility to undertake daily checks and report any faults.
- The Hirer is responsible for reporting if the auto greasing pot is empty or not functioning
- The Hirer is responsible for supply of required grease and implementation of all daily lubrication requirements of machine and attachment lubrication points via grease nipple locations and auto greasing systems.
- Any Damage which is a direct consequence of the hirer not reporting faults which should have been found during the prescribed daily checks will be the responsibility of the hirer
- Any damage caused by continued use during the equipment work cycle where faults are not reported at the time of discovery will be the responsibility of the Hirer (Equipment should be immediately deemed 'not fit for use' and tagged out accordingly if a fault is identified)
- The Hirer is responsible for ensuring that the machine operators are suitably qualified and competent operators of equipment supplied.
- The Hirer has a responsibility to ensure that access to machines is provided to perform scheduled servicing. Any costs due to ongoing delay or denial to access equipment will be the responsibility of the Hirer

1.4 Hirer related repairs

Important: At all times it will be in PMH's discretion to repair or replace parts in relation to hirer damage.

If the repairs are not of an urgent nature, timing of the repairs will be negotiated to suit both PMH and the Hirer. Repairs would expect to be carried out within 14 working days depending on parts availability. All Hirer-related repairs will be quoted first. Damage repairs require an authorised purchase order number prior to repair work commencing.

Wear and Tear Policy Agreement – Horizontal Shear Machines

I have read, understood, and agreed to this Fair Wear and Tear Policy for Horizontal Shear Machines.

Company Name _____ Site _____

Hirer Signature _____ Date _____

Please Print Name _____

PMH Signature _____ Date _____

Please Print Name _____

