

120H

Motor Grader



Global Version

Cat® 3126B DITA ATAAC VHP

Base Power (all gears)	93 kW	125 hp
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Variable Horsepower Arrangement

- gears 1-3	93 kW	125 hp
- gears 4-8	104 kW	140 hp

Weights

Gross Vehicle Weight - base	12 650 kg	27,880 lb
front axle	3611 kg	7959 lb
rear axle	9039 kg	19,921 lb

Moldboard

Blade Width	3658 mm	12 ft
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120H Motor Grader

The 120H blends productivity and durability to give you the best return on your investment.

Engine

- ✓ The Cat 3126B DITA ATAAC is designed to handle the tough loads. Variable Horsepower matches torque curves to the gear to maximize response, power, and efficiency. Low fuel consumption reduces operating costs and reduces environmental impact. **pg. 4**

Power Train

The power shift transmission takes full advantage of the powerful 3126B engine. Variable Horsepower uses specific torque curves for each gear range for optimum performance. Dual air system and multi-disc oil brakes assure reliable braking control. **pg. 5**

Hydraulics

The load-sensing hydraulic system lowers power consumption and system heat. The advanced PPC control valves provide low lever effort, balanced flow and consistent cylinder speeds for outstanding blade control. Blade float is incorporated into the blade lift valves. **pg. 6**

Operator's Station

- ✓ Low effort blade controls, electronic throttle control, EMS III monitoring system, and improved ventilation provide world-class operator control and comfort. Excellent visibility to the front and rear increase operator confidence and productivity. **pg. 10**

Environmentally Responsible Design

- ✓ New engine arrangements and operator station designs reduce emissions to meet current and anticipated regulations for interior and exterior sound levels, emissions, exhaust. **pg. 12**

Caterpillar has matched and balanced all power train components, hydraulic systems, and structural elements to deliver a superior motor grader. Include the best operator station in the industry and world-class dealer support, and the Cat 120H represents a reliable, cost-effective investment.



Drawbar, Circle, Moldboard

Flexible moldboard positioning and a long wheelbase improve material handling. Rugged construction and replaceable wear parts minimize operation costs. **pg. 7**

Structures

The 120H frame is designed and built to exceed the expectations of the customer. **pg. 8**

Serviceability

- ✓ Caterpillar® re-engineered inspection and service points, grouping them into a convenient left-hand side, ground level 'service center.' Ground level fueling and extended engine and hydraulic oil change intervals help minimize downtime. **pg. 9**

Customer Support

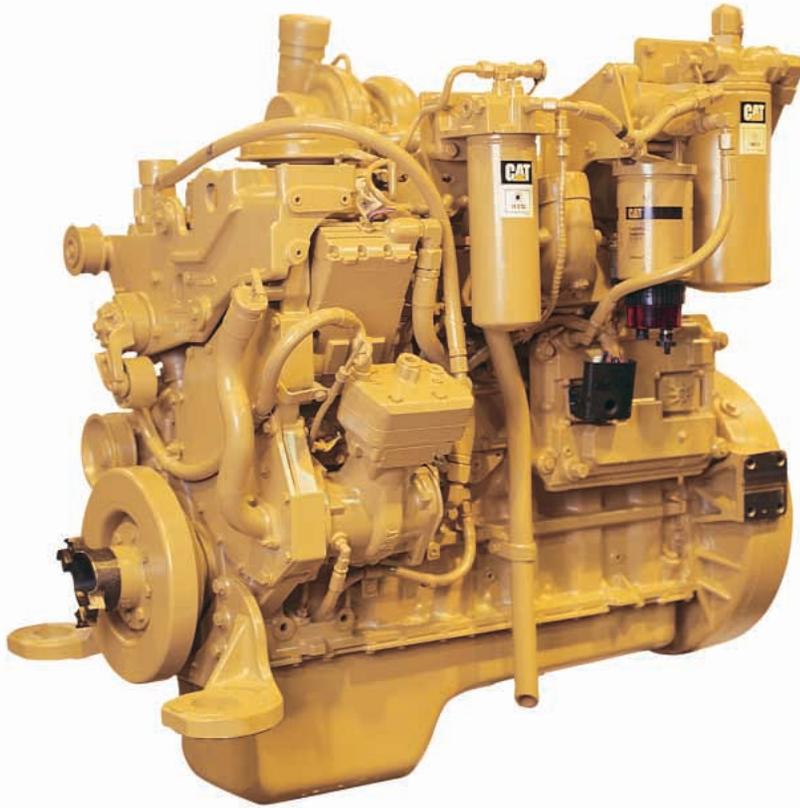
Your Cat dealer offers a range of services that help you operate longer with lower costs. **pg. 13**



✓ *New Feature*

Engine

Caterpillar engines deliver increased performance and lower operating costs.



3126B DITA ATAAC Engine. The innovative Cat 3126B diesel engine delivers large-engine performance from a compact engine design. The six-cylinder engine is turbocharged and air-to-air aftercooled. With high displacement and low rated speed, this engine provides excellent fuel economy and durability that can significantly reduce operating costs.

Variable Horsepower (VHP). Automatically increases horsepower in higher gears when the machine can use it. In applications such as snow removal, this power allows higher travel speeds and faster snow removal for more snow clearing in less time. Also, the higher rimpull in all gears maximizes performance during high-speed winging and heavy snow load applications. In lower gears where traction is limited, horsepower is limited, reducing wheel slip and conserving fuel.

Lugging Performance. High torque output and torque rise makes the 3126B very responsive. Its superior lugging maintains consistent grading speeds without the need to downshift.

Fuel Efficiency. Caterpillar state-of-the-art electronically controlled, unit injection fuel system uses high injection pressures for complete fuel combustion, efficient fuel use, and reduced emissions. The dual-filter system reduces component wear.

Turbocharged and Air-To-Air Aftercooled. Turbocharger packs more dense air into the cylinders for more complete combustion and lower emissions, improving performance and engine efficiency. These benefits are especially useful at high altitudes. Air-to-air aftercooler reduces smoke and emissions by providing cooler inlet air for more efficient combustion. This also extends the life of the piston rings and bore.

Extended Engine Life. The large bore-stroke design and conservative power rating minimize internal stresses and increase component life. The low engine speeds reduce engine wear and sound levels.

Hydraulic Demand Fan. The hydraulic demand fan control automatically adjusts fan speed according to engine cooling requirements. This system reduces demands on the engine, putting more power to the ground and improving fuel efficiency.

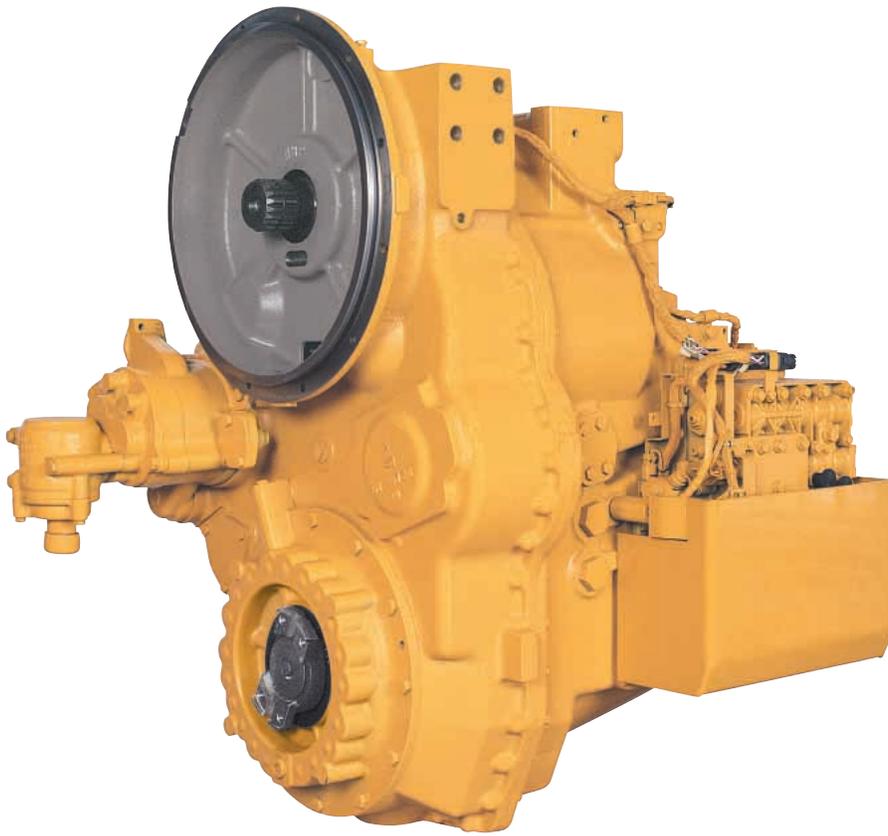
Caterpillar Engine Oil. It is formulated to optimize engine life and performance and is strongly recommended for use in Cat diesel engines. The engine oil change interval is increased to 500 hours.

Improved Torque. Power curves customized for the 120H increase peak torque for higher ground speeds and enhanced productivity. Rimpull has been increased in all gears for greater productivity.

Emissions Compliant. The 120H has reduced NO_x, hydrocarbon, and particulate emissions. The Cat 3126B meets or exceeds all U.S. EPA Tier 2 and EU Stage II emissions control standards worldwide.

Power Train

Matched Caterpillar components deliver smooth, responsive performance and reliability.



Power Shift Transmission. Designed and built specifically for Cat motor graders, the rugged transmission provides on-the-go, full-power shifting as well as inching capability.

Direct Drive. Delivers superior fuel efficiency and “feel” of blade loads, material hardness and ground speed.

Gear Selection. Eight forward and six reverse speeds offer a wide operating range for maximum flexibility. Four gears below 9.9 km/h (6.2 mph) match working speed to job conditions for maximum productivity in earthmoving jobs. Gears five, six and seven are optimal for efficient snow removal operations. Gear 8 is designed for roading.

Electronic Transmission Control.

Produces easy, smooth shifts to maintain uniform surfaces during shifting, and extends transmission life by reducing stress on transmission clutches. A single lever controls direction, gear and the parking brake.

Electronic Clutch Pressure Control.

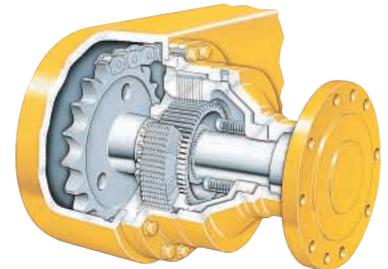
ECPC smoothes shifts and improves inching control, which increases operator comfort and productivity. It uses input from the transmission and operator controls to modulate the directional clutches and produce consistent shifting.

Electronic Overspeed Protection.

The transmission control upshifts the transmission to relieve overspeed conditions. The transmission control will also prevent a downshift until machine speed is within the range for the requested gear. This can prevent damage and reduce component wear.

Inching Pedal. Delivers precise control of machine movements in any gear with low pedal effort and excellent modulation, critical in close-quarter work or finish grading. A new pedal design and location provides outstanding modulation and operator comfort.

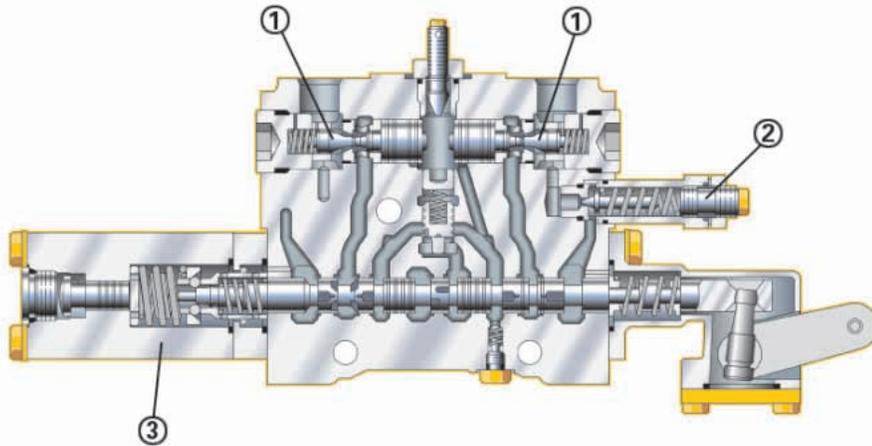
Dual Air Tanks. Supply braking capacity to each side of the machine. This system ensures secondary braking capability in the event a failure occurs in a single brake line. The dual air system also has a large reserve for stalled-engine braking.



Brakes. Caterpillar multi-disc brakes offer a large surface area for dependable, extended-life braking. The air-actuated service brakes, located in each of the four wheel spindle housings, are sealed, adjustment free, and lubricated and cooled by tandem housing oil. The parking/emergency brakes, located in the transmission on the output shaft, are spring actuated and air pressure released. When engaged, they neutralize the transmission and lock the wheels on any surface.

Hydraulics

Balanced hydraulics deliver consistent, precise and responsive control.



1 Lock valve, 2 Line relief valve, 3 Blade float detent

Load Sensing Hydraulics. A load sensing variable displacement pump and the advanced proportional priority pressure-compensating (PPPC, or “triple-PC”) hydraulic valves provide superior implement control and enhanced machine performance and efficiency. Continuously matching hydraulic flow and pressure to power demands creates less heat and reduces power consumption.

Implement Control Valves. PPPC valves have different flow rates for the head and rod ends of the cylinder. This insures consistent extension and retraction properties for each cylinder, and improves operator ‘feel’ and system response. All control valves use lock valves to maintain blade settings. Line relief valves protect cylinders from excessive pressure.

Balanced Flow. Hydraulic flow is proportioned to ensure all implements operate simultaneously. If demand exceeds pump capacity, all cylinders are reduced by the same ratio. The result is improved productivity in virtually any application.

Blade Float. Blade float, incorporated into the blade lift control valves, allows the blade to move freely under its own weight. By floating both cylinders, the blade can follow the contours of the road when removing snow. Floating only one cylinder permits the toe of the blade to follow a hard surface while the operator controls the slope with the other lift cylinder.

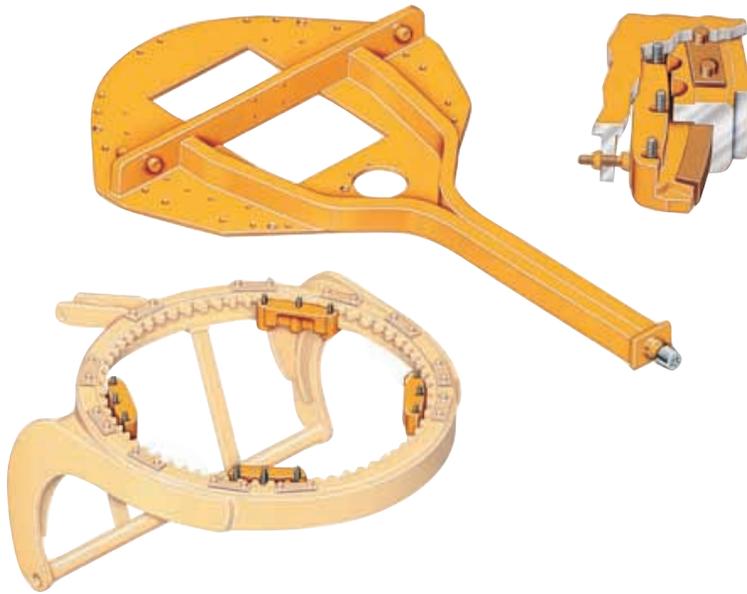
Independent Oil Supply. Large separate hydraulic oil supply prevents cross-contamination and provides proper oil cooling, which reduces heat build-up and extends component life.

Heavy Duty XT™ Hose. Caterpillar hose technology allows high pressures for maximum power and reduced downtime, and intelligent routing minimizes exposure to damage.

Optional Hydraulic Lockout. Mechanically locks all moldboard, machine, and attachment control levers during machine roading. This prevents implements from being accidentally engaged when the motor grader is travelling down the road.

Drawbar, Circle, Moldboard

Every component is designed for maximum productivity and durability.



Blade. Heat treated moldboard rails, through-hardened, curved DH-2™ steel cutting edge and end bits, and replaceable metallic wear inserts assure a long, reliable service life. Three sideshift mounting locations for the optional moldboard add flexibility.



Blade Positioning. The blade linkage design provides extensive moldboard positioning, most beneficial in mid-range bank sloping and in ditch cutting and cleaning.

Blade Angle. A long wheelbase allows the operator to obtain an aggressive moldboard angle. This aggressive angle permits material to roll more freely along the blade, which reduces power requirements. This is particularly helpful in handling very dry materials, cohesive soils, snow and ice.

Circle Construction. One-piece forged circle with hydraulically driven motor stands up to high stress loads. Raised wear surfaces prevent circle teeth wear against the drawbar. Sixty-four uniformly spaced teeth on the front 240° of the circle are flame cut and heat induction hardened to resist wear. And the circle, with 360° rotation, is secured to the drawbar by four vertically and horizontally adjustable shoes for maximum support.

Replaceable Wear Items. Tough, durable nylon composite wear inserts are located between the drawbar and circle, and between the support shoes and circle. This sacrificial wear system helps keep components tight for fine grading and allows easy replacement. These inserts reduce rotational friction, resulting in extended component life.

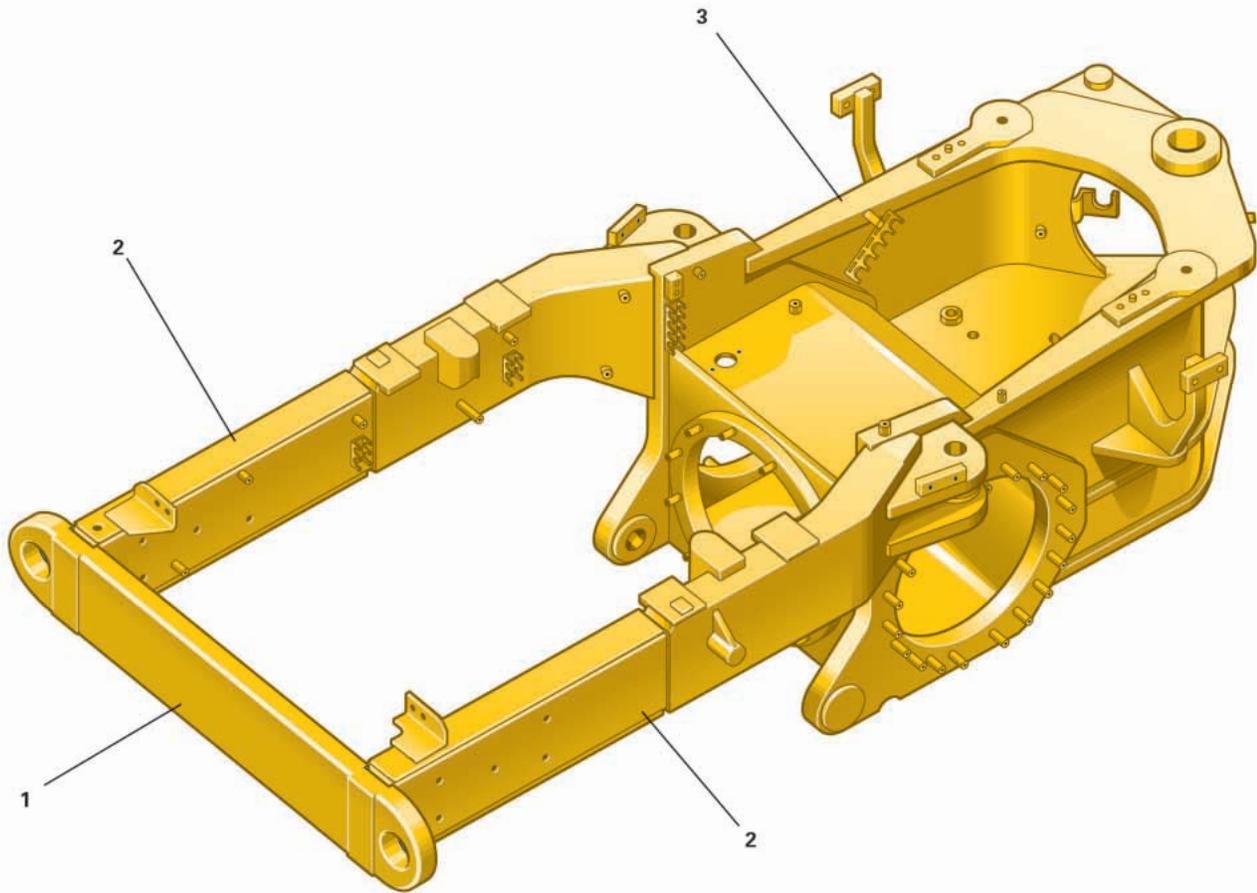
Circle Drive Slip Clutch. The standard circle drive slip clutch protects the drawbar, circle and moldboard from shock loads when the blade encounters immovable objects. It also reduces the possibility of the grader making abrupt directional changes in poor traction conditions.

Drawbar Construction. The Y-frame drawbar is constructed of two solid beams for high strength and optimum durability, as well as precise blading control.

Blade Lift Accumulators. These optional blade lift accumulators absorb vertical shocks encountered when the moldboard contacts immovable objects. This option is especially useful in rough grading and rocky areas.

Structures

The 120H frame is designed and built to exceed the expectations of the customer.



1 Integrated bumper; 2 Box-sectioned channels; 3 Fully welded differential

Integrated Bumper. The integrated bumper ties the rear frame together into a cohesive unit, to handle the loads possible with the new 3126B power train. This is especially important in ripping and snow removal applications where graders are equipped with snow wing attachments.

Rear Frame. Rear frame has two box-sectioned channels integral with fully welded differential case for a solid working platform.

Front Frame. Continuous top and bottom plate construction provides consistency and strength. The flanged box section design removes welds from high stress areas, improving reliability and durability, and increasing resale values for the customer.

Serviceability

Re-engineered inspection and service points save time and expense.

Service Center. Gathering many of the frequently serviced items into a ‘Service Center’ on the left side greatly improves access, and helps ensure proper maintenance and inspection routines. The result is better machine availability and lower operating costs.

- Large hinged doors provide easy access to the adjacent engine and maintenance service compartments.
- Engine and hydraulic oil checkpoints, coolant gauges, and air filters
- Spin-on filters for oils, fuel, coolant
- Remote lubrication points, purge valves and ecology drain lines
- Fuse panel with new automotive style fuses located inside cab
- Sample ports for engine, hydraulic, transmission fluids, coolant and fuel, encourages preventive maintenance and diagnostics like the S•O•SSM analysis program.

Fuel Tank. A 340 L (90 gal) ground level fuel tank allows longer work shifts and reduces refueling times. A fuel tank sediment drain enables the operator to remove sediment accumulation, reducing the risk of fuel system damage.

Extended Fluid Change Interval. Operate a full 500 hours between engine oil and filter changes, 4,000 hours between hydraulic oil changes, and 12,000 hours between engine coolant changes. This reduces downtime and operating expense.



Cat XT Hose. Caterpillar XT hose technology allows high pressures for maximum power and reduced downtime, and intelligent routing minimizes exposure to damage.

O-Ring Face Seals. Cat O-ring face seals assure rock-solid connections that maintain pressure and reduce oil leaks. Intelligent hose routing minimizes exposure to damage, increasing hose life and enhancing reliability.

Radiator Cleanout Access. Radiator clean-out access gives the operator the ability to clear away debris and other materials that build up around the radiator. This ensures that the radiator functions properly keeping the engine cool and increasing component life.

Operator's Station

The 120H includes innovative changes to improve operator efficiency and, in turn, greater machine productivity.



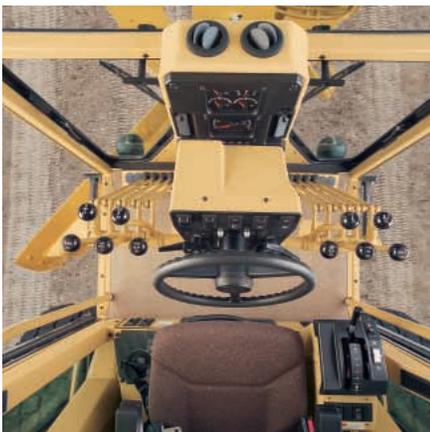
Comfort and Convenience. Comfort and convenience are designed into every feature of the operator's station.

Optimized Inching Modulation. The new Electronic Clutch Pressure Control (ECPC) optimizes inching modulation and smoothes shifting. It also eliminates cable control, improving reliability and enhances cold oil characteristics.

Electronic Throttle Control. ETC provides easier, more precise, more consistent throttle operation. Two modes on a single switch offer flexibility for varying applications and operator preference. Like cruise control, ETC improves fuel efficiency.

Electronic Monitoring System. Powerful monitoring and diagnostic capabilities allow more efficient and more reliable machine operation. The Cat EMS III keeps operators better informed of machine status with:

- Continuous tracking of all critical machine parameters on a dash display
- Warnings/alerts for abnormal conditions
- Retrieval or adjustment of over 200 electronic system parameters using the powerful Cat ET service tool



Controls On Steering Console. Controls and switches are located on the steering console, shift console and right cab post, all within easy reach. Gauges are located inside the cab, directly in front of the operator.



Backlit Controls. Rocker switches and transmission shifter are backlit for nighttime operation.

Optional Air Conditioner/Heater. The optional heater and air conditioner arrangements help create a comfortable work environment. The high-capacity systems dehumidify air and pressurize the cab, which circulates fresh air and seals out dust. Multiple additional vents evenly distribute air throughout the cab for clear windows and operator comfort.

Suspension Seat. Optional contour series suspension seat features fold-up armrests and a retractable seat belt. The seat can easily adjust for optimal support and comfort. Seat controls are located within easy reach and in plain view.

Fresh Air Filters. Located above each cab door for quick replacement.

Optional 12V Power Port. Available for use with computers, cellular phones or other electronic equipment.

Exceptional Visibility. The narrow operator's console provides good forward visibility. Large side windows allow a clear view of the moldboard heel and tandem tires. A wide rear window and tapered engine hood provide a good view to the rear of the machine. The position of the air dryer and air cleaner, and the alignment the precleaner and muffler, provides good visibility to the rear of the machine. Operators can work more confidently and efficiently.

Environmentally Responsible Design

Caterpillar builds machines that help you create a better world.



Quiet Cab. The resiliently mounted engine and transmission provide interior sound levels of 76dB(A) when measured with the doors and windows closed per ISO 6394. Lower interior noise levels improve operator working conditions.

Quiet Machine. Exterior sound level of 107dB(A) when tested per ISO 6395, Annex B. The optional sound suppression group complies with the EU 2000/14/EC sound limit of 107 dB(A). This quiet operation lets the 120H work with minimal disturbance to the surroundings.

Low Emissions. The 120H Motor Grader is even more environmentally friendly than its predecessors with reductions in NO_x, hydrocarbon, and particulate emissions. It meets or exceeds all U.S. EPA Tier II and EU Stage II emissions control standards worldwide.

Fuel Efficient. Caterpillar state-of-the-art electronically controlled, unit injection fuel system has high injection pressure for complete fuel combustion, increased fuel efficiency and reduced emissions.

Dry Machine. Lubricant fill points and filters are designed to minimize spillage. O-ring face seals, Cat XT hose and Cat hydraulic cylinders protect against leaks.

Extended Oil Change Interval. Operate a full 500 hours between engine oil and filter changes, and 4000 hours between hydraulic oil changes. This reduces machine downtime and operating expense, and helps preserve our natural resources.

Ecology Drains. Make regular maintenance easier and help prevent spills when changing fluids.

Ozone Protection. To help protect the earth's ozone layer, air-conditioning units use a refrigerant free of chloroflourocarbons (CFCs).

Customer Support

Cat dealer services help you operate longer with lower costs.

Product Support. You will find nearly all parts at our dealer parts counter. Cat dealers use a world-wide computer network to find in-stock parts to minimize machine down time. Save money with genuine Cat Reman parts. You receive the same warranty and reliability as new products at substantial cost savings.

Machine Selection. Make detailed comparisons of the machines under consideration before purchase. Cat dealers can estimate component life, preventive maintenance cost, and the true cost of lost production.

Purchase. Look past initial price. Consider the financing options available as well as day-to-day operating costs. Look at dealer services that can be included in the cost of the machine to yield lower equipment owning and operating costs over the long run.

Customer Support Agreements. Cat dealers offer a variety of product support agreements, and work with customers to develop a plan that best meets specific needs. These plans can cover the entire machine, including attachments, to help protect the customer's investment.

Operation. Improving operating techniques can boost your profits. Your Cat dealer has videotapes, literature and other ideas to help you increase productivity, and Caterpillar offers certified operator training classes to help maximize the return on your machine investment.



Maintenance Services. Talk to your dealer about the range of available maintenance services. Repair option programs guarantee the cost of repairs up front. Diagnostic programs such as S•O•SSM Analysis and Coolant Sampling and Technical Analysis help avoid unscheduled repairs.

Replacement. Repair, rebuild or replace? Your Cat dealer can help you evaluate the cost involved so you can make the right choice.

Engine

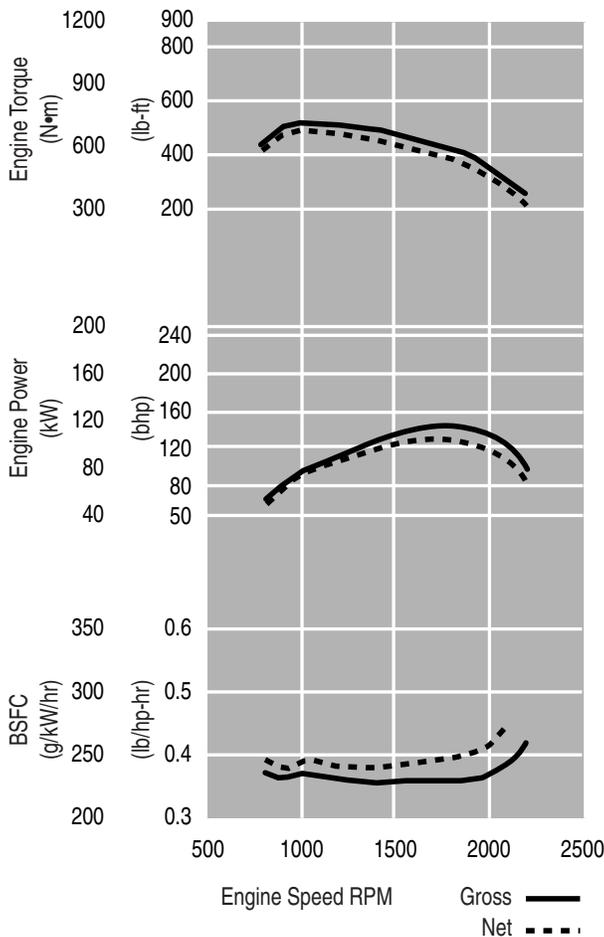
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Base Power (all gears) Net	93 kW	125 hp
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- gears 4-8 Net	104 kW	140 hp
Base Power (all gears) Gross	104 kW	139 hp
VHP - gears 1-3 Gross	104 kW	139 hp
- gears 4-8 Gross	115 kW	154 hp
Displacement	7.2 L	439 in ³
Bore	110 mm	4.3 in
Stroke	127 mm	5 in
Torque rise	50%	
Max torque @ 1000 rpm	737 N·m	544 lb ft
Speed @ rated power	2000 RPM	

Number of cylinders	6	
Derating altitude	3048 m	10,000 ft
Std - Fan speed - max	1210 RPM	
- min	500 RPM	
Std - Ambient Capability	47° C	117° F
Hi Ambient - Fan speed - max	1300 RPM	
- min	500 RPM	
Hi - Ambient Capability	50° C	122° F

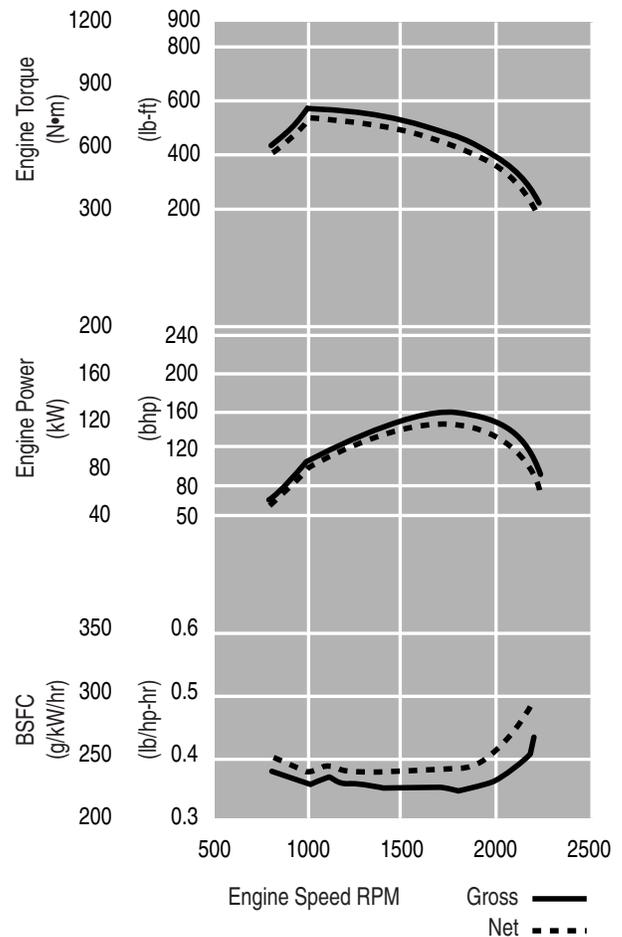
- Net power is tested per ISO 9249, SAE J1349, and EEC 80/1269 standards in effect at the time of manufacture.
- VHP is an optional arrangement.
- Net power advertised is the power available at rated speed of 2000 rpm, measured at the flywheel when engine is equipped with fan, air cleaner, muffler and alternator.
- No derating required up to 3048 m (10,000 feet) altitude. Deration rate of 1.5% per 304.8 m (1000 feet) above 3048 m (10,000 feet).

Base VHP

Gears 1 - 8 Gears 1 - 3



Gears 4 - 8



Power Train

Forward/Reverse Gears	8 fwd/6 rev	
Transmission	direct drive, power shift	
Brakes - Service	air actuated, multiple oil disc	
- Service, surface area	16 744 cm ²	2,595 in ²
- Parking	air-actuated, multiple oil-disc	
- Secondary	dual circuit	

- Brakes meet the following standards: SAE J/ISO 3450 JAN98.

Hydraulic System

Circuit type	closed center load sense	
Pump type	variable piston	
Pump output	144 L/min	38 gal/min
Maximum system pressure	24 150 kPa	3,500 psi
Standby Pressure	3100 kPa	450 psi

- Pump output measured @ 2000 RPM

Operating Specifications

Top Speed - Fwd.	42.6 kph	26.5 mph
- Rev.	33.7 kph	20.9 mph
Turning radius (outside front tires)	7.3 m	23.6 ft
Steering range - left/right	50°	
Articulation angle - left/right	20°	
Fwd. 1st	3.6 kph	2.3 mph
2nd	5 kph	3.1 mph
3rd	7.2 kph	4.5 mph
4th	9.9 kph	6.2 mph
5th	15.7 kph	9.7 mph
6th	21.3 kph	13.2 mph
7th	29.3 kph	18.2 mph
8th	42.6 kph	26.5 mph
Rev. 1st	2.9 kph	1.8 mph
2nd	5.4 kph	3.4 mph
3rd	7.8 kph	4.9 mph
4th	12.4 kph	7.7 mph
5th	23.1 kph	14.4 mph
6th	33.7 kph	20.9 mph

Service Refill

Fuel Capacity	340 L	90 gal
Cooling system	40 L	10.4 gal
Hydraulic system - total	68 L	17.7 gal
- tank	38 L	9.9 gal
Engine Oil	29.5 L	7.8 gal
Differential/Final Drives	47 L	12.2 gal
Tandem housing (each)	49 L	12.7 gal
Front wheel spindle bearing housing	0.5 L	0.13 gal
Circle drive housing	7 L	1.8 gal

Frame

Circle - diameter	1530 mm	60.2 in
- blade beam thickness	30 mm	1.2 in
Drawbar - height	127 mm	5 in
- thickness	76 mm	3 in
Front-top/bottom plate - width	280 mm	11 in
- thickness	22 mm	0.9 in
Front-side plates - width	236 mm	9.3 in
- thickness	10 mm	0.4 in
Front-linear weights - min	134 kg/m	90 lb/ft
- max	172 kg/m	115 lb/ft
Front-section modulus - min	1619 cm ³	99 in ³
- max	3681 cm ³	225 in ³
Front axle - ground clearance	608 mm	23.9 in
- front wheel lean	18°	
- oscillation angle	32°	

Tandems

Height	438 mm	17.2 in
Width	172 mm	6.8 in
Sidewall thickness - inner	14 mm	0.55 in
- outer	16 mm	0.63 in
Drive chain pitch	44.5 mm	1.75 in
Wheel axle spacing	1510 mm	59.5 in
Tandem oscillation - forward	15°	
- reverse	25°	

Moldboard

Blade Width	3658 mm	12 ft
Moldboard Height	610 mm	24 in
Thickness	22 mm	0.87 in
Arc radius	413 mm	16.25 in
Throat clearance	120 mm	4.7 in
Cutting edge - width	152 mm	6 in
- thickness	16 mm	0.63 in
End Bit - width	152 mm	6 in
- thickness	16 mm	0.63 in
Blade Pull - max GVW	10 661 kg	23,504 lb
- base GVW	8081 kg	17,816 lb
Down Pressure - max GVW	9100 kg	20,056 lb
- base GVW	6574 kg	14,488 lb

- Blade Pull calculated at 0.9 traction coefficient, which is equal to ideal no-slip conditions, and Gross Vehicle Weight (GVW).

Blade Range

Circle centershift - right	628 mm	24.7 in
- left	625 mm	24.6 in
Moldboard sideshift - right	660 mm	26 in
- left	524 mm	20.6 in
Maximum blade position angle	90°	
Blade tip range (forward)	40°	
(backward)	5°	
Maximum shoulder reach outside of tires		
- right	1912 mm	75.3 in
- left	1840 mm	72.4 in
Maximum lift above ground	457 mm	18 in
Maximum depth of cut	775 mm	30.5 in

Ripper

Ripping depth, maximum	262 mm	10.3 in
Ripper shank holders	5	
Ripper shank holder spacing	533 mm	21 in
Penetration force	4343 kg	9,566 lb
Pryout force	2279 kg	5,020 lb
Machine length increase, beam raised	1058 mm	41.7 in

Scarifier

Front, V-Type: Working width	1184 mm	46.6 in
Scarifying depth, maximum	292 mm	11.5 in
Scarifier shank holders	11	
Scarifier shank holder spacing	116 mm	4.6 in
Front, straight: Working width	1800 mm	71 in
Scarifying depth, maximum	317 mm	12.5 in
Scarifier shank holders	17	
Scarifier shank holder spacing	111 mm	4.38 in

Weights

Gross Vehicle Weight - max	16 922 kg	37,306 lb
- front axle	5076 kg	11,190 lb
- rear axles	11 846 kg	23,116 lb
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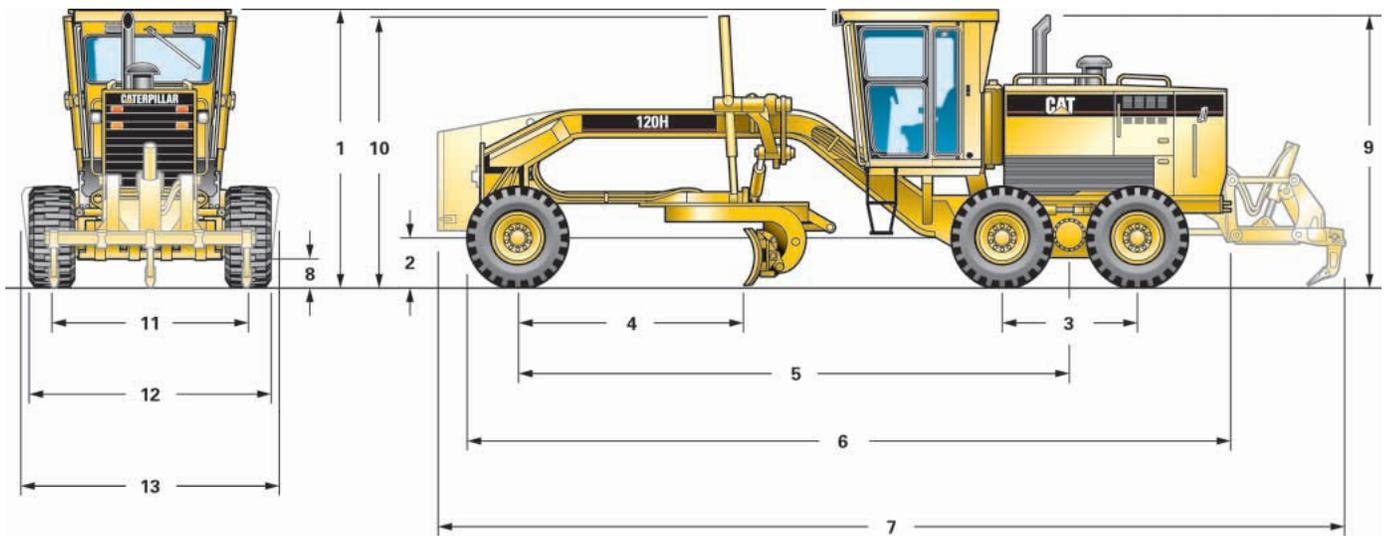
- Base operating weight calculated on standard machine configuration with 13.00-24 10PR (G-2) tires, full fuel tank, coolant, lubricants and operator.

Cab

- ROPS (Rollover Protective Structure) meets the following criteria: SAE J1040 MAY 1994, ISO 3471:1986, ISO3471:1994
- FOPS (Falling Object Protective Structure) meets the following criteria: ISO 3449:1984, ISO 3449:1992 Level II

Dimensions

All dimensions are approximate.



1	Height - low profile cab	3108 mm	122 in
	- high profile cab	3332 mm	131 in
	- no cab	3090 mm	121 in
2	Height to axle	594 mm	23.4 in
3	Length - between tandem axles	1510 mm	59.4 in
4	Length - front axle to moldboard	2596 mm	102.2 in
5	Length - front axle to mid tandem	5923 mm	233 in
6	Length - front tire to end of rear frame	8314 mm	327.3 in

7	Length - counterweight to ripper	10 064 mm	396.2 in
8	Ground clearance at trans. case	351 mm	13.8 in
9	Height to exhaust stack	3138 mm	123 in
10	Height to top of cylinders	2912 mm	115 in
11	Width - tire centerlines	2056 mm	80.9 in
12	Width - outside rear tires	2402 mm	94.6 in
13	Width - outside front tires	2441 mm	96.1 in

Standard Equipment

Standard equipment may vary. Consult your Caterpillar dealer for details.

ELECTRICAL

- Alarm, back-up
- Alternator, 35 ampere, sealed
- Batteries, maintenance free, 750 CCA
- Electrical system, 24 volt
- Lights, stop and tail
- Motor, starting
- Product Link connection

OPERATOR ENVIRONMENT

- Accelerator
- Ashtray and lighter
- Coat hook
- Control console, adjustable
- Cup holder
- EMS III operator warning system
- Panel gauges inside the cab
 - fuel
 - articulation
 - engine coolant temp
 - system voltage
 - air brake pressure
- Hydraulic controls, load sensing
 - right/left blade lift with float position
 - blade sideshift and tip
 - circle drive
 - centershift
 - front wheel lean
 - articulation
- Meter, hour, digital
- Mirror, inside rearview, wide angle
- Mounting bracket, general purpose
- Power steering, hydraulic
- ROPS cab, sound suppressed, low profile
- Seat, cloth, covered adjustable
- Seat belt, retractable 76 mm (3 in)
- Steering wheel, tilt, adjustable
- Storage area for cooler/lunchbox
- Sunscreen, front windshield
- Throttle control, electronic
- Washer/wipers, (3) front windshields
- Windows, fixed lower front

POWER TRAIN

- Air cleaner with dry type radial seal, service indicator, automatic dust ejector
- Air to air after cooler (ATAAC)
- Brakes - oil disc, four-wheel air actuated
- Demand fan
- Differential, lock-unlock
- Engine, 3126 DITA diesel with VHP, automatic derate, automatic idle control
- Fuel tank, sediment drain
- Fuel-water separator
- Lube for life pump drive shaft
- Muffler, under hood
- Parking brake - multi-disc, sealed and oil cooled
- Pre-screener
- Priming pump, fuel
- Serpentine belt, automatic tensioner
- Tandem drive
- Transmission
 - 8 forward/6 reverse speeds
 - power shift
 - direct drive
 - electronic shift control
 - overspeed protection

OTHER STANDARD EQUIPMENT

- Antifreeze -35° C (-30° F)
- Bumper, rear, integrated, with hitch
- Clutch, circle drive slip
- Cutting edges
 - 152 mm × 16 mm (6 in × 5/8 in)
 - curved DH-2 steel
 - 16 mm (5/8 in) mounting bolts
- Doors, engine compartment, locking
- Drawbar - 4 shoe, replaceable wear strips
- Endbits - 16 mm (5/8 in) DH-2 steel, 16 mm (5/8 in) mounting bolts
- Frame, articulated with safety lock
- Fuel tank, 90 gallon (340 L)
- Fueling, ground level
- Ground level engine shutdown
- Horn, air
- Link bar, 7 position
- Moldboard
 - 3658 mm × 610 mm × 22 mm (12 ft × 24 in × 7/8 in)
 - hydraulic sideshift and tip
- Radiator cleanout access
- S•O•S ports: engine, hydraulic, transmission, coolant, fuel
- Tool box

TIRES, RIMS, & WHEELS

- Partial allowance: 13.00-24 10PR on 9" single piece rims

Optional Equipment

Optional equipment may vary. Consult your Caterpillar dealer for details.

All weights approximate.

	kg	lb		kg	lb
Accumulators, blade lift	71	156			
Air conditioner with heater and pressurizer	49	107			
Air dryer	13	29			
Alternator, 75 ampere	6	15			
Batteries, heavy duty, 1100 CCA	44	96			
Blade, 3962 mm × 688 mm × 25 mm (13 ft × 27 in × 1 in)	209	460			
Blade, 4267 mm × 610 mm × 22 mm (14 ft × 24 in × 7/8 in)	75	166			
Blade, 4267 mm × 688 mm × 25 mm (14 ft × 27 in × 1 in)	261	574			
Blade, front-mounted 2750 mm × 980 mm (9 ft × 39 in)	850	1874			
Blade, front	1180	2602			
Blade, front, narrow	1100	2425			
Blade, front with foldable ends	1525	3362			
Cab, ROPS, high profile, sound suppressed	77	170			
Canopy, ROPS, high profile, with rear wall and window	-41	-90			
Converter, 25 ampere, 24V to 12V	5	11			
Covers, metallic, fuel tank	11	25			
Cutting edges for 22 mm (7/8 in) thick blade					
203 mm × 19 mm (8 in × 3/4 in) for 3.7 m blade					
203 mm × 19 mm (8 in × 3/4 in) for 4.1 m blade					
203 mm × 16 mm (8 in × 5/8 in) for 3.7 m blade					
203 mm × 16 mm (8 in × 5/8 in) for 4.1 m blade					
Cutting edges for 25 mm (1 in) thick blade					
203 mm × 19 mm (8 in × 3/4 in) for 3.7 m blade					
203 mm × 19 mm (8 in × 3/4 in) for 4.1 m blade					
Endbits, overlay, reversible	11	24			
Engine, VHP	4	10			
Extensions, blade 610 mm (2 ft) right and left					
for 22 mm (7/8 in) thick blade	114	250			
for 25 mm (1 in) thick blade	148	325			
Fan, defroster, front and rear	2	4			
Graderbit system, penetration bit type	163	360			
Guard, lower platform	23	50			
Guard, transmission	98	215			
Hammer, with mounting	5	12			
Heater, engine coolant	1	3			
Heater, cab	14	30			
Heater, cab, with pressurizer	18	40			
			Hydraulic arrangements with one or more additional hydraulic valves are available for front scarifier, rear ripper-scarifier, dozer, dozer angle, snow plow and snow wing. See dealer price list.		
			Hydraulic lockout	2	5
			Lighting systems:		
			bar mounted, directional and headlights	13	28
			cab mounted, directional and headlights	9	20
			cab and bar mounted, directional, headlights and work lights	22	48
			cab and bar mounted, high, directional, headlights and work lights	22	48
			work lights, front and rear	6	13
			snow wing light, right	18	40
			warning light, cab or canopy mounted	3	6
			Mirrors, dual, inside mounted	-	-
			Mirrors, outside mounted	8	18
			Mirrors, outside mounted, heated	11	25
			Power port, 12-V	2	5
			Push plate, counterweight	919	2025
			Precleaner, turbine-type	2	5
			Radio ready, entertainment		
			Receptacle, starting, plug-in	2	5
			Rims, tires - refer to dealer price list		
			Ripper, rear	612	1350
			Ripper-scarifier/tooth, one	12	26
			Scarifier, front mounted, V-type	845	1862
			Scarifier, front mounted, straight	903	1988
			Seat, cloth-covered, contour air suspension		
			Seat, vinyl-covered, contour suspension		
			Sound suppression	91	200
			Speedometer/tachometer	1	2
			Steering, secondary	50	111
			Sunshade, rear window	3	7
			Windows, lower front, opening	3	6
			Windows, sliding side	4	8
			Wiper and washer, rear, intermittent	7	16
			Wiper and washer, front, intermittent		
			European roading group which provides an additional air tank, air circuit protection valve and two position lights with integral turn signals. Dealer supplied equipment is required to meet some specific country on-road requirements	23	52

120H Motor Grader

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