

ARE YOU READY FOR WINTER?



COLD WEATHER CAN BE HARD ON MACHINES. USE THESE TIPS TO KEEP YOUR MACHINES RUNNING IN GREAT CONDITION DURING THE WINTER.

- To assist in warm-up, block the radiator. Blocking the radiator will restrict air from the fan.
- To better prepare your machines for cold weather try the following:
 - Use block heaters
 - Use enclosed storage facilities when machines are not being used
- Be sure to install the correct lubricants.
- Provide the correct cooling system protection for the conditions you will be working in.
- Inspect all rubber parts weekly: hoses, tires and fan drive belts.
- Check all electrical wiring and connections for any fraying or for damaged insulation.
- Keep all batteries fully charged.
- Always fill the fuel tank at the end of the shift.
- Check the air cleaners and the air intake on a regular basis.
- Before your shift, run the engine until it reaches operating temperatures.
- If your machine is shut down for more than 16 hours, the engine will cool to the external temperature.
- Keep all starting fluid at room temperature and inject starting fluid only while the engine is cranking.