



These Instructions Must be Read by the User Before Operating the Crane

Engine Cranes

The engine crane must be operated correctly according to the manufacturer's or owner's operating instructions, which are available on request if required

CHECK that the wheels on the crane run freely before using the crane

The crane should be used on a smooth, level and hard surface to make it easy to move when loaded

DO NOT lift a load that is heavier than the safe working load (SWL) marked on the crane

Always use the lifting slings supplied by the Hire Company and use safe slinging practices

CHECK that the sling is correctly and securely positioned and that the jib hook of the crane is directly over the centre of gravity (point of balance)

DO NOT attempt to move a loaded crane over an uneven surface which will cause excessive shock loads

Keep the load as close to the ground as possible when moving the crane

DO NOT work on an engine unit when it is suspended from the crane

DO NOT place any part of the body under a load suspended from the crane

DO NOT leave a load suspended from the crane for more than about 15 minutes

NEVER leave it unattended

Always lower the load slowly and carefully. **DO NOT** attempt to remove the sling until the total weight of the load is released from the crane

DO NOT attempt repairs. Contact the Hire Company