Maintenance

Perform a walk around inspection of the machine.

Daily

Blow off the entire machine with compressed air.

Check the hydraulic fluid levels and refill with Mobil DTE 24 or equivalent when required.

Weekly

Check the gauges on the hydraulic filters, replace if necessary.

Inspect and check the drive chain.

Monthly

Correct the chain belt tension if necessary. The chain belt should have no more than 1" of lift when raised halfway between the head shaft and idle sprocket.

To re-tension the chain, loosen the lock nut and raise the tensioner to achieve a lift of less than one inch. Retighten the lock nut. If this tension cannot be achieved, either remove a full link with a half link or install new feed chain.

Grease the entire machine according to the Lubrication Chart in the Lubrication Section of this manual.

Greasing

Maintenance