# **444** Backhoe Loader



## **Proven Cat® Engine**

Powered with proven and reliable Cat<sup>®</sup> engine. There are two engine options, Tier 2 equivalent Cat 3054C engine with 74.5 kW and Tier 3 equivalent C4.4 engine with 74.5 kW. Both the options deliver superior performance with best in class fuel efficiency.

### **Operator Comfort and Control**

Pilot Hoe Controls provide smooth and comfort to operators. These controls mounted on fully adjustable pods offer the operator finer controls whilst giving improved ergonomics.

## **Excavator Style Boom**

The Excavator Style Boom is iconic to Cat backhoe loader (BHL). This gives the operator more dig depth and reach when working around obstacles meaning less repositioning of the machine is required.

## **Powerful and Efficient Hydraulics**

The load sensing and closed center hydraulic system actively matches power and flow to the demand and delivers best in class fuel efficiency and better component life. Flow sharing valves provide greater control and precision to the operation.

### **Power Management Modes**

The operator can choose between Eco Mode, or Standard Mode depending on job and site conditions. Eco mode will save the operator fuel, lowering their owning and operating costs.

## **Product Link™**

Product Link<sup>™</sup> comes as standard on the Cat BHL (however, depends on the local restrictions if any). Cat Product Link offers data like machine location, Service Meter Units (Hours) (SMU), etc.



## **444 Backhoe Loader Specifications**

## Engine

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	Standard Offering	Optional Offering
	Tier 2 Equivalent	Tier 3 Equivalent
Engine	3054C 74.5 kW Mechanical Turbo	C4.4 74.5 kW Mechanical Turbo Intercooled
Ratings at 2,200 rpm		
Gross Power SAE J1995	75 kW/102 hp	76 kW/104 hp
Gross Power ISO 14396	74.5 kW/101 hp	74.5 kW/101 hp
Net Power Rating at 2,200 rpm		
SAE J1349	70 kW/95 hp	69 kW/94 hp
ISO 9249	71 kW/96 hp	70 kW/95 hp
Bore	105 mm	105 mm
Stroke	127 mm	127 mm
Displacement	4.4 L	4.4 L
Torque Rise (net)	31% @ 1,400 rpm	32% @ 1,400 rpm
SAE J1349 Net	397 N·m	398 N·m
Power Rating Conditions		
No De-Rating Required Up To	2286 m	2286 m

• Net power advertised is the power available at the flywheel when the engine is equipped with fan, air cleaner, muffler and alternator.

## Transmission

Travel speeds of backhoe loader at full throttle, when equipped with 440/80R28 rear tires and LRC 74.5 kW engine.

	Auto-Shift Transmission (Standard)	Auto-Shift Transmission with Lock-Up Torque Converter (Optional)		
Forward				
1st	6 km/h	6 km/h		
2nd	10 km/h	10 km/h		
3rd	12 km/h	12 km/h		
4th	20 km/h	20 km/h		
5th	27 km/h	27 km/h		
6th	40 km/h	40 km/h		
Reverse				
1st	6 km/h	6 km/h		
2nd	12 km/h	12 km/h		
3rd	27 km/h	27 km/h		

#### **Axle Ratings** Front Axle Static 22 964 kg Dynamic 9186 kg Rear Axle Static 22 964 kg Dynamic 9186 kg Weights\* **Operating Weight** 9543 kg Operating Weight (maximum) 11 500 kg (ROPS capacity) Cab, ROPS/FOPS Standard Auto-Shift Transmission Standard 15 kg Ride Control Air Conditioning Standard All-Wheel Drive Standard MP bucket (1.3 m<sup>3</sup>) with Fold-over Forks 1020 kg without Fold-over Forks 841 kg Loader QC 185 kg 4.3 m Extendible Stick 199 kg (excludes front counterweight) 4.9 m Extendible Stick 355 kg (excludes front counterweight) Maximum Counterweight 115 kg Minimum Counterweight Recommendations - Standard Stick IT Loader No QC with QC Loader Bucket GP 0 kg115 kg MP 0 kg115 kg Minimum Counterweight Recommendations – Extendible Stick IT Loader No QC with QC Loader Bucket GP 0 kg 115 kg MP 0 kg115 kg

Total Gross Weight Not to Exceed 11 500 kg

\*Machine Configuration – Standard LRC 74.5 kW Engine; 4.3 m standard stick hoe; standard cab with A/C; AWD autoshift transmission; 1.3 m<sup>3</sup>; MP loader bucket; 610 mm standard duty hoe bucket; 440/80R28 tires; no counterweight; 80 kg operator; full fuel tank.

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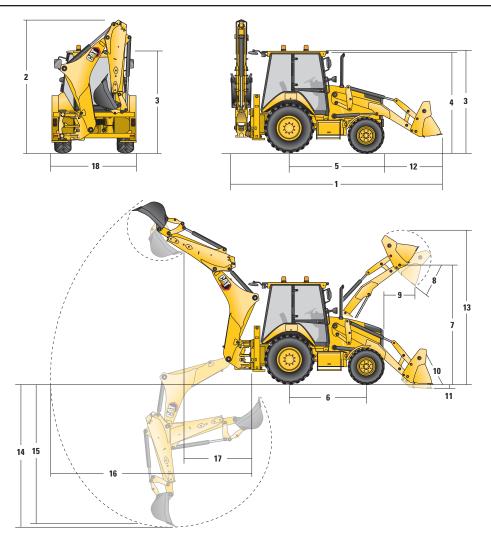
Hydraulic System	
Туре	Closed Center
Pump Type	Variable-Flow, Axial Piston
Pump Capacity @ 2,200 rpm	187 L/min
System Pressure	
Backhoe	250 Bar
Loader	250 Bar
Steering	
Туре	Front Wheel
Power Steering	Hydrostatic
AWD Cylinder, one (1) Double-acting	
Bore	85 mm
Stroke	117 mm
Rod Diameter	42 mm
Axle Oscillation	±8°
Turning Circle (28" Tires)	
AWD (inner wheel not braked)	
Outside Front Wheels	9.8 m
Outside Widest Loader Bucket	12.59 m
Service Refill Capacities	

## Service Refill Capacities

Cooling System with A/C	17.5 L
Fuel Tank	160.0 L
Engine Oil with Filter	9.0 L
Diesel Exhaust Fluid	19.0 L
Transmission (Power Shift)	
AWD	19.0 L
Rear Axle	16.0 L
Planetaries	1.7 L
Front Axle	14.0 L
Planetaries	1.7 L
Hydraulic System	95.0 L
Hydraulic Tank	42.0 L

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## **Machine Dimensions**



	Parallel Lift Loader			Parallel Lift Loader with QC	
	GP – 1.3 m³	MP – 1.3 m³	MP with Forks – 1.3 m³	GP/QC – 1.3 m <sup>3</sup>	<b>MP/QC</b> – 1.3 m <sup>3</sup>
1 Overall Length in Roading Position	5824 mm	5847 mm	5847 mm	5840 mm	5877 mm
Overall Transportation Length	5859 mm	5889 mm	5889 mm	5933 mm	5978 mm
2 Overall Transport Height (standard stick)	3826 mm	3826 mm	3826 mm	3826 mm	3826 mm
Overall Width	2322 mm	2322 mm	2322 mm	2322 mm	2322 mm
<b>3</b> Height to Top of Cab/Canopy	2897 mm	2897 mm	2897 mm	2897 mm	2897 mm
4 Height to Top of Exhaust Stack	2861 mm	2861 mm	2861 mm	2861 mm	2861 mm
<b>5</b> Rear Axle Centerline to Front Grill	2795 mm	2795 mm	2795 mm	2795 mm	2795 mm
6 Wheelbase AWD	2235 mm	2235 mm	2235 mm	2235 mm	2235 mm

Dimensions and performance specifications shown are for machines equipped with 440/80R28 tires, standard cab, standard stick, with 610 mm standard duty bucket, and 1.3 m<sup>3</sup> MP loader bucket and standard equipment unless otherwise specified.

## Loader Bucket Dimensions and Performance

		1.3 m <sup>3</sup> Buckets			oader with QC
	GP – 1.3 m³	MP – 1.3 m <sup>3</sup>	MP with Forks – 1.3 m³	<b>GP/QC</b> – 1.3 m <sup>3</sup>	<b>MP/QC</b> – 1.3 m <sup>3</sup>
Capacity (SAE rated)	1.30 m <sup>3</sup>	1.30 m <sup>3</sup>	1.30 m <sup>3</sup>	1.30 m <sup>3</sup>	1.30 m <sup>3</sup>
Width	2434 mm	2434 mm	2434 mm	2434 mm	2434 mm
Lift Capacity at Maximum Height	4663 kg	4310 kg	4130 kg	4416 kg	4046 kg
Lift Breakout Force	60 672 N	57 112 N	55 303 N	57 809 N	53 966 N
Tilt Breakout Force	62 442 N	58 441 N	57 041 N	55 980 N	50 955 N
Tipping Load at Breakout Point	7503 kg	7109 kg	6937 kg	7054 kg	6606 kg
7 Maximum Hinge Pin Height	3615 mm	3615 mm	3615 mm	3615 mm	3615 mm
8 Dump Angle at Full Height	45°	45°	45°	45°	45°
Dump Height at Maximum Angle	2847 mm	2826 mm	2826 mm	2794 mm	2763 mm
9 Dump Reach at Maximum Angle	923 mm	944 mm	944 mm	971 mm	1008 mm
<b>10</b> Maximum Bucket Rollback at Ground Level	42°	42°	42°	42°	42°
<b>11</b> Digging Depth	56 mm	56 mm	56 mm	59 mm	55 mm
Maximum Grading Angle	111°	111°	111°	110°	108°
<b>12</b> Grill to Bucket Cutting Edge, Carry Position	1464 mm	1488 mm	1488 mm	1482 mm	1518 mm
<b>13</b> Maximum Operating Height	4617 mm	4621 mm	4621 mm	4663 mm	4685 mm
Weight (does not include teeth)	472 kg	827 kg	1020 kg	637 kg	989 kg

## **Backhoe Dimensions and Performance**

	Standard Stick	E-stick Retracted – 4.3 m	E-stick Extended – 4.3 m	E-stick Retracted – 4.9 m	E-stick Extended – 4.9 m
14 Digging Depth, SAE Maximum	4331 mm	4335 mm	5312 mm	4686 mm	5707 mm
Digging Depth, Manufacturer's Maximum	4826 mm	4831 mm	5747 mm	5271 mm	6218 mm
<b>15</b> Digging Depth, 2400 mm Flat Bottom	3956 mm	3960 mm	5022 mm	4341 mm	5416 mm
Digging Depth, 600 mm Flat Bottom	4288 mm	4291 mm	5278 mm	4654 mm	5671 mm
Digging Depth, 600 mm Flat Bottom, Manufacturer's	4818 mm	4823 mm	5744 mm	5244 mm	6215 mm
Reach from Rear Axle Centerline at Ground Line	6742 mm	6748 mm	7673 mm	7219 mm	8171 mm
<b>16</b> Reach from Swing Pivot at Ground Line	5652 mm	5658 mm	6583 mm	6129 mm	7081 mm
Maximum Operating Height	5596 mm	5595 mm	6163 mm	6172 mm	6869 mm
Loading Height	3927 mm	3938 mm	4505 mm	4495 mm	5192 mm
17 Loading Reach	1808 mm	1758 mm	2641 mm	1696 mm	2482 mm
Swing Arc	180°	180°	180°	180°	180°
Bucket Rotation	205°	205°	205°	205°	205°
<b>18</b> Stabilizer Spread, Overall Width	2352 mm	2352 mm	2352 mm	2352 mm	2352 mm
Bucket Dig Force	63 433 N	63 404 N	63 404 N	63 414 N	63 414 N
Stick Dig Force	42 770 N	43 468 N	31 646 N	47 173 N	35 084 N

## **Standard and Optional Equipment**

Standard and Optional equipment may vary. Consult your Cat dealer for details.

Standard	Optional		Standard	Optiona
	-	Hydraulics		
$\checkmark$		Variable Displacement Piston Pump	$\checkmark$	
	$\checkmark$	Hydraulic Quick Disconnects		$\checkmark$
		Side Shift Lock	$\checkmark$	
$\checkmark$		Hydraulic Oil Cooler	$\checkmark$	
$\checkmark$		Hydraulic Lines, One Way		$\checkmark$
$\checkmark$		Hydraulic Lines, Two Way		~
$\checkmark$		Loader Kickout, Float	$\checkmark$	
$\checkmark$		Loader Kickout, Return to Dig	$\checkmark$	
	$\checkmark$	Powered Side Shift		$\checkmark$
		Ride Control		$\checkmark$
$\checkmark$		Continuous Flow	$\checkmark$	
	$\checkmark$	Programmable Auxiliary Flow	$\checkmark$	
✓		Booms, Sticks and Linkages		
	$\checkmark$	Stick Standard, 4.3 m	$\checkmark$	
✓		Stick Extending, 4.3 m		~
$\checkmark$		Stick Extending, 4.9 m		~
		Hoe Quick Coupler, Mechanical		$\checkmark$
•		Hoe Quick Coupler, Hydraulic		$\checkmark$
✓		Loader Quick Coupler, Hydraulic		~
	$\checkmark$	Transport Lock, Swing	$\checkmark$	
$\checkmark$		Transport Lock, Boom	$\checkmark$	
✓		Other Attachments		
	$\checkmark$	Counterweight, 115 kg		~
				$\checkmark$
√				$\checkmark$
√		External Tool Box	$\checkmark$	
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			✓ Variable Displacement Piston Pump   Hydraulic Quick Disconnects Side Shift Lock   ✓ Hydraulic Oil Cooler   ✓ Hydraulic Lines, One Way   ✓ Hydraulic Lines, Two Way   ✓ Loader Kickout, Float   ✓ Loader Kickout, Return to Dig   ✓ Powered Side Shift   Ride Control Continuous Flow   ✓ Porgrammable Auxiliary Flow   ✓ Stick Standard, 4.3 m   ✓ Stick Extending, 4.3 m   ✓ Stick Extending, 4.9 m   Hoe Quick Coupler, Hydraulic Loader Quick Coupler, Hydraulic   ✓ Counterweight, 115 kg   ✓ Street Pads, Stabilizers   ✓ Street Pads, Stabilizers   ✓ External Tool Box   ✓ Transport Tie Downs	✓ Variable Displacement Piston Pump ✓   ✓ Hydraulic Quick Disconnects Side Shift Lock ✓   ✓ Hydraulic Coll Cooler ✓   ✓ Hydraulic Lines, One Way ✓   ✓ Hydraulic Lines, Two Way ✓   ✓ Loader Kickout, Float ✓   ✓ Loader Kickout, Return to Dig ✓   ✓ Powered Side Shift ✓   ✓ Ride Control ✓   ✓ Programmable Auxiliary Flow ✓   ✓ Stick Standard, 4.3 m ✓   ✓ Stick Extending, 4.3 m ✓   ✓ Hoe Quick Coupler, Mechanical ✓   ✓ Loader Quick Coupler, Hydraulic ✓   ✓ Stick Extending, 4.9 m ✓   ✓ Hoe Quick Coupler, Hydraulic ✓   ✓ Counterweight, 115 kg ✓   ✓ Street Pads, Stabilizers ✓   ✓ Street Pads, Stabilizers ✓   ✓ Transport Tie Downs ✓

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Product Link Cellular

Product Link Satellite

Reversing Alarm

Stabilizer Alarm Beacon, Rotating

Beacon, Strobe

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