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Operation

There are lots of times where the skid-steer loader could be utilized in place of a large excavator on the jobsite for digging holes from the inside. To start, the loader digs a ramp to be used to excavate the material out of the hole. As the excavation deepens, the machine reshapes the ramp making it steeper and longer. This is a remarkably helpful method for digging under a structure where there is not enough overhead clearance for the boom of a big excavator. For instance, this is a common scenario when digging a basement under an existing structure or house.

The skid-steer loader attachments add much flexibility to the machinery. For example, conventional buckets on the loaders could be replaced accessories powered by their hydraulics comprising backhoes, tree spades, sweepers, mowers, snow blades, cement mixers and pallet forks. Some other popular specialized buckets and attachments comprise wood chipper machines, grapples, tillers, stump grinder rippers, wheel saws, snow blades, trenchers, angle booms and dumping hoppers.

History

The 3-wheeled front end loader was invented during nineteen fifty seven, by Louis and Cyril Keller in their hometown of Rothsay, Minnesota. The Keller brothers made this machinery to help mechanize the process of cleaning in turkey barns. This particular machinery was compact and light and had a back caster wheel which allowed it to turn around and maneuver within its own length, enabling it to execute the same jobs as a conventional front-end loader.

In the year 1958, the Melroe brothers of Melroe Manufacturing Company in Gwinner, N.D. purchased the rights to the Keller loader. They hired the Keller brothers to continue refining their loader invention. The M-200 Melroe was actually the end result of this partnership. This particular model was a self-propelled loader that was introduced to the market during nineteen fifty eight. The M-200 Melroe featured a two independent front drive wheels, a rear caster wheel, a 12.9 HP engine and a 750 lb lift capacity. By nineteen sixty, they replaced the caster wheel with a back axle and introduced the first 4 wheel skid steer loader that was referred to as the M-400.

The M-400 immediately became the Melroe Bobcat. Often the term "Bobcat" is used as a generic term for skid-steer loaders. The M-440 had an 1100 lb rated operating capacity and was powered by a 15.5 HP engine. The company continued the skid-steer development into the mid nineteen sixties and launched the M600 loader.