

Skid Loader Operation and Safety

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 - a) Danger
 - b) Watch
 - c) Warning
 - d) Caution

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 - a) Keep bystanders away
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 - c) Block transport vehicle so it cannot move
 - d) Load or unload with arms at highest point

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 - a) Select level ground whenever possible
 - b) Park on elevated slopes
 - c) Leave bucket in the raised position
 - d) Leave skid loader running

4. When crossing ditches, you should not:
 - a) Reduce speed
 - b) Cross at an angle
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6. **True or False:** When operating you should always look in the direction of travel.

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 - b) Use jumper cables to ensure a fully charged battery
 - c) Take off the parking brake and take controls out of the neutral position
 - d) Start the engine following the instruction in the manufacture's manual

8. **True or False:** You should start the skid loader prior to making your walk around inspection.

9. When operation a skid loader on public roads or streets you should do all the following except:
 - a) Avoid panic stops
 - b) Stop at railroad crossings
 - c) Turn as quickly and sharply as possible
 - d) Observe speed and traffic control signs

10. **True or False:** When operation on public roads you must have a "Slow Moving Vehicle" (SMV) emblem installed and visible at all times.

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