

Construction Equipment

MISCELLANEOUS TOPICS

This fact sheet has been developed to provide assistance to those persons new to the construction profession who may be unfamiliar with the name of the various types of equipment active on a construction site.



Photo 1 – Backhoe/loader, the “hoe” being attached to the rear of the unit, hence the name ‘backhoe’



Photo 2 – Compactor



Photo 3 – Crawler dozer with ripper (rear attachment)



Photo 4 – Dump truck



Photo 5 – Excavator



Photo 6 – Grader



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Photo 7 – Longreach excavator



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Photo 8 – Loader (wheel loader), crawler loaders are also available



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Photo 9 – Padfoot road roller



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Photo 10 – Scraper



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Photo 11 – Skid-steer loader (“bobcat” is a commercial brand name)



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Photo 12 – Tractor (seeder)



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Photo 13 – Truck with trailer



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Photo 14 – Watercart

Revegetation equipment:



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Photo 15 – Straw mulcher (blower)



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Photo 16 – Hydro-mulcher



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Photo 17 – Straw-mulcher



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Photo 18 – Small hydro-mulcher