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NEBRASKA TRACTOR TEST NO. 479

Department of Agricultural Engineering Dates of test: July 27 to August 9, 1952

Manufacturer: HARRIS MANUFACTURING COMPANY, STOCKTON, CALIFORNIA Manufacturer's rating: 45 maximum drawbar hp.

DRAWBAR HORSEPOWER TESTS

	Draw bar pull lb	Speed miles per hr	Crank shaft speed rpm	Slip of drive wheels	Fuel Consumption			Water	Temp Deg F		Barometer
Нр					Gal per hour	Hp-hr per gal	Lb per hp-hr	gal per hour	Cool- ing med	Air	inches of mercury
one of	due (D)	Gy Louis	TESTS	F and C	-100%	MAXI	MUM I	LOAD			
33.00	6160	2.01	1998	16.32		Not Re	ecorded	0.000,000	171	76	29.070
49.01	5512	3.33	1997	11.74	14444	Not Re	ecorded	20111	175	70	29.070
50.11	3816	4.92	2003	7.63	++++	Not Re	ecorded		165	70	29.070
39.04	974	15.03	2005	2.43		Not Re	ecorded	11111	168	71	29.080
ntei		TEST	H-R	ATED I	LOAD-	TEN I	HOURS-	-3rd (Gear		
39.41	2930	5.04	1998	5.13	5.668	6.95	0.873	0.00	180	86	29.038
	10.0	TEST	r J—op	ERATIN	G MAX	CIMUM	LOAD-	-3rd G	ear		do ple
44.51	3670	4.55	1993	14.43		Not Re	ecorded	inter	198	95	28.910
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37.93	3525	4.04	2002	15.74	0.000	Not Re	ecorded	Trans.	174	82	28,900



TIRES, WHEELS and WEIGHT

	Tests F, G, & H	Test J	Test K
Rear wheels Type	Pressed steel	Pressed steel	Pressed steel
Liquid ballast	319 lb each	None	None
Added cast iron	520 lb each	None	None
Rear tires No. and size	Two 13-24	Two 13-24	Two 11-24
Ply	4	4	4
Air pressure	12 lb	12 lb	12 lb
Front wheels Type	Pressed steel	Pressed steel	Pressed steel
Liquid ballast	346 lb each	None	None
Added cast iron	920 lb each	None	None
Front tires No. and size	Two 13-24	Two 13-24	Two 11-24
Ply	4	4	4
Air pressure	12 lb	12 lb	12 lb
Height of drawbar	12 inches	13 inches	11 inches
Static weight Rear end	4148 lb	2470 lb	2394 lb
Front end	5262 lb	2730 lb	2626 lb
Total weight as tested with operator	9585 lb	5375 lb	5195 lb

HARRIS POWER HORSE 53

FUEL, OIL and TIME Gasoline octane No ASTM 76 Research 82 (rating taken from oil company's typical inspection data); weight per gallon 6.071 lb Oil SAE 20 to motor 1.246 gal; drained from motor 1.049 gal Total time motor was operated 301/2 hours.

CHASSIS Type 4 wheel drive Serial No PH43461 Tread width rear 48" to 76" front 48" to 76" Wheel Base 54" Hydraulic control system not available Advertised speeds mph first 2.4 second 3.79 third 5.33 fourth 15.4 reverse 1.97 Belt pulley not available Sert uphaltered Brakes extend controlling able Seat upholstered Brakes external contracting band operated by one foot pedal Power take-off not available.

ENGINE Make Chrysler Ind. 8A Type 6 cylinder vertical Serial No 60625 Crankshaft mounted lengthwise Head L Lubrication pressure Bore and Stroke 3 7/16" x 4 1/2" Rated rpm 2000 Compression ratio 6.6 to 1 Displacement 250.6 cu in Port Diameter Valves inlet 1 3/8" exhaust 1 5/16" Governor variable speed centrifugal Carburetor Size 11/2" Ignition System battery Starting System 6 volt battery Air Cleaner oil washed wire gauze Muffler none used Oil Filter with replaceable element Cooling medium temperature control thermostat.

REPAIRS AND ADJUSTMENTS No repairs or adjustments.

REMARKS All test results were determined from observed data and without allowances, additions or deductions. Test F was made with carburetor set for 100% maximum drawbar horsepower and data from this test were used in determining the horsepower to be developed in test H. Tests G, H, I and K were made with the same setting of the carbu-

No belt tests were made on this tractor as belt pulley was not available.

HORSEPOWER SUMMARY

1.	Sea level (calculated) maximum	Drawbar	
	horsepower (based on 60° F and 29.92" Hg)	52.07	
2.	Observed maximum horsepower (test F)	50.11	
3.	Seventy-five per cent of calculated maximum drawbar horsepower and eighty-five per cent of calculated maximum belt horsepower (form- erly ASAE and SAE ratings)	39.05	
	We, the undersigned, certify that this rrect report of official tractor test No.		

L. F. LARSEN Engineer in Charge

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