

# OWNER'S MANUAL Model Number

### 700423-1 Tractor Winter Cab



# **BERCO Universal Mounting Tractor Cab**

- \* ASSEMBLY
- \* REPAIR PARTS
- \* OPERATION
- \* MAINTENANCE

### **CAUTION:**

READ & FOLLOW ALL SAFETY RULES & INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE OPERATING YOUR EQUIPMENT



### LIMITED WARRANTY

### **Conditions and Products Covered:**

BERCOMAC guarantees any part of the product or accessory manufactured by BERCOMAC and found in the reasonable judgment of BERCOMAC to be defective in material and or workmanship will be repaired or replaced by an authorized dealer without charge up to our maximum labor rates and preestablished times. For replacement parts only standard ground freight services are covered. This warranty extends to the original retail purchaser only and is not transferable to any subsequent purchasers. This warranty applies to the products bought and used in North America.

### **Warranty Period**

(from date of the original retail purchase)

• Residential use: 1 year

Semi-commercial, professional or rental use: 90 days

**Exceptions Noted Below;** the following items are guaranteed by the original manufacturer and have their own warranty, conditions and limited time:

• Tire Chains: 90 days

• Engines: Will vary as per the manufacturer

Please refer to the engine manufacturer's warranty statement included with the unit. BERCOMAC is not authorized to handle warranty adjustments on engines.

### **Items and Conditions NOT Covered:**

This warranty does not cover the following:

- Pick-up or delivery charges or in-home services fees.
- Any damage or deterioration of the unit, parts and or finish of these due to normal use, wear and tear, or exposure.
- Cost of regular use or maintenance service or parts, such as gas, oil, lubricants, tune-up parts, and adjustments.
- Any part or accessory which has been altered, modified, misused, neglected, accidentally damaged or not properly installed, maintained, stored or repaired not in accordance with the instructions in the owner's manual.
- Repair due to normal wear and or any wear items such as shear pins, bolts, belts, etc.
- Expedited freight fee services for replacement parts.
- Shear bolts and shear pins are to be considered as a preventive measure not as an assured protection, any damages resulting from the lack of shear bolts breakage are not covered.
- Damages due to product being installed on a vehicle other than stipulated in owner's manual.

NOTE: All warranty work must be performed by an authorized dealer using original (manufacturer) replacement parts.

### Owner's Responsibilities:

BERCOMAC's defective equipment or part must be returned to an authorized dealer within the warranty period for repairs. In the event that defective merchandise must be returned to manufacturer for repairs, freight fees are prepaid and a written authorization from BERCOMAC must be obtained by dealer prior to the shipment. This warranty extends only to equipment operated under normal conditions. To validate a warranty claim, it is the user's responsibility to maintain and service the unit as specified in the owner's manual or to have the unit serviced at their dealer at their expense.

### **General Conditions:**

The sole liability of BERCOMAC with respect to this warranty shall be strictly and exclusively repair and replacement as mentioned herein. BERCOMAC shall not have any liability for any other costs, loss or damage, including but not limited to, any incidental or consequential loss or damage.

Taking advantage of the warranty does not in any way extend the length or renewal of the warranty.

<u>In particular, without being limited to, BERCOMAC shall have</u> no liability or responsibility for:

- Travel time, overtime, after hours time or other extraordinary repair charges or relating to repairs and or replacements outside of normal business hours.
- Rental of like or similar replacement equipment during the period of any, repair or replacement work.
- Any communicating or travel charges.
- Loss or damage to person or property other than that covered by the terms of this warranty.
- Any claims for lost revenue, lost profit or any similar costs as a result of damage or repair.
- Attorney's fees.

BERCOMAC's responsibility in respect to claims is limited to making the required repairs or replacement without charge up to our maximum labor rates and pre-established times and no claim of breach of warranty shall be cause for cancellation or rescission of the contract of sale of any product or accessory. In no event recovery of any kind be greater than the amount of the purchase price of the product sold.

This warranty gives you specific legal rights. You may also have other rights, which vary from state to state.

**NOTE:** Bercomac reserves the right to change or improve the design of any part or accessory without assuming any obligation to modify any product previously manufactured.

### **Instructions for Obtaining Warranty Services:**

Contact dealer where equipment was purchased or any other BERCO service dealer to arrange service at their dealership. Requests for warranty claims must be carried out through the same distribution network used to purchase the product. Don't forget to bring your proof of purchase (sales receipt) to the BERCOMAC dealer.

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### INTRODUCTION

### **TO THE PURCHASER**

This new accessory was carefully designed to give years of dependable service. This manual has been provided to assist in the safe operation and servicing of your attachment.

**NOTE:** All photographs and illustrations in the manual may not necessarily depict the actual models or attachment, but are intended for reference only and are based on the latest product information available at the time of publication.

Familiarize yourself fully with the safety recommendations and operating procedures before putting the machine to use. Carefully read, understand and follow these recommendations and insist that they be followed by those who will use this attachment.



THIS SAFETY ALERT SYMBOL IDENTIFIES AN IMPORTANT SAFETY MESSAGE IN THIS MANUAL THAT HELPS YOU AND OTHERS AVOID PERSONAL INJURY OR EVEN DEATH. DANGER, WARNING, AND CAUTION ARE SIGNAL WORDS USED TO IDENTIFY THE LEVEL OF HAZARD. HOWEVER, REGARDLESS OF THE HAZARD, BE EXTREMELY CAREFUL.

DANGER: Signals an extreme hazard that will cause serious injury or death if recommended precautions

are not followed.

WARNING: Signals a hazard that may cause serious injury or death if the recommended precautions are

not followed.

CAUTION: Signals a hazard that may cause minor or moderate injury if the recommended precautions are

not followed.

Record your attachment serial number and purchase date in the section reserved below (there is no serial number on the subframe). Your dealer requires this information to give you prompt, efficient service when ordering replacement parts. Use only genuine parts when replacements are required.

If warranty repairs are required please present this registration booklet and original sales invoice to your selling dealer for warranty service.

This manual should be kept for future reference.

Please check if you have received all the parts for your kit with the list of the bag and the list of the box.

SERIAL NUMBER : (IF APPLICABLE)  MODEL NUMBER:	
PURCHASE DATE :	

### **SAFETY PRECAUTIONS**

Careful operation is your best insurance against an accident. Read this section carefully before operating the tractor and attachment. All operators, no matter how experienced they may be, should read this and other manuals related to the tractor and attachments before operating. It is the owner's legal obligation to instruct all operators in safe operation.

### WHENEVER YOU SEE THIS SYMBOL



IT MEANS:

**WARNING!** 

**BECOME ALERT!** 

YOUR SAFETY IS INVOLVED!



### **WARNING**



### TO AVOID PERSONAL INJURY:

Make sure the tractor's exhaust is in good condition and not oriented towards the cab.

EXHAUST FUMES SHOULD NEVER ENTER THE CAB, THEY CONTAIN CARBON MONOXIDE GAS

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**NEVER BLOCK THE AIR VENTS** 



### **WARNING**



READ AND FOLLOW ALL SAFETY PRECAUTIONS AND INSTRUCTIONS IN THE OWNER'S MANUAL FOR BOTH THE TRACTOR AND ATTACHMENT



### **WARNING**



### TO AVOID PERSONAL INJURY:

Visibility must be clear at all times. Keep the windows clear. If needed, clean windows using a soft brush or cloth.

### **INSTALLATION INFORMATION:**

**IMPORTANT:** There is a potential risk of the paint wearing off from the hood or the decal coming off due to cab rubbing against it. To lessen this potential damage, a soft cloth may be inserted between the cab and hood. Wiping down the hood after each use will also help.

**NOTE:** (for the winter cab) The windows are made of top quality cold resistant, clear flexible plastic. Under extreme cold conditions, all plastics become fragile. Never hit or scrape windows, this could damage them. These damages, under these conditions, are not covered by the manufacturer's warranty.

# STEP 1 FRAME ASSEMBLY—ROOF:

Assemble the top portion of the frame by attaching the link tubes (fig.1, item 1) to the side tubes (item 2) and in the middle, the reinforcement tube (item 3) (angled portion facing upwards).

Secure loosely with the #10 x 1" machine screws (item 4) (screw heads on top) with the nylon insert lock nuts (item 5).

Place the assembly on a level surface to ensure that the structure is level.

Tighten all the screws firmly.

### **TOOLS REQUIRED:**

- 1-Drill
- 1-9/32" (0.281") bit
- 1-Philips screwdriver
- 1-3/8" wrench
- 1-7/16" wrench
- 1-3/4" wrench
- 1-3/4" adjustable wrench
- 1-5/32" Allen key

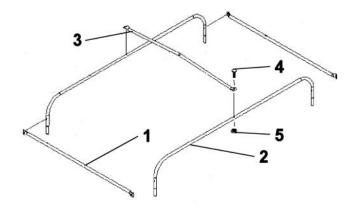


Figure 1

# STEP 2 TOW HITCH SUPPORT INSTALLATION:

Insert the rear support rods (fig.2, item 1), the longest end into tow hitch support or the counterweight support (item 2).

Install the tow hitch support on top of the tractor tow hitch (item 3) with a  $1/2 \times 1 \cdot 1/2$ " hex bolt and two flat washers (item 5) (one on top and the other under the tow hitch), lockwasher and nut.

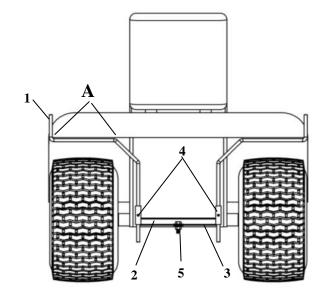
The support must be completely flat against the back of the tow hitch.

Tighten firmly.

Adjust the horizontal section of the rear rod support (fig.2, item A), so it is located 1/8" below the mud guard and 1" behind the mud guard.

Secure in place with two 5/16 x 5/16 set screws (item 4).

Tighten lightly. Figure 2



# STEP 3 FRONT ATTACHING PLATES INSTALLATION:

If this cab is being installed on a tractor which already is equipped with a Berco attachment, the subframe (some but not necessarily all models of subframes) may have existing attaching points welded to the mounting supports. If so, go to Step 4

The supports furnished with this kit consist of three separate parts and can be installed in four different ways to adapt to the footrests.

### BEFORE DRILLING HOLES IN FOOTRESTS

Determine the best location to mount the support plates by respecting the following:

 Plates must NOT interfere with any tractor pedals or controls such as brakes, clutch.

Tractors with snowblowers:

 Snowblower controls (lift arm and chute rotation support) must remain inside cab.

**TIP:** Temporarily install the whole cab on the tractor to get a global view of the installation before drilling the holes to attach the front supports. You can hold the supports temporarily in place with either C locking pliers or C clamps until deciding where to secure it.

When the location has been determined, drill two 9/32" holes in each footrest. If needed, unclip and lift the rubber pads from the footrests. Install the front attaching plates (fig.3, item 4) under the footrests using two  $1/4 \times 3/4$ " machine screws (item 1) and flange nuts (item 5). Tighten firmly.

Fasten the front supports (item 6) to the attaching plates (item 4) with two 1/4 x 3/4" hex bolts (item 3) and flange nuts (item 5). Tighten firmly.

**NOTE:** On certain tractor models, the attaching plate (item 4) is not required. Simply bolt the front support (item 6) directly to the front lip of the footrest, after drilling the 9/32" holes.

## STEP 4 FRONT ROD SUPPORT INSTALLATION

Slide the front rod supports (item 7) into the front supports or into the tubes welded to the subframe. You may have to cut the rod.

Adjust the width of the rods to 39" from one side of the tractor to the other. Secure in place with the  $5/16 \times 5/16$ " allen set screws (item 8). Secure moderately.



### **WARNING**



### TO AVOID PERSONAL INJURY:

The front supports must not interfere in anyway with the brake & clutch pedals or any other tractor controls at any time. Any interference from the supports may block the controls and cause an accident.

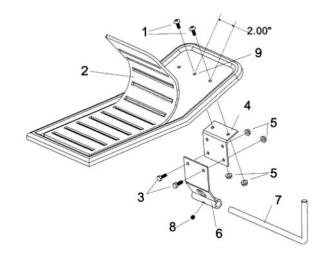


Figure 3

# STEP 5 FRAME ASSEMBLY:

Install the front posts (fig.4, item 2) the bent part towards the front and the back posts (item 1) as shown.

Place the roof section onto the posts .

### NOTE:

If the cab is not level, adjust the front supports (if used) by screwing them in the other set of holes on the plates.

If the front posts need to be lengthened, place two sleeves on the support rods.

If front posts need to be shortened, cut bottom portion of posts as needed.

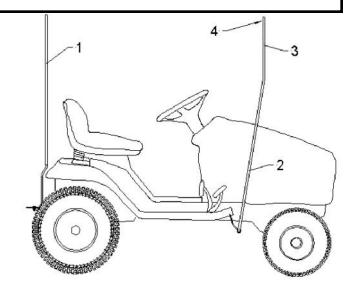


Figure 4

# STEP 6 CANVAS INSTALLATION:

Install the cab cover over the frame. Use the Velcro straps to tie it down to the frame. The front of the cab is designed with an opening which allows access under the hood.

Attach the straps to the supports (fig.3, item 6) by inserting the buckles (fig.5, items 2 & 3) through the holes on the supports then snapping one end into the other. If the front supports are not used, wrap the straps around the tubes welded on the subframe and snap the buckles.

Adjust the buckle (item 4) on top of the hood so that it is centered after adjusting all the other straps.

Once installation is complete, adjust the cab by pulling the rear support rods (fig.2, item 1) toward the back to achieve a snug fit.

Tighten all the nuts and screws firmly.

### **OPENING FOR HANDLE:**

To accommodate the handle for the accessories, open the "Velcro" seam (item 1) on either side.

BEFORE INITIAL USE, PLEASE WIPE THE WHITE RESIDUE OFF THE WINDOWS WITH A DRY SOFT CLOTH.

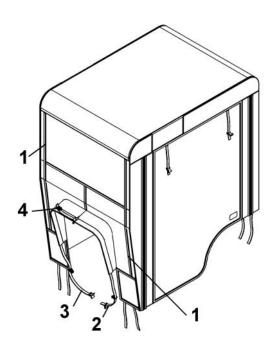


Figure 5



### **WARNING**



### TO AVOID PERSONAL INJURY:

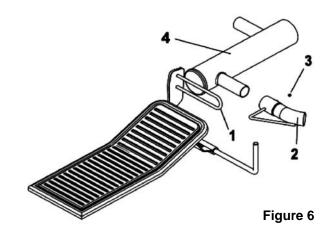
Make sure the cab cover does not touch the tractor's muffler or exhaust system. The cab may be damaged or even catch on fire.

### ATTENTION:

If your tractor has a muffler located on the right hand side of the tractor frame, you must order option #700309 Exhaust elbow.

This elbow re-directs the heat from the exhaust to prevent damage to the cab and helps prevent the carbon monoxide fumes from being pushed inside the cab by the wind.

Make sure to put the cab between the guard (fig. 6, item 1) and the footrest to prevent heat damage from the muffler.





### **WARNING**



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Make sure the tractor's exhaust system is in good condition and not oriented towards the cab.

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### **NEVER BLOCK THE AIR VENTS**

### **MAINTENANCE**

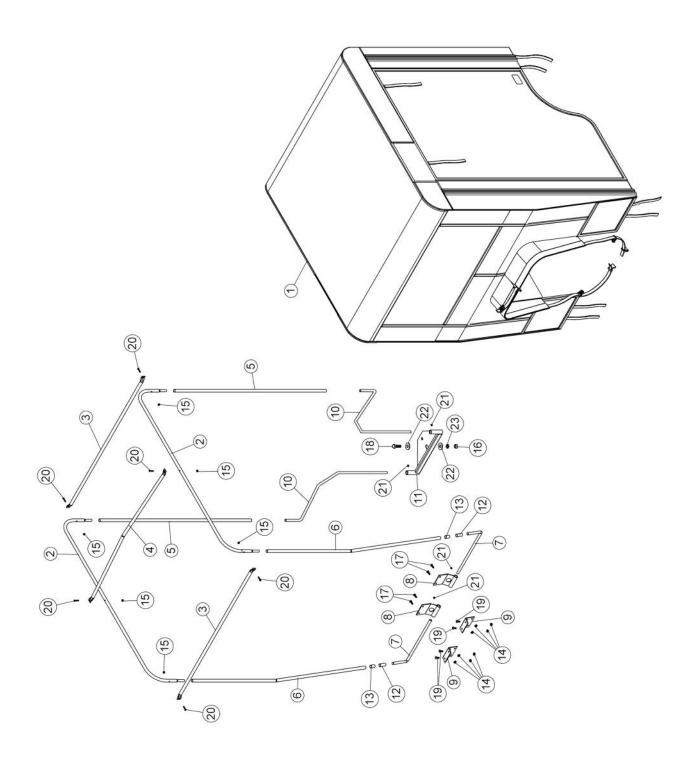
### **MAINTENANCE**

- Keep the windows clear and clean in order to keep a good visibility at all times. Wash the windows with a mild soap such as dishwashing soap and a soft cloth.
- b) Check mounting bolts on the frame at frequent intervals for proper tightness to be sure equipment is in safe working condition.
- c) During the winter use a soft brush to sweep off the snow. DO NOT HIT the windows with the brush or your hands to remove the snow. This will crack the vinyl.
- d) Keep air vents clear and clean at all times.

### **END OF SEASON STORAGE**

- a) Thoroughly wash and dry the canvas.
- Inspect for any tears or unstitched seams. Repair if necessary.
- c) Carefully remove the canvas from the frame.
- d) Roll up instead of folding the canvas for storage.
- e) Store the canvas in a well ventilated place, away from all weather elements and out of reach of rodents.
- The frame must be cleaned and dried before storing in a dry enclosed place.
- e) Inspect and replace all defective parts before using again.

# PARTS BREAKDOWN CAB



### PARTS LIST CAB

Ref. Réf.	English description	English description Description française			
1	Berco winter canvas	Toile d'hiver Berco			
2	Side tube	Tube de côté	2	102945	
3	Link tube	Tube de liaison	2	104353	
4	Reinforcement tube	Tube de renforcement	1	104354	
5	Rear post	Poteau arrière	2	102948	
6	Front post	Poteau avant	2	102949	
7	Front rod support	Tige de support avant	2	104355	
8	Front support	Support avant	2	102951	
9	Front attaching plate	Plaque d'attache avant	2	102952	
10	Rear rod support	Tige de support arrière	2	104356	
11	Tow hitch support	Support de la barre de remorquage	1	104393	
12	Sleeve	Douille	2	103215	
13	Sleeve	Douille	2	104145	
14	Flange nut 1/4" n.c.	Écrou à bride 1/4" n.c.	8	O/L	
15	Nylon insert lock nut #10 x 24	Écrou à garniture de nylon #10 x 24	6	O/L	
16	Hex. nut 1/2" n.c.	Écrou hex. 1/2" n.c.	1	O/L	
17	Hex. bolt 1/4" n.c. x 3/4"	Boulon hex. 1/4" n.c. x 3/4"	4	O/L	
18	Hex. bolt 1/2" n.c. x 1 1/2"	Boulon hex. 1/2" n.c. x 1 1/2"	1	O/L	
19	Machine screw T.H. 1/4" n.c. x 3/4"	Vis mécanique T.H. 1/4" n.c. x 3/4"	4	O/L	
20	Machine screw P.H. #10 x 24 x 1"	Vis mécanique P.H. #10 x 24 x 1"	6	O/L	
21	Hex. socket set screw 5/16" n.c. x 5/16"	Vis à pression hex. 5/16" n.c. x 5/16"	4	O/L	
22	Flat washer 9/16" hole	Rondelle plate 9/16" trou	2	O/L	
23	Lock washer 1/2"	Rondelle de blocage 1/2"	1	O/L	

O/L = Obtain Locally

### **TORQUE SPECIFICATION TABLE**

### GENERAL TORQUE SPECIFICATION TABLE USE THE FOLLOWING TORQUES WHEN SPECIAL TORQUES ARE NOT GIVEN

**NOTE:** These values apply to fasteners as received from supplier, dry or when lubricated with normal oil. They do not apply if special graphited or moly disulphide greases or other extreme pressure lubricants are used. This applies to both UNF and UNC threads.

\* Thick nuts must be used with grade 8 bolts

SEE G rade	No.	2				5				8 *			
	ATION PER GRADE UFACTURING		TOR	QUE		TORQUE				TORQUE			
BOLT SIZE		FOOT POUNDS NEW TON-METERS			FOOT POUNDS NEW TON-METERS			FOOT POUNDS NEW TON-METERS					
Inches	Millimetre	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min. Max.	Max.	Min. Max.	Max.
1/4"	6.35	5	6	6.8	8.13	9	11	12.2	14.9	12	15	16.3	30.3
5/16"	7.94	10	12	13.6	16.3	17	20.5	23.1	27.8	24	29	32.5	39.3
3/8"	9.53	20	23	27.1	31.2	35	42	47.5	57	45	54	61	73.2
7/16"	11.11	30	35	40.7	47.4	54	64	73.2	86.8	70	84	94.9	113.9
1/2"	12.7	45	52	61	70.5	80	96	108.5	130.2	110	132	149.2	179
9/16"	14.29	65	75	88.1	101.6	110	132	149.2	179	160	192	217	260.4
5/8"	15.88	95	105	128.7	142.3	150	180	203.4	244.1	220	264	298.3	358
3/4"	19.05	150	185	203.3	250.7	270	324	366.1	439.3	380	456	515.3	618.3
7/8"	22.23	160	200	216.8	271	400	480	542.4	650.9	600	720	813.6	976.3
1"	25.4	250	300	338.8	406.5	580	696	786.5	943.8	900	1080	1220.4	1464.5

METRIC BOLT TORQUE SPECIFICATIONS										
COARSE THREAD						FINE THREA	FINE THREAD			
Size Screw	Grade No.	Pitch (mm)	Foot Pounds	Newton-Meters	Pitch (mm)	Foot Pounds	Newton-Meters			
М6	4T	1.00	3.6 - 5.8	4.9 - 7.9	-	-	-			
	7T		5.8 - 9.4	7.9 - 12.7		-	-			
	8T		7.2 - 10	9.8 - 13.6		-	-			
М8	4T	1.25	7.2 - 14	9.8 - 19	1.00	12 - 17	16.3 - 23			
	7T		17 - 22	23 - 29.8		19 - 27	25.7 - 36.6			
	8T		20 - 26	27.1 - 35.2		22 - 31	29.8 - 42			
M10	4T	1.50	20 - 25	27.1 - 33.9	1.25	20 - 29	27.1 - 39.3			
	7T		34 - 40	46.1 - 54.2		35 - 47	47.4 - 63.7			
	8T		38 - 46	51.5 - 62.3		40 - 52	54.2 - 70.5			
M12	4T	1.75	28 - 34	37.9 - 46.1	1.25	31 - 41	42 - 55.6			
	7T		51 - 59	69.1 - 79.9		56 - 68	75.9 - 92.1			
	8T		57 - 66	77.2 - 89.4		62 - 75	84 - 101.6			
M14	4T	2.00	49 - 56	66.4 - 75.9	1.50	52 - 64	70.5 - 86.7			
	7T		81 - 93	109.8 - 126		90 - 106	122 - 143.6			
	8T		96 - 109	130.1 - 147.7		107 - 124	145 - 168			
M16	4T	2.00	67 - 77	90.8 - 104.3	1.50	69 - 83	93.5 - 112.5			
	7T		116 - 130	157.2 - 176.2		120 - 138	162.6 - 187			
	8T		129 - 145	174.8 - 196.5		140 - 158	189.7 - 214.1			
M18	4T	2.00	88 - 100	119.2 - 136	1.50	100 - 117	136 - 158.5			
	7T		150 - 168	203.3 - 227.6		177 - 199	239.8 - 269.6			
	8T		175 - 194	237.1 - 262.9		202 - 231	273.7 - 313			
M 20	4T	2.50	108 - 130	146.3 - 176.2	1.50	132 - 150	178.9 - 203.3			
	7T		186 - 205	252 - 277.8		206 - 242	279.1 - 327.9			
	8T		213 - 249	288.6 - 337.4		246 - 289	333.3 - 391.6			

# **NOTES**



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