



LARGE WHEEL LOADERS

L205, L235, L255, L285



A Bobcat L235 large wheel loader is shown in a construction setting, parked on a dirt path. The machine is white with red accents and has a large front grille with the Bobcat logo. The background shows a large pile of earth and a dirt road.

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EXPERIENCE OPPORTUNITY AT A NEW SCALE.

Welcome the heavy-lifting, fast-moving, load-and-carry leader of your jobsite. Bobcat® large wheel loaders are purpose-built for big material-moving tasks in construction, agriculture, manufacturing and more. This is performance at full scale, sized to match your biggest ambitions and ready to prove there's nothing you can't handle.



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GET MORE DONE IN A DAY.

Big breakout forces, large bucket capacities and high travel speeds help you seize vast potential from oversized jobs.

ATTAIN RELIABLE PERFORMANCE AND COST SAVINGS.

Exceptional fuel efficiency and three power modes that tailor performance to the massive demands of large-scale work.

DO THE JOB IN TOTAL COMFORT.

Your comfort goes bigger in a Bobcat large wheel loader. Enjoy a spacious cab with intuitive controls, a smooth ride, and all-day operator comfort.

POWER YOUR PEACE OF MIND WITH EXPERT SUPPORT AND AN IMPRESSIVE WARRANTY.

With an extensive Bobcat dealer network and 3 years/5,000 hours of full coverage, Bobcat – and your local dealer – back you in a big way.

WORK BIG. WIN BIG.

Bobcat large wheel loaders come packed with features to help you move more material and reach more potential.

NEXT-LEVEL LIFTING CAPABILITIES

Z-BAR LINKAGE

The Z-bar linkage design of Bobcat wheel loaders enables heavy lifting and loading, fast bucket movement, excellent breakout forces, and easy bucket angle positioning in all kinds of wheel loader applications.

AUTOMATIC RIDE CONTROL

Automatic ride control detects when you're carrying material and cushions the load to reduce spillage while increasing your comfort, control and overall productivity.

LIFT ARM FLOAT

The lift arm float allows the bucket to follow ground contours for fast backdragging, efficient snow removal and other tasks.

LIFT KICKOUT

Set a maximum lift height and work easily in areas with height restrictions, such as under bridges, building entries or indoors.

ADDITIONAL COUNTERWEIGHT

Bobcat large wheel loaders include standard counterweight plus additional bolt-on counterweight to enhance lift capacity for heavy-duty applications.



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UNSTOPPABLE FORCE FOR UNFORGIVING TERRAIN

HIGH TRACTION AND PUSHING POWER

The limited-slip differential automatically delivers torque to the wheel with the most traction – giving you the performance needed to power through challenging ground conditions. This fully autonomous system is ideal for both seasoned pros and less experienced operators. It's especially effective for tasks that combine pushing and precise maneuvering, such as snow removal and other demanding dozing applications.

INCHING CONTROL

Inching mode enhances performance in loading applications by increasing power to the work group. When the operator presses the brake pedal, the transmission shifts into neutral while keeping the brakes engaged. This allows engine power to be redirected to the boom and lift arms. As the accelerator is applied, operators experience faster cycle times and improved lifting performance.

DYNAMIC BRAKING

Standard on the L205, with dynamic braking, you can slow the wheel loader by simply lifting your foot from the travel pedal. This is handy when traveling on an incline.



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TIGHT TURNING RADIUS WITH OSCILLATING FRAME

The Bobcat large wheel loaders have an articulation joint angle of 40° that delivers a tight turning radius for high maneuverability in obstacle-filled jobsites.

AUTO IDLE

Standard auto-idle reduces engine rpm when the steering wheel or joystick isn't being used – saving fuel and reducing operating costs. When you move the controls, the loader automatically returns to its working rpm.

AUTO SHUTDOWN

Conserve even more fuel when auto shutdown is active. With the auto shutdown feature, the wheel loader will shut down after a preset interval. You can set the shutdown timer from three to sixty minutes with the touch display.

SEISMIC LIFT STARTS HERE.

This is where raw power meets refined control, with three transmission modes, fast travel and customizable power that move your operation forward.

POWERSHIFT TRANSMISSION*

Bobcat large wheel loaders have an automatic powershift torque converter transmission that makes operation easy and delivers maximum efficiency to optimize productivity and save fuel during demanding load-and-carry work.

THREE TRANSMISSION MODES*

Three transmission modes customize your large wheel loader's performance for unique working conditions.

MANUAL provides precise speed control.

AUTO 1-4 automatically shifts up and down depending on the task. As you demand more speed, it shifts up; when you need more power and torque, it shifts down.

AUTO 2-4 shifts automatically from gear 2 through gear 4, with a manual downshift into first gear. This provides great performance and flexibility for lighter-duty work.

FAST, RESPONSIVE TRAVEL

With planetary drives that transfer torque to the wheels, Bobcat large wheel loaders provide high travel speeds – up to 24.2 miles per hour – with remarkable drive response that moves you swiftly through every challenge.

A VARIABLE GEOMETRIC TURBOCHARGER (VGT) generates more torque and a quicker response at low rpm, giving you a precise, satisfying response when you push the accelerator.



THREE POWER MODES

Power, normal and economy modes give you more ability to customize your loader's performance to match the job – whether your priority is power or fuel economy.

POWER MODE gives you the highest performance to quickly load and carry material, with fast travel from point to point.

NORMAL MODE covers a wide variety of everyday work conditions while enhancing your fuel efficiency.

ECONOMY MODE keeps fuel consumption to a minimum while reducing engine sound levels – so you can complete light-duty tasks in maximum comfort.



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EPIC DURABILITY

With solid steel construction, high-capacity cooling and a design that takes serviceability down to your level, Bobcat large wheel loaders have everything you need to endure massive workloads. These machines move more, lift higher and keep going – day after demanding day.

Backed by a 3-YEAR/5,000-HOUR EXTENDED WARRANTY, your Bobcat large wheel loader is protected for the long haul. And when it's time for service, your local dealer is ready to help, with certified technicians and genuine Bobcat parts that are proven to keep your machine running its best.

COLOSSAL COOLING EFFICIENCY

VARIABLE-SPEED REVERSIBLE COOLING FAN

The variable-speed cooling fan runs slower or faster depending on the needs of your machine. This can save fuel and enhance the life of your cooling system. Reverse the fan using the touch display and keep the system cleaner when working in dusty applications. An auto reverse setting runs the fan periodically to minimize debris.

REAR-MOUNTED COOLING

The rear-mounted cooling system pulls in cool, clean air for better performance and efficiency. The rear screen flips up and the fan swings out of the way to make cleanout easy.

WIDE-FIN RADIATOR

The radiator with maximized fin spacing reduces debris buildup and clogging while enhancing cooling system performance. This can reduce downtime in dusty, dirty environments.

EXHAUST HEAT EXCHANGER

The exhaust heat exchanger expels hot air from your engine compartment and keeps the engine and cooling system running at peak efficiency. The isolated design of the engine and cooling system further maximizes efficiency and promotes long life for engine components.

POWERFUL NON-DPF ENGINE

More power. More torque. More work done. That's what you get with the powerful Bobcat wheel loader. The Tier 4 engine is turbo-charged for consistent performance at all elevations.

- Most models have no diesel particulate filter (DPF). This reduces downtime that occurs with DPF regeneration and long-term DPF maintenance costs – so you can focus more on working and less on maintenance
- Tier 4 aftertreatment technologies include diesel oxidation catalyst (DOC) and selective catalyst reduction (SCR) with diesel exhaust fluid (DEF).

TOUGH AXLES

Optimized to maximize bucket capacities while supporting stopping power and brake life, the heavy-duty axles of Bobcat wheel loaders give you top performance in extreme working conditions.

OUTBOARD BRAKES

With the brakes conveniently located outside the wheel hub, the discs are exposed to lower rpms and less heat. This ensures a longer life for the discs while giving you simple access for brake maintenance.

BOLT-ON STEPS

The modular design of the steps allows for easier replacement than welded-on steps.

DURABLE ARTICULATING BOX FRAME

The Bobcat wheel loader box frame offers state-of-the-art strength. Computerized structural analysis ensures key sections are robust for better lift capacity and durability. With its articulating design, you get ideal load distribution and excellent rigidity for maximum frame life.

HEAVY-DUTY WORK GROUP

With sturdy, solid-steel lift arm plates, you can leverage the wheel loader's full capacity to strongarm the job and worry less about durability. Large self-centering double-tapered roller bearings distribute vertical and horizontal weight in the articulation joint over a larger area. Vented covers and dust seals stop grease overfills for reduced maintenance and extended pin life.

STANDARD FENDERS AND OPTIONAL FULL-FENDER UPGRADE

Full front and partial rear fenders come standard to better protect your machine from debris or material. You also have the choice to upgrade to full fenders in the rear for even more protection.



TAKE THE CONTROLS AND TAKE THAT CHALLENGE.

Step into a cab that scales up the comfort. Bobcat large wheel loaders put you in a spacious, high-visibility environment with intuitive controls and an operator-first layout that keeps everything within easy reach. Premium airflow, ergonomic design and a smooth, balanced ride help you stay focused and productive – from the first big lift to the last load of the day.

COMFORTABLE OPERATOR ENVIRONMENT

Keep productivity high and fatigue low with the Bobcat wheel loader cab. It's roomy and comfortable, with great visibility and low sound levels to make the day's work more productive and enjoyable. An intuitive control layout prioritizes easy reach of commonly used controls, enhancing every hour you spend on the job.

AUTOMATIC HEAT AND AIR CONDITIONING

Automatic heating and air conditioning keeps the cab temperature consistent for constant comfort.

ADJUSTABLE AIR VENTS

Adjustable air vents direct heated or air-conditioned air where you want it.

STANDARD KEY FOB ENTRY

An automotive-style key fob provides simple, secure machine entry with a convenient push-button start.

TALL AND WIDE GLASS PANELS

With wide glass panels and a full glass door, you have a wide view to the work – with fewer obstructions. Large heated mirrors provide an extended view to the side and rear.



FAR-REACHING INNOVATION ON DISPLAY

HIGH-RESOLUTION TOUCH DISPLAY

A standard 8-inch touchscreen display provides simple, convenient machine interaction and performance information on one screen. Keep track of machine functions, change machine settings, access the rear view camera, adjust cab temperature and more.

REAR VIEW CAMERA

A rear view camera keeps you more aware of your surroundings. Access the camera from the touch display.

ON-SCREEN OPERATION TIPS

Enhance operation with feedback that helps to improve your productivity. The wheel loader generates operation tips in response to actual driving habits – ensuring that information is relevant and helpful.

HANDS-FREE BLUETOOTH DEVICE CONNECTIVITY

To make tough jobs more enjoyable and enhance communication during the workday, Bluetooth® connectivity allows for a wide range of on-the-job entertainment – plus the ability to make and receive hands-free phone calls.



FULLY ADJUSTABLE AIR SUSPENSION SEAT

A fully adjustable air suspension seat provides comfort for every size operator.

TELESCOPIC AND TILT STEERING

Telescopic and tilt steering provides a precise comfort match to each operator's preferences.

INFORMATION BUTTON

When pressed, the information button will tell you what other buttons in the machine do and how to use them. This function is great for novice operators.

JOYSTICK CONTROLS

The joystick provides easy push-button direction changes, with buttons for forward, neutral and reverse. You can easily change direction without lifting your hands from the controls.

EASY ENTRY AND EXIT

Grab handles and easily replaceable bolt-on steps (with slip-resistant surface) make entry and exit easy.

FRONT AND REAR LED WORK LIGHTS

Two forward and two reverse LED work lights provide bright illumination to enhance your work in low-light areas.

BIG UPTIME WITH LITTLE MAINTENANCE

Bobcat large wheel loaders take service and maintenance down to ground-level. Access to service points is easy. Diagnostics and troubleshooting are simple. Smart design features throughout the Bobcat large wheel loader simplify routine maintenance – so you can spend less time in the shop and more time on the job.

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SIMPLE TROUBLESHOOTING AND DIAGNOSIS

With real-time and historical machine notifications available on the touchscreen display, you can quickly monitor maintenance needs. You can also monitor performance in real time to gain a better picture of overall machine health.

MACHINE IQ TELEMATICS

Integrated telematics gives you real-time insights into machine performance, location and health – helping you stay ahead of maintenance, improve uptime and make smarter decisions about your equipment investment.

EASY BRAKE MAINTENANCE

The outboard, hub-mounted design of the low-speed brakes on Bobcat wheel loaders simplifies access to improve serviceability and reduce downtime due to maintenance.

CENTRALIZED AND REMOTE LUBRICATION

Centralized lubrication points make daily greasing more likely to get done. Remote grease points make it easier to lubricate hard-to-reach pins on the lift arm and articulation system.

EASY DEF FILL

The DEF tank fill is easy to access – so top-offs are quick and easy. DEF tank features a blinking light to indicate it's 90% full.

REMOTE DRAIN PORTS

Conveniently located drain ports help you quickly drain engine oil and coolant during routine maintenance.

FLUID SIGHT GLASSES

Quickly check fluid levels with a visual gauge that's easy to see and read.

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LARGE STEEL ACCESS COVERS

Made of durable steel, large folding access covers are easy to open, providing quick access to engine and hydraulic components at ground level.

WHEEL CHOCKS

All machines come with a set of wheel chocks to block the wheels and stop the machine from moving during maintenance.

MEET THE GIANT OF WHEEL LOADER VERSATILITY.

With capability on this scale, you'll want to keep working anywhere and everywhere. Designed for quick attachment changes and equipped with powerful hydraulics, Bobcat large wheel loaders can go to work on a wide range of demanding jobs. With the lineup of rugged Bobcat attachments, you can do more with one machine.

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QUICK COUPLER READY

The quick coupler makes it easy to quickly change non-hydraulic attachments – from inside the cab. Choose between JRB® or ISO hydraulic couplers. You can also order without an attachment interface.

AUXILIARY HYDRAULICS

Run hydraulic attachments with standard hydraulic piping that's conveniently routed to the top of the lift arm. With the third aux completion kit, you can also add hydraulic lines that go all the way to the end of the lift arm.

ATTACHMENTS

There's a wide variety of high-quality Bobcat attachments available that can help you tackle a range of tasks.

- General-purpose bucket
- Grapple bucket
- Pallet fork
- Snow pusher
- Light material bucket

SPECIFICATIONS



MODEL	L205	L235	L255	L285	
ENGINE	Emissions Tier (EPA)	Tier 4	Tier 4	Tier 4	
	Engine Cooling	Liquid	Liquid	Liquid	
	Engine Fuel	Diesel	Diesel	Diesel	
	Horsepower	142.0 hp (105.8 kW)	159.0 hp (118.5 kW)	172.0 hp (128.2 kW)	189.0 hp (140.9 kW)
PERFORMANCE	Rated Operating Capacity With Bucket (Straight)	11,535 lb. (5232 kg)	11,926 lb. (5409 kg)	12,420 lb. (5633 kg)	13,682 lb. (6206 kg)
	Rated Operating Capacity With Bucket (Articulated)	10,185 lb. (4619 kg)	10,512 lb. (4768 kg)	10,947 lb. (4965 kg)	12,061 lb. (5470 kg)
	Rated Operating Capacity With Forks (Straight)	6754 lb. (3063 kg)	7249 lb. (3288 kg)	7577 lb. (3436 kg)	8251 lb. (3742 kg)
	Rated Operating Capacity With Forks (Articulated)	5874 lb. (2664 kg)	6292 lb. (2854 kg)	6582 lb. (2985 kg)	7170 lb. (3252 kg)
	Tipping Capacity With Bucket (Straight)	23,070 lb. (10,464 kg)	23,853 lb. (10,819 kg)	24,839 lb. (11,266 kg)	27,364 lb. (12,412 kg)
	Tipping Capacity With Bucket (Articulated)	20,370 lb. (9239 kg)	21,025 lb. (9536 kg)	21,894 lb. (9930 kg)	24,121 lb. (10,941 kg)
	Bucket Capacities	2.5-4.0 yd ³ (1.9-3.0 m ³)	3.0-4.5 yd ³ (2.2-3.4 m ³)	3.5-5.0 yd ³ (2.6-3.8 m ³)	3.5-5.5 yd ³ (2.6-4.2 m ³)
	Operating Weight	27,274 lb. (12,371 kg)	29,488 lb. (13,375 kg)	30,903 lb. (14,017 kg)	34,487 lb. (15,643 kg)
	Max. Travel Speed – Forward	23.6 mph (37.9 km/hr.)	24.2 mph (38.9 km/hr.)	23.3 mph (37.4 km/hr.)	22.1 mph (35.5 km/hr.)
	Max. Travel Speed – Reverse	12.4 mph (19.9 km/hr.)	18.6 mph (29.9 km/hr.)	14.9 mph (23.9 km/hr.)	15.0 mph (24.1 km/hr.)
CAPACITIES	Fuel Tank	62.1 gal. (235.0 L)			
	DEF Tank	5.0 gal. (18.9 L)	7.9 gal. (29.9 L)	7.9 gal. (29.9 L)	7.9 gal. (29.9 L)
HYDRAULIC SYSTEM	Hydraulic System – Main Pump Max. Flow Rate	40.9 gpm (154.8 L/min.)	40.9 gpm (154.8 L/min.)	40.9 gpm (154.8 L/min.)	64.9 gpm (245.6 L/min.)
	Hydraulic System – Main Pump Pressure	3843 psi (264 bar)	3626 psi (250 bar)	3844 psi (265 bar)	3844 psi (265 bar)
	Hydraulic System – 3rd Spool Max. Flow Rate	40.9 gpm (154.8 L/min.)	40.9 gpm (154.8 L/min.)	40.9 gpm (154.8 L/min.)	66.0 gpm (249.8 L/min.)
	Hydraulic System – 3rd Spool Pressure	4351 psi (299 bar)	4061 psi (279 bar)	4351 psi (299 bar)	4351 psi (299 bar)
DRIVE SYSTEM	Drive Type	Hydrostatic 4F/3R	Power Shift 4F/4R	Power Shift 4F/3R	Power Shift 4F/3R
DIMENSIONS	Length Without Attachment	249.6 in. (6339 mm)	256.6 in. (6517 mm)	256.6 in. (6517 mm)	260.6 in. (6619 mm)
	Length With Standard Bucket	295.7 in. (7510 mm)	307.6 in. (7813 mm)	311.0 in. (7899 mm)	315.0 in. (8001 mm)
	Width Over Tires	99.6 in. (2529 mm)	98.4 in. (2499 mm)	101.0 in. (2565 mm)	103.9 in. (2639 mm)
	Width With Bucket	100.4 in. (2550 mm)	100.4 in. (2550 mm)	107.9 in. (2740 mm)	107.9 in. (2740 mm)
	Inside Turning Radius With Bucket	231.2 in. (5872 mm)	236.4 in. (6004 mm)	240.3 in. (6103 mm)	243.8 in. (6192 mm)
	Turning Radius Outside	211.2 in. (5364 mm)	212.7 in. (5402 mm)	216.8 in. (5506 mm)	216.9 in. (5509 mm)
	Wheelbase	120.0 in. (3048 mm)			
	Articulation Angle	40°	40°	40°	40°
	Dump Angle at Max. Height	46°	48°	48°	46°
	Ground Clearance	17.0 in. (431 mm)			
	Height to Bucket Hinge Pin	147.0 in. (3733 mm)	151.5 in. (3848 mm)	151.5 in. (3848 mm)	155.5 in. (3949 mm)
	Rollback Angle	49°	48°	48°	49°
	Tire Size	20.5R25(L3)	20.5R25 L3	20.5R25(L3)	20.5R25(L3)
Wheel Tread	75.9 in. (1927 mm)	75.9 in. (1927 mm)	80.3 in. (2039 mm)	80.3 in. (2039 mm)	
Height With Operator Cab	130.3 in. (3309 mm)	130.3 in. (3309 mm)	130.3 in. (3309 mm)	132.2 in. (3357 mm)	
MACHINE FEATURES & OPTIONS	Quick Coupler	Opt	Opt	Opt	Opt
	Non-DPF	–	Std	Std	Std
	Joystick Control	Std	Std	Std	Std
	Ride Control	Std	Std	Std	Std
	Return to Dig	Std	Std	Std	Std
	Inching Control	Std	Std	Std	Std
	Z-Bar Linkage	Std	Std	Std	Std
	Auxiliary Hydraulics	Std	Std	Std	Std
	2-Year MIQ Basics + 90-Day H&S Trial	Std	Std	Std	Std



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