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| **TASK** | Tractor |
| **HAZARDS** | Flying debris |[ ]  Heat / cold |[ ]  Electricity |[ ]
|  | Cuts / laceration |[x]  Exposure |[ ]  Tip Over |[x]
|  | Pinch / crush  |[x]  Noise / vibration |[x]  Plant interaction |[x]
|  | High pressure |[ ]  Entrapment  |[ ]  Falls  |[x]
| **PPE REQUIRED** |  |
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| **PRE-START CHECKS** |
| 1. Complete all pre-start checks as per manufacturer’s guidelines.
2. Verify that all safety features, such as seat belts, rollover protection structures (ROPS), and guards, are in place and functional.
3. Ensure that all controls and systems are operational by performing a test run in a safe area.
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| **SAFE OPERATING PROCEDURE** |
| 1. Ensure personnel are competent and authorized.
2. Ensure personnel are fit for duty and not impaired by drugs or alcohol.
3. Do not use a mobile phone while operating and always wear your seatbelt.
4. Operate at a safe speed and maintain exclusion zones around people, powerlines, and other hazards (use spotters if necessary).
5. Beware of uneven or sloping ground.
6. Never carry people.
7. Use only suitable attachments.
8. Use caution when turning, reversing, or operating on slopes to prevent rollovers or accidents.
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| **POST-OPERATION PROCEDURE** |
| 1. Park the tractor in a designated area and turn off the engine.
2. Perform a final visual inspection for any damage or debris.
3. Clean the tractor and remove any residue or debris to prevent corrosion and damage.
4. Secure the tractor and store any detachable parts or accessories properly.
5. Report any issues or incidents encountered during operation to the appropriate personnel.
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