

# Series 900A product guide





### Why Buy a National Series 900A?

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\*Product may be shown with optional equipment.

- 26-ton (23.6-t) maximum capacity
- 156 ft. (47.5 m) maximum vertical reach\*
- 112 ft. (34.1 m) maximum vertical hydraulic reach\*
- Hydraulic Capacity Alert system (HCA) or Load Moment Indicator System (LMI)
- Proportional boom extension
- High performance planetary winch
- Heavy-duty triple pump hydraulics
- \* Maximum vertical reach is ground-level to boom tip height at maximum extension and angle with outriggers/stabilizers fully extended.
  - **900**



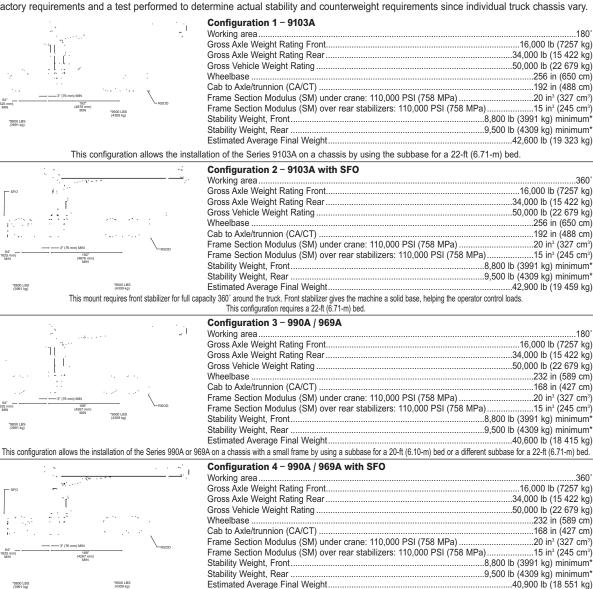
- 26 ton Rating The 900A provides a 26-ton capacity.
- New 103 ft. Four-section Boom The longest in its size range. The longer boom allows the
  operator to perform more lifts without the use of a jib, reducing setup time and improving
  efficiency.
- Self-lubricating "Easy glide" Wear Pads The self-lubricating pads, standard on the 900A
  reduce the conditions that cause boom chatter and vibration. The net result is smoother crane
  operation.
- Internal Anti-two-block The patent-pending design, standard on the 900A eliminates the external reel and wire. No more snagging reel or wire on obstructions.
- Adjustable Swing Speed A control knob located on the swing motor brake release valve can be easily adjusted to the crane operator's swing speed preference.
- **Speedy-reeve Boom Tip and Sheave Blocks** These standard features simplify rigging changes.
- **Pre-painted Components** Painting crane components before assembly reduces the possibility of rust, improves serviceability and enhances the appearance of the machine.
- Burst-of-Speed Winch Provides faster winch payout and pickup of unloaded cable.
- · Improved Serviceability -
  - A removable winch allows the internal telescoping cylinder to be removed quickly, without dismantling the boom.
  - Bearings on the boom extend and retract cables can be greased through access holes in the boom side plates.
  - Internal anti-two-block wire routing eliminates damage potential.
  - The boom sheave case is open, allowing access to replace the internal anti-two-block wire and to observe internal boom components.
  - Pre-paint reduces rust.
  - Internal boom parts have been reduced, decreasing service time when rebuilding the machine.
- **National Crane Is the Market Leader** National is number one in the production of commercial truck-mounted boom trucks.
  - National has the boom truck industry's leading test program. Every structural part of the crane is fully life cycle tested at full capacity. In addition to cycle testing, each model is subjected to state-of-the-art strain gauge testing that measures metal deformation as small as one-millionth of an inch. The net result is that weak areas are caught in test, not on job sites where costly downtime occurs.
  - All outrigger, lift and telescoping cylinders are manufactured to National Crane Designs, so that the seals, packing glands, and end plates are traced for accurate shipment of replacement parts.
- National has a formalized quality program and is ISO 9001 approved.

#### • National Crane Is a Quality Product That Will Provide Years of Service

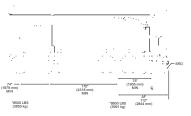
- Parts are available for all National Crane machines, even if they are over 20 years old.

# mounting configurations

The configurations are based on the Series 900A with an 85% stability factor. The complete unit must be installed in accordance with factory requirements and a test performed to determine actual stability and counterweight requirements since individual truck chassis vary.



This configuration allows the installation of the 990A or 969A on a chassis by using a subbase for a 20-ft (6.10-m) bed or a different subbase for a 22-ft (6.71-m) bed. This mount requires front stabilizer for full capacity 360° around the truck. Front stabilizer gives the machine a solid base, helping the operator control loads.



Configuration 5 – Rear Mount

Configuration 5 – Real Mount	
Working area	
Gross Axle Weight Rating Front	
Gross Axle Weight Rating Rear	40,000 lb (18 143 kg)
Gross Vehicle Weight Rating	
Wheelbase	
Cab to Axle/trunnion (CA/CT)	<b>MINIMUM</b> 170 in (432 cm)
Frame Section Modulus (SM) under crane: 110,000 PSI (758 MPa)	
Stability Weight, Front	
Stability Weight, Rear	
Estimated Average Final Weight	

This configuration allows the rear-mount installation of the Series 900A. This configuration is 360° stable and allows the

effective use of close working area to lift the heavier capacity loads. Maximum bed length is 16 ft (4.87 m).

Notes:

- Gross Vehicle Weight Rating (GVWR) is dependent on all components of the vehicle (axles, tires, springs, frame, etc.) meeting manufacturers' recommendations; always specify GVWR when purchasing trucks
- All mounting data is based on a National Series 900A with an 85 percent stability factor
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- The complete unit must be installed in accordance with factory requirements, and a test performed to determine actual stability and counterweight requirements per SAE J765; contact the factory for details
- Diesel engines require a variable speed governor and energize-to-run fuel solenoid for smooth crane operation; electronic fuel injection requires EET engine remote throttle
- Transmission neutral safety interlock switch is required with optional remote control

\*Estimated axle scale rates prior to installation of crane, stabilizers and subbase for 85% stability.



# specifications

### **Boom and Jib Combinations Data**

Available in four basic models.

Model 969A – Equipped with a 27 ft 6 in to 69 ft 2 in (8.38-21.08m) three-section boom. This model can be equipped with a 25-44 ft (7.62-13.41 m) two-section jib. Maximum tip height w/ 44 ft (13.41 m) jib is 123 ft 9 in (37.71 m).

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**Model 990A** – Equipped with a 27 ft 6 in to 90 ft 6 in (8.38-27.58 m) four-section boom. This model can be equipped with a 21 ft (6.40 m) single section wireline jib or a 25-44 ft (7.62-13.41 m) two-section jib. Maximum tip height w/ 44 ft (13.41 m) jib is 143 ft (43.58 m).

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**Model 9103A** – Equipped with a 30 ft 9 in to 102 ft 10 in (9.37-31.34 m) four-section boom. This model can be equipped with a 25-44 ft (7.62-13.41 m) two-section jib. Maximum tip height w/ 44 ft (13.41 m) jib is 155 ft (47.24 m).

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**Model 9125A** – Equipped with a 36 ft 2 in to 125 ft (11.02-38.10) four-section boom. Maximum tip height is 134 ft (40.84 m).

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Note: maximum tip height is measured with outriggers/stabilizers fully extended.

900A Wincl			1 Part Line	2 Part Line	3 Part Line	4 Part Line	5 Part Line	6 Part Line	7 Part Line
<ul> <li>All winch pulls and speeds in this chart are shown on the fourth layer</li> <li>Winch line pulls would increase on the first, second and third layers</li> <li>Winch line speed would decrease on the first, second and third layers</li> <li>Winch line pulls may be limited by the winch capacity or the ANSI 5 to 1 cable safety factor</li> <li>Hook blocks are rated at maximum capacity for the block. Do not exceed rated cable pull with any block.</li> </ul>			all all	the second the	al a contraction	State and the	State and by	at the second	
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Winch Supplied Strength		Strength	Speed	Speed	Speed	Speed	Speed	Speed	Speed
Standard         9/16" Diameter         38,500 lb           Planetary Winch         Rotation Resistant         (17 463 kg)		7,700 lb (3 492 kg)	15,400 lb (6 985 kg)	23,100 lb (10 477 kg)	30,800 lb (13 970 kg)	38,500 lb (17 463 kg)	46,200 lb (20 955 kg)	52,000 lb (23 586 kg	
		135 fpm (41 m/m)	68 fpm (20 m/m)	45 fpm (13 m/m)	34 fpm (10 m/m)	27 fpm (8 m/m)	23 fpm (7 m/m)	19 fpm (5 m/m)	
With	Same as co		3,000 lb (1 360 kg)	6,000 lb (2 721 kg)	9,000 lb (4 082 kg)	12,000 lb (5 443 kg)	15,000 lb (6 803 kg)	18,000 lb (8 164 kg)	21,000 lb (9 525 kg)
"Burst-of-Speed"	cable data s		206 fpm (62 m/m)	103 fpm (31 m/m)	64 fpm (19.51 m/m)	51 fmp (15 m/m)	41 fpm (12 m/m)	34 fpm (10 m/m)	29 fpm (8 m/m)

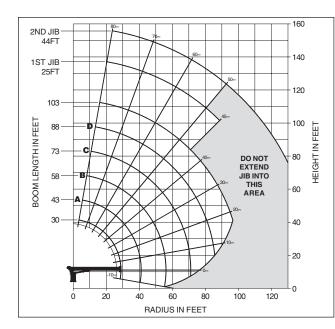


			Block Type	Rating	Weight
Winch	Bare Drum Pull	Allowable Cable Pull	Downhaul Weight	3.85 ton (3.49 t)	150 lb (68 kg)
With standard rotation resistant rope			1 Sheave Block	11.55 ton (10.48 t)	305 lb (138 kg)
	.,	, (	2 Sheave Block	19.25 ton (17.46 t)	355 lb (161 kg)



### Load Rating Chart: Series 9103A with 44 ft. Jib

Other Series 900A Load Rating Charts are available. National will send you a chart on request - or you may secure needed load rating information through your nearest National dealer.



#### CAUTION:

· Do not operate crane booms, jib extensions, any accessories or loads within 10 ft (3m) of live power lines or other conductors of electricity.

capacities

- Jib and boom capacities shown are maximum for each section.
- · Do not exceed capacities at reduced radii
- Load ratings shown on the load rating charts are maximum • allowable loads with the outriggers properly extended on a firm, level surface and the crane leveled and mounted on a factory recommended truck.
- · Always level the crane with the level indicator located on the crane.
- · The operator must reduce load to allow for factors such as wind, ground conditions, operating speeds and their effects on freely suspended loads.
- Overloading this crane may cause structural collapse or instability.
- Weights on any accessories attached to the boom or loadline must be deducted from the load chart capacities.
- Do not exceed jib capabilities at any reduced boom lengths. •
- · Do not deadhead lineblock against boom tip when
- extending boom or winching up.
- Keep at least three wraps of loadline on drum at all times.
- · Use only specified cable with this machine.

### NOTE:

- Operate with jib by radius when main boom is 1. fully extended. If necessary increase boom angle to maintain loaded radius.
- Operate with jib by boom angle when main boom 2. is not fully extended. Do not exceed rated jib capacities at any reduced boom lengths.
- Capacities do not exceed 85% stability З.
- Shaded areas are structurally limited capacities. 4

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SWITCH POSITION	OPERATING MODE										
01	MAIN BOOM - NO JIB STOWED										
02	MAIN BOOM - JIB STOWED										
03	25 FT TELE JIB										
04	44 FT TELE JIB										
11	MAN BASKET ON MAIN BOOM										
12	MAN BASKET ON 25 FT TELE JIB										
13	MAN BASKET ON 44 FT TELE JIB										

44FT JIB (Ib) 2,550

2,500

2,450 2.250

1,850

1,650

1 350

1.200

1,050

950

900

750

600

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5	78.5	52,000											30	76.5	3,950	
8	72.5	34,850											35	74.5	3,450	76.5
10	68.5	29,050	75.5	26,400	80	24,950							40	72	3,050	75
12	64.5	24,750	72.5	22,500	78	21,250							45	70	2,600	73
14	60	21,250	69.5	19,600	76	19,350	79.5	17,750					50	67.5	2,250	71
16	55.5	18,950	67	17,300	74	16,350	78	15,350	80	14,300			55	65	1,950	69
20	45	14,350	60.5	14,000	69	13,750	74	12,650	77.5	11,700	80	10,550	60	62.5	1,800	67
25			52	10,800	63.5	10,550	70	10,150	74	9,400	77	9,100	65	60	1,550	64.5
30			42.5	8,500	57.5	8,500	65.5	8,350	70.5	7,750	74.5	7,150	70	57.5	1,300	62.5
35			32.5	6,500	52.5	6,900	62	6,800	67.5	6,400	71.5	6,050	75	54.5	1,100	60
40					45.5	5,650	57	5,600	64	5,450	68.5	5,150	80	51.5	900	58
45					38	4,500	52	4,700	60	4,600	65.5	4,500	85	48.5	700	55.5
50					28	3,450	46.5	3,950	56	3,950	62	3,900	90	45.5	450	53
55							40.5	3,150	52	3,300	59	3,350	95			50.5
60							34	2,550	47.5	2,750	55.5	2,900				
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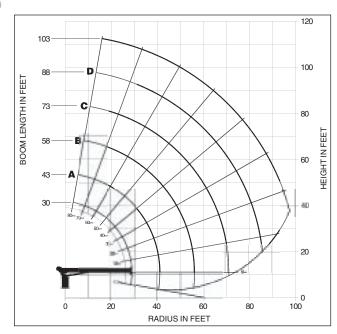


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16	55.5	19,800	67	17,900	74	16,800	78	15,700	80	14,600		
20	45	15,200	60.5	14,600	69	14,200	74	13,000	77.5	12,000	80	10,800
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# accessories

# Radio Remote Controls -

Eliminate the handling and maintenance concerns that accompany cabled remotes. Operate to a range of about 250 feet (76 m), varying with conditions.

### One-Person Basket –

Strong but lightweight steel basket with 300-lb. (139-kg) capacity, gravity hung with swing lock and full body harness.

# Heavy-duty Personnel Basket -

1,200-lb. (544-kg) capacity steel basket with safety loops for four passengers. Gravity leveling 72- x 42-inch (183- x 107-cm) platform. Fast attachment and secure locking systems. Load chart must show 2,300 (1043 kg) minimum to operate this accessory.

# Hydraulic Oil Cooler -

Automatic, self-contained radiator system with electric fans, cools oil under continuous duty-cycle operations.

# **Continuous Rotation –**

Allows rotation of turret/boom without stop.

· Model NB4R (R4 functions)

• Model B1-S

· Model 2B1-S (for dual locking baskets)

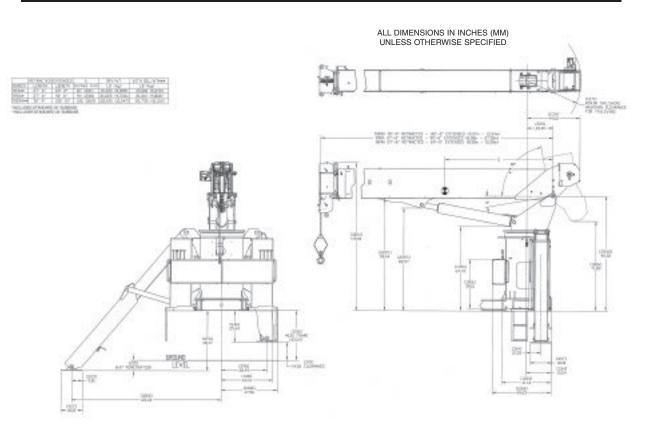
#### • Model BSA-1

· Model BSA-R1 (provides rotation)

• Model OC

• Model CR

**Dimensions Specifications** 



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