

Press release

Compact dimensions, great performance

Cub Cadet HDS 6284 compact tractor: power, versatility, reliability and comfort for professionals

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Compact tractors are becoming more and more popular with professional operators and represent a genuine alternative to classical tractors and two-wheel tractors. Regardless of whether it is for municipal authorities or the caretaker, horticulturalists or landscape gardeners: those who have large lawns to mow or snow to clear, who have to lift or move loads need either a complete vehicle fleet with equipment for every application, or as an alternative they look around for an implement which can perform all these tasks.

The HDS 6284 compact tractor by Cub Cadet, MTD's premium brand, will provide them with what they're looking for.

Versatility, efficiency, convenience – the features of a big tractor

The HDS 6284 is a universal compact tractor and thus has many uses. To start with, the tractor's compact construction catches the eye. This, and its 2,3 m turning circle, give it an advantage over large machines as far as manoeuvrability is concerned.

The heart of the equipment is the water-cooled three cylinder diesel engine by Caterpillar which incorporates the know-how of the world's number one in the construction sector. With its exactly adjusted torque it provides constant efficiency (70,2 Nm at 2.300 rpm.). A hydrostatic heavy-duty transmission transfers the power to the wheels and the power take-off shaft drives for the implements.

There is an extensive range of accessories including three-blade mowing decks with a cutting width of 137 or 152 cm. A snow blade, sweeper or front end loader can be mounted on the front add-on frame, for example. This is operated by hydraulic connections which are already included in the standard configuration. At the rear of the tractor there is a standard three-point hydraulic to which a tiller or a ground auger can be connected, for example. The catalogue of accessories also includes an excavator bucket which is mounted on its own frame at the rear.

The operator does not have to forego the proverbial Cub Cadet comfort when at work. The power steering, cruise control, ergonomically designed operating controls and air-cushioned seat all make work as comfortable as possible.

Safe in rough terrain and on the road

The tractor is equipped with a PosiTrak™ four-wheel drive. When more traction is required, it automatically switches from two to four-wheel drive without the driver having to operate a lever or a switch. The differential lock which can be manually engaged increases the traction of the rear wheels even more as and when required. This means the tractor remains stable when travelling over muddy ground, even when the front end loader is fully loaded. The tractor has road approval in accordance with the German road traffic regulations and quickly gets its operator to where he needs to go with a top speed of 16 km/h.

The Cub Cadet HDS 6284 is extremely well equipped to perform very heavy work in professional operation. Its combination of features makes it the first choice for all those who demand more from a tractor: more power, more reliability, more versatility, more comfort. With this compact tractor, Cub Cadet is strongly emphasizing its premium demand for professional users as well.

The Cub Cadet HDS 6284 is exclusively available from specialist dealers, where the customers will not only find a specialist to help them choose the correct accessories but also a competent service partner.

About MTD Products AG:

MTD Products AG, Saarbrücken-Bübingen, is the European headquarter of MTD Inc., which is based in Cleveland, Ohio (USA). It was established after the takeover of the tradition-rich German manufacturer Gutbrod by MTD in 1996. MTD has more than 20 production and sales locations worldwide, employing more than 10.000 people. Its market share places it among the top-ten manufacturers of powered garden equipment worldwide.

In Europe, MTD has its own sales locations for Germany, France, Belgium, Austria, Denmark, Hungary, Sweden, Switzerland and Poland. All other European markets are serviced via sales partners and importers.

The MTD portfolio in Europe comprises the brands MTD, Bolens, Gutbrod, Yard-Man and Cub Cadet. Its product range includes electric and petrol lawn mowers, verticutters, lawn tractors, compact tractors, ride-on mowers, shredders, trimmers, garden tillers, snow throwers and quads. The European product plants are located in Saarbrücken-Bübingen and in Nemesvamos (Hungary).

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