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Skyjack Launches All New Electric Boom Range – Simply Electric, Simply More

MAY 8, 2024; Guelph, Ontario – Linamar Corporation’s (TSX:LNR) Skyjack division has announced the launch of a new range of battery powered electric rough terrain articulated booms. Available with 51ft (15.7m) and 66ft (20.1m) working heights and suitable for indoor and outdoor use, Skyjack’s new SJ45 AJE + and SJ60 AJE + models include many of the design features that users have come to expect from Skyjack.

The all-electric axle-based drive offers excellent traction, while high performance AC electric traction and pump motors deliver high torque power and consistent multi-function capability.

The new models boast exceptional duty cycle performance, which provides a competitive edge with over 160 minutes of continuous operation, capable of supporting more than a typical full day’s use of machine operation. An additional 30 minutes of reserve allows the units to operate in stowed drive for travel to a charging point.

“Our new electric boom range was developed to provide a clean, quiet, sustainable rental solution with no emissions, lower operating costs and increased utilization,” explained Skyjack President Charlie Patterson. “The new range remains simple and reliable, while providing an environmentally friendly and sustainable choice for rental.”

Skyjack’s new SJ45 AJE + and SJ60 AJE + have been designed to meet true job performance expectations, whether it be navigating various rough terrain conditions or lifting the platform. An oscillating steer axle works in conjunction with the drive system to keep all four tires in contact with the ground, even in the roughest of terrain. Improved traction provides a noticeably smoother ride and consistent multi-function capability delivers a superior operator experience with up to 45% gradeability.

With platform capacities up to 454kg, quiet operation, and zero emissions, the SJ45 AJE + and SJ60 AJE + models offer the flexibility to work both inside and out, even in emission restricted areas.

“All Skyjack booms are designed with ease of maintenance and service in mind to maximize uptime and minimize costs. As always, the key components are easily accessible and all wiring is colour coded and numbered for ease of use,” shared Mark Trowman, Product Development and Project Manager EAME, Skyjack Europe. “With efficient, maintenance free batteries and no engine maintenance requirements, our new electric booms further promote low cost of ownership and operation.”

The new models use EASYDRIVE™, a unique boom feature only utilized by Skyjack to enable straightforward, intuitive operation. The boom lift drive function operates in accordance with the general orientation of the turret’s counterweight over the chassis, for example if the joystick is forward, the counterweight is facing forwards, to allow the unit to move in the general direction of the joystick’s movement. EASYDRIVE™ allows for ease of use in rental units.

Understanding the importance of readily available sustainability information, Skyjack introduced its ECO mark to detail the benefits in environmental performance and long-term sustainability Skyjack products offer. The new SJ45 AJE + and SJ60 AJE + offer ECO benefits including:

- 42% operational carbon saving compared to previous model,
- Zero emissions,
- <70 dB inherently quiet machine operation (excluding alarms),
- 90% recyclable by weight,
- 50% less hydraulic connections and optional bio-degradable hydraulic oil,
- Telematics and remote diagnostics reduces site visits and operational carbon footprint.

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Skyjack is initially launching the SJ45 AJE + and SJ60 AJE + in its EAME and Australian regions with a CE and AS certification.

About Skyjack

Skyjack provides rental companies globally with quality engineered, simple and reliable access and telehandler equipment so that they maximize utilization and their return on investment. Skyjack began manufacturing scissor lifts in 1985 and through the 1990's grew to become a world leader in the aerial lift industry. Skyjack remains a dominant player which has adapted rapidly to the changing face of the industry. The product range now includes vertical mast lifts, DC electric scissors, rough terrain scissors, telescopic booms, articulating booms, telehandlers, and ELEVATE, Skyjack's OEM-delivered telematics solution. In 2002 Skyjack became part of the Linamar Corporation.

Linamar Corporation (TSX:LNR) is an advanced manufacturing company where the intersection of leading-edge technology and deep manufacturing expertise is creating solutions that power vehicles, motion, work and lives for the future. The Company is made up of two operating segments – the Industrial segment and the Mobility segment, both global leaders in manufacturing solutions and world-class developers of highly engineered products. The Industrial segment is comprised of Skyjack and the newly formed Linamar Agriculture operating group which consists of the MacDon, Salford and Bourgault brands. Skyjack manufactures scissors, boom and telehandler lifts for the aerial work platform industry. Within the Agriculture portfolio MacDon manufactures combine draper headers and self-propelled windrowers for harvesting, Salford supplies farm tillage and crop fertilizer application equipment while Bourgault is a leader in air seeding technology. The Mobility segment is focused on propulsion systems, structural and chassis systems, energy storage and power generation for both the global electrified and traditionally powered vehicle markets. Operationally, Mobility is organized into three regional groups North America, Europe, Asia Pacific and the new Linamar Structures product group. The Regional Mobility groups are vertically integrated operations combining expertise in light metal casting, forging, machining and assembly. The Linamar Structures Group offers competitive lightweight innovations for safety-critical components and systems for the global mobility market. Design, development, and testing services for the Mobility segment are provided both by McLaren Engineering and for electrified solutions, the eLIN Product Solutions Group. Linamar's medical solutions group, Linamar MedTech, focuses on manufacturing solutions for medical devices and precision medical components. Linamar has over 32,000 employees in 75 manufacturing locations, 17 R&D centres and 31 sales offices in 19 countries in North and South America, Europe and Asia, which generated sales of more than \$9.7 billion in 2023. For more information about Linamar Corporation and its industry-leading products and services, visit www.linamar.com or follow us on our social media channels.

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