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TAKEUCHI ANNOUNCES TB225 COMPACT EXCAVATOR

ATLANTA, GA – Takeuchi-US, an innovative global leader in compact equipment has launched the TB225 compact hydraulic excavator. The brand new TB225 features all steel construction, and provides the operator with the best in class engine output that provides more power to increase productivity.

With an operating weight of 4,993 lbs, a dig depth of 8' 5.5", maximum reach of 14' 4.2", and a bucket breakout force of 4,339 lbs this machine will add efficiency to any jobsite. The retractable undercarriage on the TB225 allows the machine to easily navigate job sites with limited access, making virtually no jobsite unreachable.

The automatic fuel priming system, auto deceleration, and dual element air cleaner that are standard features for the 19.6 hp US EPA Final Tier 4 Yanmar engine, ensures that the machine will always be operating the most efficient and environmentally friendly way possible.

The TB225 has many features to make any job site efficient and productive. Standard equipment includes a LCD multi-informational display, automatic load sensing two speed travel, pilot operated joystick controls, and a back fill blade with pin-on extensions. The large engine hoods provide ease of access for routine maintenance points.

The operator's station of the TB225 features a ROPS/TOPS/OPG protective structure, along with a suspension seat and adjustable arm rests, designed to keep the operator safe and comfortable on any jobsite.

"Takeuchi is excited to add the TB225 to our lineup" says Keith Kramlich, National Product & Training Manager of Takeuchi US. "Takeuchi is dedicated to innovation and advancing technology, and we believe the TB225 is a perfect example of that. This machine allows operators to navigate jobsites with limited access providing our clients with a more versatile machine, expanding their capabilities as well as their profits."

The TB225 Compact Excavator is now available at Takeuchi dealers across North America. To learn more about the TB225 – or any piece of Takeuchi equipment – visit <u>www.takeuchi-us.com</u>. And be sure to "Like" Takeuchi on Facebook and follow them on Twitter @TakeuchiMFG.

About Takeuchi

Takeuchi is an ISO 9001 certified manufacturer of an extensive line of compact track loaders, compact excavators, compact wheel loaders, and skid steer loaders. Founded in 1963, Takeuchi was the first company to introduce the compact excavator to North America, setting the stage for one of the highest growth product segments ever introduced in the compact equipment market. The compact excavator has become a main line product for both rental and construction/utility companies. Takeuchi continued to lead the compact construction industry with the introduction of the first compact track loader to North America.

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