

Undercarriage Experts

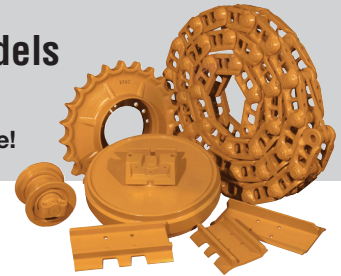
Any Make, Any Model

Southwestern is your source for undercarriage parts & service

- Parts available for any undercarriage
- Parts delivery within 24 hours
- Factory trained technicians can service any make or model

Undercarriage Parts – For All Makes, All Models

- Sprockets
- Components
- Track links & chains
- Idlers
- Bushings
- Rollers
- Pins
- **And More!**



Undercarriage Inspections & Service

- Schedule regular inspections to spot operational or maintenance problems.
- Southwestern's technicians can estimate the remaining life of undercarriage parts with ultrasonic measurement tools, so you can plan for the downtime and expense of replacing components.

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Undercarriage Maintenance Tips

Extend the life of your undercarriage by following a few simple rules.

Minimize high operating speeds

Higher speeds cause more wear on the undercarriage. Use the slowest possible operating speed for the job.

Alternate the turning direction

Continuous turning to the same side can cause asymmetrical wear and accelerate wear on sprocket teeth, track tread, guide lugs and roller flanges.

Inspect your equipment visually every day for signs of wear

Check for cracks, bends and breaks on components. Look for wear on bushings, sprockets and rollers. If you see any components that are shiny, there's probably an alignment problem. Make sure nuts and bolts are not loose, which can cause abnormal wear by interfering with proper movement of parts.

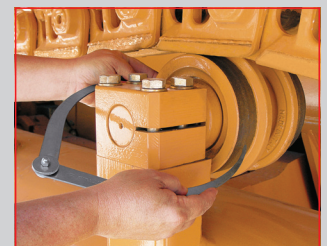
Control track spinning when filling the bucket

Use loader hydraulics to penetrate into the material to reduce track spinning. Unnecessary spinning of the tracks can accelerate wear and cause cuts in the tracks.

Use the narrowest shoe possible

Wider shoes can cause problems maneuvering by sticking out farther and making it more difficult to turn.

Wider shoes may be necessary, however, to keep the machine from sinking in extremely wet conditions.



Schedule an undercarriage inspection today!