





SUPERIOR PERFORMANCE

Kubota's new KX018-4 mini excavator raises the standard in the 1.5-2.0 tonne category with a powerful digging force and a wider working range that rival higher-end excavators. And with enhanced accessibility to sites such as roadsides or residential areas, the KX018-4 gets the jobs done easier from large construction areas to the tightest of places.

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Enhanced digging force

The KX018-4 delivers an impressive bucket digging force. Its powerful and well-balanced arm and bucket allow the operator to dig faster and more efficiently even in the toughest conditions.

Kubota original engine

The KX018-4 is powered by Kubota's impressive D902 16 PS engine. Engineered with the power to maximise digging and lifting performance, it also delivers minimised noise and vibration, meeting all current engine emission regulations.



Short-pitched rubber crawler and double-flanged track rollers

The KX018-4 features a short-pitched rubber crawler that minimises vibration and double-flanged rollers that help improve stability and travel performance.

Variable track gauge

To optimise stability when using heavy attachments, the KX018-4 tracks can be expanded to a maximum of 1,300mm and retracted to 990mm to make passing through narrow doorways and tight work possible. Either adjustment can be made in just seconds by operating the independent track gauge lever.





Auto-shift

The auto-shift system enables automatic travel shift from high to low depending on traction effort and terrain. This gives smoother operations when dozing and turning.

DELUXE INTERIOR

Offering one of the largest cabins in its class with ample legroom, adjustable seating and a wide door, the KX018-4 brings more comfort to tough work. Combined with the handy new multifunctional digital panel, operations are now easier than ever.

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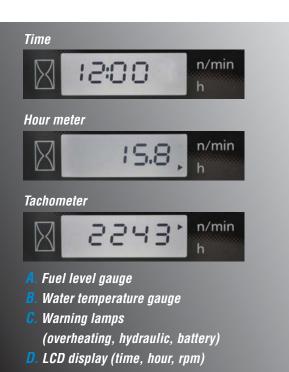
Spacious cabin

To minimise fatigue, our new larger cabin delivers more comfort over our previous model. It provides more legroom with a flat floor plus an adjustable suspension seat.

Easy cabin entry and exit

Increasing the cabin door width by 30% at the narrowest point allows quick access to and from the cabin making operations that require frequent exiting, such as trenching and piping, much easier.





New digital panel

Following the excellence of Kubota's Intelligent Control System, the new digital panel puts convenience at the operator's fingertips. The user-friendly digital panel is positioned to the front right corner of the operator for better visibility, and features one-touch button operation to view the time, hour meter and tachometer. Warning lamps with code numbers on the display will alert you in case of emergencies such as overheating, hydraulic problems or low battery. Programming of the anti-theft keys can also be easily performed with the digital panel.

With easier access, simpler settings, easy-to-read indicators and alerts, you'll always be aware of the excavator's functioning status.



EASY MAINTENANCE SAFETY/DURABILITY

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The KX018-4 offers added peace-of-mind with extremely high levels of safety and durability. Furthermore, Kubota simplifies inspections and repairs with easier accessibility to the major components.

Photo: KX019-4

EASY MAINTENANCE SAFETY/DURABILITY

Easy maintenance

Kubota has made routine maintenance extremely simple by consolidating primary engine components onto one side for easier access. Engine and other vital components can be inspected quickly and easily.

- A. Air cleaner
- B. Water separator
- C. Fuel filter
- D. Alternator
- E. Starter motor

Topside boom cylinder

For increased reliability when performing in hazardous conditions, including demolition jobs when a breaker is fitted, the boom cylinder has been positioned on the topside of the boom to prevent cylinder damage.

Standard Equipment

Engine/Fuel system

- Double-element air cleaner
- Fuel refueling buzzer
- Extended fuel filler

Undercarriage

- 230 mm rubber track
- 2-speed travel
- Variable track
- Double flange track roller
- Short pitched rubber crawler

Hydraulic system

- Pressure accumulator
- Hydraulic pressure checking ports
- Third line hydraulic direct return for AUX
- Variable displacement pump
- Straight travel circuit

Safety system

- Engine start safety system on the left console
- Travel lock system
- Swivel lock system

- Kubota original anti-theft system
- Battery isolator

Working equipment

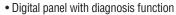
- 1090 mm arm
- Auxiliary hydraulic circuit piping to the arm's end
- 2 working lights on the cabin and 1 light on the boom

Cabin

- ROPS (Roll-over Protective Structure, IS03471)
- TOPS (Tip-Over Protective Structure)
- OPG (Operator Protective Guard, Level 1)
- Weight-adjustable semi suspension seat
- Retractable seatbelt
- Hydraulic pilot control levers with wrist rests
- Cabin heater for defrosting and demisting
- with air ventilation
- Emergency exit hammer
- Front window power-assisted with gas damper
- 12V power outlet
- Location for radio
- Switch and harness for beacon light

Integrated travel motor hoses

Kubota has enclosed the travel motor hoses within the track frame for added protection.



- Front guard fixing point
- Side mirror

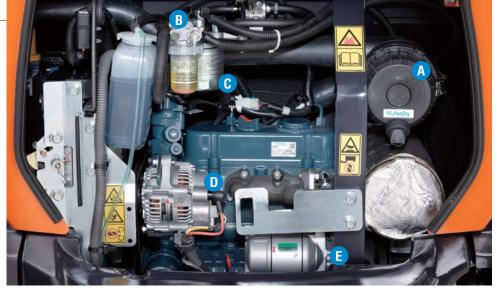
Canopy

- ROPS (Roll-over Protective Structure, ISO3471)
- TOPS (Tip-Over Protective Structure)
- OPG (Operator Protective Guard, Level 1)
- Weight-adjustable semi suspension seat
- Retractable seatbelt
- Hydraulic pilot control levers with wrist rests
- 12V power outlet
- Switch and harness for beacon light
- Digital panel with diagnosis function
- Front guard fixing point

Optional Equipment

- Radio installation kit on the cabin (Radio bracket, antenna, 2 speakers)
- 2 working lights on the canopy
- Travel pedal
- Front guard on the cabin/canopy

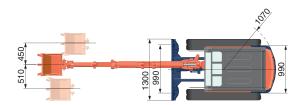


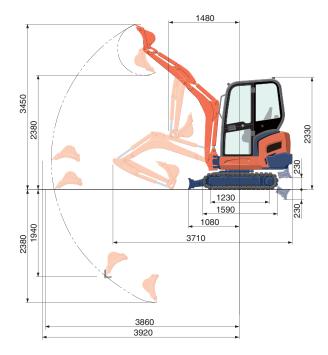




SPE	CIFI	CATION	NS	*With rubber shoe type		
Model			KX018-4			
Machine	weigh	t Cabin / Ca	nopy kg	1720 / 1620		
Operatir	ng weig	ht Cabin / Ca	nopy kg	1795 / 1695		
Bucket c	apacity	, std. SAE/CECI	0.04			
		With side teeth	mm	474		
Bucket width		Without side te	eth mm	450		
Engine	Model		D902-BH			
	Туре		Water-cooled, diesel engine E-TVCS			
			PS/rpm	16 / 2300		
	Outpu	it ISO9249	kW/rpm	11.8 / 2300		
	Numb	er of cylinders	3			
		Stroke	mm	72 x 73.6		
	Displa	cement	898			
Overall I	length		mm	3710		
•		Cabin	mm	2330		
Overall height		Canopy	mm	2350		
Swivellir	ng spee	d	rpm	9.1		
Rubber	shoe w	idth	mm	230		
Tumbler	^r distan	се	mm	1230		
Dozer si	ize (wid	lth x height)	mm	990 / 1300 x 230		
		P1, P2		Variable displacement pump		
Hydraulic pumps		Flow rate	ℓ/min	17.3		
		Hydraulic press	ure MPa (kgf/cm²)	21.6 (220)		
nyulauli	ic puili	P3		Gear Type		
		Flow rate	ℓ/min	10.4		
		Hydraulic press	ure MPa (kgf/cm²)	20.6 (210)		
Max. dig	aina for	Arm	kN (kgf)	8.3 (840)		
Max. uig	ging ion	Bucket	kN (kgf)	15.9 (1620)		
Boom sv	ving an	gle (left/right)	deg	75 / 60		
Auvilian	v circui	Flow rate	ℓ/min	27.7		
Auxiliary circuit			ure MPa (kgf/cm²)	21.6 (220)		
Hydrauli	ic reser	voir	28			
Fuel tan	k capac	ity	21			
Max. travelling speed		Low	km/h	2.2		
		High	km/h	4.0		
Ground contact pressure		Cabin	kPa (kgf/cm²)	26.5 (0.27)		
		Canopy	kPa (kgf/cm²)	25.5 (0.26)		
Ground	clearan	ce	mm	160		

WORKING RANGE



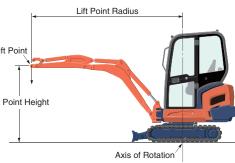


1090 mm arm Unit: mm

*Machine weight: with 35kg standard bucket and fully served *Operating weight: with 75kg operator, 35kg standard bucket and fully served

LIFTING CAPACITY

Cabin, Rubber versio	n					kN (ton)	1
	Liftiı	ng point radius	(2m)	Lifting point radius (max.)			Lift Point
Lift Point Height	Over-front		Ourse side	Over-front		O ver eide	
	Blade Down	Blade UP	Over-side	Blade Down	Blade UP	Over-side	
1.5m	2.4 (0.25)	2.4 (0.25)	2.4 (0.25)	-	-	-	
1.0m	4.1 (0.42)	4.1 (0.42)	4.1 (0.42)	-	-	-	Lift Point Height
0.5m	5.3 (0.54)	4.3 (0.44)	4.3 (0.44)	2.5 (0.26)	2.0 (0.20)	2.0 (0.21)	
0m	5.5 (0.56)	4.1 (0.42)	4.2 (0.42)	-	-	_	



*The lifting capacities are based on ISO 10567 and do not exceed 75% of the static tilt load of the machine or 87%

of the hydraulic lifting capacities of the machine. **The excavator bucket, hook, sling and other lifting accessories are not included on this table.

* Working ranges are with Kubota standard bucket, without quick coupler. * Specifications are subject to change without notice for purpose of improvement.

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