BCS Snow Blower Attachment
Manufactured by BCS S.p.A.
to fit
BCS Power Units

Operating Instructions
Before commissioning the machine, read operating instructions and observe warning and safety instructions.

PLEASE ALSO READ ORIGINAL BCS INSTRUCTION MANUAL
IMPORTANT

PLEASE READ THE OWNER’S MANUAL FOR THE POWER UNIT FIRST.

FOR ANY FURTHER INFORMATION OR ASSISTANCE PLEASE CONTACT TRACMASTER ON 01444 247689 OR VISIT WWW.TRACMASTER.CO.UK

No liability will be accepted for any damage caused to persons or property through failure to observe the operating and safety instructions.
Overview

- Flap
- Control knob
- Control rod
- Skid shoes
- Discharge chute
- Augers
- Stick

Skid shoe
Flap adjustment
Chute rotation
Operation

Before using this product read these instructions carefully.

Make sure the snow blower is mounted and fixed properly to the power unit.

If in doubt contact Tracmaster on 01444 247689.

Always wear gloves.

Before commencing work, check that the snow blower auger turns regularly.

Best results are obtained with the engine at a high throttle setting.

Never put your hands into the chute - stop the engine first and use the stick provided to clear the chute.

Do not direct the discharge chute towards people or objects.

Do not use the machine with damaged or disconnected guards and/or safety devices.

Use the skid shoes to adjust the operating height of the snow blower - the blade (A) must be mounted in such a way as to skim the ground. If the surface is uneven or gravel/stones are present, the blade should be raised.

Remove pin (B), lower skid shoe (C) and reinstall pin (B) in a lower hole (see fig 1).

Turn the discharge chute by turning the control rod in the direction the snow is to be thrown (fig 2).
**Operation**

To control the distance the snow is thrown, adjust the inclination of the discharge flap using the control knob.

**NOTE:** If the snow is particularly heavy, turn the discharge chute to the side as little as possible. Adjust the discharge flap to the vertical position to avoid obstructing the thrown snow.

**WARNING:** If any abnormal vibrations or sounds occur, STOP the engine immediately and check the machine and the implement. If you have any concerns contact your supplier.

After each use remove any snow stuck in the snow blower by using the stick provided (fig 3).

Regularly check the condition of the skid shoes - if they are worn they can be turned around to extend their life. Simply remove the bolts, turn the skid shoes round and reinstall the bolts.
## Risk Assessment

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<td>General</td>
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<td>The machine should only be used by trained operators.</td>
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<td>Machine tipping over</td>
<td>Low</td>
<td>Do not use on slopes over 25°. Work across slopes, never up and down.</td>
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<td>Machine running away</td>
<td>Low</td>
<td>Operator presence control turns off the engine if the operator releases the handlebars. Always check operation before use.</td>
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<td>Machine reversing and jamming the operator against an immoveable object</td>
<td>High</td>
<td>Never reverse the machine with your back to a wall or similar object.</td>
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<td>Burns</td>
<td>High</td>
<td>Be very careful of a hot exhaust. Turn off the machine before re-fuelling. Allow 1” air space in fuel tank.</td>
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<td>Foot injuries</td>
<td>High</td>
<td>Never let anyone stand in front of the machine when it is operating. Keep all pets and animals away.</td>
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<td>Handlebar adjustment</td>
<td>Low</td>
<td>Always set the height and sideways position before operating the machine – never while it is moving.</td>
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<td>Transportation</td>
<td>Low</td>
<td>Always transport the machine at speeds suitable for the surroundings. Be aware of pedestrians and other obstacles. Ensure the travel speed allows time for the machine to be safely brought to a standstill.</td>
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<td>Flying objects</td>
<td>Medium</td>
<td>Ensure the area in which the blower is working is cordoned off from the general public and that their access is restricted during operation. Stop the machine if anyone is within 20 metres of the machine.</td>
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<td>Blockages</td>
<td>Low</td>
<td>Do not attempt to reach into the blower whilst the engine is running. Always turn the engine off prior to working on the machine. Always use the wooden stick provided to clear any compacted snow from the blower.</td>
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Manufacturer Information

This machine is manufactured in Italy by BCS S.p.A.

Tracmaster Ltd is the UK distributor for this model, the BCS Snow Blower attachment.

BCS S.p.A. has been at the forefront of developing cutting edge agricultural machinery since its formation in 1943, when their founder developed a self-propelled motor mower. Tracmaster Ltd has been the UK distributor for BCS pedestrian equipment since 1984.

Please ensure you read the original manufacturer’s manual before operating this machine.

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