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## Personal Safety

### Personal Fall Protection

Personal fall protection equipment (PFPE) is not required when operating this machine. If PFPE is required by job site or employer rules, the following shall apply:

All PFPE must comply with applicable governmental regulations and must be inspected and used in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.

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### ⚠ Electrocuting Hazards

This machine is not electrically insulated and will not provide protection from contact with or proximity to electrical current.



Obey all local and governmental regulations regarding required clearance from electrical power lines. At a minimum, the required clearance contained in the chart below must be followed.

Line Voltage	Required Clearance	
0 to 50KV	10 ft	3.05 m
50 to 200KV	15 ft	4.60 m
200 to 350KV	20 ft	6.10 m
350 to 500KV	25 ft	7.62 m
500 to 750KV	35 ft	10.67 m
750 to 1000KV	45 ft	13.72 m

Allow for platform movement, electrical line sway or sag, and beware of strong or gusty winds.



Keep away from the machine if it contacts energized power lines. Personnel on the ground or in the platform must not touch or operate the machine until energized power lines are shut off.

Do not operate the machine during lightning or storms.

Do not use the machine as a ground for welding.

### ⚠ Tip-over Hazards

Occupants, equipment and materials shall not exceed the maximum platform capacity or the maximum platform capacity of the platform extension.

#### Maximum capacity – GS-2669RT

Platform retracted	1500 lbs	68 kg
Platform extended – Platform only	1200 lbs	544 kg
Platform extended – Extension only	300 lbs	136 kg
Maximum occupants	4	



1500 lbs / 680 kg    300 lbs / 136 kg    1200 lbs / 544 kg

#### Maximum capacity – GS-3369RT

Platform retracted	1000 lbs	454 kg
Platform extended – Platform only	700 lbs	318 kg
Platform extended – Extension only	300 lbs	136 kg
Maximum occupants	4	



1000 lbs / 454 kg    300 lbs / 136 kg    700 lbs / 318 kg

#### Maximum capacity – GS-4069RT

Platform retracted	800 lbs	363 kg
Platform extended – Platform only	500 lbs	227 kg
Platform extended – Extension only	300 lbs	136 kg
Maximum occupants	3	



800 lbs / 363 kg    300 lbs / 136 kg    500 lbs / 227 kg

## Work Area Safety



Do not raise the platform unless the machine is on a firm, level surface.



Do not operate the machine in strong or gusty winds. Do not increase the surface area of the platform or the load. Increasing the area exposed to the wind will decrease machine stability.



Do not depend on the tilt alarm as a level indicator. The tilt alarm sounds on the chassis only when the machine is on a severe slope.

If the tilt alarm sounds:

Lower the platform. Move the machine to a firm, level surface. If the tilt alarm sounds when the platform is raised, use extreme caution to lower the platform.

Do not alter or disable the limit switches.

Do not drive over 0.3 mph / 0.48 km/h with the platform raised.

Do not raise the platform when wind speeds may exceed 28 mph / 12.5 m/s. If wind speeds exceed 28 mph / 12.5 m/s when the platform is raised, lower the platform and do not continue to operate the machine.



Use extreme care and slow speeds while driving the machine in the stowed position across uneven terrain, debris, unstable or slippery surfaces and near holes and drop-offs.

Do not use the platform controls to free a platform that is caught, snagged or otherwise prevented from normal motion by an adjacent structure. All personnel must be removed from the platform before attempting to free the platform using the ground controls.

Do not drive the machine on or near uneven terrain, unstable surfaces or other hazardous conditions with the platform raised.

Do not use the machine as a crane.

Do not push the machine or other objects with the platform.

Do not contact adjacent structures with the platform.

Do not tie the platform to adjacent structures.

Do not place loads outside the platform perimeter.

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Do not push off or pull toward any object outside of the platform.



Do not place ladders or scaffolds in the platform or against any part of this machine.

### Maximum manual force – ANSI and CSA

<b>GS-2669RT</b> – 4 person	225 lbs / 1000 N
<b>GS-3369RT</b> – 4 person	200 lbs / 890 N
<b>GS-4069RT</b> – 3 person	150 lbs / 667 N

Do not alter or disable machine components that in any way affect safety and stability.

Do not replace items critical to machine stability with items of different weight or specification.

Do not modify or alter an aerial work platform without prior written permission from the manufacturer. Mounting attachments for holding tools or other materials onto the platform, toeboards or guard rail system can increase the weight in the platform and the surface area of the platform or the load.



Do not place or attach fixed or overhanging loads to any part of this machine.

Do not transport tools and materials unless they are evenly distributed and can be safely handled by person(s) in the platform.

Do not use the machine on a moving or mobile surface or vehicle.

Be sure all tires are in good condition, castle nuts are properly tightened and cotter pins are properly installed.

### ▲ Operation on Slopes Hazards

Do not drive the machine on a slope that exceeds the slope and side slope rating of the machine. Slope rating applies to machines in the stowed position.

#### Maximum slope rating, stowed position

GS-2669RT	40% (22°)
GS-3369RT	35% (19°)
GS-4069RT	35% (19°)

#### Maximum side slope rating, stowed position

GS-2669RT	40% (22°)
GS-3369RT	35% (19°)
GS-4069RT	35% (19°)

Note: Slope rating is subject to ground conditions and adequate traction.

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### ⚠ Fall Hazards

The guard rail system provides fall protection. If occupant(s) of the platform are required to wear personal fall protection equipment (PFPE) due to job site or employer rules, PFPE and its use shall be in accordance with the PFPE manufacturer's instructions and applicable governmental requirements. Use approved lanyard attachment point provided.



Do not sit, stand or climb on the platform guard rails. Maintain a firm footing on the platform floor at all times.



Do not climb down from the platform when raised.

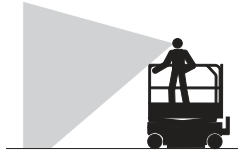
Keep the platform floor clear of debris.

Close the entry gate before operating.

Do not operate the machine unless the guard rails are properly installed and the entry is secured for operation.

Do not enter or exit the platform unless the machine is in the stowed position.

### ⚠ Collision Hazards



Be aware of limited sight distance and blind spots when driving or operating.

Be aware of extended platform position when moving the machine.

The machine must be on a level surface or secured before releasing the brakes.

Operators must comply with employer, job site and governmental rules regarding use of personal protective equipment.



Check the work area for overhead obstructions or other possible hazards.



Be aware of crushing hazards when grasping the platform guard rail.

Observe and use color-coded direction arrows on the platform controls and the platform decal plate for drive and steer functions.

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Do not lower the platform unless the area below is clear of personnel and obstructions.



Limit travel speed according to the condition of the ground surface, congestion, slope, location of personnel, and any other factors which may cause collision.

Do not operate a machine in the path of any crane or moving overhead machinery unless the controls of the crane have been locked out and/or precautions have been taken to prevent any potential collision.

No stunt driving or horseplay while operating a machine.

### ⚠ Bodily Injury Hazard

Always operate the machine in a well-ventilated area to avoid carbon monoxide poisoning.

Do not operate the machine with a hydraulic oil or air leak. An air leak or hydraulic leak can penetrate and/or burn skin.

Improper contact with components under any cover will cause serious injury. Only trained maintenance personnel should access compartments. Access by the operator is only advised when performing a pre-operation inspection. All compartments must remain closed and secured during operation.

### ⚠ Component Damage Hazards

Do not use any battery or charger greater than 12V to jump-start the engine.

Do not use the machine as a ground for welding.

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### ⚠ Explosion and Fire Hazards

Do not start the engine if you smell or detect liquid petroleum gas (LPG), gasoline, diesel fuel or other explosive substances.

Do not refuel the machine with the engine running.

Refuel the machine and charge the battery only in an open, well-ventilated area away from sparks, flames and lighted tobacco.

Do not operate the machine in hazardous locations or locations where potentially flammable or explosive gases or particles may be present.

Do not spray ether into engines equipped with glow plugs.

### ⚠ Damaged Machine Hazards

Do not use a damaged or malfunctioning machine.

Conduct a thorough pre-operation inspection of the machine and test all functions before each work shift. Immediately tag and remove from service a damaged or malfunctioning machine.

Be sure all maintenance has been performed as specified in this manual and the appropriate Genie service manual.

Be sure all decals are in place and legible.

Be sure the operator's, safety and responsibilities manuals are complete, legible and in the storage container located on the machine.

### ⚠ Crushing Hazard

Keep hands and limbs out of scissors.

Use common sense and planning when operating the machine with the controller from the ground. Maintain safe distances between the operator, the machine and fixed objects.

Maintain a firm grasp on the platform rail when pulling the rail pins. Do not allow the platform guard rails to fall.

### ⚠ Outrigger Safety

#### Tip-over Hazards

Do not lower the outriggers unless the machine is on a firm surface. Avoid drop-offs, holes, unstable or slippery surfaces and other possible hazardous conditions.

Do not raise the platform unless the machine is level. Do not set the machine up on a surface where it cannot be leveled using only the outriggers.

Do not raise the platform unless all four outriggers are properly lowered, the footpads are in firm contact with the ground and the machine is level.

Do not adjust the outriggers while the platform is raised.

Do not drive while the outriggers are lowered.

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### ⚠ Battery Safety

#### Burn Hazards

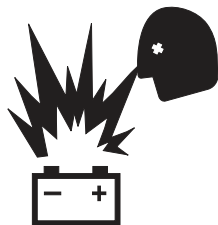


Batteries contain acid. Always wear protective clothing and eye wear when working with batteries.

Avoid spilling or contacting battery acid. Neutralize battery acid spills with baking soda and water.

Do not expose the batteries or the charger to water or rain during charging.

#### Explosion Hazards



Keep sparks, flames and lighted tobacco away from batteries. Batteries emit explosive gas.

The battery tray should remain open during the entire charging cycle.



Do not contact the battery terminals or the cable clamps with tools that may cause sparks.



#### Component Damage Hazard

Do not use any battery charger greater than 24V to charge the batteries.