

HYDRAULIC THUMBS

The addition of a hydraulically operated thumb will increase your excavator's capability.

Hydraulic thumbs make it easier to pick up, hold and move awkward material such as rocks, concrete, logs or clean-up work that does not fit into the bucket. Gardner offer two types of hydraulic thumbs, the hitch pivot style and bracket pivot style. Gardner rock finger tynes are an excellent addition to combine with a hydraulic thumb to turn it into a complete hydraulic grab giving great visibility to see through the tynes and you can get in tight spaces close to the bank of a wall.

- ✓ Heavy duty Australian made hydraulic cylinder
- ✓ Various models to suit all makes of excavators
- ✓ Custom fit sizes ranging from 1.5 Tonne to 50 Tonne excavators
- ✓ Can be used in a variety of applications such as rock, logs or clean-up work
- ✓ Increase your excavator's versatility
- ✓ Hi-tensile steel construction
- ✓ 12 months warranty
- ✓ Australian made



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BRACKET PIVOT STYLE THUMB

- ✓ General purpose style thumb
- ✓ Located further up the dipper arm
- ✓ More suited to narrow trench work
- ✓ Lock to secure thumb to prevent movement when not in use
- ✓ Welded on base plate with no need to remove dipper pin for installation



Closed position



Open position

HITCH PIVOT STYLE THUMB

- ✓ Recommended style for rock wall builders
- ✓ Custom designed and built to suit the quick-hitch
- ✓ Pivots down slightly more
- ✓ Works well paired with a rock finger attachment
- ✓ More suited for tight access to work in closer to the machine
- ✓ Thumb pivots on the dipper arm pin, allowing the thumb to follow the same curl radius as the bucket



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Open position

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