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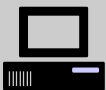
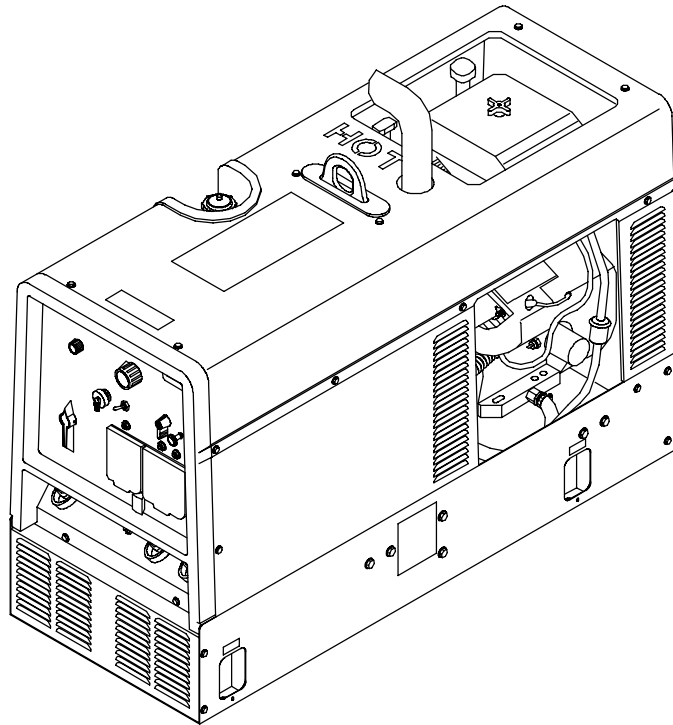
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# SECTION 1 – SAFETY PRECAUTIONS – READ BEFORE USING

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▲ **Warning: Protect yourself and others from injury — read and follow these precautions.**

## 1-1. Symbol Usage



Means Warning! Watch Out! There are possible hazards with this procedure! The possible hazards are shown in the adjoining symbols.

▲ Marks a special safety message.

☞ Means "Note"; not safety related.



This group of symbols means Warning! Watch Out! possible ELECTRIC SHOCK, MOVING PARTS, and HOT PARTS hazards. Consult symbols and related instructions below for necessary actions to avoid the hazards.

## 1-2. Arc Welding Hazards

▲ **The symbols shown below are used throughout this manual to call attention to and identify possible hazards. When you see the symbol, watch out, and follow the related instructions to avoid the hazard. The safety information given below is only a summary of the more complete safety information found in the Safety Standards listed in Section 1-7. Read and follow all Safety Standards.**

▲ **Only qualified persons should install, operate, maintain, and repair this unit.**

▲ **During operation, keep everybody, especially children, away.**



### ELECTRIC SHOCK can kill.

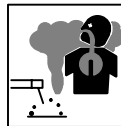
Touching live electrical parts can cause fatal shocks or severe burns. The electrode and work circuit is electrically live whenever the output is on. The input power circuit and machine internal circuits are also live when power is on. In semiautomatic or automatic wire welding, the wire, wire reel, drive roll housing, and all metal parts touching the welding wire are electrically live. Incorrectly installed or improperly grounded equipment is a hazard.

- Do not touch live electrical parts.
- Wear dry, hole-free insulating gloves and body protection.
- Insulate yourself from work and ground using dry insulating mats or covers big enough to prevent any physical contact with the work or ground.
- Do not use AC output in damp areas, if movement is confined, or if there is a danger of falling.
- Use AC output ONLY if required for the welding process.
- If AC output is required, use remote output control if present on unit.
- Additional safety precautions are required when any of the following electrically hazardous conditions are present: in damp locations or while wearing wet clothing; on metal structures such as floors, gratings, or scaffolds; when in cramped positions such as sitting, kneeling, or lying; or when there is a high risk of unavoidable or accidental contact with the workpiece or ground. For these conditions, use the following equipment in order presented: 1) a semiautomatic DC constant voltage (wire) welder, 2) a DC manual (stick) welder, or 3) an AC welder with reduced open-circuit voltage. In most situations, use of a DC, constant voltage wire welder is recommended. And, do not work alone!
- Disconnect input power or stop engine before installing or servicing this equipment. Lockout/tagout input power according to OSHA 29 CFR 1910.147 (see Safety Standards).
- Properly install and ground this equipment according to its Owner's Manual and national, state, and local codes.
- Always verify the supply ground — check and be sure that input power cord ground wire is properly connected to ground terminal in disconnect box or that cord plug is connected to a properly grounded receptacle outlet.
- When making input connections, attach proper grounding conductor first — double-check connections.
- Frequently inspect input power cord for damage or bare wiring — replace cord immediately if damaged — bare wiring can kill.
- Turn off all equipment when not in use.
- Do not use worn, damaged, undersized, or poorly spliced cables.
- Do not drape cables over your body.
- If earth grounding of the workpiece is required, ground it directly with a separate cable.
- Do not touch electrode if you are in contact with the work, ground, or another electrode from a different machine.

- Use only well-maintained equipment. Repair or replace damaged parts at once. Maintain unit according to manual.
- Wear a safety harness if working above floor level.
- Keep all panels and covers securely in place.
- Clamp work cable with good metal-to-metal contact to workpiece or worktable as near the weld as practical.
- Insulate work clamp when not connected to workpiece to prevent contact with any metal object.
- Do not connect more than one electrode or work cable to any single weld output terminal.

### SIGNIFICANT DC VOLTAGE exists in inverters after stopping engine.

- Stop engine on inverter and discharge input capacitors according to instructions in Maintenance Section before touching any parts.



### FUMES AND GASES can be hazardous.

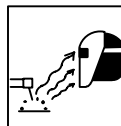
Welding produces fumes and gases. Breathing these fumes and gases can be hazardous to your health.

- Keep your head out of the fumes. Do not breathe the fumes.
- If inside, ventilate the area and/or use exhaust at the arc to remove welding fumes and gases.
- If ventilation is poor, use an approved air-supplied respirator.
- Read the Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDSs) and the manufacturer's instructions for metals, consumables, coatings, cleaners, and degreasers.
- Work in a confined space only if it is well ventilated, or while wearing an air-supplied respirator. Always have a trained watchperson nearby. Welding fumes and gases can displace air and lower the oxygen level causing injury or death. Be sure the breathing air is safe.
- Do not weld in locations near degreasing, cleaning, or spraying operations. The heat and rays of the arc can react with vapors to form highly toxic and irritating gases.
- Do not weld on coated metals, such as galvanized, lead, or cadmium plated steel, unless the coating is removed from the weld area, the area is well ventilated, and if necessary, while wearing an air-supplied respirator. The coatings and any metals containing these elements can give off toxic fumes if welded.



### BUILDUP OF GAS can injure or kill.

- Shut off shielding gas supply when not in use.
- Always ventilate confined spaces or use approved air-supplied respirator.



### ARC RAYS can burn eyes and skin.

Arc rays from the welding process produce intense visible and invisible (ultraviolet and infrared) rays that can burn eyes and skin. Sparks fly off from the weld.

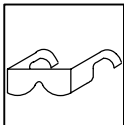
- Wear a welding helmet fitted with a proper shade of filter to protect your face and eyes from arc rays and sparks when welding or watching (see ANSI Z49.1 and Z87.1 listed in Safety Standards).
- Wear approved safety glasses with side shields under your helmet.
- Use protective screens or barriers to protect others from flash and glare; warn others not to watch the arc.
- Wear protective clothing made from durable, flame-resistant material (wool and leather) and foot protection.



### WELDING can cause fire or explosion.

Welding on closed containers, such as tanks, drums, or pipes, can cause them to blow up. Sparks can fly off from the welding arc. The flying sparks, hot workpiece, and hot equipment can cause fires and burns. Accidental contact of electrode to metal objects can cause sparks, explosion, overheating, or fire. Check and be sure the area is safe before doing any welding.

- Protect yourself and others from flying sparks and hot metal.
- Do not weld where flying sparks can strike flammable material.
- Remove all flammables within 35 ft (10.7 m) of the welding arc. If this is not possible, tightly cover them with approved covers.
- Be alert that welding sparks and hot materials from welding can easily go through small cracks and openings to adjacent areas.
- Watch for fire, and keep a fire extinguisher nearby.
- Be aware that welding on a ceiling, floor, bulkhead, or partition can cause fire on the hidden side.
- Do not weld on closed containers such as tanks, drums, or pipes, unless they are properly prepared according to AWS F4.1 (see Safety Standards).
- Connect work cable to the work as close to the welding area as practical to prevent welding current from traveling long, possibly unknown paths and causing electric shock and fire hazards.
- Do not use welder to thaw frozen pipes.
- Remove stick electrode from holder or cut off welding wire at contact tip when not in use.
- Wear oil-free protective garments such as leather gloves, heavy shirt, cuffless trousers, high shoes, and a cap.
- Remove any combustibles, such as a butane lighter or matches, from your person before doing any welding.
- Follow requirements in OSHA 1910.252 (a) (2) (iv) and NFPA 51B for hot work and have a fire watcher and extinguisher nearby.



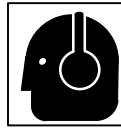
### FLYING METAL can injure eyes.

- Welding, chipping, wire brushing, and grinding cause sparks and flying metal. As welds cool, they can throw off slag.
- Wear approved safety glasses with side shields even under your welding helmet.



### HOT PARTS can cause severe burns.

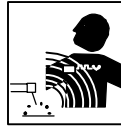
- Allow cooling period before maintaining.
- Wear protective gloves and clothing when working on a hot engine.
- Do not touch hot engine parts or just-welded parts bare-handed.



### NOISE can damage hearing.

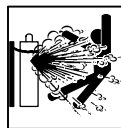
Noise from some processes or equipment can damage hearing.

- Wear approved ear protection if noise level is high.



### MAGNETIC FIELDS can affect pacemakers.

- Pacemaker wearers keep away.
- Wearers should consult their doctor before going near arc welding, gouging, or spot welding operations.



### CYLINDERS can explode if damaged.

Shielding gas cylinders contain gas under high pressure. If damaged, a cylinder can explode. Since gas cylinders are normally part of the welding process, be sure to treat them carefully.

- Protect compressed gas cylinders from excessive heat, mechanical shocks, slag, open flames, sparks, and arcs.
- Install cylinders in an upright position by securing to a stationary support or cylinder rack to prevent falling or tipping.
- Keep cylinders away from any welding or other electrical circuits.
- Never drape a welding torch over a gas cylinder.
- Never allow a welding electrode to touch any cylinder.
- Never weld on a pressurized cylinder — explosion will result.
- Use only correct shielding gas cylinders, regulators, hoses, and fittings designed for the specific application; maintain them and associated parts in good condition.
- Turn face away from valve outlet when opening cylinder valve.
- Keep protective cap in place over valve except when cylinder is in use or connected for use.
- Read and follow instructions on compressed gas cylinders, associated equipment, and CGA publication P-1 listed in Safety Standards.

## 1-3. Engine Hazards



### BATTERY EXPLOSION can BLIND.

- Always wear a face shield, rubber gloves, and protective clothing when working on a battery.
- Stop engine before disconnecting or connecting battery cables or servicing battery.
- Do not allow tools to cause sparks when working on a battery.
- Do not use welder to charge batteries or jump start vehicles.
- Observe correct polarity (+ and -) on batteries.
- Disconnect negative (-) cable first and connect it last.



### FUEL can cause fire or explosion.

- Stop engine and let it cool off before checking or adding fuel.
- Do not add fuel while smoking or if unit is near any sparks or open flames.
- Do not overfill tank — allow room for fuel to expand.
- Do not spill fuel. If fuel is spilled, clean up before starting engine.
- Dispose of rags in a fireproof container.
- Always keep nozzle in contact with tank when fueling.



### MOVING PARTS can cause injury.

- Keep away from fans, belts, and rotors.
- Keep all doors, panels, covers, and guards closed and securely in place.
- Stop engine before installing or connecting unit.
- Have only qualified people remove guards or covers for maintenance and troubleshooting as necessary.
- To prevent accidental starting during servicing, disconnect negative (-) battery cable from battery.
- Keep hands, hair, loose clothing, and tools away from moving parts.
- Reinstall panels or guards and close doors when servicing is finished and before starting engine.
- Before working on generator, remove spark plugs or injectors to keep engine from kicking back or starting.
- Block flywheel so that it will not turn while working on generator components.



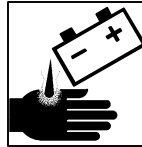
### STEAM AND HOT COOLANT can burn.

- If possible, check coolant level when engine is cold to avoid scalding.
- Always check coolant level at overflow tank, if present on unit, instead of radiator (unless told otherwise in maintenance section or engine manual).
- If the engine is warm, checking is needed, and there is no overflow tank, follow the next two statements.
- Wear safety glasses and gloves and put a rag over radiator cap.
- Turn cap slightly and let pressure escape slowly before completely removing cap.



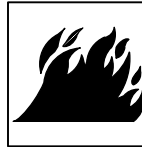
### ENGINE EXHAUST GASES can kill.

- Use equipment outside in open, well-ventilated areas.
- If used in a closed area, vent engine exhaust outside and away from any building air intakes.



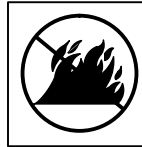
### BATTERY ACID can BURN SKIN and EYES.

- Do not tip battery.
- Replace damaged battery.
- Flush eyes and skin immediately with water.



### ENGINE HEAT can cause fire.

- Do not locate unit on, over, or near combustible surfaces or flammables.
- Keep exhaust and exhaust pipes way from flammables.



### EXHAUST SPARKS can cause fire.

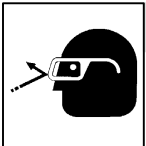
- Do not let engine exhaust sparks cause fire.
- Use approved engine exhaust spark arrestor in required areas — see applicable codes.

## 1-4. Compressed Air Hazards



### BREATHING COMPRESSED AIR can cause serious injury or death.

- Do not use compressed air for breathing.
- Use only for cutting, gouging, and tools.



### COMPRESSED AIR can cause injury.

- Wear approved safety goggles.
- Do not direct air stream toward self or others.



### TRAPPED AIR PRESSURE AND WHIPPING HOSES can cause injury.

- Release air pressure from tools and system before servicing, adding or changing attachments, or opening compressor oil drain or oil fill cap.



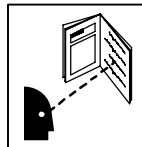
### HOT METAL from air arc cutting and gouging can cause fire or explosion.

- Do not cut or gouge near flammables.
- Watch for fire; keep extinguisher nearby.



### HOT PARTS can cause burns and injury.

- Do not touch hot compressor or air system parts.
- Let system cool down before touching or servicing.



### READ INSTRUCTIONS.

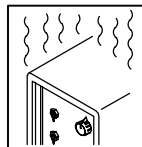
- Read Owner's Manual before using or servicing unit.
- Stop engine and release air pressure before servicing.

## 1-5. Additional Symbols For Installation, Operation, And Maintenance



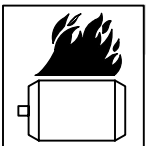
### FALLING UNIT can cause injury.

- Use lifting eye to lift unit only, NOT running gear, gas cylinders, trailer, or any other accessories.
- Use equipment of adequate capacity to lift and support unit.
- If using lift forks to move unit, be sure forks are long enough to extend beyond opposite side of unit.



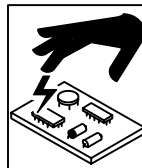
### OVERUSE can cause OVERHEATING.

- Allow cooling period; follow rated duty cycle.
- Reduce current or reduce duty cycle before starting to weld again.
- Do not block or filter airflow to unit.



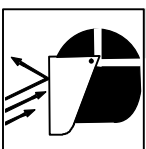
### OVERHEATING can damage motors.

- Turn off or unplug equipment before starting or stopping engine.
- Do not let low voltage and frequency caused by low engine speed damage electric motors.
- Do not connect 50 or 60 Hertz motors to the 100 Hertz receptacle where applicable.



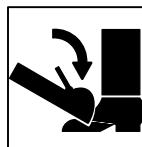
### STATIC (ESD) can damage PC boards.

- Put on grounded wrist strap BEFORE handling boards or parts.
- Use proper static-proof bags and boxes to store, move, or ship PC boards.



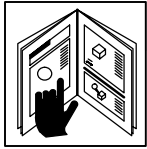
### FLYING SPARKS can cause injury.

- Wear a face shield to protect eyes and face.
- Shape tungsten electrode only on grinder with proper guards in a safe location wearing proper face, hand, and body protection.
- Sparks can cause fires — keep flammables away.



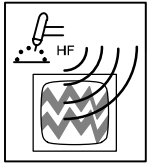
### TILTING OF TRAILER can cause injury.

- Use tongue jack or blocks to support weight.
- Properly install welding generator onto trailer according to instructions supplied with trailer.



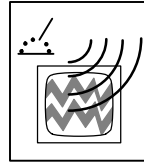
### READ INSTRUCTIONS.

- Use only genuine MILLER/Hobart replacement parts.
- Perform engine and air compressor (if applicable) maintenance and service according to this manual and the engine/air compressor (if applicable) manuals.



### H.F. RADIATION can cause interference.

- High-frequency (H.F.) can interfere with radio navigation, safety services, computers, and communications equipment.
  - Have only qualified persons familiar with electronic equipment perform this installation.
- The user is responsible for having a qualified electrician promptly correct any interference problem resulting from the installation.
  - If notified by the FCC about interference, stop using the equipment at once.
  - Have the installation regularly checked and maintained.
  - Keep high-frequency source doors and panels tightly shut, keep spark gaps at correct setting, and use grounding and shielding to minimize the possibility of interference.



### ARC WELDING can cause interference.

- Electromagnetic energy can interfere with sensitive electronic equipment such as microprocessors, computers, and computer-driven equipment such as robots.
  - Be sure all equipment in the welding area is electromagnetically compatible.
- To reduce possible interference, keep weld cables as short as possible, close together, and down low, such as on the floor.
  - Locate welding operation 100 meters from any sensitive electronic equipment.
  - Be sure this welding machine is installed and grounded according to this manual.
  - If interference still occurs, the user must take extra measures such as moving the welding machine, using shielded cables, using line filters, or shielding the work area.

## 1-6. California Proposition 65 Warnings

- ▲ **Welding or cutting equipment produces fumes or gases which contain chemicals known to the State of California to cause birth defects and, in some cases, cancer. (California Health & Safety Code Section 25249.5 et seq.)**
- ▲ **Battery posts, terminals and related accessories contain lead and lead compounds, chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm. Wash hands after handling.**

#### For Gasoline Engines:

- ▲ **Engine exhaust contains chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or other reproductive harm.**

#### For Diesel Engines:

- ▲ **Diesel engine exhaust and some of its constituents are known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, and other reproductive harm.**

## 1-7. Principal Safety Standards

*Safety in Welding, Cutting, and Allied Processes*, ANSI Standard Z49.1, from American Welding Society, 550 N.W. LeJeune Rd, Miami FL 33126 (phone: 305-443-9353, website: [www.aws.org](http://www.aws.org)).

*Recommended Safe Practices for the Preparation for Welding and Cutting of Containers and Piping*, American Welding Society Standard AWS F4.1, from American Welding Society, 550 N.W. LeJeune Rd, Miami, FL 33126 (phone: 305-443-9353, website: [www.aws.org](http://www.aws.org)).

*National Electrical Code*, NFPA Standard 70, from National Fire Protection Association, P.O. Box 9101, 1 Battery March Park, Quincy, MA 02269-9101 (phone: 617-770-3000, website: [www.nfpa.org](http://www.nfpa.org) and [www.sparky.org](http://www.sparky.org)).

*Safe Handling of Compressed Gases in Cylinders*, CGA Pamphlet P-1, from Compressed Gas Association, 1735 Jefferson Davis Highway, Suite 1004, Arlington, VA 22202-4102 (phone: 703-412-0900, website: [www.cganet.com](http://www.cganet.com)).

*Code for Safety in Welding and Cutting*, CSA Standard W117.2, from Canadian Standards Association, Standards Sales, 178 Rexdale Bou-

levard, Rexdale, Ontario, Canada M9W 1R3 (phone: 800-463-6727 or in Toronto 416-747-4044, website: [www.csa-international.org](http://www.csa-international.org)).

*Practice For Occupational And Educational Eye And Face Protection*, ANSI Standard Z87.1, from American National Standards Institute, 11 West 42nd Street, New York, NY 10036-8002 (phone: 212-642-4900, website: [www.ansi.org](http://www.ansi.org)).

*Standard for Fire Prevention During Welding, Cutting, and Other Hot Work*, NFPA Standard 51B, from National Fire Protection Association, P.O. Box 9101, 1 Battery March Park, Quincy, MA 02269-9101 (phone: 617-770-3000, website: [www.nfpa.org](http://www.nfpa.org) and [www.sparky.org](http://www.sparky.org)).

OSHA, Occupational Safety and Health Standards for General Industry, Title 29, Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Part 1910, Subpart Q, and Part 1926, Subpart J, from U.S. Government Printing Office, Superintendent of Documents, P.O. Box 371954, Pittsburgh, PA 15250 (there are 10 Regional Offices—phone for Region 5, Chicago, is 312-353-2220, website: [www.osha.gov](http://www.osha.gov)).

## 1-8. EMF Information

Considerations About Welding And The Effects Of Low Frequency Electric And Magnetic Fields

Welding current, as it flows through welding cables, will cause electromagnetic fields. There has been and still is some concern about such fields. However, after examining more than 500 studies spanning 17 years of research, a special blue ribbon committee of the National Research Council concluded that: "The body of evidence, in the committee's judgment, has not demonstrated that exposure to power-frequency electric and magnetic fields is a human-health hazard." However, studies are still going forth and evidence continues to be examined. Until the final conclusions of the research are reached, you may wish to minimize your exposure to electromagnetic fields when welding or cutting.

To reduce magnetic fields in the workplace, use the following procedures:

1. Keep cables close together by twisting or taping them.
2. Arrange cables to one side and away from the operator.
3. Do not coil or drape cables around your body.
4. Keep welding power source and cables as far away from operator as practical.
5. Connect work clamp to workpiece as close to the weld as possible.

#### About Pacemakers:

Pacemaker wearers consult your doctor first. If cleared by your doctor, then following the above procedures is recommended.



# SECTION 2 – CONSIGNES DE SÉCURITÉ – LIRE AVANT UTILISATION

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## ▲ Avertissement: Protégez vous et les autres des blessures – lisez et suivez ces précautions.

### 2-1. Signification des symboles



Signifie Mise en garde ! Soyez vigilant ! Cette procédure présente des risques de danger ! Ceux-ci sont identifiés par des symboles adjacents aux directives.

#### ▲ Identifie un message de sécurité particulier.

Signifie NOTA ; n'est pas relatif à la sécurité.



Ce groupe de symboles signifie Mise en garde ! Soyez vigilant ! Il y a des risques de danger reliés aux CHOCs ÉLECTRIQUES, aux PIÈCES EN MOUVEMENT et aux PIÈCES CHAUDES. Reportez-vous aux symboles et aux directives ci-dessous afin de connaître les mesures à prendre pour éviter tout danger.

### 2-2. Dangers relatifs au soudage à l'arc

▲ Les symboles présentés ci-après sont utilisés tout au long du présent manuel pour attirer votre attention et identifier les risques de danger. Lorsque vous voyez un symbole, soyez vigilant et suivez les directives mentionnées afin d'éviter tout danger. Les consignes de sécurité présentées ci-après ne font que résumer l'information contenue dans les normes de sécurité énumérées à la section 2-6. Veuillez lire et respecter toutes ces normes de sécurité.

▲ L'installation, l'utilisation, l'entretien et les réparations ne doivent être confiés qu'à des personnes qualifiées.

▲ Au cours de l'utilisation, tenir toute personne à l'écart et plus particulièrement les enfants.



#### UN CHOC ÉLECTRIQUE peut tuer.

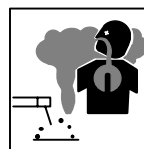
Un simple contact avec des pièces électriques peut provoquer une électrocution ou des blessures graves. L'électrode et le circuit de soudage sont sous tension dès que l'appareil est sur ON. Le circuit d'entrée et les circuits internes de l'appareil sont également sous tension à ce moment-là. En soudage semi-automatique ou automatique, le logement des galets d'entraînement et les pièces métalliques en contact avec le fil de soudage sont sous tension. Des matériels mal installés ou mal mis à la terre présentent un danger.

- Ne jamais toucher les pièces électriques sous tension.
- Porter des gants et des vêtements de protection secs ne comportant pas de trous.
- S'isoler de la pièce et de la terre au moyen de tapis ou d'autres moyens isolants suffisamment grands pour empêcher le contact physique éventuel avec la pièce ou la terre.
- Ne pas se servir de source électrique à courant électrique dans les zones humides, dans des endroits confinés ou là où on risque de tomber.
- Se servir d'une source électrique à courant électrique UNIQUEMENT si le procédé de soudage le demande.
- Si l'utilisation d'une source électrique à courant électrique s'avère nécessaire, se servir de la fonction de télécommande si l'appareil en est équipé.
- Des précautions de sécurité supplémentaires sont requises dans des environnements à risque comme: les endroits humides ou lorsque l'on porte des vêtements mouillés; sur des structures métalliques au sol, grillages et échafaudages; dans des positions assises, à genoux et allongées; ou quand il y a un risque important de contact accidentel avec la pièce ou le sol. Dans ces cas utiliser les appareils suivants dans l'ordre de préférence: 1) un poste à souder DC semi-automatique de type CV (MIG/MAG), 2) un poste à souder manuel (électrode enrobée) DC, 3) un poste à souder manuel AC avec tension à vide réduite. Dans la plupart des cas, un poste courant continu de type CV est recommandé. Et, ne pas travailler seul!
- Couper l'alimentation ou arrêter le moteur avant de procéder à l'installation, à la réparation ou à l'entretien de l'appareil. Déverrouiller l'alimentation selon la norme OSHA 29 CFR 1910.147 (voir normes de sécurité).
- Installer et mettre à la terre correctement cet appareil conformément à son manuel d'utilisation et aux codes nationaux, provinciaux et municipaux.
- Toujours vérifier la terre du cordon d'alimentation – Vérifier et s'assurer que le fil de terre du cordon d'alimentation est bien raccordé à la borne de terre du sectionneur ou que la fiche du cordon est raccordée à une prise correctement mise à la terre.

- En effectuant les raccordements d'entrée fixer d'abord le conducteur de mise à la terre approprié et contre-vérifier les connexions.
- Vérifier fréquemment le cordon d'alimentation pour voir s'il n'est pas endommagé ou dénudé – remplacer le cordon immédiatement s'il est endommagé – un câble dénudé peut provoquer une électrocution.
- Mettre l'appareil hors tension quand on ne l'utilise pas.
- Ne pas utiliser des câbles usés, endommagés, de grosseur insuffisante ou mal épissés.
- Ne pas enrouler les câbles autour du corps.
- Si la pièce soudée doit être mise à la terre, le faire directement avec un câble distinct – ne pas utiliser le connecteur de pièce ou le câble de retour.
- Ne pas toucher l'électrode quand on est en contact avec la pièce, la terre ou une électrode provenant d'une autre machine.
- N'utiliser qu'un matériel en bon état. Réparer ou remplacer sur-le-champ les pièces endommagées. Entretien l'appareil conformément à ce manuel.
- Porter un harnais de sécurité quand on travaille en hauteur.
- Maintenir solidement en place tous les panneaux et capots.
- Fixer le câble de retour de façon à obtenir un bon contact métal-métal avec la pièce à souder ou la table de travail, le plus près possible de la soudure.
- Isoler la pince de masse quand pas mis à la pièce pour éviter le contact avec tout objet métallique.

#### Une tension DC importante subsiste à l'intérieur des onduleurs après avoir coupé l'alimentation.

- Couper l'alimentation du poste et décharger les condensateurs d'entrée comme indiqué dans la Section Maintenance avant de toucher des composants.



#### LES FUMÉES ET LES GAZ peuvent être dangereux.

Le soudage génère des fumées et des gaz. Leur inhalation peut être dangereuse pour votre santé.

- Eloigner votre tête des fumées. Ne pas respirer les fumées.
- À l'intérieur, ventiler la zone et/ou utiliser un échappement au niveau de l'arc pour l'évacuation des fumées et des gaz de soudage.
- Si la ventilation est insuffisante, utiliser un respirateur à alimentation d'air homologué.
- Lire les spécifications de sécurité des matériaux (MSDSs) et les instructions du fabricant concernant les métaux, les consommables, les revêtements, les nettoyeurs et les dégraisseurs.
- Travailler dans un espace fermé seulement s'il est bien ventilé ou en portant un respirateur à alimentation d'air. Demander toujours à un surveillant dûment formé de se tenir à proximité. Des fumées et des gaz de soudage peuvent déplacer l'air et abaisser le niveau d'oxygène provoquant des blessures ou des accidents mortels. S'assurer que l'air de respiration ne présente aucun danger.
- Ne pas souder dans des endroits situés à proximité d'opérations de dégraissage, de nettoyage ou de pulvérisation. La chaleur et les rayons de l'arc peuvent réagir en présence de vapeurs et former des gaz hautement toxiques et irritants.
- Ne pas souder des métaux munis d'un revêtement, tels que l'acier galvanisé, plaqué en plomb ou au cadmium à moins que le revêtement n'ait été enlevé dans la zone de soudure, que l'endroit soit bien ventilé, et si nécessaire, en portant un respirateur à alimentation d'air. Les revêtements et tous les métaux renfermant ces éléments peuvent dégager des fumées toxiques en cas de soudage.



### LES ACCUMULATIONS DE GAZ risquent de provoquer des blessures ou même la mort.

- Fermer l'alimentation du gaz protecteur en cas de non utilisation.
- Veiller toujours à bien aérer les espaces confinés ou se servir d'un respirateur d'adduction d'air homologué.



### LES RAYONS DE L'ARC peuvent provoquer des brûlures dans les yeux et sur la peau.

Le rayonnement de l'arc du procédé de soudage génère des rayons visibles et invisibles intenses (ultraviolets et infrarouges) susceptibles de provoquer des brûlures dans les yeux et sur la peau. Des étincelles sont projetées pendant le soudage.

- Porter un casque de soudage muni d'un écran de filtre approprié pour protéger votre visage et vos yeux pendant le soudage ou pour regarder (voir ANSI Z49.1 et Z87.1 énuméré dans les normes de sécurité).
- Porter des protections approuvés pour les oreilles si le niveau sonore est trop élevé.
- Utiliser des écrans ou des barrières pour protéger des tiers de l'éclair et de l'éblouissement; demander aux autres personnes de ne pas regarder l'arc.
- Porter des vêtements de protection constitué dans une matière durable, résistant au feu (laine ou cuir) et une protection des pieds.



### LE SOUDAGE peut provoquer un incendie ou une explosion.

Le soudage effectué sur des conteneurs fermés tels que des réservoirs, tambours ou des conduites peut provoquer leur éclatement. Des étincelles peuvent être projetées de l'arc de soudure. La projection d'étincelles, des pièces chaudes et des équipements chauds peut provoquer des incendies et des brûlures. Le contact accidentel de l'électrode avec des objets métalliques peut provoquer des étincelles, une explosion, un surchauffement ou un incendie. Avant de commencer le soudage, vérifier et s'assurer que l'endroit ne présente pas de danger.

- Se protéger et d'autres personnes de la projection d'étincelles et de métal chaud.
- Ne pas souder dans un endroit là où des étincelles peuvent tomber sur des substances inflammables.
- Déplacer toutes les substances inflammables à une distance de 10,7 m de l'arc de soudage. En cas d'impossibilité les recouvrir soigneusement avec des protections homologués.
- Des étincelles et des matériaux chauds du soudage peuvent facilement passer dans d'autres zones en traversant de petites fissures et des ouvertures.
- Surveiller tout déclenchement d'incendie et tenir un extincteur à proximité.
- Le soudage effectué sur un plafond, plancher, paroi ou séparation peut déclencher un incendie de l'autre côté.
- Ne pas effectuer le soudage sur des conteneurs fermés tels que des réservoirs, tambours, ou conduites, à moins qu'ils n'aient été préparés correctement conformément à AWS F4.1 (voir les normes de sécurité).
- Brancher le câble sur la pièce le plus près possible de la zone de soudage pour éviter le transport du courant sur une longue distance par des chemins inconnus éventuels en provoquant des risques d'électrocution et d'incendie.
- Ne pas utiliser le poste de soudage pour dégeler des conduites gelées.
- En cas de non utilisation, enlever la baguette d'électrode du porte-électrode ou couper le fil à la pointe de contact.
- Porter des vêtements de protection dépourvus d'huile tels que des gants en cuir, une chemise en matériau lourd, des pantalons sans revers, des chaussures hautes et un couvre chef.
- Avant de souder, retirer toute substance combustible de vos poches telles qu'un allumeur au butane ou des allumettes.

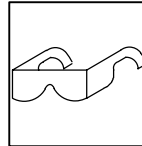
## 2-3. Dangers existant en relation avec le moteur



### LES ACCUMULATIONS DE GAZ risquent de provoquer des blessures ou même la mort.

- Fermer l'alimentation du gaz protecteur en cas de non utilisation.
- Veiller toujours à bien aérer les espaces confinés ou se servir d'un respirateur d'adduction d'air homologué.

- Suivre les recommandations dans OSHA 1910.252(a)(2)(iv) et NFPA 51B pour les travaux à chaud et avoir de la surveillance et un extincteur à proximité.



### DES PARTICULES VOLANTES peuvent blesser les yeux.

- Le soudage, l'écaillage, le passage de la pièce à la brosse en fil de fer, et le meulage génèrent des étincelles et des particules métalliques volantes. Pendant la période de refroidissement des soudures, elles risquent de projeter du laitier.

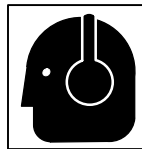
- Porter des lunettes de sécurité avec écrans latéraux ou un écran facial.



### DES PIÈCES CHAUDES peuvent provoquer des brûlures graves.

- Prévoir une période de refroidissement avant d'effectuer des travaux d'entretien.
- Porter des gants et des vêtements de protection pour travailler sur un moteur chaud.

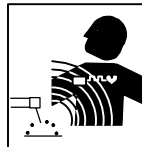
- Ne pas toucher à mains nues les parties chaudes du moteur ni les pièces récemment soudées.



### LE BRUIT peut affecter l'ouïe.

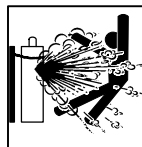
Le bruit des processus et des équipements peut affecter l'ouïe.

- Porter des protections approuvés pour les oreilles si le niveau sonore est trop élevé.



### LES CHAMPS MAGNÉTIQUES peuvent affecter les stimulateurs cardiaques.

- Porteurs de stimulateur cardiaque, restez à distance.
- Les porteurs d'un stimulateur cardiaque doivent d'abord consulter leur médecin avant de s'approcher des opérations de soudage à l'arc, de gougeage ou de soudage par points.



### Si des BOUTEILLES sont endommagées, elles pourront exploser.

Des bouteilles de gaz protecteur contiennent du gaz sous haute pression. Si une bouteille est endommagée, elle peut exploser. Du fait que les bouteilles de gaz font normalement partie du procédé de soudage, les manipuler avec précaution.

- Protéger les bouteilles de gaz comprimé d'une chaleur excessive, des chocs mécaniques, du laitier, des flammes ouvertes, des étincelles et des arcs.
- Placer les bouteilles debout en les fixant dans un support stationnaire ou dans un porte-bouteilles pour les empêcher de tomber ou de se renverser.
- Tenir les bouteilles éloignées des circuits de soudage ou autres circuits électriques.
- Ne jamais placer une torche de soudage sur une bouteille à gaz.
- Une électrode de soudage ne doit jamais entrer en contact avec une bouteille.
- Ne jamais souder une bouteille pressurisée – risque d'explosion.
- Utiliser seulement des bouteilles de gaz protecteur, régulateurs, tuyaux et raccords convenables pour cette application spécifique; les maintenir ainsi que les éléments associés en bon état.
- Ne pas tenir la tête en face de la sortie en ouvrant la soupape de la bouteille.
- Maintenir le chapeau de protection sur la soupape, sauf en cas d'utilisation ou de branchement de la bouteille.
- Lire et suivre les instructions concernant les bouteilles de gaz comprimé, les équipements associés et les publication P-1 CGA énumérées dans les normes de sécurité.



### L'ACIDE DE LA BATTERIE peut provoquer des brûlures dans les YEUX et sur la PEAU.

- Ne pas renverser la batterie.
- Remplacer une batterie endommagée.
- Rincer immédiatement les yeux et la peau à l'eau.



### L'EXPLOSION DE LA BATTERIE peut RENDRE AVEUGLE.

- Toujours porter une protection faciale, des gants en caoutchouc et vêtements de protection lors d'une intervention sur la batterie.
- Arrêter le moteur avant de débrancher ou de brancher les câbles de batterie.
- Eviter de provoquer des étincelles avec les outils en travaillant sur la batterie.
- Ne pas utiliser le poste de soudage pour charger les batteries ou des véhicules de démarrage rapide.
- Observer la polarité correcte (+ et -) sur les batteries.
- Débrancher le câble négatif (-) en premier lieu. Le rebrancher en dernier lieu.



### LE CARBURANT MOTEUR peut provoquer un incendie ou une explosion.

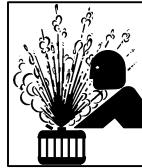
- Arrêter le moteur avant de vérifier le niveau de carburant ou de faire le plein.
- Ne pas faire le plein en fumant ou proche d'une source d'étincelles ou d'une flamme nue.
- Ne pas faire le plein de carburant à ras bord; prévoir de l'espace pour son expansion.
- Faire attention de ne pas renverser de carburant. Nettoyer tout carburant renversé avant de faire démarrer le moteur.
- Jeter les chiffons dans un récipient ignifuge.



### DES ORGANES MOBILES peuvent provoquer des blessures.

- Ne pas approcher les mains des ventilateurs, courroies et autres pièces en mouvement.
- Maintenir fermés et fixement en place les portes, panneaux, recouvrements et dispositifs de protection.
- Arrêter le moteur avant d'installer ou brancher l'appareil.
- Demander seulement à un personnel qualifié d'enlever les dispositifs de sécurité ou les recouvrements pour effectuer, s'il y a lieu, des travaux d'entretien et de dépannage.

- Pour empêcher tout démarrage accidentel pendant les travaux d'entretien, débrancher le câble négatif (-) de batterie de la borne.
- Ne pas approcher les mains, cheveux, vêtements lâches et outils des organes mobiles.
- Remettre en place les panneaux ou les dispositifs de protection et fermer les portes à la fin des travaux d'entretien et avant de faire démarrer le moteur.
- Avant d'intervenir, déposer les bougies ou injecteurs pour éviter la mise en route accidentelle du moteur.
- Bloquer le volant moteur pour éviter sa rotation lors d'une intervention sur le générateur.



### LA VAPEUR ET LE LIQUIDE DE REFROIDISSEMENT CHAUD peuvent provoquer des brûlures.

- Il est préférable de vérifier le liquide de refroidissement une fois le moteur refroidi pour éviter de se brûler.
- Toujours vérifier le niveau de liquide de refroidissement dans le vase d'expansion (si présent), et non dans le radiateur (sauf si précisé autrement dans la section maintenance du manuel du moteur).
- Si le moteur est chaud et que le liquide doit être vérifié, opérer comme suivant :
- Mettre des lunettes de sécurité et des gants, placer un torchon sur le bouchon du radiateur.
- Dévisser le bouchon légèrement et laisser la vapeur s'échapper avant d'enlever le bouchon.



### LA CHALEUR DU MOTEUR peut provoquer un incendie.

- Ne pas placer l'appareil sur, au-dessus ou à proximité de surfaces inflammables.
- Tenir à distance les produits inflammables de l'échappement.



### LES ÉTINCELLES À L'ÉCHAPPEMENT peuvent provoquer un incendie.

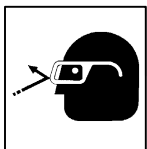
- Empêcher les étincelles d'échappement du moteur de provoquer un incendie.
- Utiliser uniquement un pare-étincelles approuvé - voir codes en vigueur.

## 2-4. Dangers liés à l'air comprimé



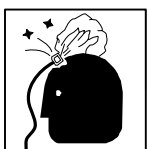
### RESPIRER L'AIR COMPRIMÉ peut provoquer des blessures graves ou causer la mort.

- Ne pas utiliser l'air comprimé pour respirer.
- Utiliser l'air comprimé seulement pour le coupage, gougeage et les outils pneumatiques.



### L'AIR COMPRIMÉ peut provoquer des blessures.

- Porter des lunettes de sécurité approuvées.
- Ne pas diriger le jet d'air vers d'autres ou soi-même.



### L'AIR COMPRIMÉ EMMAGASINE ET DES TUYAUX SOUS PRESSION peuvent provoquer des blessures.

- Relâcher la pression d'air de l'outillage ou du système avant d'effectuer la maintenance, avant de changer ou de rajouter des éléments ou avant d'ouvrir la purge ou le bouchon de remplissage d'huile.



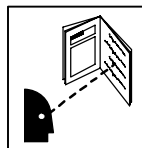
### Le METAL CHAUD lors du coupage et gougeage plasma peut provoquer un incendie ou une explosion.

- Ne pas couper ou gouger à proximité de produits inflammables.
- Surveillez et garder un extincteur à proximité.



### DES PIÈCES CHAUDES peuvent provoquer des brûlures et blessures.

- Ne pas toucher le compresseur ou d'autres éléments du circuit air comprimé chauds.
- Laisser l'ensemble se refroidir avant de toucher ou d'effectuer la maintenance.



### LIRE LES INSTRUCTIONS.

- Lisez le manuel d'instructions avant l'utilisation ou la maintenance de l'appareil.
- Arrêter le moteur et relâcher la pression avant d'effectuer la maintenance.

## 2-5. Dangers supplémentaires en relation avec l'installation, le fonctionnement et la maintenance



### LA CHUTE DE L'APPAREIL peut blesser.

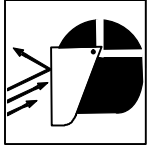
- Utiliser l'anneau de levage uniquement pour soulever l'appareil lui-même ; sans chariot, de bouteilles de gaz, remorque, ou autres accessoires.

- Utiliser un équipement de levage de capacité suffisante pour lever l'appareil.
- En utilisant des fourches de levage pour déplacer l'unité, s'assurer que les fourches sont suffisamment longues pour dépasser du côté opposé de l'appareil.



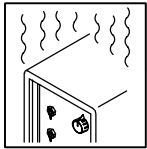
### LE SURCHAUFFEMENT peut endommager le moteur électrique.

- Arrêter ou déconnecter l'équipement avant de démarrer ou d'arrêter le moteur.
- Ne pas laisser tourner le moteur trop lentement sous risque d'endommager le moteur électrique à cause d'une tension et d'une fréquence trop faibles.
- Ne pas brancher de moteur de 50 ou de 60 Hz à la prise de 100 Hz, s'il y a lieu.



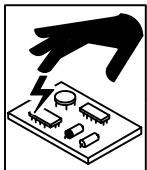
### LES ÉTINCELLES VOLANTES risquent de provoquer des blessures.

- Porter un écran facial pour protéger le visage et les yeux.
- Affûter l'électrode au tungstène uniquement à la meuleuse dotée de protecteurs. Cette manoeuvre est à exécuter dans un endroit sûr lorsque l'on porte l'équipement homologué de protection du visage, des mains et du corps.
- Les étincelles risquent de causer un incendie – éloigner toute substance inflammable.



### L'EMPLOI EXCESSIF peut SURCHAUFFER L'ÉQUIPEMENT.

- Laisser l'équipement refroidir ; respecter le facteur de marche nominal.
- Réduire le courant ou le facteur de marche avant de poursuivre le soudage.
- Ne pas obstruer les passages d'air du poste.



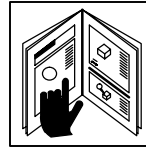
### LES CHARGES ÉLECTROSTATIQUES peuvent endommager les circuits imprimés.

- Établir la connexion avec la barrette de terre avant de manipuler des cartes ou des pièces.
- Utiliser des pochettes et des boîtes antistatiques pour stocker, déplacer ou expédier des cartes de circuits imprimés.



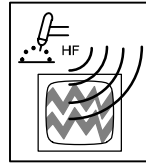
### UNE REMORQUE QUI BASCULE peut entraîner des blessures.

- Utiliser les supports de la remorque ou des blocs pour soutenir le poids.
- Installer convenablement le poste sur la remorque comme indiqué dans le manuel s'y rapportant.



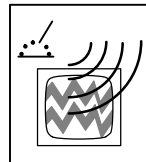
### LIRE LES INSTRUCTIONS.

- Utiliser seulement les pièces de rechange d'origine.
- Effectuer la maintenance du moteur et du compresseur (si applicable) suivant ce manuel et le manuel du moteur/compresseur (si applicable).



### LE RAYONNEMENT HAUTE FRÉQUENCE (H.F.) risque de provoquer des interférences.

- Le rayonnement haute fréquence (H.F.) peut provoquer des interférences avec les équipements de radio-navigation et de communication, les services de sécurité et les ordinateurs.
- Demander seulement à des personnes qualifiées familiarisées avec des équipements électroniques de faire fonctionner l'installation.
- L'utilisateur est tenu de faire corriger rapidement par un électricien qualifié les interférences résultant de l'installation.
- Si le FCC signale des interférences, arrêter immédiatement l'appareil.
- Effectuer régulièrement le contrôle et l'entretien de l'installation.
- Maintenir soigneusement fermés les portes et les panneaux des sources de haute fréquence, maintenir les éclateurs à une distance correcte et utiliser une terre et un blindage pour réduire les interférences éventuelles.



### LE SOUDAGE À L'ARC risque de provoquer des interférences.

- L'énergie électromagnétique risque de provoquer des interférences pour l'équipement électronique sensible tel que les ordinateurs et l'équipement commandé par ordinateur tel que les robots.
- Veiller à ce que tout l'équipement de la zone de soudage soit compatible électromagnétiquement.
- Pour réduire la possibilité d'interférence, maintenir les câbles de soudage aussi courts que possible, les grouper, et les poser aussi bas que possible (ex. par terre).
- Veiller à souder à une distance de 100 mètres de tout équipement électronique sensible.
- Veiller à ce que ce poste de soudage soit posé et mis à la terre conformément à ce mode d'emploi.
- En cas d'interférences après avoir pris les mesures précédentes, il incombe à l'utilisateur de prendre des mesures supplémentaires telles que le déplacement du poste, l'utilisation de câbles blindés, l'utilisation de filtres de ligne ou la pose de protecteurs dans la zone de travail.

## 2-6. Principales normes de sécurité

Safety in Welding, Cutting, and Allied Processes, norme ANSI Z49.1, de l'American Welding Society, 550 N.W. LeJeune Rd, Miami FL 33126 (téléphone : (305) 443-9353, site Web : [www.aws.org](http://www.aws.org)).

Recommended Safe Practices for the Preparation for Welding and Cutting of Containers and Piping, norme American Welding Society AWS F4.1, de l'American Welding Society, 550 N.W. LeJeune Rd, Miami, FL 33126 (téléphone : (305) 443-9353, site Web : [www.aws.org](http://www.aws.org)).

National Electrical Code, norme NFPA 70, de la National Fire Protection Association, P.O. Box 9101, 1 Battery March Park, Quincy, MA 02269-9101 (téléphone : (617) 770-3000, sites Web : [www.nfpa.org](http://www.nfpa.org) et [www.sparky.org](http://www.sparky.org)).

Safe Handling of Compressed Gases in Cylinders, brochure CGA P-1, de la Compressed Gas Association, 1735 Jefferson Davis Highway, Suite 1004, Arlington, VA 22202-4102 (téléphone : (703) 412-0900, site Web : [www.cganet.com](http://www.cganet.com)).

Code for Safety in Welding and Cutting, norme CSA W117.2, de la Canadian Standards Association, Standards Sales, 178 boulevard Rexdale,

Rexdale (Ontario) Canada M9W 1R3 (téléphone : (800) 463-6727 ou à Toronto : (416) 747-4044, site Web : [www.csa-international.org](http://www.csa-international.org)).

Practice For Occupational And Educational Eye And Face Protection, norme ANSI Z87.1, de l'American National Standards Institute, 11 West 42nd Street, New York, NY 10036-8002 (téléphone : (212) 642-4900, site Web : [www.ansi.org](http://www.ansi.org)).

Standard for Fire Prevention During Welding, Cutting, and Other Hot Work, norme NFPA 51B, de la National Fire Protection Association, P.O. Box 9101, 1 Battery March Park, Quincy, MA 02269-9101 (téléphone : (617) 770-3000, site Web : [www.nfpa.org](http://www.nfpa.org) et [www.sparky.org](http://www.sparky.org)).

OSHA, Occupational Safety and Health Standards for General Industry, Title 29, Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Part 1910, Subpart Q, and Part 1926, Subpart J, de l'U.S. Government Printing Office, Superintendent of Documents, P.O. Box 371954, Pittsburgh, PA 15250 (il y a 10 bureaux régionaux – Téléphone pour la Région 5, Chicago : (312) 353-2220, site Web : [www.osha.gov](http://www.osha.gov)).

## 2-7. Information sur les champs électromagnétiques

Données sur le soudage électrique et les effets des champs magnétiques basse fréquence sur l'organisme

En parcourant les câbles de soudage, le courant crée des champs électromagnétiques. Les effets potentiels de tels champs restent préoccupants. Cependant, après avoir examiné plus de 500 études qui ont été faites pendant une période de recherche de 17 ans, un comité de spécialistes du National Research Council a conclu : « L'accumulation de preuves n'a pas démontré que l'exposition aux champs magnétiques et aux champs électriques à haute fréquence constitue un risque pour la santé humaine ». Toutefois, les études et l'examen des preuves se poursuivent. En attendant les conclusions finales de la recherche, il serait souhaitable de réduire l'exposition aux champs électromagnétiques pendant le soudage ou le coupage.

Afin de réduire les champs électromagnétiques en milieu de travail, respecter les consignes suivantes :

1. Garder les câbles ensemble en les torsadant ou en les fixant avec du ruban adhésif.
2. Mettre tous les câbles du côté opposé à l'opérateur.
3. Ne pas s'enrouler les câbles autour du corps.
4. Garder le poste de soudage et les câbles le plus loin possible de soi.
5. Placer la pince de masse le plus près possible de la zone de soudage.

### Consignes relatives aux stimulateurs cardiaques :

Les personnes qui portent un stimulateur cardiaque doivent avant tout consulter leur médecin. Si ce dernier les déclare aptes, il leur est recommandé de respecter les consignes ci-dessus.



# SECTION 4 – SPECIFICATIONS

## 4-1. Weld, Power, And Engine Specifications

Welding Mode	Rated Welding Output	Maximum Open-Circuit Voltage	Amperage Range In CC Mode	Voltage Range In CV Mode	Generator Power Rating	Fuel Capacity	Engine
CC/DC	280 A, 25 V, 100% Duty Cycle	80	20 – 300 A	10 – 34 V	Continuous: 9.5 kVA/kW, 80/40 A, 120/240 V AC, 60 Hz, Single-Phase, Peak: 10 kVA/kW (w/Weld Contactor Off)	10 gal (38 L) Tank	Robin EH64 Performer OHV Air-Cooled, Two-Cylinder, Four-Cycle, 20.5 HP Gasoline Engine
CV/DC	300 A, 25 V, 100% Duty Cycle	50	10 – 33 V Min – 325 A				or
CC/AC*	200 A, 25 V, 60% Duty Cycle	75	35 – 225 A				Kohler CH-20 Air-Cooled, Two-Cylinder, Four-Cycle, 20 HP Gasoline Engine

\* AC/DC Models Only.

## 4-2. Dimensions, Weights, and Operating Angles

Dimensions	
Height	33 in (838 mm)
Width	18-3/4 in (476 mm)
Depth	45-1/2 in (1156 mm)
A	18 in (457 mm)
B	16-1/2 in (419 mm)
C	3/4 in (19 mm)
D	3-1/8 in (79 mm)
E	32-3/4 in (832 mm)
F	45-1/2 in (1156 mm)
G	13/32 in (10 mm) Dia.
Weight	
Robin: 591 lb (268 kg) Kohler: 567 lb (257 kg)	

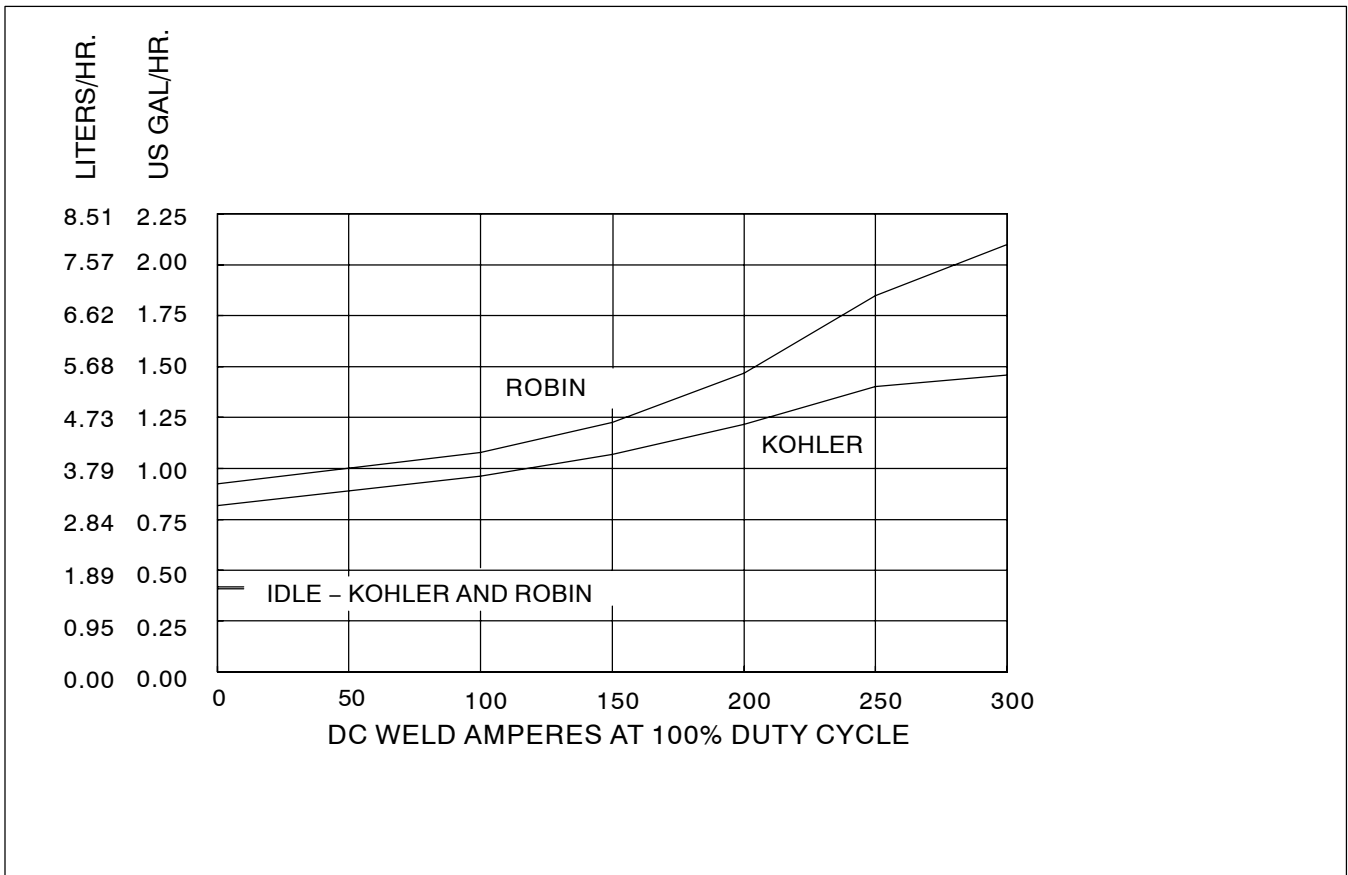
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▲ Do not exceed tilt angles or engine could be damaged or unit could tip.  
▲ Do not move or operate unit where it could tip.

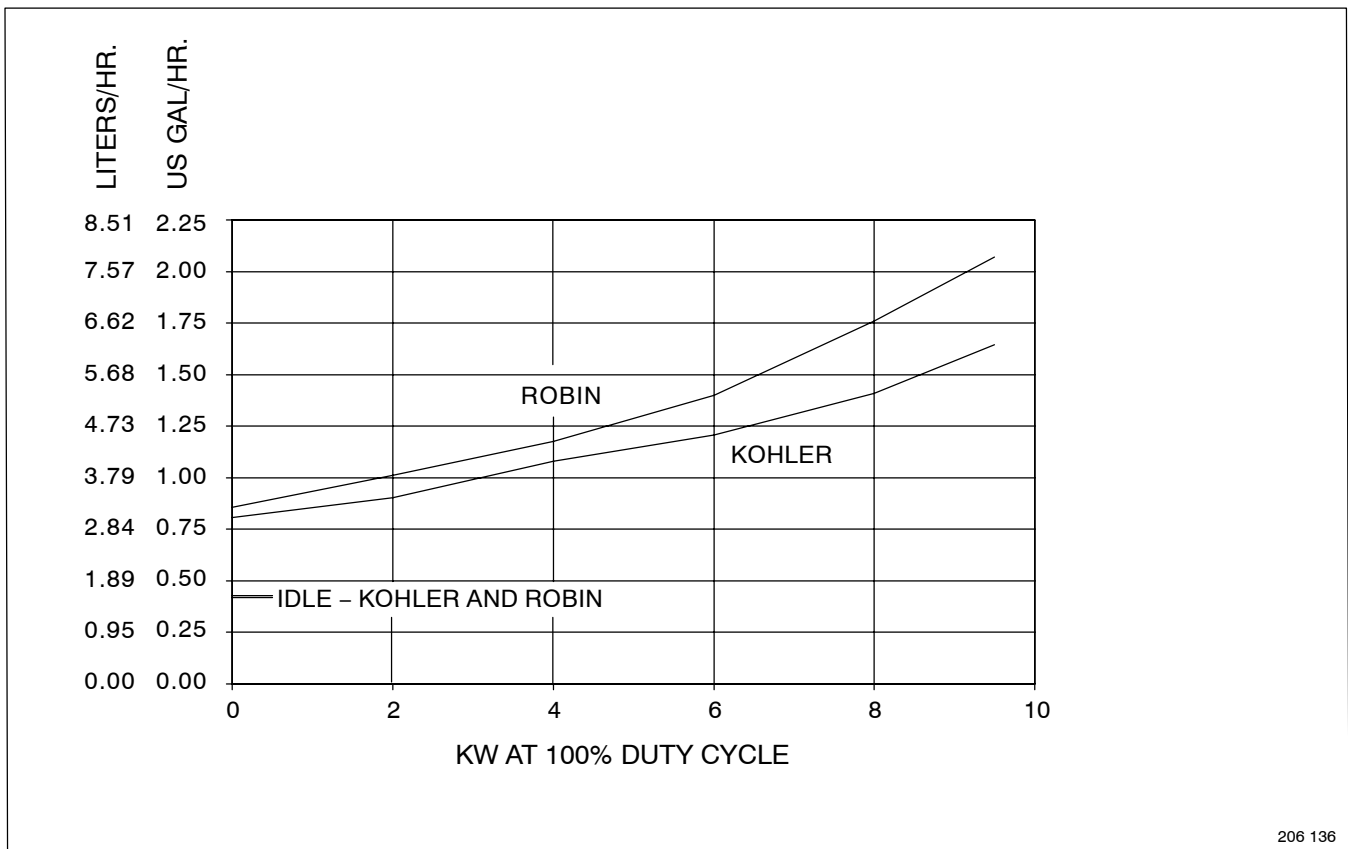
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### 4-3. Fuel Consumption While Welding

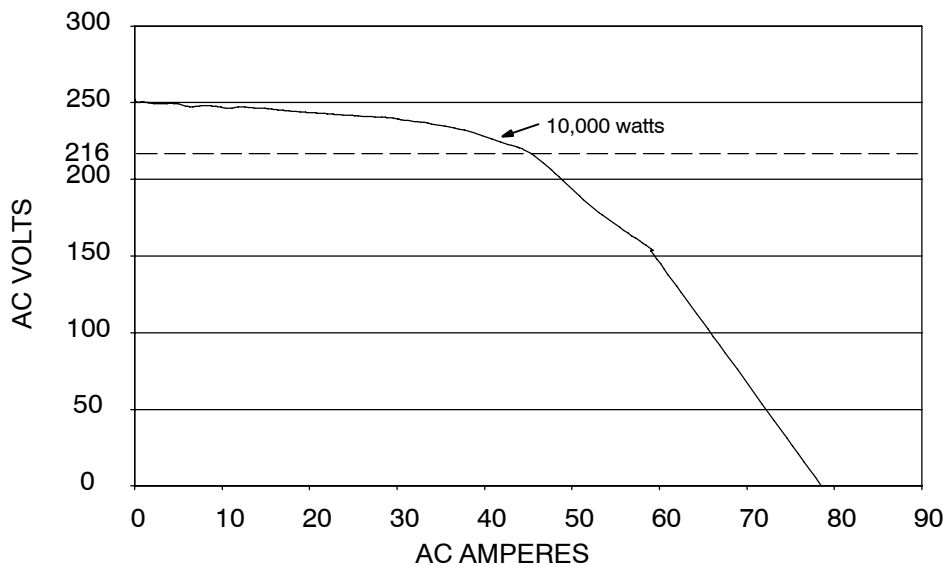


### 4-4. Fuel Consumption While Using Generator Power



## 4-5. Generator Power Curve

The ac generator power curve shows the generator power available in amperes at the receptacles.

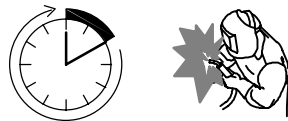


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## 4-6. Duty Cycle



100% Duty Cycle at 280 Amperes DC

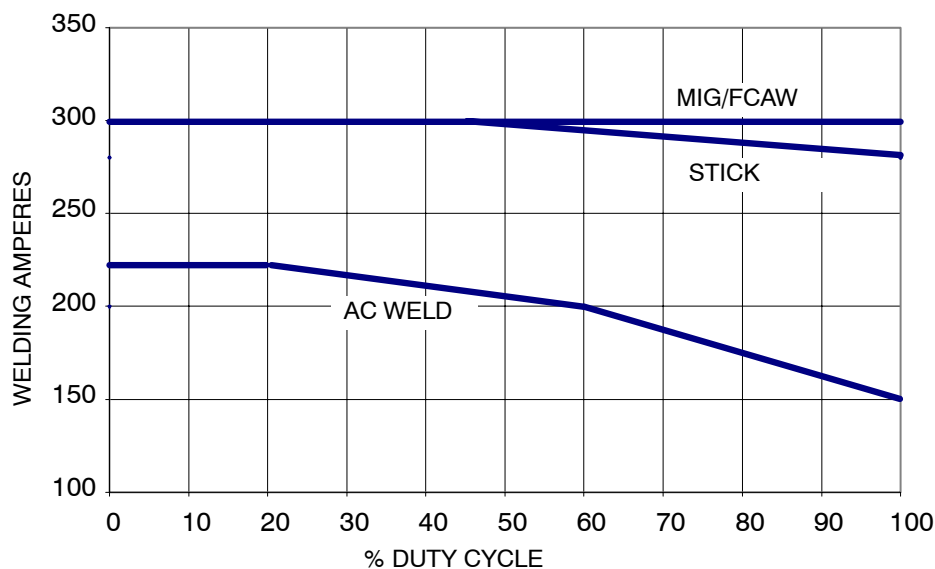


Continuous Welding

Duty cycle is the percentage of 10 minutes that unit can weld at rated load without overheating.

▲ Exceeding duty cycle can damage unit and void warranty.

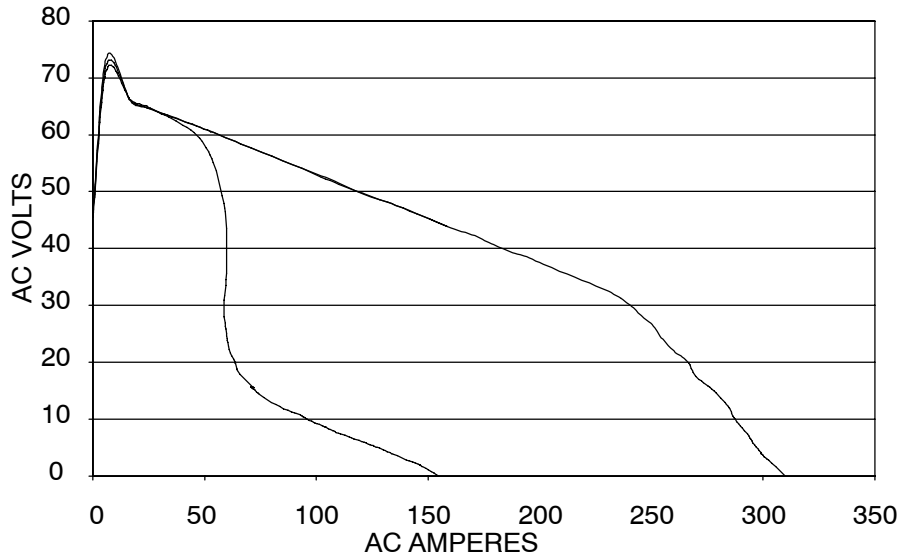
☞ AC output is not available on all models.





## 4-7. Stick And MIG Mode Volt-Ampere Curves

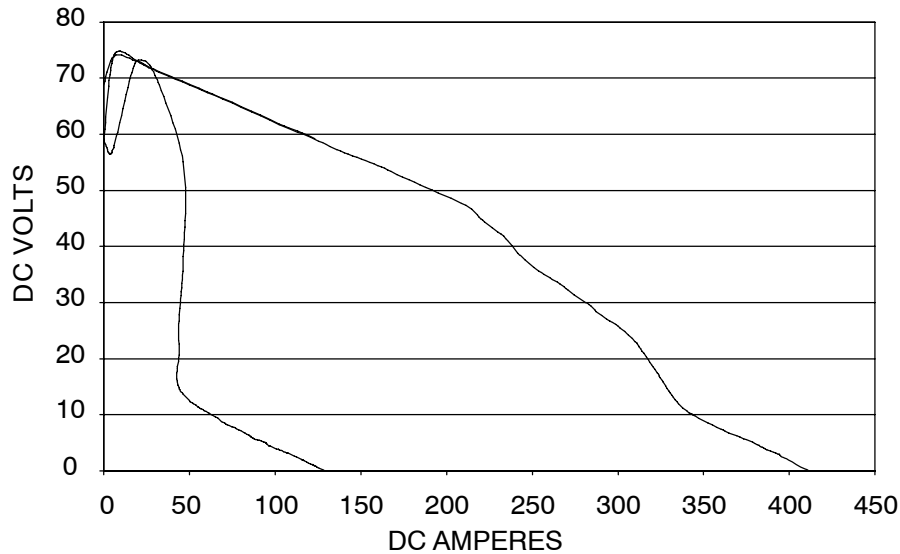
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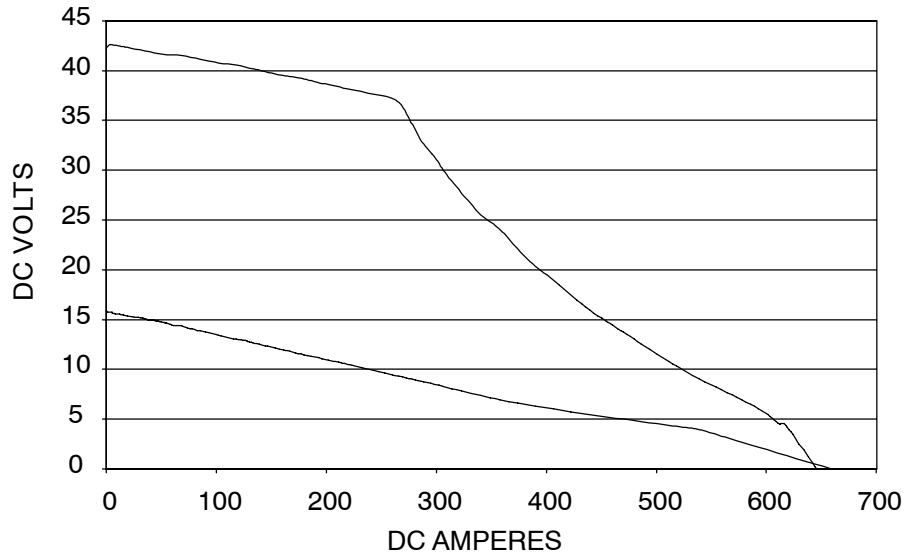
The volt-ampere curves show the minimum and maximum voltage and amperage output capabilities of the welding generator. Curves of other settings fall between the curves shown.

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### B. CC/DC Stick Mode

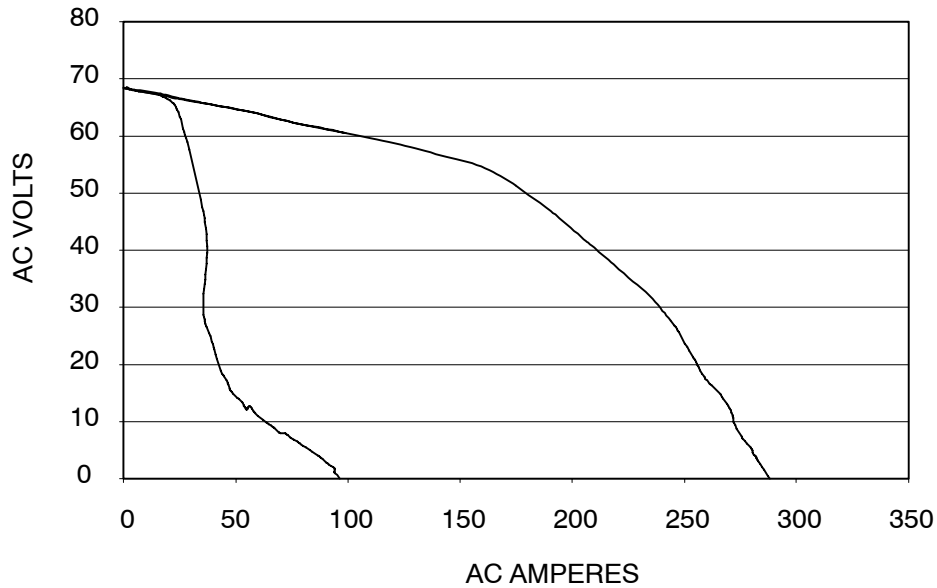


### C. CV/DC MIG Mode




## 4-8. TIG Mode Volt-Ampere Curves

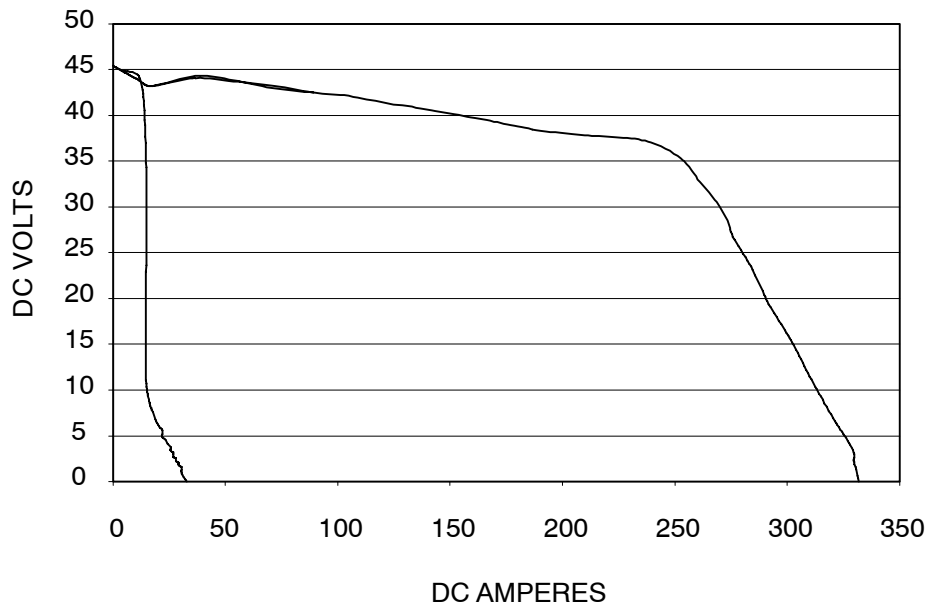
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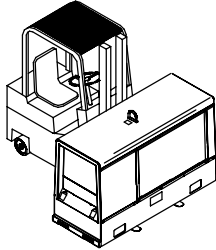


# SECTION 5 – INSTALLATION

## 5-1. Installing Welding Generator

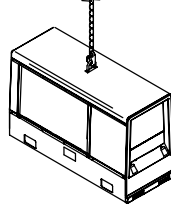


### Movement

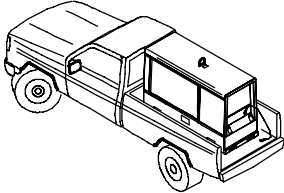


▲ Do not lift unit from end.

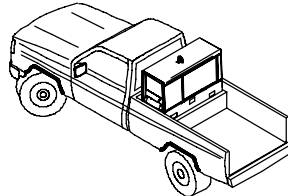
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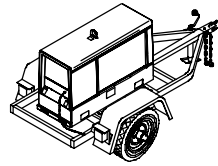
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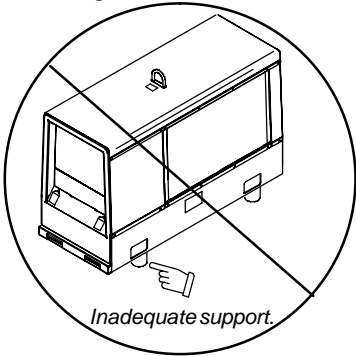
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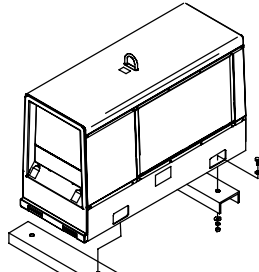
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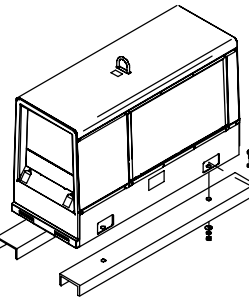
### Mounting



▲ Do not use flexible mounts.



OR



- ▲ Do not weld on base. Welding on base can cause fuel tank fire or explosion. Bolt unit down using holes provided in base.
- ▲ Always securely fasten welding generator onto transport vehicle or trailer and comply with all DOT and other applicable codes.
- ▲ Do not mount unit by supporting the base only at the four mounting holes. Use cross-supports to adequately support unit and prevent damage to base.
- ▲ Always ground generator frame to vehicle frame to prevent electric shock and static electricity hazards.
- ▲ If unit does not have GFCI receptacles, use GFCI-protected extension cord.

### Mounting:

- 1 Cross-Supports

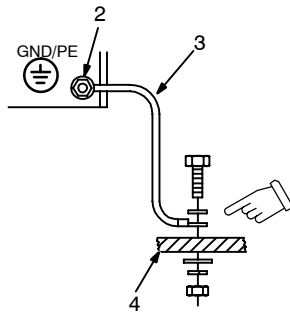
Mount unit on flat surface or use cross-supports to support base.

### Grounding:

- 2 Equipment Grounding Terminal (On Front Panel)
- 3 Grounding Cable (Not Supplied)
- 4 Metal Vehicle Frame

Connect cable from equipment ground terminal to metal vehicle frame. Use #10 AWG or larger insulated copper wire.

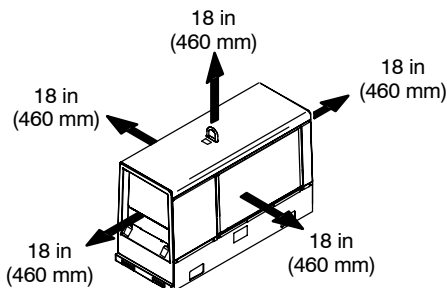
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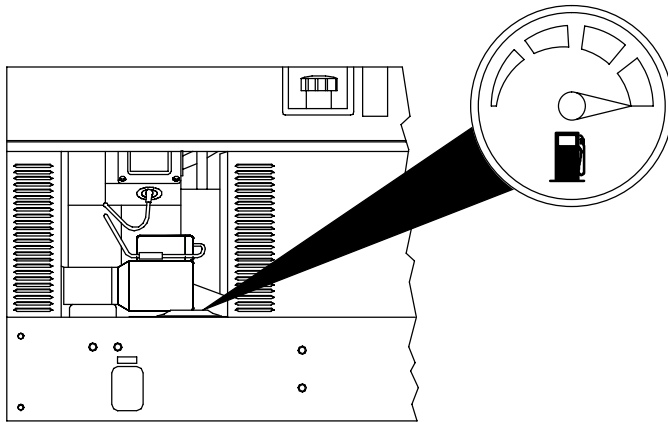
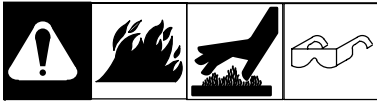
Electrically bond generator frame to vehicle frame by metal-to-metal contact.

- ▲ Bed liners, shipping skids, and some running gears insulate the welding generator from the vehicle frame. Always connect a ground wire from the generator equipment grounding terminal to bare metal on the vehicle frame as shown.

### Airflow Clearance



## 5-2. Engine Prestart Checks (Robin EH64-Powered Units)



Check all fluids daily. Engine must be cold and on a level surface. Unit is shipped with 10W30 engine oil.

☞ Follow run-in procedure in engine manual.

☞ This unit has a low oil pressure shutdown switch. However, some conditions may cause engine damage before the engine shuts down. Check oil level often and do not use the oil pressure shutdown system to monitor oil level.

### Fuel

Add fresh fuel before starting engine the first time (see maintenance label for specifications). Always leave filler neck empty to allow room for expansion. Check fuel level on a cold engine before use each day.

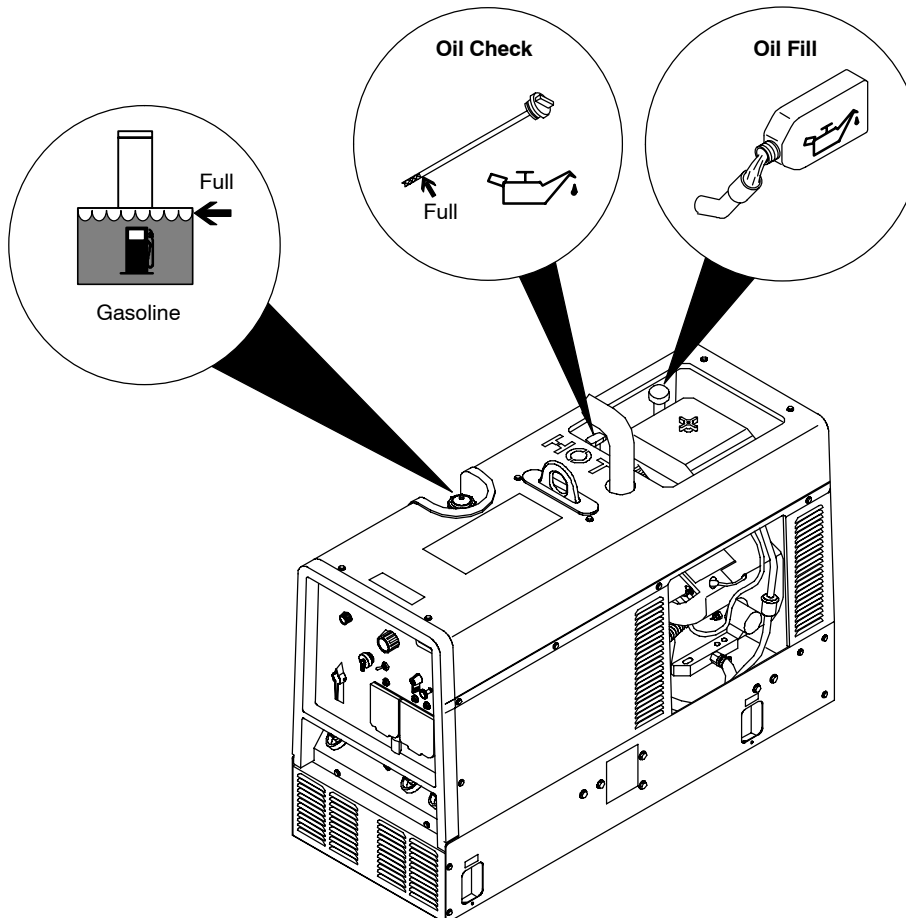
### Oil

After fueling, check oil with unit on level surface. If oil is not up to full mark on dipstick, add oil (see maintenance label).

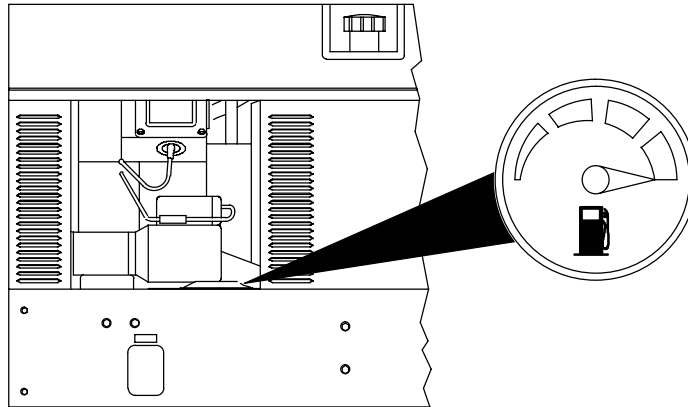
☞ To improve cold weather starting:

*Keep battery in good condition. Store battery in warm area.*

*Use correct grade oil for cold weather.*



### 5-3. Engine Prestart Checks (Kohler-Powered Units)



Check all fluids daily. Engine must be cold and on a level surface. Unit is shipped with 10W30 engine oil.

☞ Follow run-in procedure in engine manual.

☞ This unit has a low oil pressure shutdown switch. However, some conditions may cause engine damage before the engine shuts down. Check oil level often and do not use the oil pressure shutdown system to monitor oil level.

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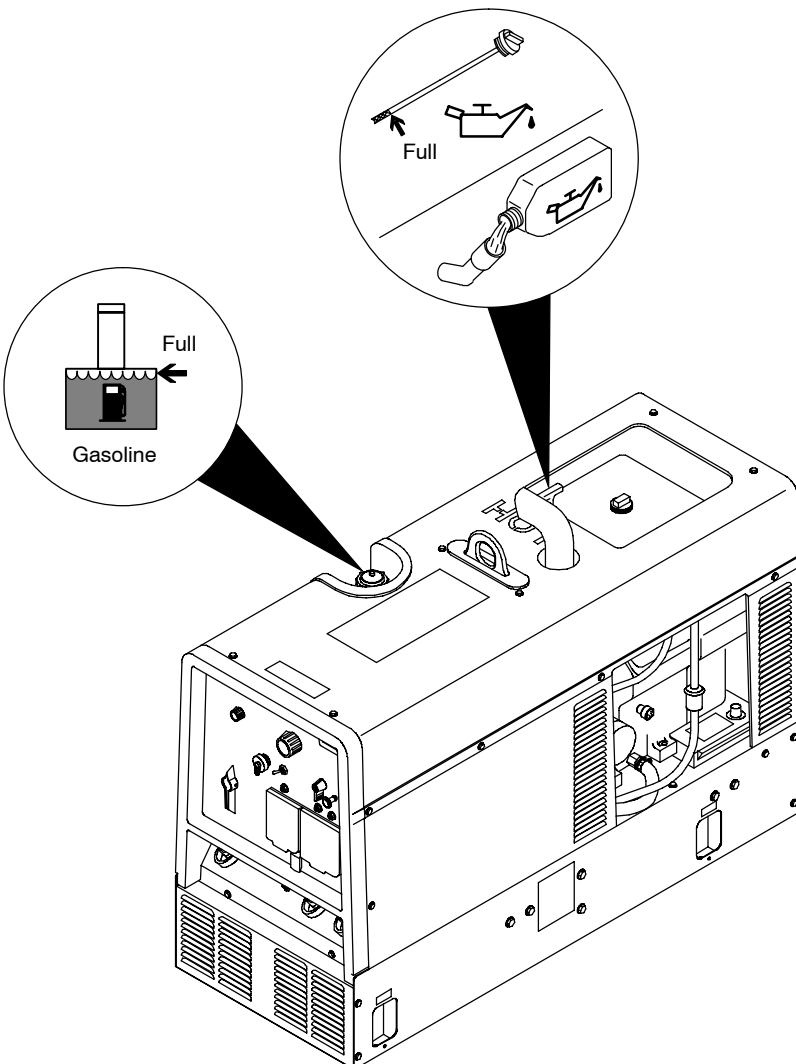
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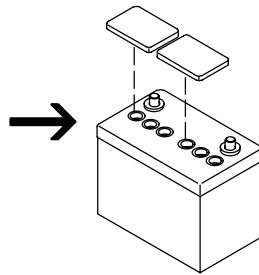
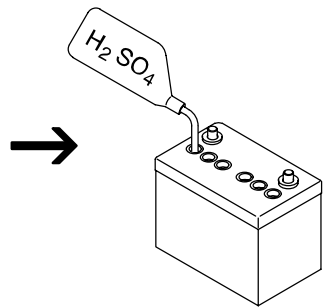
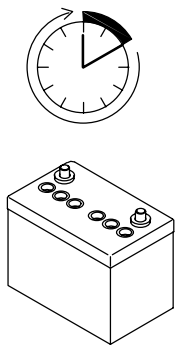
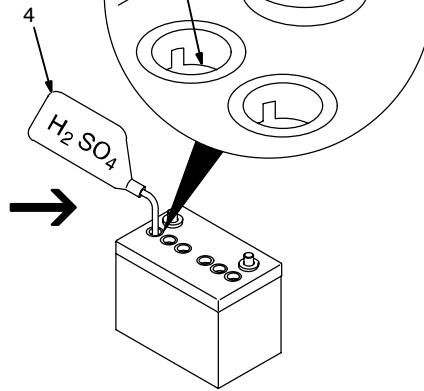
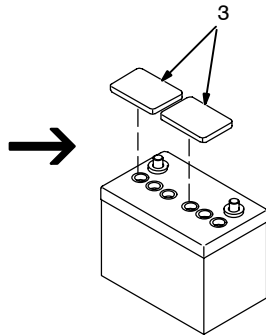
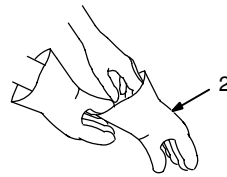
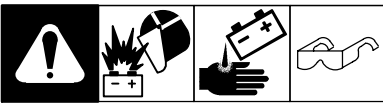
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*Keep battery in good condition. Store battery in warm area.*

*Use correct grade oil for cold weather.*



## 5-4. Activating The Dry Charge Battery (If Applicable)

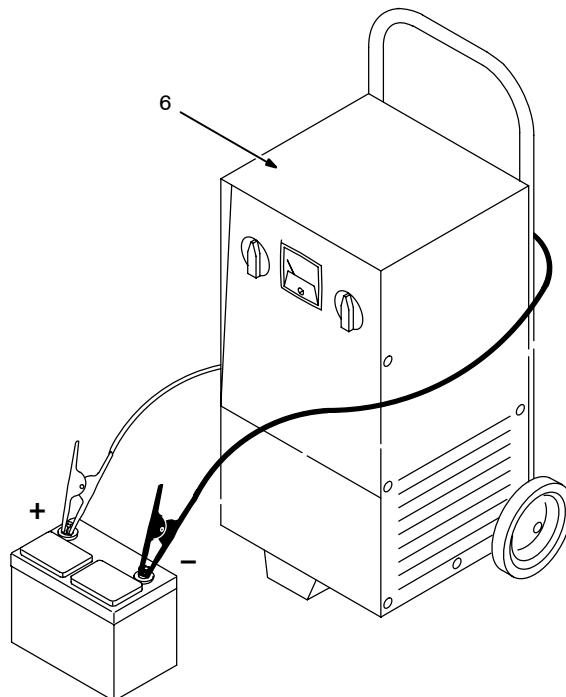


5 A For 30 Minutes

OR



30 A For 12 Minutes



Remove battery from unit.

- 1 Eye Protection – Safety Glasses Or Face Shield
- 2 Rubber Gloves
- 3 Vent Caps
- 4 Sulfuric Acid Electrolyte (1.265 Specific Gravity)
- 5 Well

Fill each cell with electrolyte to **bottom** of well (maximum).

▲ **Do not overfill battery cells.**

Wait ten minutes and check electrolyte level. If necessary, add electrolyte to raise to proper level. Reinstall vent caps.

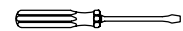
- 6 Battery Charger

▲ **Read and follow all instructions supplied with battery charger.**

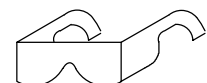
Charge battery for 12 minutes at 30 amperes or 30 minutes at 5 amperes. Disconnect charging cables and install battery.

☞ *When electrolyte is low, add only distilled water to cells to maintain proper level.*

Tools Needed:



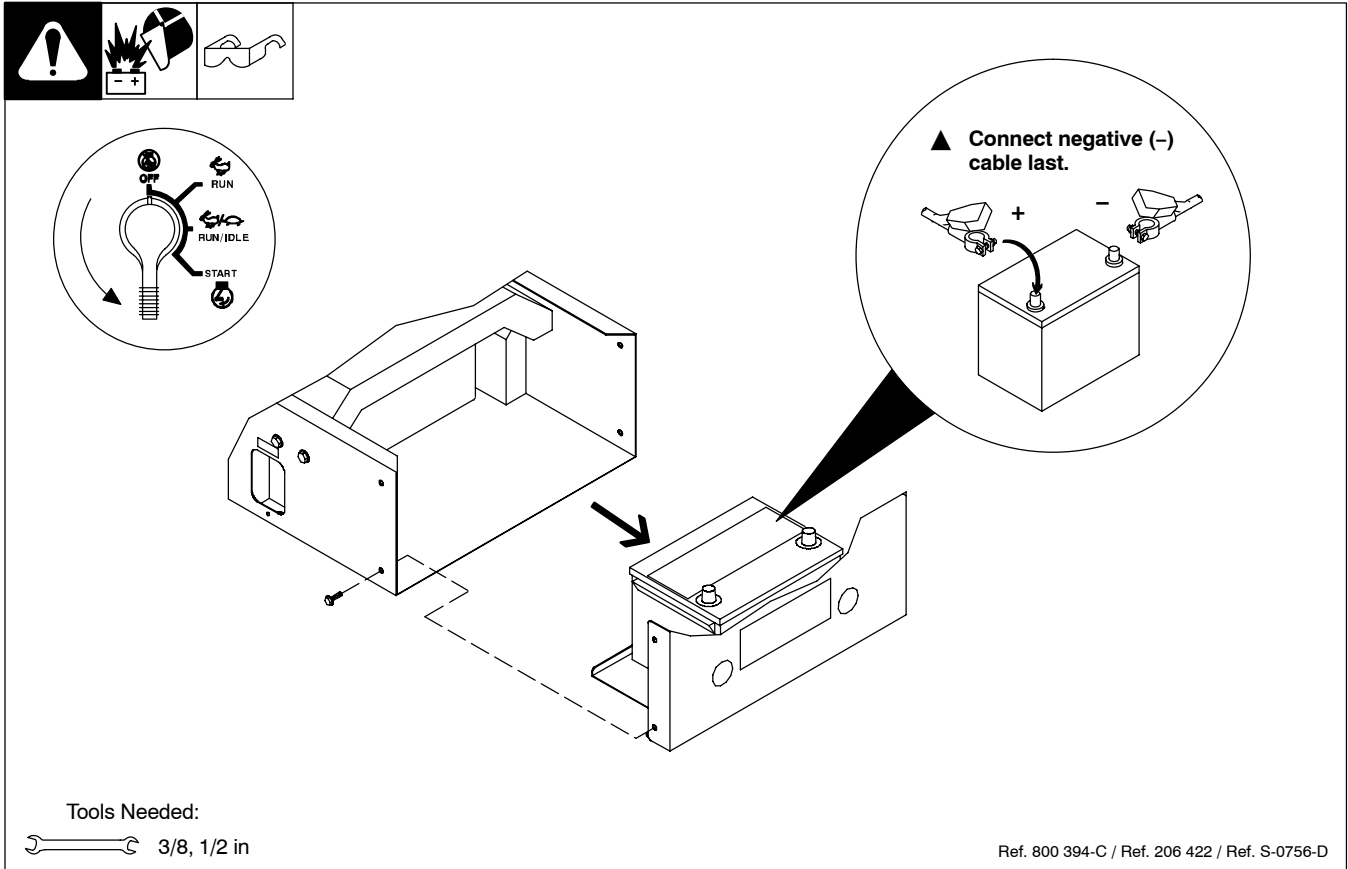
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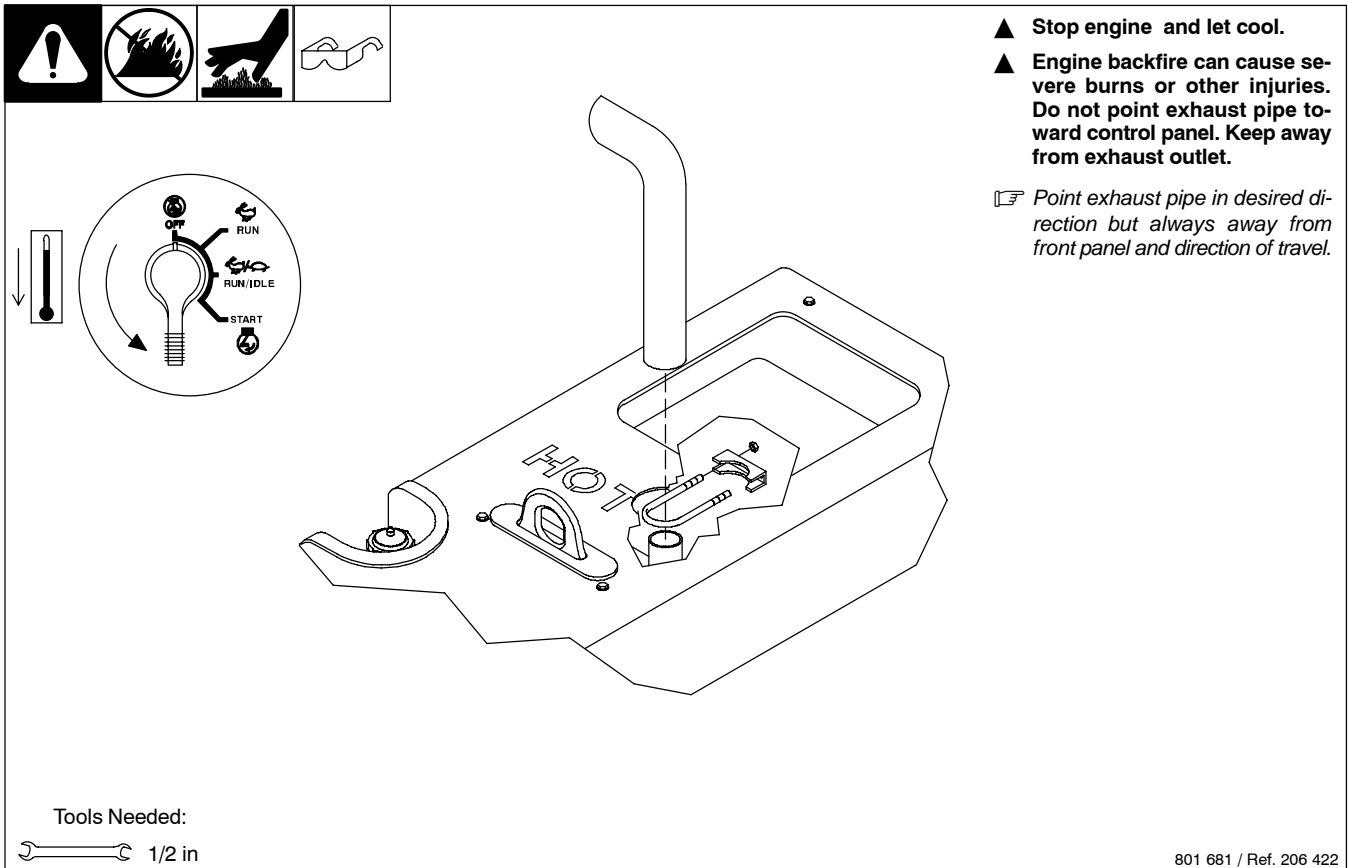
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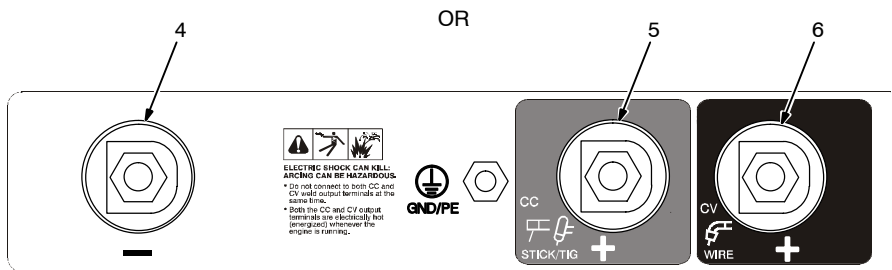
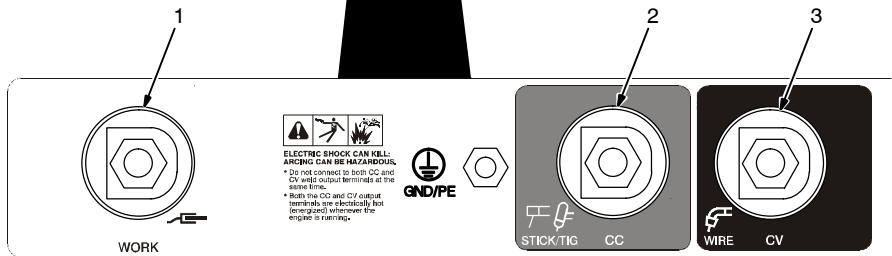
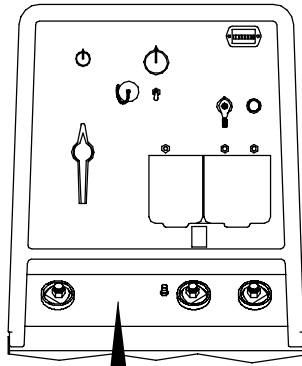
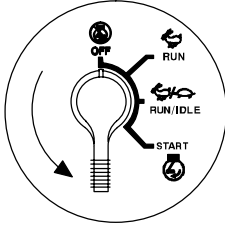
## 5-5. Connecting The Battery



## 5-6. Installing Exhaust Pipe



## 5-7. Connecting To Weld Output Terminals



- ▲ **Stop engine.**
- ▲ **Do not connect to CC and CV terminals at the same time.**

### AC/DC Models:

- 1 Work Weld Output Terminal
- 2 Stick/TIG (CC) Weld Output Terminal
- 3 Wire /CV Weld Output Terminal

For MIG welding, connect work cable to Work terminal and wire feeder cable to Wire (CV) terminal.

For Stick/TIG welding, connect work cable to Work terminal and electrode holder cable to Stick/TIG (CC) terminal.

### DC Only Models:

- 4 Negative (-) Weld Output Terminal
- 5 Stick/TIG (+) Weld Output Terminal
- 6 Wire (+) Weld Output Terminal

For MIG welding, connect work cable to Negative (-) terminal and wire feeder cable to CV (Wire) terminal.


For Stick welding, connect work cable to Negative (-) terminal and electrode holder cable to CC (Stick/TIG) terminal.

For TIG welding, connect work cable to CC (Stick/TIG) terminal and electrode holder cable to Negative (-) terminal.

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## 5-8. Selecting Weld Cable Sizes\*

 <p><b>Weld Output Terminals</b></p> <p>▲ Stop engine before connecting to weld output terminals.</p> <p>▲ Do not use worn, damaged, undersized, or poorly spliced cables.</p>	Welding Amperes	Weld Cable Size** and Total Cable (Copper) Length in Weld Circuit Not Exceeding***							
		100 ft (30 m) or Less		150 ft (45 m)	200 ft (60 m)	250 ft (70 m)	300 ft (90 m)	350 ft (105 m)	400 ft (120 m)
		10 – 60% Duty Cycle	60 – 100% Duty Cycle	10 – 100% Duty Cycle					
	100	4 (20)	4 (20)	4 (20)	3 (30)	2 (35)	1 (50)	1/0 (60)	1/0 (60)
	150	3 (30)	3 (30)	2 (35)	1 (50)	1/0 (60)	2/0 (70)	3/0 (95)	3/0 (95)
	200	3 (30)	2 (35)	1 (50)	1/0 (60)	2/0 (70)	3/0 (95)	4/0 (120)	4/0 (120)
	250	2 (35)	1 (50)	1/0 (60)	2/0 (70)	3/0 (95)	4/0 (120)	2 ea. 2/0 (2x70)	2 ea. 2/0 (2x70)
	300	1 (50)	1/0 (60)	2/0 (70)	3/0 (95)	4/0 (120)	2 ea. 2/0 (2x70)	2 ea. 3/0 (2x95)	2 ea. 3/0 (2x95)
	350	1/0 (60)	2/0 (70)	3/0 (95)	4/0 (120)	2 ea. 2/0 (2x70)	2 ea. 3/0 (2x95)	2 ea. 3/0 (2x95)	2 ea. 4/0 (2x120)
	400	1/0 (60)	2/0 (70)	3/0 (95)	4/0 (120)	2 ea. 2/0 (2x70)	2 ea. 3/0 (2x95)	2 ea. 4/0 (2x120)	2 ea. 4/0 (2x120)


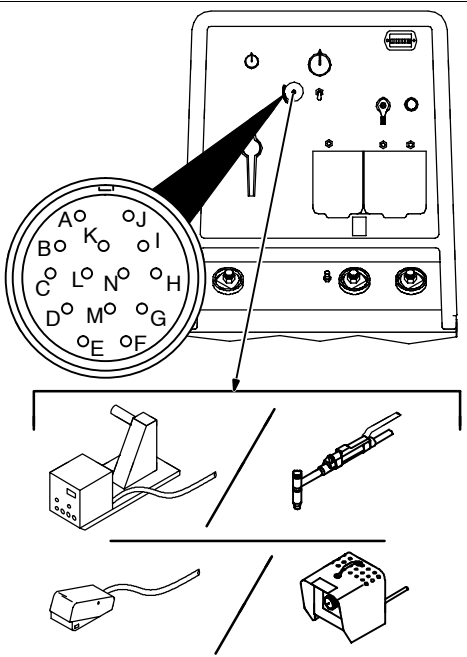



\* This chart is a general guideline and may not suit all applications. If cable overheats, use next size larger cable.

\*\*Weld cable size (AWG) is based on either a 4 volts or less drop or a current density of at least 300 circular mils per ampere.  
( ) = mm<sup>2</sup> for metric use

\*\*\*For distances longer than those shown in this guide, call a factory applications representative at 920-735-4505.

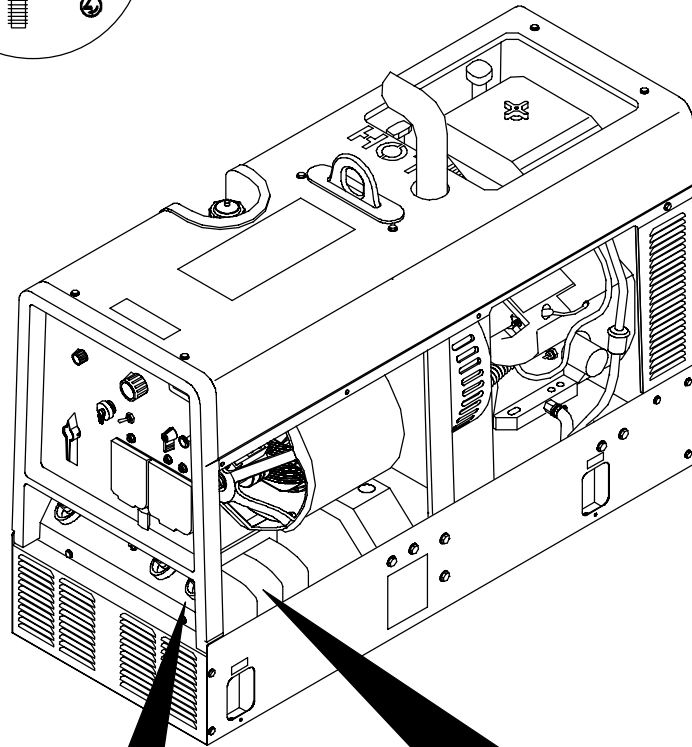
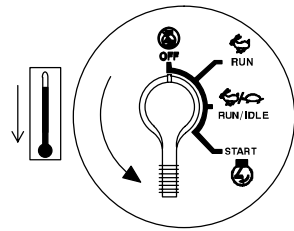
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## 5-9. Remote Receptacle Information

<b>NOTE</b> 	<i>Engine runs at weld/power speed whenever a device connected to the remote receptacle is running.</i>		
	 <b>REMOTE 14</b>	<b>Socket*</b>	<b>Socket Information</b>
	<b>24 VOLTS AC OUTPUT (CONTACTOR)</b> 	A	24 volts ac.
		B	Contact closure to A completes 24 volt ac contactor control circuit and keeps engine at Run speed in all modes. Protected by circuit breaker CB5.
	<b>115 VOLTS AC OUTPUT (CONTACTOR)</b> 	I	115 volts ac. Protected by fuse F2.
		J	Contact closure to I completes 115 volts ac contactor control circuit.
	<b>REMOTE OUTPUT CONTROL</b>	C	0 to +10 volts dc output to remote control in Stick and TIG modes. +10 volts dc output to remote control in Wire mode.
		D	Remote control circuit common.
		E	0 to +10 volts dc input command signal from remote control. Voltage is dependent on front panel Voltage/Amperage control setting.
	<b>GND</b>	G	Circuit common for 24 and 115 volts ac circuits.
		K	Chassis common.

\*The remaining sockets are not used.

## 5-10. Adjusting Wire (MIG) Weld Puddle Consistency



### ▲ Stop engine and let cool.

Stabilizer DC-Z is factory connected to suit most Wire (MIG) welding applications.

To change Wire (MIG) weld puddle consistency, proceed as follows:

Remove cover and right side panel.

- 1 Stabilizer DC-Z
- 2 Wire /CV Weld Output Terminal
- 3 Stabilizer Leads 29, 28, And 27

**Lead 29** – provides stiffest weld puddle

**Lead 28** – provides wetter weld puddle (for mild steel)

**Lead 27** – provides wettest weld puddle (for stainless steel)

Lead 29 is connected to the Wire/CV weld output terminal at the factory.

Disconnect lead 29 from the Wire/CV weld output terminal.

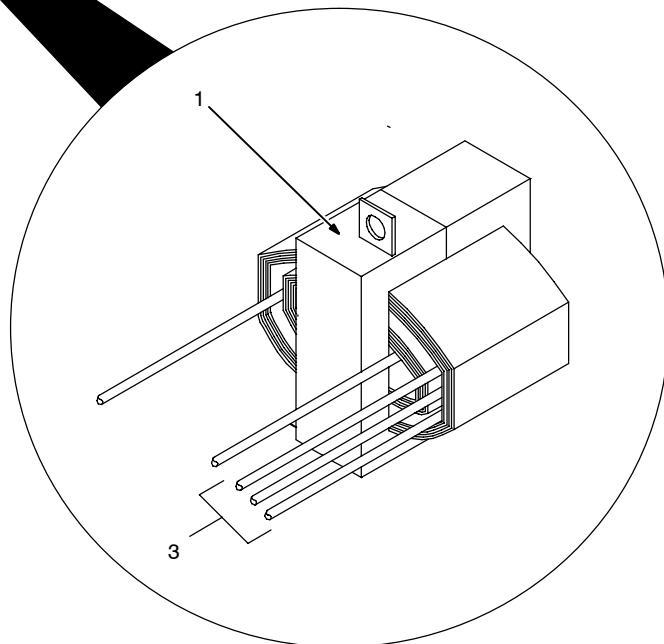
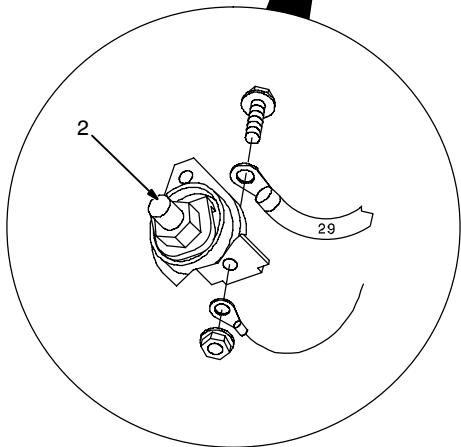
#### For wetter weld puddle (for mild steel):

Remove insulated sleeving from lead 28. Connect lead 28 to Wire/CV weld output terminal, reusing hardware. Insulate lead 29 with sleeving removed from lead 28. Secure sleeving with cable ties.

#### For wettest weld puddle (for stainless steel):

Remove insulated sleeving from lead 27. Connect lead 27 to Wire/CV weld output terminal, reusing hardware. Insulate lead 29 with sleeving removed from lead 27. Secure sleeving with cable ties.

Reinstall side panel.



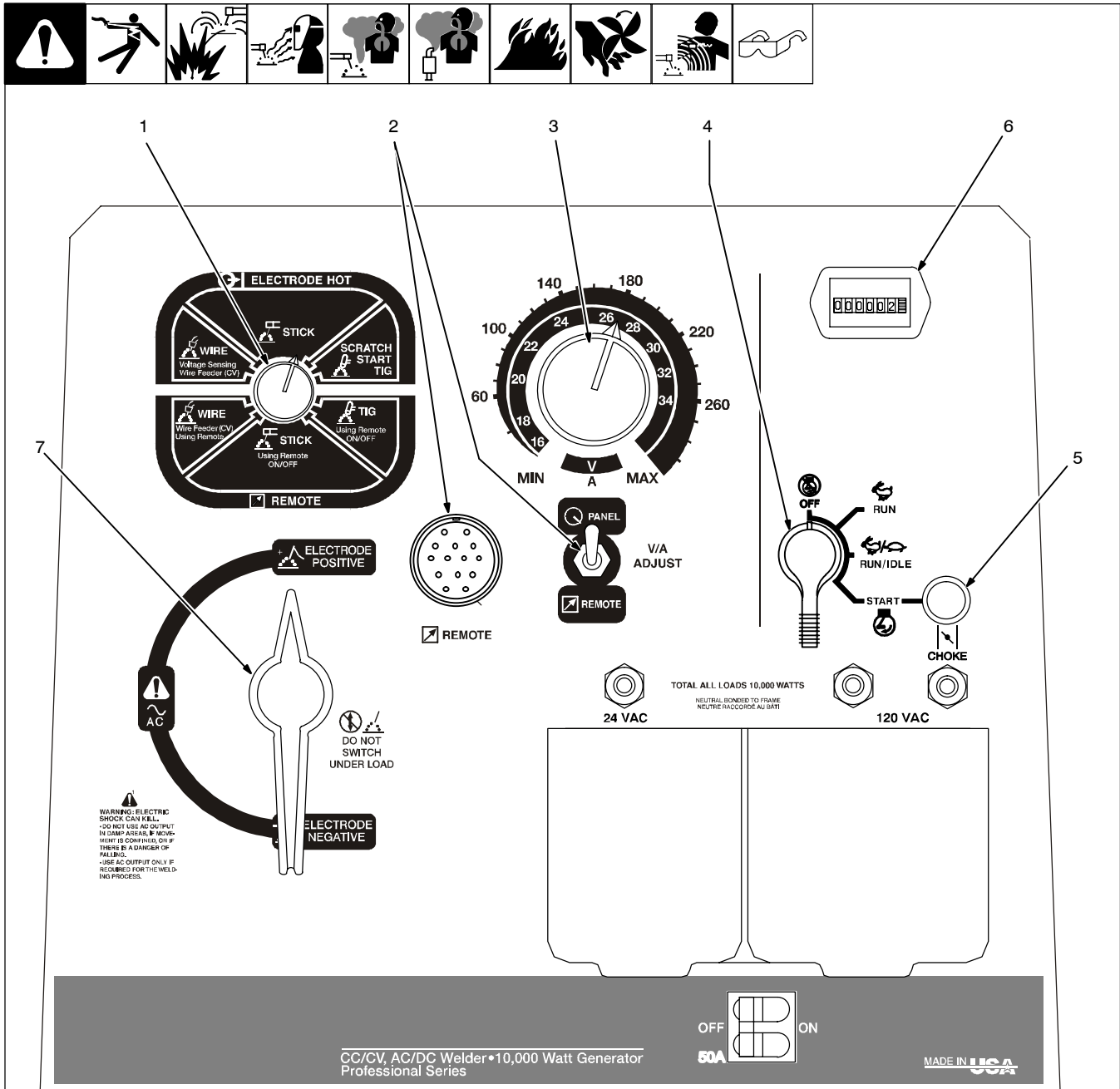
#### Tools Needed:



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# SECTION 6 – OPERATING WELDING GENERATOR

## 6-1. Front Panel Controls



### 1 Process/Contactor Switch

See Section 6-2 for Process/Contactor switch information.

### 2 Voltage/Amperage Adjust Switch And Remote Receptacle

Use switch to select front panel or remote voltage/amperage control. For remote control, place switch in Remote position and connect remote control to Remote receptacle RC4 (see Sections 5-9 and 6-3).

### 3 A/V Control

Use control to select weld voltage or amperage. Control may be adjusted while welding.

With Process/Contactor switch in any Stick or TIG setting, use control to adjust amperage. With Process/Contactor switch in any Wire position, use control to adjust voltage.

With V/A Adjust Switch in Remote position, control limits the remote amperage in Stick and TIG modes, but has no effect in MIG modes.

### 4 Engine Control Switch

Use switch to start engine, select speed, and stop engine. In Run/Idle position, engine runs at idle speed at no load, and weld/power speed under load. In Run position, engine runs at weld/power speed.

☞ Place switch in Run position for TIG (GTAW) welding using a high frequency device.

☞ The unit will not return to idle speed when the remote contactor is on.

### 5 Engine Choke Control

Use control to change engine air-fuel mix when starting engine.

**To Start:** pull out choke and turn Engine Control switch to Start position. Release switch and slowly push choke in when engine starts.

☞ If the engine does not start, let the engine come to a complete stop before attempting restart.

**To Stop:** turn Engine Control switch to Off position.

### 6 Engine Hour Meter

### 7 DC Polarity/AC Switch (AC/DC Models Only)

▲ **Do not switch under load.**

Use switch to select AC weld output or polarity of DC weld output.

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## 6-2. Process/Contactor Switch On CC/CV Models

The diagram shows a circular rotary switch with eight positions: ELECTRODE HOT (top), WIRE Voltage Sensing Wire Feeder (CV) (top-left), STICK (top-center), SCRATCH START TIG (top-right), WIRE Wire Feeder (CV) Using Remote (bottom-left), STICK Using Remote ON/OFF (bottom-center), TIG Using Remote ON/OFF (bottom-right), and REMOTE (bottom). A callout '1' points to the switch on a physical unit view below.

1 Process/Contactor Switch

▲ **Weld output terminals are energized when Process/Contactor switch is in an Electrode Hot position and the engine is running.**

☞ *The unit will not return to idle speed when Process/Contactor switch is in a Wire or TIG mode and the remote contactor is on (closure between pins A and B on remote receptacle).*

Use switch to select weld process and weld output on/off control (see table below and Section 5-9).

Place switch in Remote positions to turn weld output on and off with a device connected to the remote receptacle.

Place switch in Electrode Hot positions for weld output to be on whenever the engine is running.

Use Stick positions for air carbon arc (CAC-A) cutting and gouging.

When switch is in a Stick position, the dig circuit provides additional amperage during low voltage (short arc length conditions) to prevent "sticking" electrodes.

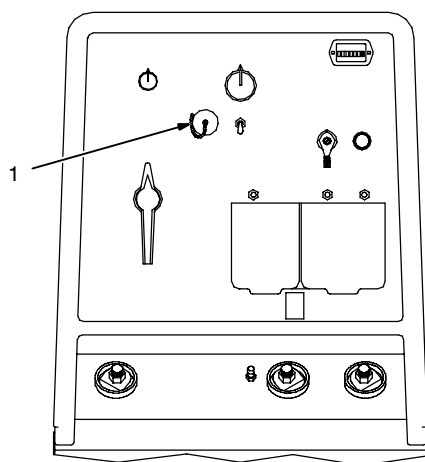
The dig circuit is disabled when switch is in Wire or TIG positions.

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**Process/Contactor Switch Settings**

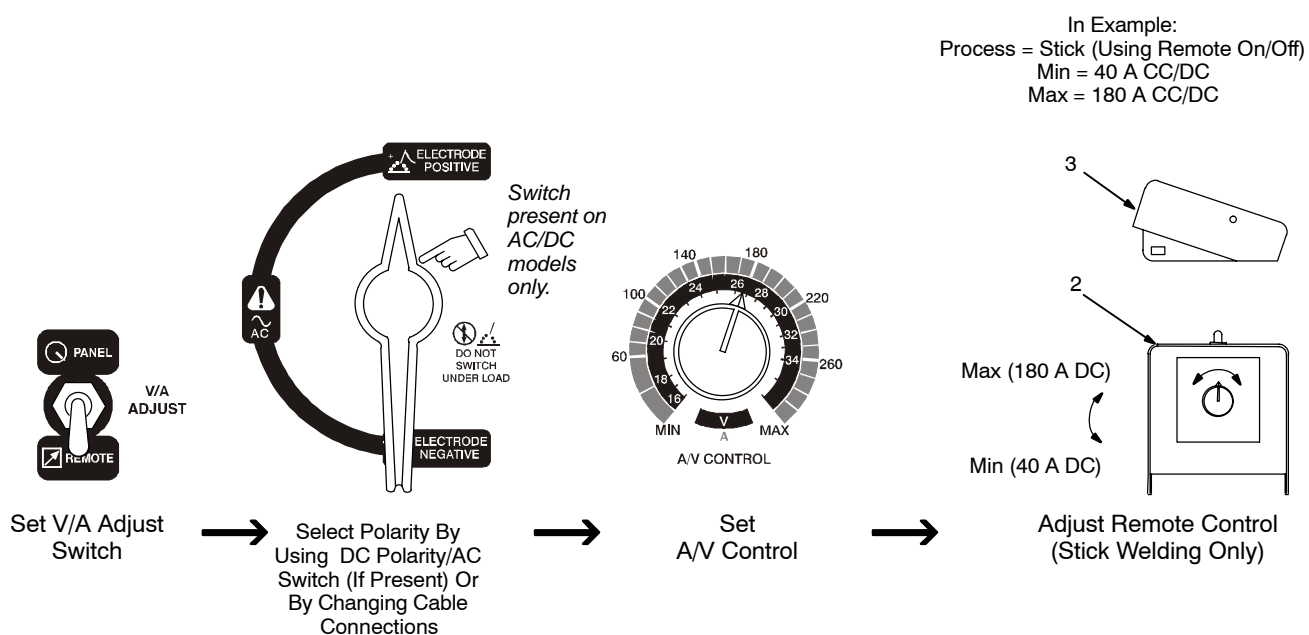
Switch Setting	Process	Output On/Off Control
Remote - TIG	GTAW With HF Unit, Pulsing Device, Or Remote Control	At Remote Receptacle
Remote - Stick	Stick (SMAW) With Remote On/Off	At Remote Receptacle
Remote - Wire	MIG (GMAW)	At Remote Receptacle
Electrode Hot - Wire	MIG (GMAW)	Electrode Hot
Electrode Hot - Stick	Stick (SMAW), Air Carbon Arc (CAC-A) Cutting And Gouging	Electrode Hot
Electrode Hot - Scratch Start TIG	Scratch Start TIG (GTAW)	Electrode Hot

## 6-3. Remote Amperage/Voltage Control



- 1 Remote Receptacle RC4  
Connect optional remote control to RC4 (see Section 5-9).
- 2 Remote Hand Control (Optional)
- 3 Remote Foot Control (Optional)

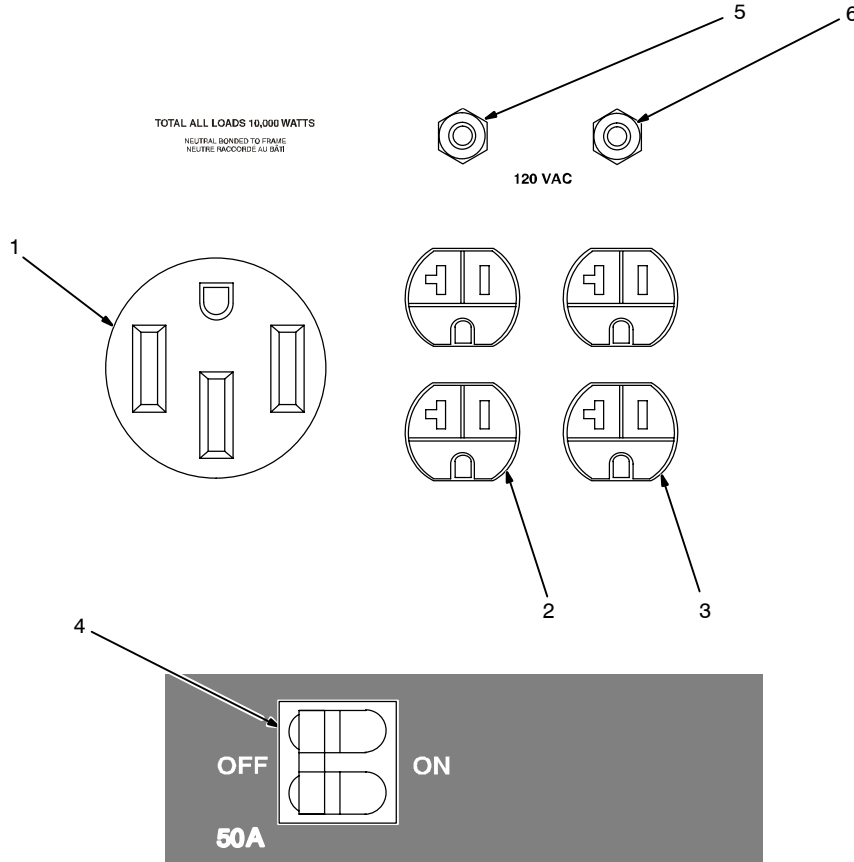
 Engine runs at weld/power speed in Wire and TIG modes whenever a device connected to the remote receptacle makes closure between pins A and B (example: trigger pull on MIG gun).



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# SECTION 7 – OPERATING AUXILIARY EQUIPMENT

## 7-1. Generator Power Receptacles And Circuit Breakers



▲ If unit does not have GFCI receptacles, use GFCI-protected extension cord.

☞ Generator power decreases as weld current increases.

1 240 V 50 A AC Receptacle RC1

RC1 supplies 60 Hz single-phase power at weld/power speed. Maximum output is 9.5 kVA/kW.

2 120 V 20 A AC Duplex Receptacle RC2

3 120 V 20 A AC Duplex Receptacle RC3

RC2 and RC3 supply 60 Hz single-phase power at weld/power speed. Maximum output from RC2 or RC3 is 2.4 kVA/kW.

4 Circuit Breaker CB1

CB1 protects receptacles RC1, RC2, RC3, and 115 volt ac output to Remote Receptacle RC4 from overload. If CB1 opens, the receptacles do not work and 115 volt ac output to Remote Receptacle RC4 stops. Place switch in On position to reset breaker.

5 Circuit Breaker CB3

6 Circuit Breaker CB4

CB3 protects RC2 and CB4 protects RC3 from overload. If a circuit breaker opens, the receptacle does not work. Press button to reset breaker.

☞ If circuit breaker continues to open, contact Factory Authorized Service Agent.

Combined output of all receptacles limited to 10 kVA/kW rating of the generator.

EXAMPLE: If 20 A is drawn from each 120 V duplex receptacle, only 20 A is available at the 240 V receptacle:

$$2 \times (120 \text{ V} \times 20 \text{ A}) + (240 \text{ V} \times 20 \text{ A}) = 9.6 \text{ kVA/kW}$$



### 7-3. Wiring Instructions For Optional 240 Volt, Single-Phase Plug (NEMA 14-50P)



Current Available in Amperes	
240 V Receptacle*	Each 120 V Duplex Receptacle
0	20
5	20
10	20
15	20
20	20
25	15
30	10
35	5
40	0

V x A = Watts

\*One 240 V load or two 120 V loads.

The plug can be wired for a 240 V, 2-wire load or a 120/240V, 3-wire load. See circuit diagram.

1 Plug Wired for 120/240 V, 3-Wire Load

When wired for 120 V loads, each duplex receptacle shares a load with one half of 240 V receptacle.

2 Plug Wired for 240 V, 2-Wire Load

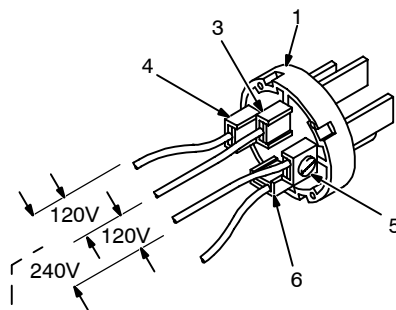
3 Neutral (Silver) Terminal

4 Load 1 (Brass) Terminal

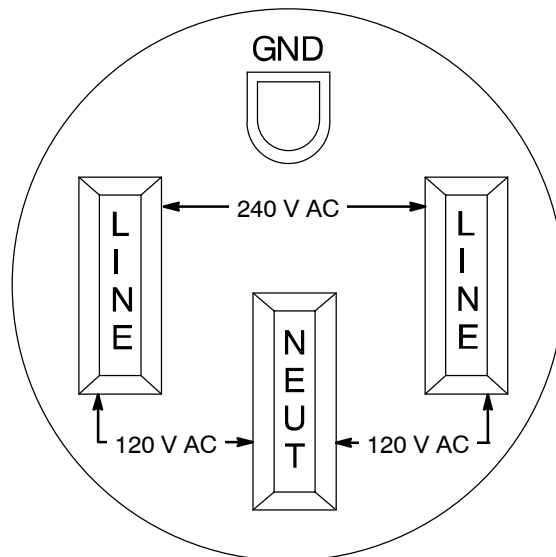
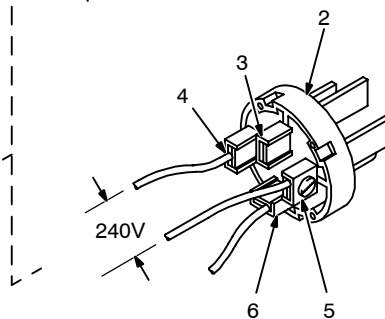
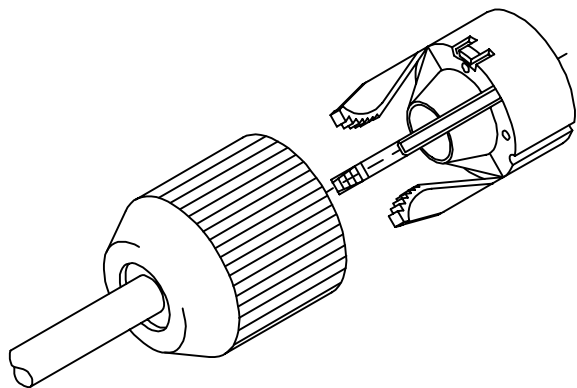
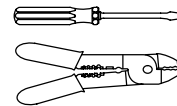
5 Load 2 (Brass) Terminal

6 Ground (Green) Terminal

7 Amperes Available using 120/240 V Plug



Tools Needed:







# SECTION 8 – MAINTENANCE (Robin EH64-POWERED UNITS)

## 8-1. Maintenance Label (Robin EH64-Powered Units)

### KOHLER CH20, ROBIN EH64/EH65 GAS ENGINES

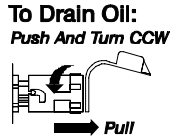


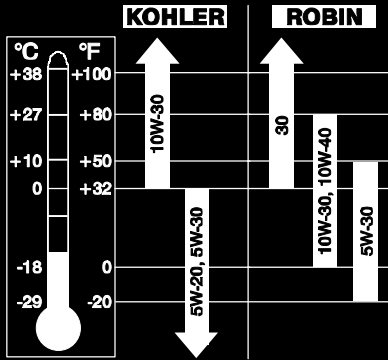
See Engine Manual for complete engine care. Give Engine Specification and Serial Number when ordering parts.



**Check Daily.**

**To Drain Oil:**  
Push And Turn CCW






**Recommended Oil**  
API Service Classification . . . SG or higher  
(If using LP fuel, use synthetic oil.)

Oil Change . . . . . 100 hours  
Oil Filter Change . . . . . 200 hours  
Oil Filter . . . . . **KOHLER:** MILLER 066 698, Kohler 1205001  
**ROBIN:** MILLER 198 754, Robin 248-65801-00

Oil Capacity w/filter change . Approximately 1.5 quarts

**DO NOT OVERFILL . . KOHLER:** Keep oil level between L & F marks on dipstick.  
**ROBIN:** Keep oil level between 2 holes on dipstick.


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**Fuel Grade . . . . .** Unleaded, 87 Octane min.  
**Fuel Filter . . . . .** **KOHLER:** MILLER 215 984, Kohler 2505008  
**ROBIN:** MILLER 215 984, Robin 263-65012-A3


*Gasoline*

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**Air Filter Service . . . . .** 100 hours – see Owner's Manual  
**Air Filter . . . . .** **KOHLER:** MILLER 067 272, Kohler 4708303  
**Air Filter Wrapper . . . . .** **KOHLER:** MILLER 067 273, Kohler 2408302  
**Air Filter . . . . .** **ROBIN:** MILLER 198 755, Robin 263-32610-A1  
*(Includes Air Filter Wrapper)*

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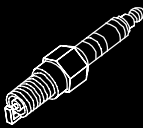
**12 Volt Battery . . . . .** BCI Group 58  
**Cranking Performance at 0°F (-18°C) . . .** 430 Amps min.

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**Engine Speed** High Speed . . . 3675-3750 RPM  
**No Load** Idle . . . . . 2200-2300 RPM  
Miller Legend. . See Owner's Manual

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
**Spark Plug . . . . .** **KOHLER:** MILLER 067 007, Kohler 1213202,  
Champion RC-12YC  
**ROBIN:** MILLER 198 777, Robin X65-01407-30,  
NGK BPR4EY  
*Use only resistor spark plugs and wires.*
















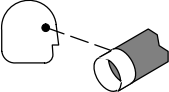
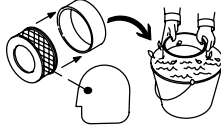

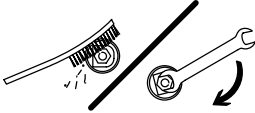

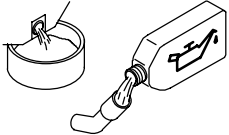
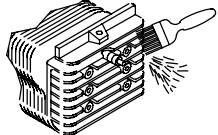
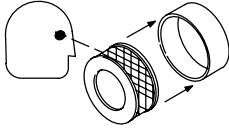
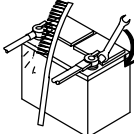
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**Tune-up and Filter Kit . . (Includes Air, Oil and Fuel Filters, and 2 Spark Plugs)**  
**KOHLER:** MILLER 180 096  
**ROBIN:** MILLER 199 062

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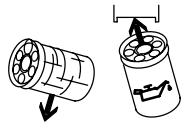
## 8-2. Routine Maintenance (Robin EH64-Powered Units)

**Note**  Follow the storage procedure in the engine owner's manual if the unit will not be used for an extended period.

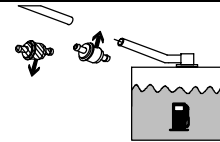
      		 <p>Recycle engine fluids.</p>	<p><b>▲ Stop engine before maintaining.</b></p> <p> See also Engine Manual and Maintenance Label for important start-up, service, and storage information. Service engine more often if used in severe conditions.</p> <p>* To be done by Factory Authorized Service Agent.</p>
 <b>Every 8 h</b>			
<p>Check fluid levels. See Section 5-2.</p>	 	<p>Wipe up spills.</p>	
 <b>Every 20 h</b>		 <b>Every 25 h</b>	
<p>Check and clean spark arrestor screen. See Section 8-4.</p>		<p>Service air cleaner wrapper (foam element). See Section 8-3.</p>	
 <b>Every 50 h</b>			
<p>Clean and tighten weld terminals.</p>			
 <b>Every 100 h</b>			
<p>Change oil. See Section 8-6 and maintenance label.</p>		<p>Clean cooling system. See Engine Manual.</p>	
<p>Service air cleaner element. See Section 8-3.</p>		<p>Clean and tighten battery connections.</p>	

 **Every 200 h**

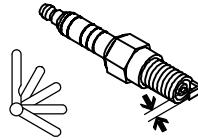
Change oil filter. See Section 8-6 and maintenance label.



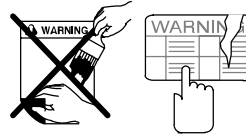
Replace fuel filter. See Section 8-6.



Check spark plugs.

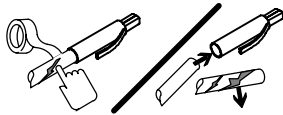


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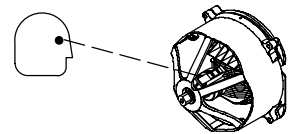


 **Every 500 h**

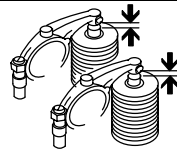
Repair or replace cracked cables.



Service welding generator brushes and slip rings. Service more often in dirty conditions.\*

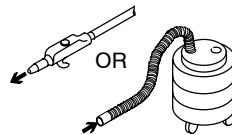


Check valve clearance.\*



 **Every 1000 h**

Blow out or vacuum inside. During heavy service, clean monthly.



### 8-3. Servicing Air Cleaner (Robin EH64-Powered Units)

**▲ Stop engine.**  
**▲ Do not run engine without air cleaner or with dirty element.**

1 Wrapper (Foam Element)  
 2 Element

Wash wrapper with soap and water solution. Allow wrapper to air dry completely.

Replace element if dirty, oily, or damaged.

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### 8-4. Servicing Optional Spark Arrestor (Robin EH64-Powered Units)

**▲ Stop engine and let cool.**

1 Spark Arrestor Screen

Clean and inspect screen. Replace spark arrestor if screen wires are broken or missing.

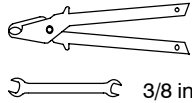
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## 8-5. Overload Protection (Robin EH64-Powered Units)



Tools Needed:



### ▲ Stop engine.

☞ *When a circuit breaker or fuse opens, it usually indicates a more serious problem exists. Contact a Factory Authorized Service Agent.*

#### 1 Circuit Breaker CB5

CB5 protects the 24 volt ac output to Remote receptacle RC4. If CB5 opens, 24 volt ac output to RC4 stops.

Press button to reset breaker.

#### 2 Fuse F2 (See Parts List)

#### 3 Fuse F6 (See Parts List)

F2 is located behind the front panel. F2 protects the 115 volt output to Remote Receptacle RC4. If F2 opens, 115 volt ac output to RC4 stops.

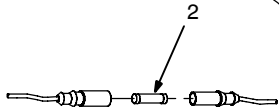
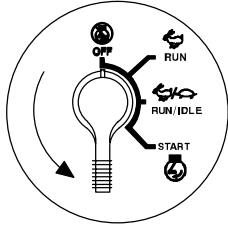
F6 protects the engine wiring system from overload. If F6 opens, engine will not crank.

#### 4 Fuse F1 (See Parts List)

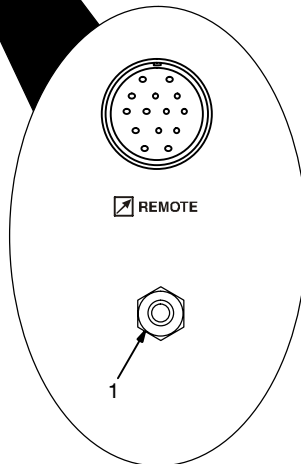
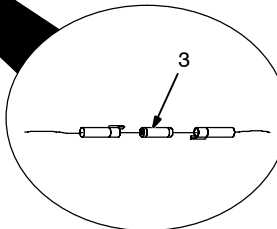
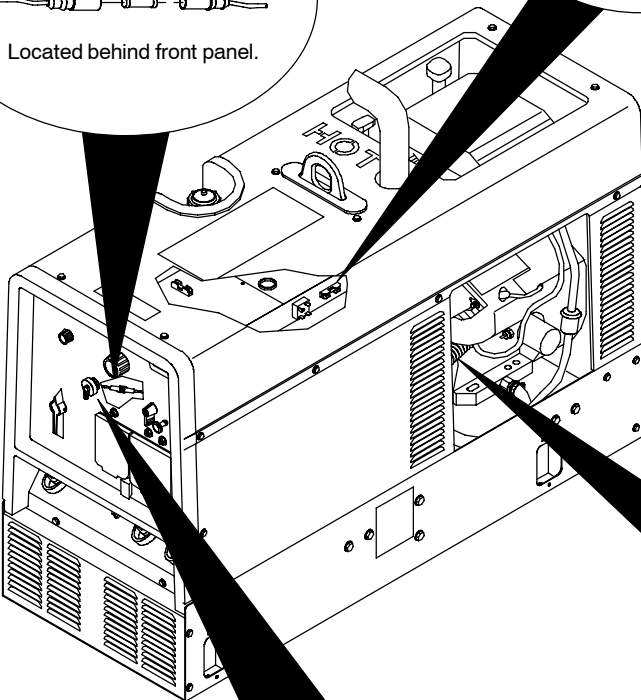
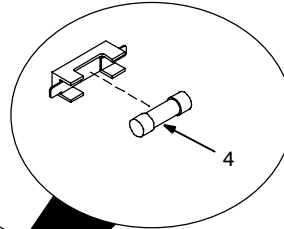
Remove side panel.

F1 protects the exciter excitation winding from overload. If F1 opens, weld and generator power output stops.

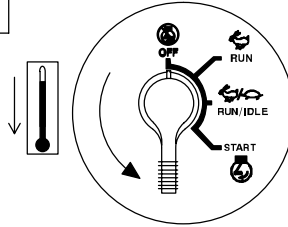
Replace any open fuses. Reinstall cover before operating unit.



Located behind front panel.



## 8-6. Changing Engine Oil, Oil Filter, and Fuel Filter (Robin EH64-Powered Units)



▲ **Stop engine and let cool.**

- 1 Oil Drain Valve
- 2 Oil Filter

Change engine oil and filter according to engine owner's manual.

▲ **Close valve and valve cap before adding oil and running engine.**

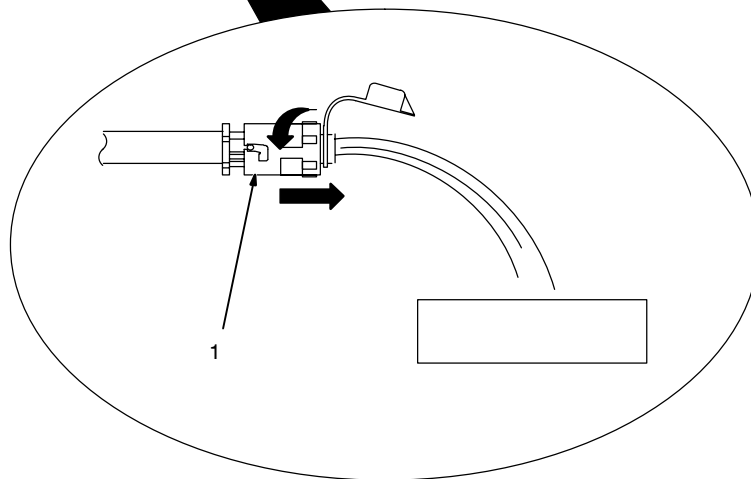
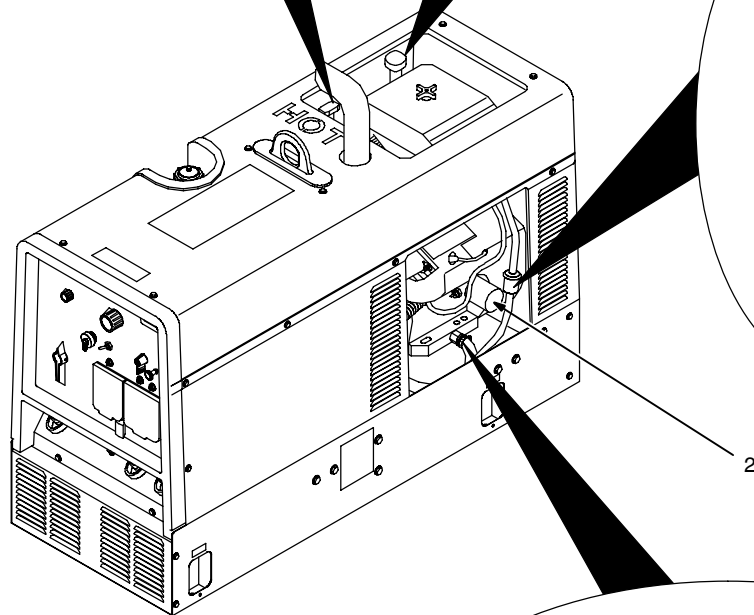
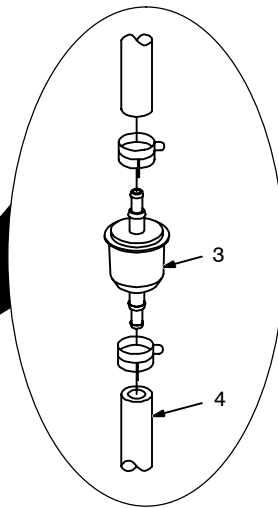
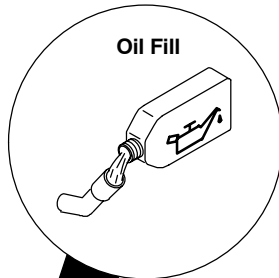
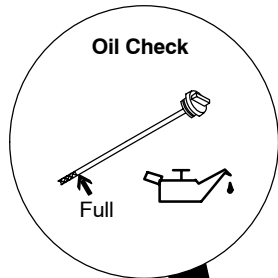
Fill crankcase with new oil to full mark on dipstick (see Section 8-1).

- 3 Fuel Filter
- 4 Fuel Line

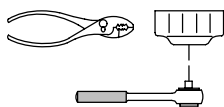
Replace line if cracked or worn. Install new filter. Wipe up any spilled fuel.

Start engine, and check for fuel leaks.

▲ **Stop engine, tighten connections as necessary, and wipe up fuel.**



**Tools Needed:**



## 8-7. Adjusting Engine Speed (Robin EH64-Powered Units)



	2200 ± 100 rpm
	3700 ± 50 rpm

After tuning engine, check engine speeds with a tachometer (see table). If necessary, adjust speeds as follows:

Start engine and run until warm.

Remove wrapper to access speed adjustments.

### Idle Speed Adjustment

Move Engine Control switch to Run/Idle position.

- 1 Throttle Solenoid
- 2 Mounting Screws
- 3 Idle Speed Screw

Loosen mounting screws. Adjust solenoid position so engine runs at idle speed. If necessary, back out idle speed screw so solenoid can be moved to correct position. Tighten mounting screws. Be sure solenoid linkage works smoothly.

Turn idle speed screw for fine adjustments.

### Weld/Power Speed Adjustment

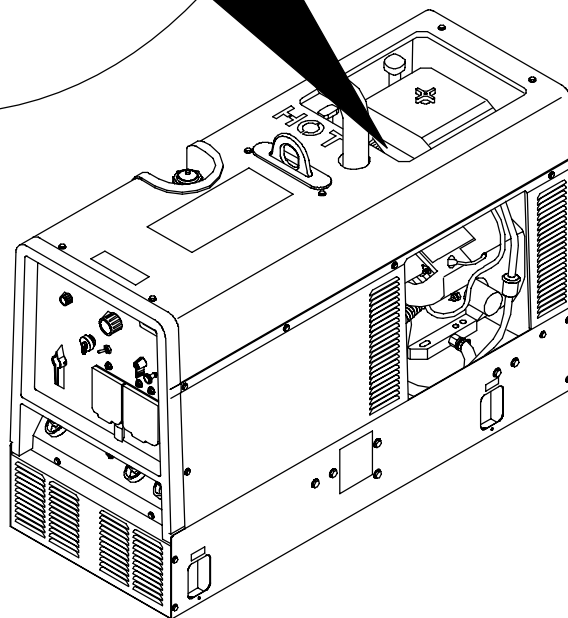
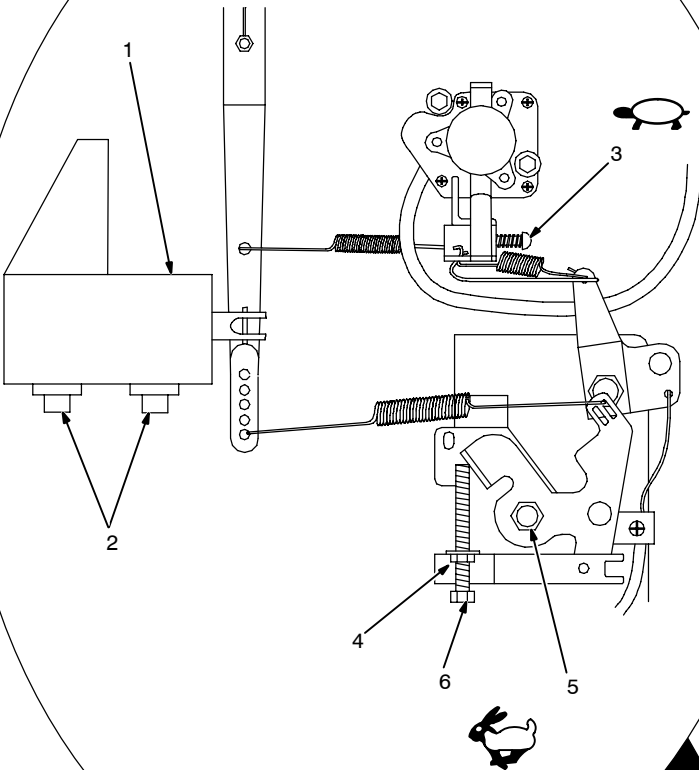
Move Engine Control switch to Run position.

- 4 Jam Nut
- 5 Lock Nut
- 6 Weld/Power Speed Adjustment Screw

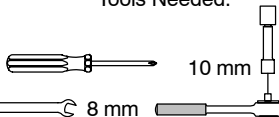
Loosen jam nut and lock nut. Turn adjustment screw until engine runs at weld/power speed. Tighten jam nut, and then tighten lock nut.

### ▲ Stop engine.

Reinstall wrapper.



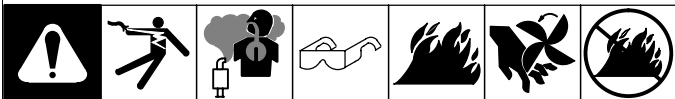

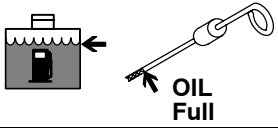

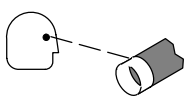
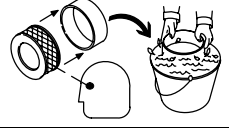
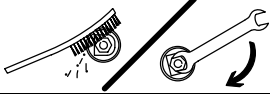
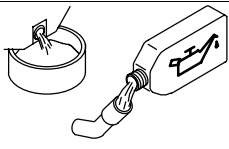
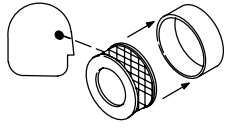
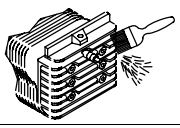
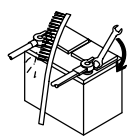
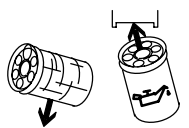
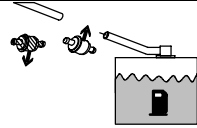
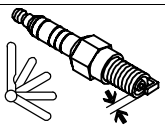
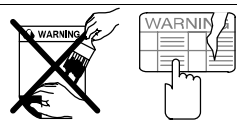
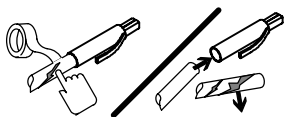
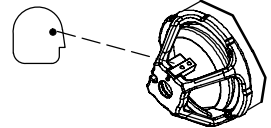
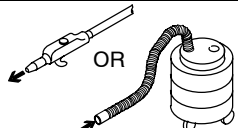
Tools Needed:



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# SECTION 9 – MAINTENANCE (KOHLER-POWERED UNITS)

## 9-1. Routine Maintenance (Kohler-Powered Units)

		 <p>Recycle engine fluids.</p>	<p>▲ <b>Stop engine before maintaining.</b></p> <p>☞ See also <i>Engine Manual and Maintenance Label</i> for important start-up, service, and storage information. Service engine more often if used in severe conditions.</p> <p>* To be done by Factory Authorized Service Agent.</p>
<p>🕒 <b>Every 8 h</b></p>			
<p>Check fluid levels. See Section 5-3.</p>	 <p>OIL Full</p>	<p>Wipe up spills.</p>	
<p>🕒 <b>Every 20 h</b></p>		<p>🕒 <b>Every 25 h</b></p>	
<p>Check and clean spark arrestor screen. See Section 9-4.</p>		<p>Service air filter wrapper (foam element). See Section 9-3.</p>	
<p>🕒 <b>Every 50 h</b></p>			
<p>Clean and tighten weld terminals.</p>			
<p>🕒 <b>Every 100 h</b></p>			
<p>Change oil. See Section 9-5 and maintenance label.</p>		<p>Service air filter element. See Section 9-3.</p>	
<p>Clean cooling system. See engine manual.</p>		<p>Clean and tighten battery connections.</p>	
<p>🕒 <b>Every 200 h</b></p>			
<p>Change oil filter. See Section 9-5 and maintenance label.</p>		<p>Replace fuel filter. See Section 9-5.</p>	
<p>Check spark plugs.</p>		<p>Replace unreadable labels.</p>	
<p>🕒 <b>Every 500 h</b></p>			
<p>Repair or replace cracked cables.</p>		<p>Service welding generator brushes and slip rings. Service more often in dirty conditions.*</p>	
<p>🕒 <b>Every 1000 h</b></p>			
<p>Blow out or vacuum inside. During heavy service, clean monthly.</p>		 <p>OR</p>	




## 9-2. Maintenance Label (Kohler-Powered Units)

### NOTE



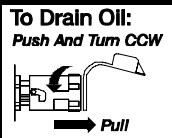
Follow the storage procedure in the engine owner's manual if the unit will not be used for an extended period.

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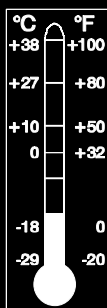


**Check Daily.**

**To Drain Oil:**  
Push And Turn CCW



Pull



KOHLER		ONAN	
↑	10W-30	↑	30
↓	5W-20, 5W-30	↓	10W-30, 10W-40
			5W-30

See Engine Manual for complete engine care. Give Engine Specification and Serial Number when ordering parts.


**Recommended Oil**  
API Service Classification . . . . . SG or higher  
(If using LP fuel, use synthetic oil.)

Oil Change . . . . . 100 hours  
Oil Filter Change . . . . . 200 hours  
Oil Filter . . . . . **KOHLER:** MILLER 066 698, Kohler 1205001  
**ONAN:** MILLER 198 754, Onan 122-0737-03

Oil Capacity w/filter change . . . . . Approximately 1.5 quarts

**DO NOT OVERFILL . . .**  
**KOHLER:** Keep oil level between L & F marks on dipstick.  
**ONAN:** Keep oil level between 2 holes on dipstick.


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Fuel Grade . . . . . Unleaded, 87 Octane min.  
Fuel Filter . . . . . **KOHLER:** MILLER 215 984, Kohler 2505008  
**ONAN:** MILLER 215 984, Onan 149-2206-01


*Gasoline*

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Air Filter Service . . . . . 100 hours – see Owner's Manual  
Air Filter . . . . . **KOHLER:** MILLER 067 272, Kohler 4708303  
Air Filter Wrapper . . . . . **KOHLER:** MILLER 067 273, Kohler 2408302  
Air Filter . . . . . **ONAN:** MILLER 198 755, Onan 187-6068  
(Includes Air Filter Wrapper)

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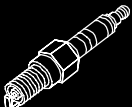
12 Volt Battery . . . . . BCI Group 58  
Cranking Performance at 0°F (-18°C) . . . 430 Amps min.

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Engine Speed  
No Load                      High Speed . . . 3675-3750 RPM  
   Idle . . . . . 2200-2300 RPM  
   Miller Legend. . See Owner's Manual

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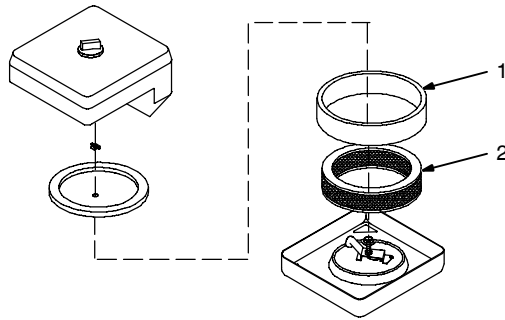
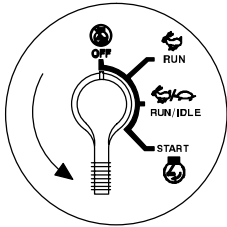
Spark Plug . . . . . **KOHLER:** Champion RC-12YC . . . . . Gap: 0.030 in.  
**ONAN:** NGK BPR4EY . . . . . Gap: 0.025 in.  
*Use only resistor spark plugs and wires.*

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Tune-up and Filter Kit . . (Includes Air, Oil and Fuel Filters, and 2 Spark Plugs)  
**KOHLER:** MILLER 180 096  
**ONAN:** MILLER 199 062

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### 9-3. Servicing Air Cleaner (Kohler-Powered Units)



- ▲ Stop engine.
- ▲ Do not run engine without air cleaner or with dirty element.

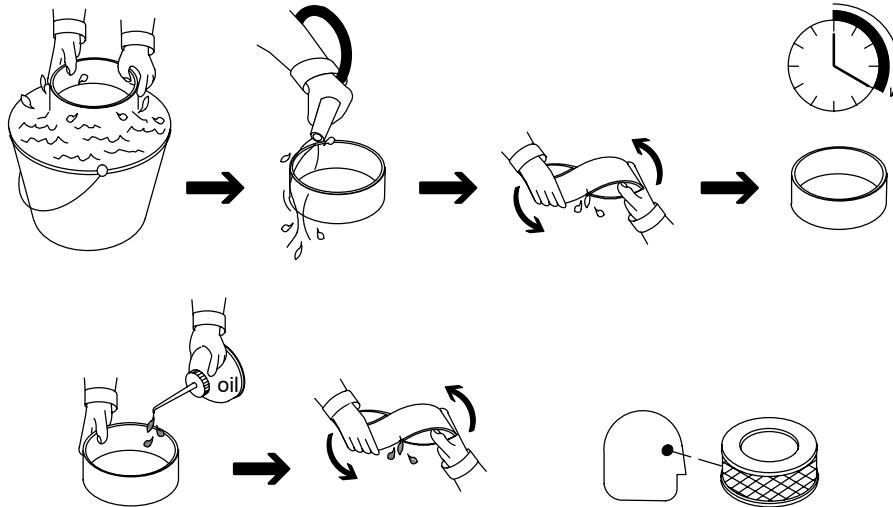
1 Wrapper (Foam Element)

Wash wrapper with soap and water solution. Allow wrapper to air dry completely.

Spread 1 tablespoon SAE 30 oil evenly into wrapper. Squeeze out excess oil.

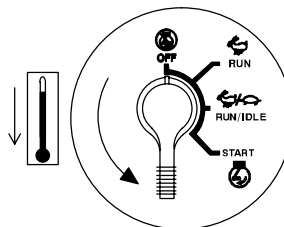
2 Element

Replace element if damaged, dirty, or oily.



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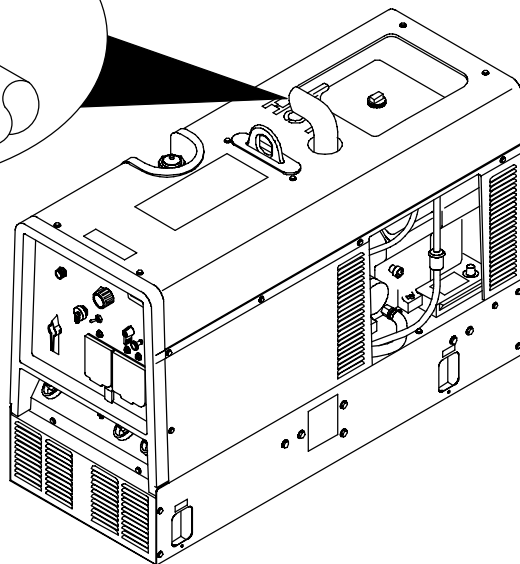
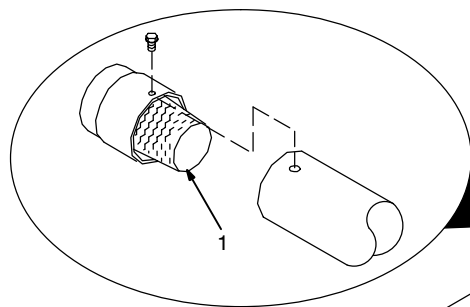
### 9-4. Servicing Optional Spark Arrestor (Kohler-Powered Units)



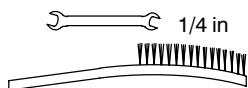
- ▲ Stop engine and let cool.

1 Spark Arrestor Screen

Clean and inspect screen. Replace spark arrestor if screen wires are broken or missing.

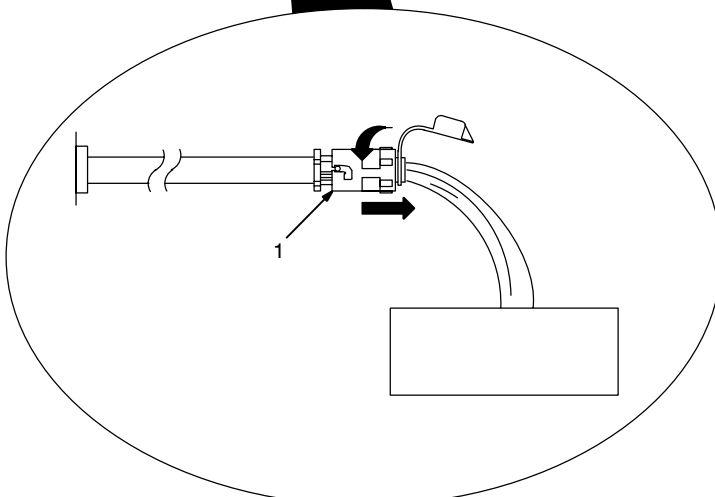
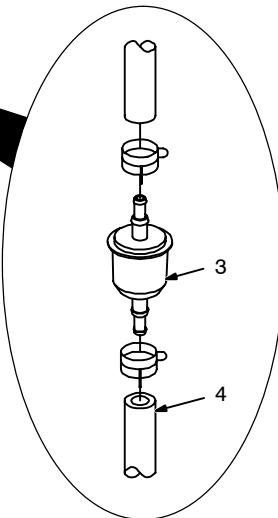
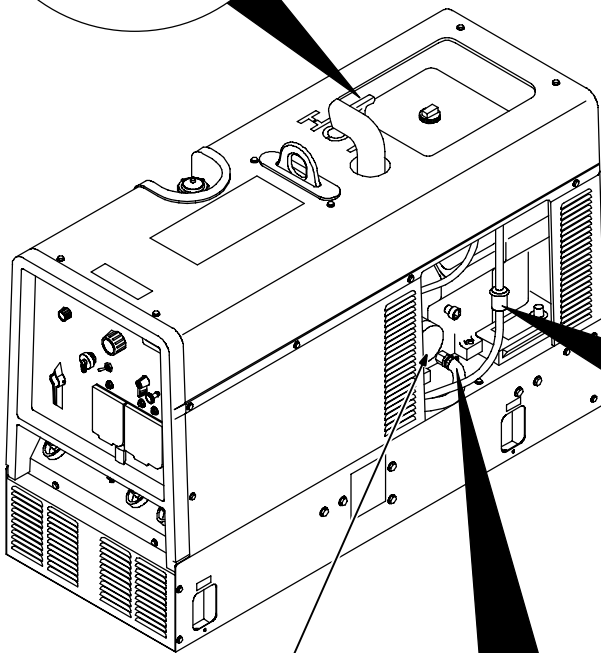
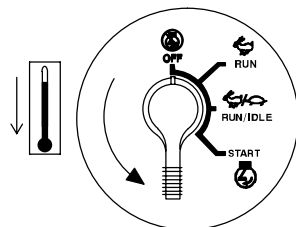
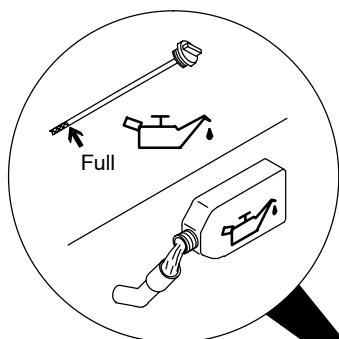


Tools Needed:



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## 9-5. Changing Engine Oil, Oil Filter, And Fuel Filter (Kohler-Powered Units)



▲ **Stop engine and let cool.**

- 1 Oil Drain Valve
- 2 Oil Filter

Change engine oil and filter according to engine manual.

▲ **Close valve and valve cap before adding oil and running engine.**

Fill crankcase with new oil to full mark on dipstick (see Section 9-2).

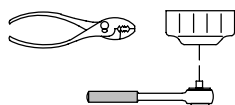
- 3 Fuel Filter
- 4 Fuel Line

Replace line if cracked or worn. Install new filter. Wipe up any spilled fuel.

Start engine, and check for fuel leaks.

▲ **Stop engine, tighten connections as necessary, and wipe up fuel.**

Tools Needed:



## 9-6. Adjusting Engine Speed (Kohler-Powered Units)



	2200 ± 50 rpm
	3700 ± 50 rpm

After tuning engine, check engine speeds with a tachometer (see table). If necessary, adjust speeds as follows:

Start engine and run until warm. Turn A/V control to 10.

Remove top cover to access speed adjustments.

### Idle Speed Adjustment

Move Engine Control switch to Run/Idle position.

- 1 Throttle Solenoid
- 2 Mounting Screws
- 3 Idle Speed Screw

Loosen mounting screws. Adjust solenoid position so engine runs at idle speed. If necessary, back out idle speed screw so solenoid can be moved to correct position. Tighten mounting screws. Be sure solenoid linkage works smoothly.

Turn idle speed screw for fine adjustments.

### Weld/Power Speed Adjustment

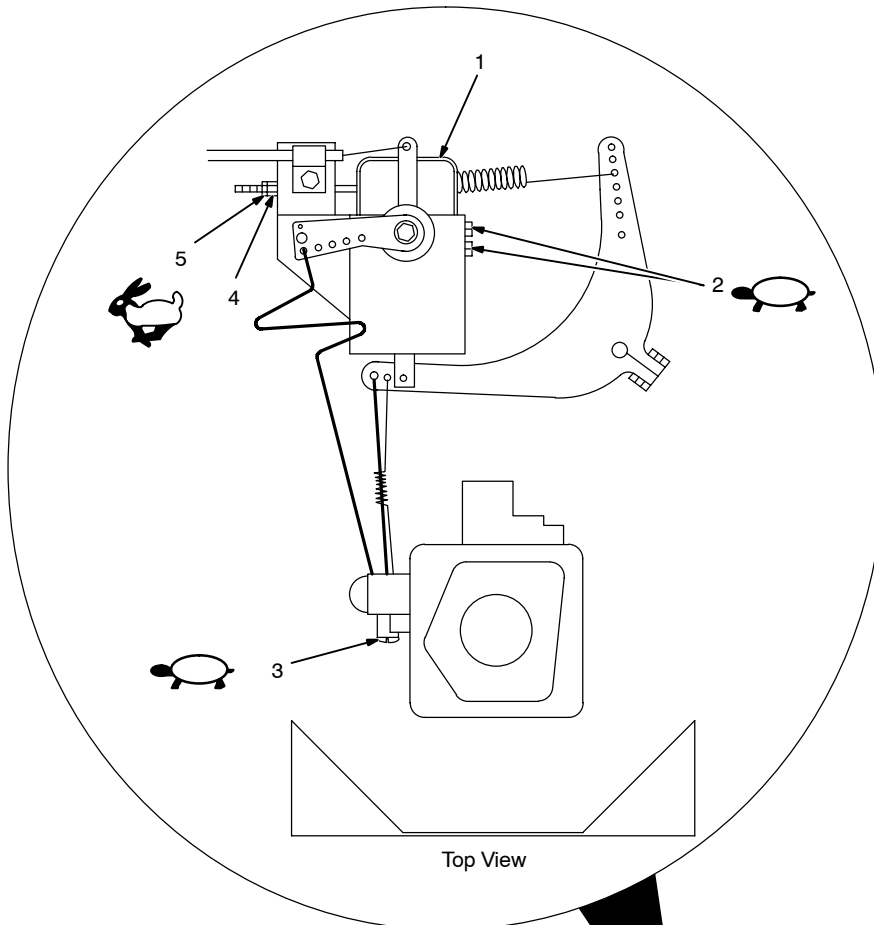
Move Engine Control switch to Run position.

- 4 Weld/Power Speed Adjustment Nut
- 5 Lock Nut

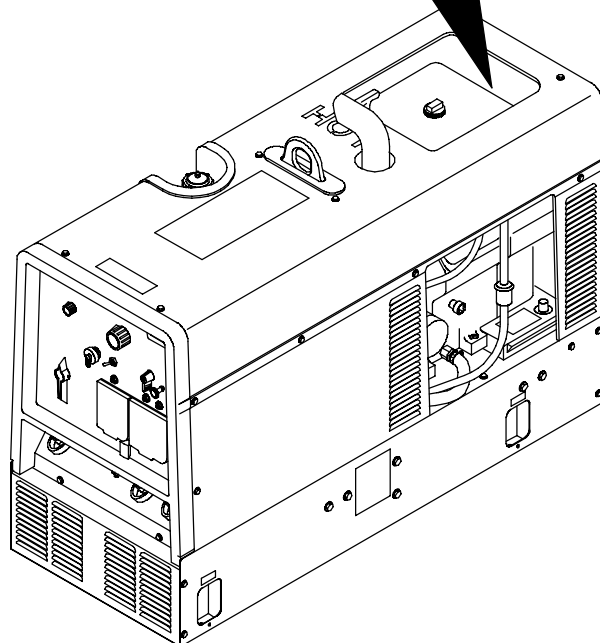
Loosen lock nut. Turn adjustment nut until engine runs at weld/power speed. Tighten lock nut.

Reinstall top cover.

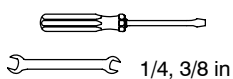
▲ **Stop engine.**



Top View



Tools Needed:

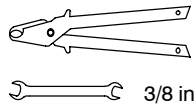


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## 9-7. Overload Protection (Kohler-Powered Units)



Tools Needed:



### ▲ Stop engine.

☞ *When a circuit breaker or fuse opens, it usually indicates a more serious problem exists. Contact a Factory Authorized Service Agent.*

#### 1 Circuit Breaker CB5

CB5 protects the 24 volt ac output to Remote receptacle RC4. If CB5 opens, 24 volt ac output to RC4 stops.

Press button to reset breaker.

#### 2 Fuse F2 (See Parts List)

F2 is located behind the front panel. F2 protects the 115 volt output to Remote Receptacle RC4. If F2 opens, 115 volt ac output to RC4 stops.

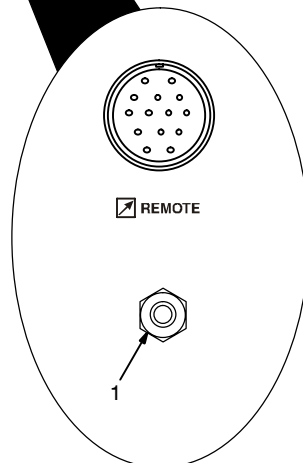
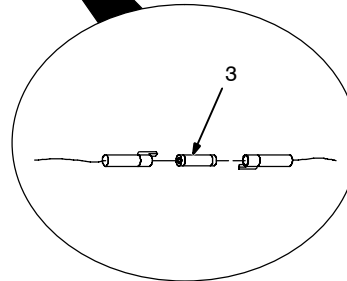
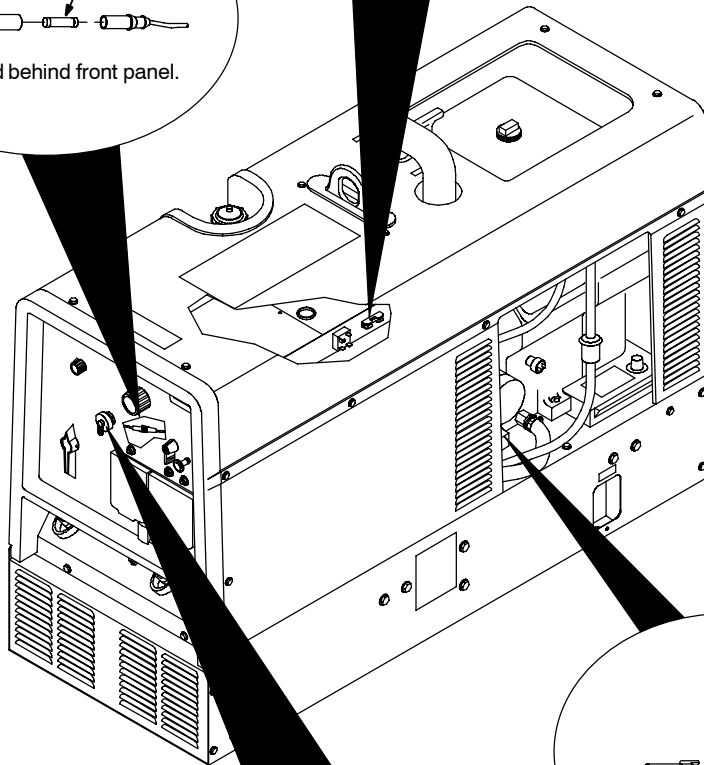
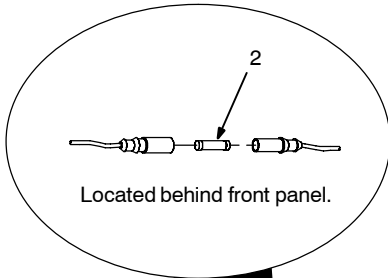
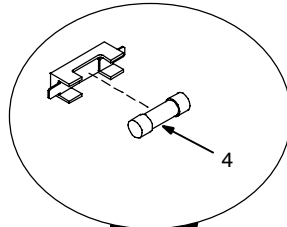
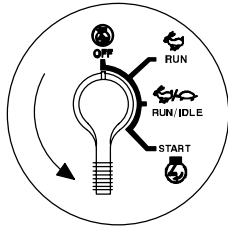
F6 protects the engine wiring system from overload. If F6 opens, engine will not crank.

#### 4 Fuse F1 (See Parts List)

Remove side panel.

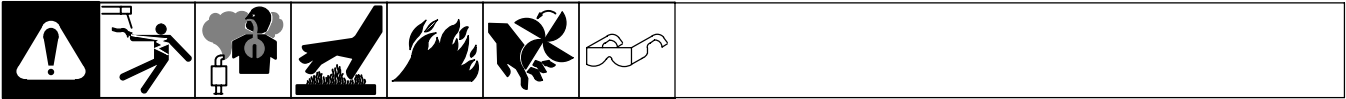
F1 protects the exciter excitation winding from overload. If F1 opens, weld and generator power output stops.

Replace any open fuses. Reinstall cover before operating unit.



# SECTION 10 – TROUBLESHOOTING

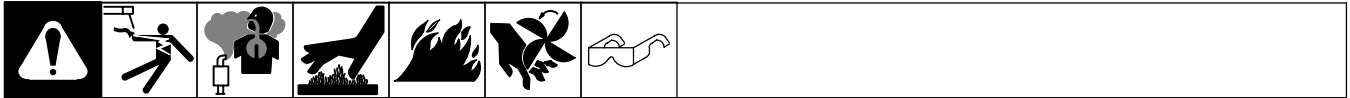
## 10-1. Welding Troubleshooting



Trouble	Remedy
No weld output.	Check control settings.
	Check weld connections.
	Disconnect equipment from generator power receptacles during start-up.
	Place V/A Adjust switch in Panel position, or move switch to Remote position and connect remote control to Remote receptacle RC4 (see Sections 5-9 and 6-1).
	Check and secure connections to Remote receptacle RC4 (see Sections 5-9).
	Check fuse F1, and replace if necessary (see Section 8-5 or 9-7).
	Have Factory Authorized Service Agent check brushes, slip rings, integrated rectifier SR2, and circuit boards PC1 and PC2.
Low weld output.	Check control settings.
	Place V/A Adjust switch in Panel position, or move switch to Remote position and connect remote control to Remote receptacle RC4 (see Sections 5-9 and 6-1).
	Check and clean air cleaner as necessary (see Section 8-3 or 9-3).
	Check engine speed, and adjust if necessary (see Section 8-7 or 9-6).
	Have Factory Authorized Service Agent check brushes, slip rings, integrated rectifier SR2, and circuit boards PC1 and PC2.
	See engine manual.
High weld output.	Check control settings.
	Check and adjust engine speed (see Section 8-7 or 9-6).
	Check for obstructed movement of solenoid linkage (see Section 8-7 or 9-6).
	Have Factory Authorized Service Agent check circuit boards PC1 and PC2.
Weld output cannot be adjusted.	Check position of V/A Adjust switch (see Section 6-1).
	Have Factory Authorized Service Agent check field current control board PC2.
Erratic weld output.	Check control settings.
	Clean and tighten connections both inside and outside unit.
	Check and secure lead connections to A/V control.
	Be sure connection to work piece is clean and tight.
	Remove excessive coils from weld cables.
	Use dry, properly stored electrodes.
	Check and adjust engine speed (see Section 8-7 or 9-6).
	Have Factory Authorized Service Agent check brushes, slip rings, and circuit boards PC1 and PC2.
No remote fine amperage control.	Place V/A Adjust switch in correct position (see Section 6-1).
	Check and tighten connections to Remote receptacle RC4 (see Section 5-9).
No 24 volt ac power output at Remote receptacle RC4.	Reset circuit breaker CB5 (see Section 8-5 or 9-7).
	Check fuse F2, and replace if necessary (see Section 8-5 or 9-7). Reset circuit breaker CB1 (see Section 7-1).

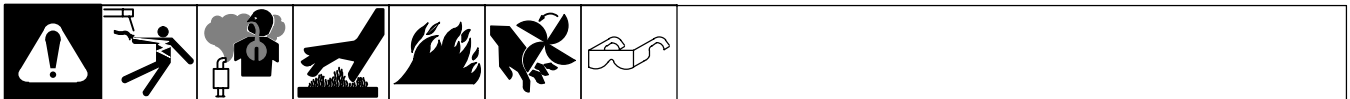
Trouble	Remedy
Lack of high frequency; difficulty in establishing Gas Tungsten Arc Welding arc.	Use proper size tungsten for welding amperage.
	Reduce leakage of high frequency from torch or work cable (check grounding, remove excessive coils from weld cables, use shorter weld cables, etc.).
	Check cables and torch for cracked or deteriorated insulation or bad connections. Repair or replace necessary parts.
Wandering arc – poor control of arc direction.	Reduce gas flow rate.
	Select proper size tungsten. Properly prepare tungsten.
Tungsten electrode oxidizing and not remaining bright after conclusion of weld.	Shield weld zone from drafts.
	Increase postflow time.
	Check and tighten all gas fittings.
	Properly prepare tungsten.

## 10-2. Generator Power Troubleshooting



Trouble	Remedy
No power output.	Reset circuit breakers CB1, CB3 and/or CB4 (see Section 7-1).
	Check fuse F1, and replace if necessary (see Section 8-5 or 9-7).
	Have Factory Authorized Service Agent check brushes, slip rings, integrated rectifier SR2, and circuit boards PC1 and PC2.
Low power output.	Check and clean air cleaner as necessary.
	Check engine speed, and adjust if necessary (see Section 8-7 or 9-6).
	See engine manual.
High power output.	Check engine speed, and adjust if necessary (see Section 8-7 or 9-6).
Erratic power output.	Have Factory Authorized Service Agent check brushes, slip rings, and field current control board PC2.
	Check receptacle wiring and connections.
	Check governor according to engine manual.

## 10-3. Engine Troubleshooting




Trouble	Remedy
Engine will not crank.	Check fuse F6, and replace if open (see Section 8-5 or 9-7).
	Check battery voltage.
	Check battery connections and tighten if necessary.
	Check plug PLG5 and plug PLG8 connections.
	Have Factory Authorized Service Agent check Engine Control switch S2.

Trouble	Remedy
Engine does not start.	Check fuel level (see Section 5-2 or 5-3).
	Check battery and replace if necessary.
	Check engine charging system according to engine manual.
	Have Factory Authorized Service Agent check fuel shutoff solenoid GS1 according to engine manual (GS1 standard on Kohler-powered units; optional on Robin-powered, LP-fueled units).
	See engine manual.
Engine starts but stops when Engine Control switch returns to Run/Idle position.	Check oil level (see Section 5-2 or 5-3). Low oil pressure shutdown stops engine if oil pressure is too low.
	Use correct grade oil for operating temperature. (see Section 8-1 or 9-2).
	Have Factory Authorized Service Agent check low oil pressure shutdown switch S5.
Battery discharges between uses.	Place Engine Control switch in Off position when unit is not running.
	Clean top of battery with baking soda and water solution; rinse with clear water.
	Periodically recharge battery (approximately every 3 months).
	Replace battery.
	Check voltage regulator according to engine manual.
Engine stopped during normal operation.	Check fuel level (see Section 5-2 or 5-3).
	Check oil level (see Section 5-2 or 5-3). Low oil pressure shutdown stops engine if oil pressure is too low.
	Have Factory Authorized Service Agent check fuel shutoff solenoid GS1 according to engine manual (GS1 standard on Kohler-powered units; optional on Robin-powered, LP-fueled units).
	Have Factory Authorized Service Agent check low oil pressure shutdown switch S5.
Engine does not return to idle speed.	Be sure Engine Control switch S2 is in Run/Idle position.
	Remove all weld and generator power loads.
	Place Process/Contactor switch in Electrode Hot position or turn off remote contactor. The unit will not return to idle speed when Process/Contactor switch is in a remote position and the remote contactor is on.
	Turn off remote device connected to Remote receptacle RC4 (see Section 5-9).
	Check for obstructed movement of solenoid linkage (see Section 8-7 or 9-6).
	Have Factory Authorized Service Agent check circuit board PC1 and current transformer CT1.
Engine does not remain at weld/power speed when power or weld load is applied with Engine Control switch in Run/Idle position.	Place Engine Control switch in the Run position for small loads.
	Check for obstructed movement of solenoid linkage (see Section 8-7 or 9-6).





# SECTION 11 – ELECTRICAL DIAGRAMS

	<b>WARNING</b>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Do not touch live electrical parts.</li> <li>Disconnect input power or stop engine before servicing.</li> <li>Do not operate with covers removed.</li> <li>Have only qualified persons install, use, or service this unit.</li> </ul>
<b>ELECTRIC SHOCK HAZARD</b>	

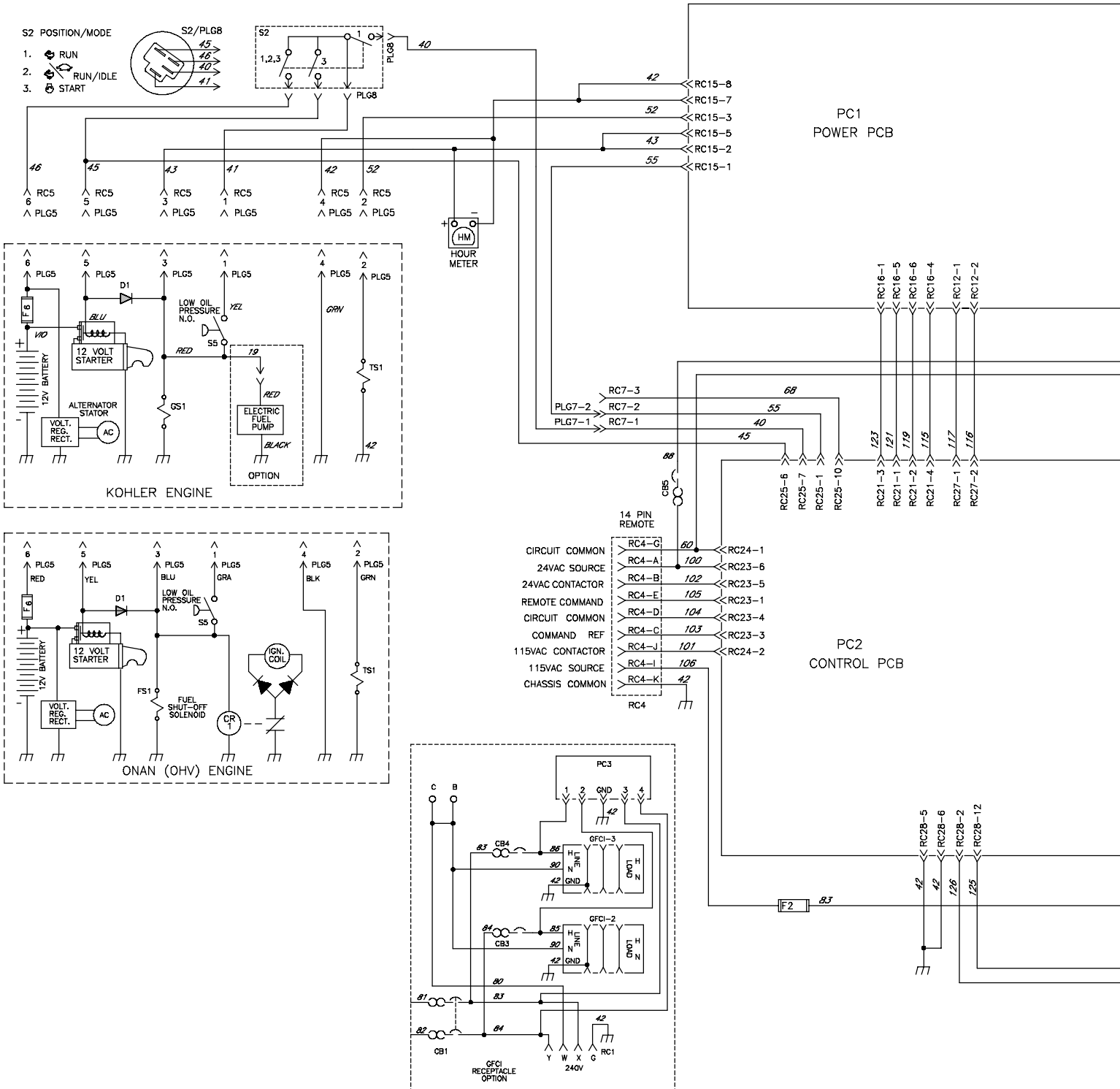
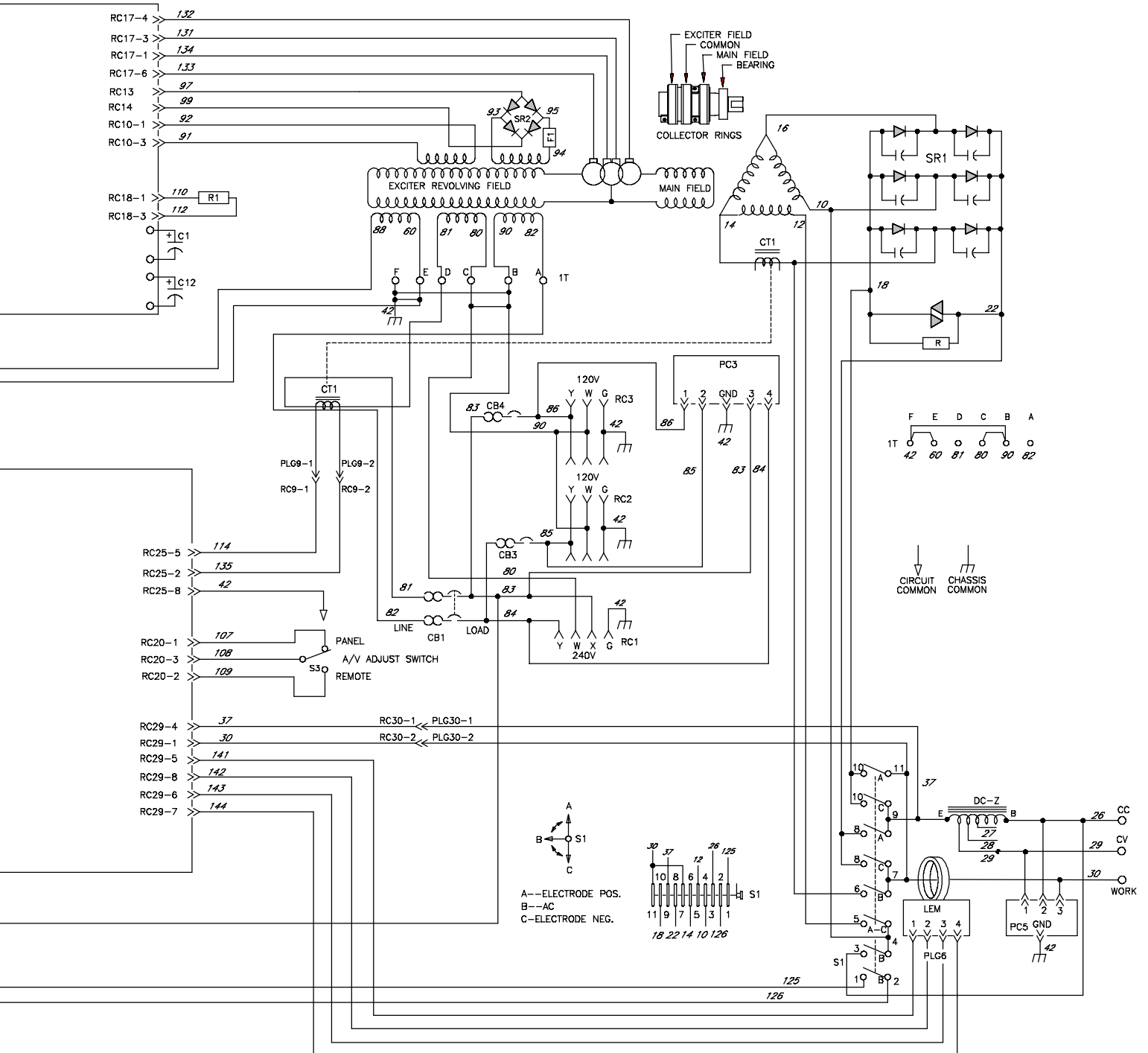

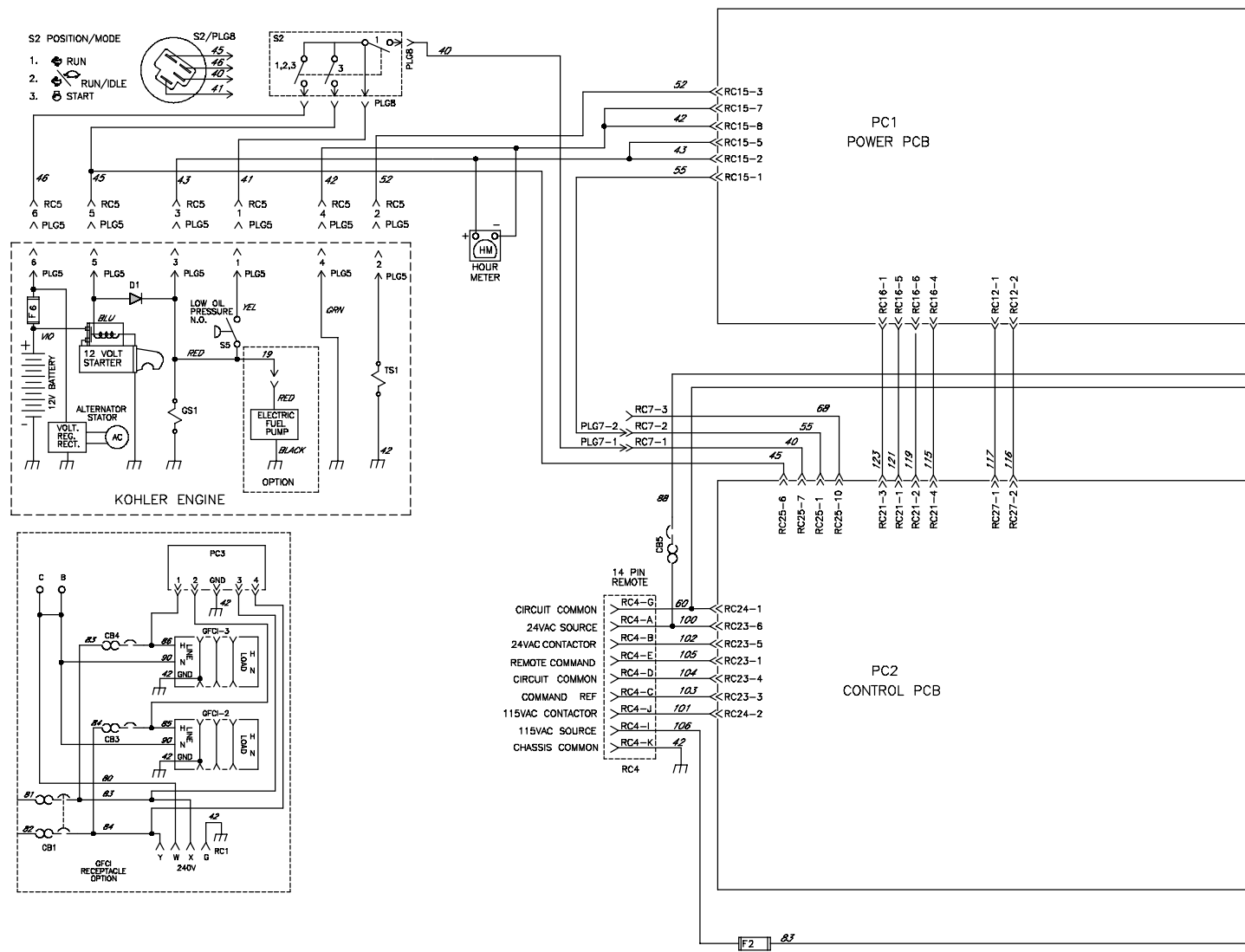


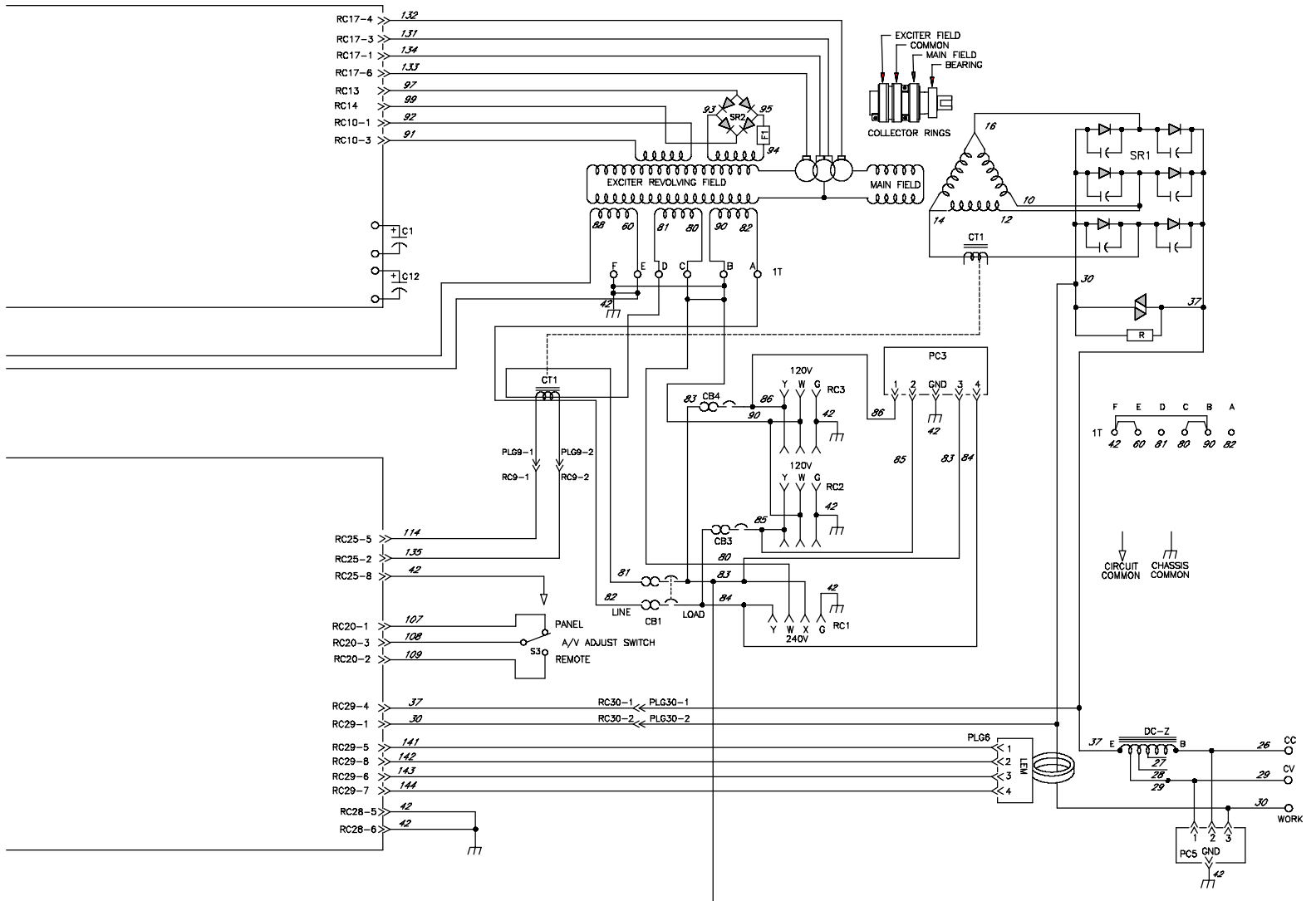
Figure 11-1. Circuit Diagram For Welding Generator Models With AC/DC Output



 <b>ELECTRIC SHOCK HAZARD</b>	<b>WARNING</b>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Do not touch live electrical parts.</li> <li>• Disconnect input power or stop engine before servicing.</li> <li>• Do not operate with covers removed.</li> <li>• Have only qualified persons install, use, or service this unit.</li> </ul>



**Figure 11-2. Circuit Diagram For Welding Generator Models With DC Output Only (Kohler Only)**

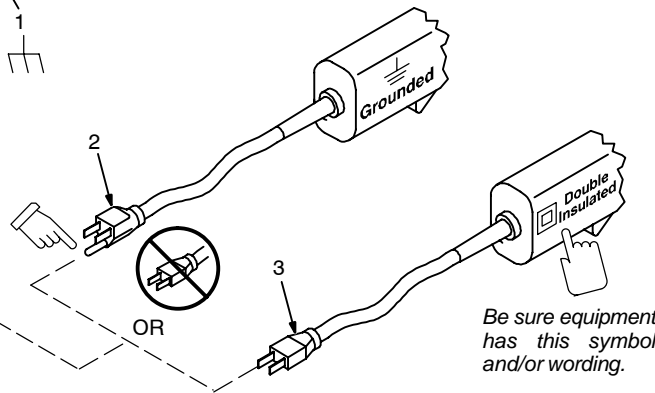
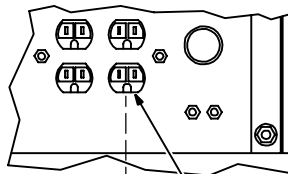


# SECTION 12 – GENERATOR POWER GUIDELINES

## NOTE

The views in this section are intended to be representative of all engine-driven welding generators. Your unit may differ from those shown.

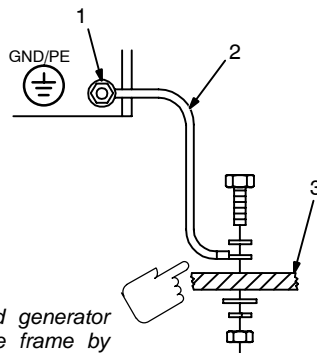
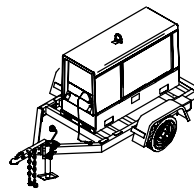
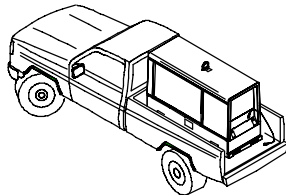
### 12-1. Selecting Equipment



- 1 Generator Power Receptacles – Neutral Bonded To Frame
  - 2 3-Prong Plug From Case Grounded Equipment
  - 3 2-Prong Plug From Double Insulated Equipment
- ▲ **Do not use 2-prong plug unless equipment is double insulated.**

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### 12-2. Grounding Generator To Truck Or Trailer Frame



Electrically bond generator frame to vehicle frame by metal-to-metal contact.

- ▲ **Bed liners, shipping skids, and some running gear insulate the welding generator from the vehicle frame. Always connect a ground wire from the generator equipment grounding terminal to bare metal on the vehicle frame as shown.**

- ▲ **Always ground generator frame to vehicle frame to prevent electric shock and static electricity hazards.**

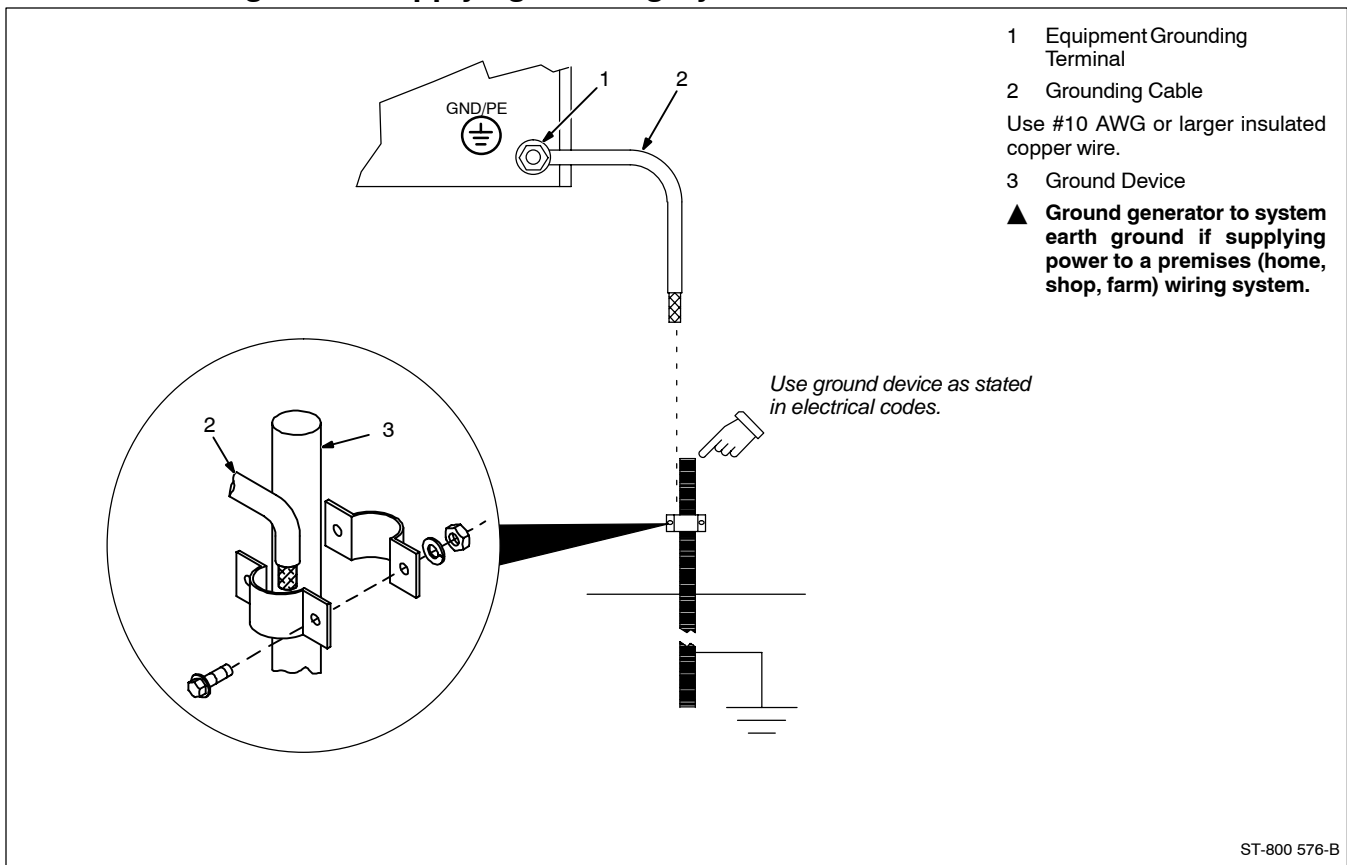
- 1 Equipment Grounding Terminal (On Front Panel)
- 2 Grounding Cable (Not Supplied)
- 3 Metal Vehicle Frame

Connect cable from equipment ground terminal to metal vehicle frame. Use #10 AWG or larger insulated copper wire.

- ▲ **If unit does not have GFCI receptacles, use GFCI-protected extension cord.**

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## 12-3. Grounding When Supplying Building Systems



## 12-4. How Much Power Does Equipment Require?

1 Resistive Load  
 A light bulb is a resistive load and requires a constant amount of power.

2 Non-Resistive Load  
 Equipment with a motor is a non-resistive load and requires approximately six times more power while starting the motor than when running (see Section 12-8).

3 Rating Data  
 Rating shows volts and amperes, or watts required to run equipment.

**AMPERES x VOLTS = WATTS**

**EXAMPLE 1:** If a drill uses 4.5 amperes at 115 volts, calculate its running power requirement in watts.

$$4.5 \text{ A} \times 115 \text{ V} = 520 \text{ W}$$

The load applied by the drill is 520 watts.

**EXAMPLE 2:** If three 200 watt flood lamps are used with the drill from Example 1, add the individual loads to calculate total load.

$$(200 \text{ W} + 200 \text{ W} + 200 \text{ W}) + 520 \text{ W} = 1120 \text{ W}$$

The total load applied by the three flood lamps and drill is 1120 watts.

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## 12-5. Approximate Power Requirements For Industrial Motors

Industrial Motors	Rating	Starting Watts	Running Watts
Split Phase	1/8 HP	800	300
	1/6 HP	1225	500
	1/4 HP	1600	600
	1/3 HP	2100	700
	1/2 HP	3175	875
Capacitor Start-Induction Run	1/3 HP	2020	720
	1/2 HP	3075	975
	3/4 HP	4500	1400
	1 HP	6100	1600
	1-1/2 HP	8200	2200
	2 HP	10550	2850
	3 HP	15900	3900
Capacitor Start-Capacitor Run	5 HP	23300	6800
	1-1/2 HP	8100	2000
	5 HP	23300	6000
	7-1/2 HP	35000	8000
Fan Duty	10 HP	46700	10700
	1/8 HP	1000	400
	1/6 HP	1400	550
	1/4 HP	1850	650
	1/3 HP	2400	800
	1/2 HP	3500	1100

## 12-6. Approximate Power Requirements For Farm/Home Equipment

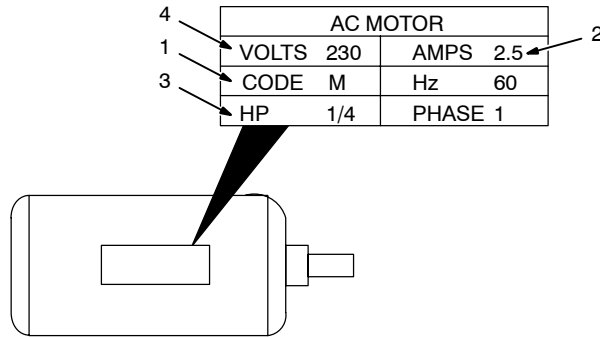
Farm/Home Equipment	Rating	Starting Watts	Running Watts
Stock Tank De-Icer		1000	1000
Grain Cleaner	1/4 HP	1650	650
Portable Conveyor	1/2 HP	3400	1000
Grain Elevator	3/4 HP	4400	1400
Milk Cooler		2900	1100
Milker (Vacuum Pump)	2 HP	10500	2800
FARM DUTY MOTORS	1/3 HP	1720	720
Std. (e.g. Conveyors,	1/2 HP	2575	975
Feed Augers, Air	3/4 HP	4500	1400
Compressors)	1 HP	6100	1600
	1-1/2 HP	8200	2200
	2 HP	10550	2850
	3 HP	15900	3900
	5 HP	23300	6800
High Torque (e.g. Barn	1-1/2 HP	8100	2000
Cleaners, Silo Unloaders,	5 HP	23300	6000
Silo Hoists, Bunk Feeders)	7-1/2 HP	35000	8000
	10 HP	46700	10700
3-1/2 cu. ft. Mixer	1/2 HP	3300	1000
High Pressure 1.8 Gal/Min	500 PSI	3150	950
Washer 2 gal/min	550 PSI	4500	1400
2 gal/min	700 PSI	6100	1600
Refrigerator or Freezer		3100	800
Shallow Well Pump	1/3 HP	2150	750
	1/2 HP	3100	1000
Sump Pump	1/3 HP	2100	800
	1/2 HP	3200	1050



## 12-7. Approximate Power Requirements For Contractor Equipment

Contractor	Rating	Starting Watts	Running Watts
Hand Drill	1/4 in	350	350
	3/8 in	400	400
	1/2 in	600	600
Circular Saw	6-1/2 in	500	500
	7-1/4 in	900	900
	8-1/4 in	1400	1400
Table Saw	9 in	4500	1500
	10 in	6300	1800
Band Saw	14 in	2500	1100
Bench Grinder	6 in	1720	720
	8 in	3900	1400
	10 in	5200	1600
Air Compressor	1/2 HP	3000	1000
	1 HP	6000	1500
	1-1/2 HP	8200	2200
	2 HP	10500	2800
Electric Chain Saw	1-1/2 HP, 12 in	1100	1100
	2 HP, 14 in	1100	1100
Electric Trimmer	Standard 9 in	350	350
	Heavy Duty 12 in	500	500
Electric Cultivator	1/3 HP	2100	700
Elec. Hedge Trimmer	18 in	400	400
Flood Lights	HID	125	100
	Metal Halide	313	250
	Mercury	1000	
	Sodium Vapor	1400	1000
Submersible Pump	400 gph	600	200
Centrifugal Pump	900 gph	900	500
Floor Polisher	3/4 HP, 16 in	4500	1400
	1 HP, 20 in	6100	1600
High Pressure Washer	1/2 HP	3150	950
	3/4 HP	4500	1400
	1 HP	6100	1600
55 gal Drum Mixer	1/4 HP	1900	700
Wet & Dry Vac	1.7 HP	900	900
	2-1/2 HP	1300	1300

## 12-8. Power Required To Start Motor



- 1 Motor Start Code
- 2 Running Amperage
- 3 Motor HP
- 4 Motor Voltage

To find starting amperage:

**Step 1:** Find code and use table to find kVA/HP. If code is not listed, multiply running amperage by six to find starting amperage.

**Step 2:** Find Motor HP and Volts.

**Step 3:** Determine starting amperage (see example).

Welding generator amperage output must be at least twice the motor's running amperage.

Single-Phase Induction Motor Starting Requirements

Motor Start Code	G	H	J	K	L	M	N	P
KVA/HP	6.3	7.1	8.0	9.0	10.0	11.2	12.5	14.0

$$\frac{\text{kVA/HP} \times \text{HP} \times 1000}{\text{VOLTS}} = \text{STARTING AMPERAGE}$$

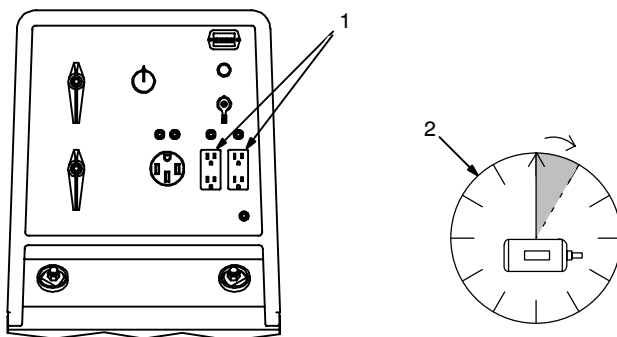
**EXAMPLE:** Calculate the starting amperage required for a 230 V, 1/4 HP motor with a motor start code of M.

Volts = 230    HP = 1/4    Using Table, Code M results in kVA/HP = 11.2

$$\frac{11.2 \times 1/4 \times 1000}{230} = 12.2 \text{ A} \quad \text{Starting the motor requires 12.2 amperes.}$$

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## 12-9. How Much Power Can Generator Supply?



- 1 Limit Load To 90% Of Generator Output

Always start non-resistive (motor) loads in order from largest to smallest, and add resistive loads last.

- 2 5 Second Rule

If motor does not start within 5 seconds, turn off power to prevent motor damage. Motor requires more power than generator can supply.

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## 12-11. Selecting Extension Cord (Use Shortest Cord Possible)



### Cord Lengths for 120 Volt Loads

▲ If unit does not have GFCI receptacles, use GFCI-protected extension cord.

Current (Amperes)	Load (Watts)	Maximum Allowable Cord Length in ft (m) for Conductor Size (AWG)*					
		4	6	8	10	12	14
5	600			350 (106)	225 (68)	137 (42)	100 (30)
7	840		400 (122)	250 (76)	150 (46)	100 (30)	62 (19)
10	1200	400 (122)	275 (84)	175 (53)	112 (34)	62 (19)	50 (15)
15	1800	300 (91)	175 (53)	112 (34)	75 (23)	37 (11)	30 (9)
20	2400	225 (68)	137 (42)	87 (26)	50 (15)	30 (9)	
25	3000	175 (53)	112 (34)	62 (19)	37 (11)		
30	3600	150 (46)	87 (26)	50 (15)	37 (11)		
35	4200	125 (38)	75 (23)	50 (15)			
40	4800	112 (34)	62 (19)	37 (11)			
45	5400	100 (30)	62 (19)				
50	6000	87 (26)	50 (15)				

\*Conductor size is based on maximum 2% voltage drop

### Cord Lengths for 240 Volt Loads

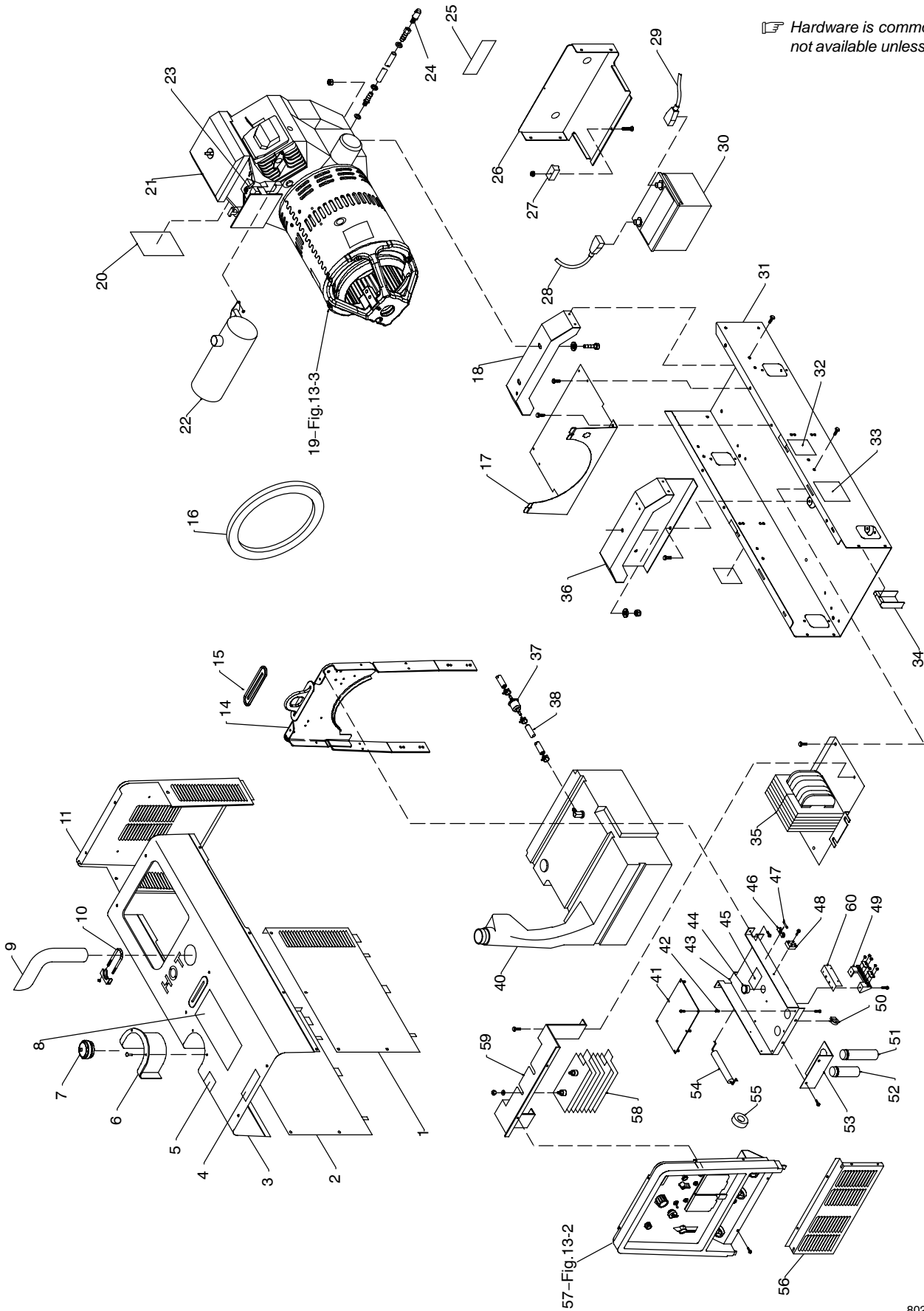
▲ If unit does not have GFCI receptacles, use GFCI-protected extension cord.

Current (Amperes)	Load (Watts)	Maximum Allowable Cord Length in ft (m) for Conductor Size (AWG)*					
		4	6	8	10	12	14
5	1200			700 (213)	450 (137)	225 (84)	200 (61)
7	1680		800 (244)	500 (152)	300 (91)	200 (61)	125 (38)
10	2400	800 (244)	550 (168)	350 (107)	225 (69)	125 (38)	100 (31)
15	3600	600 (183)	350 (107)	225 (69)	150 (46)	75 (23)	60 (18)
20	4800	450 (137)	275 (84)	175 (53)	100 (31)	60 (18)	
25	6000	350 (107)	225 (69)	125 (38)	75 (23)		
30	7000	300 (91)	175 (53)	100 (31)	75 (23)		
35	8400	250 (76)	150 (46)	100 (31)			
40	9600	225 (69)	125 (38)	75 (23)			
45	10,800	200 (61)	125 (38)				
50	12,000	175 (53)	100 (31)				

\*Conductor size is based on maximum 2% voltage drop



# SECTION 13 - PARTS LIST



**Figure 13-1. Main Assembly (Kohler Engine Shown)**

Item No.	Dia. Mkgs.	Part No.	Description	Quantity
<b>Figure 13-1. Main Assembly</b>				
1		182367	Panel, Side Rh	1
1		◆185352	Panel, Side Rh Stainless Steel	1
2		182366	Panel, Side Lh	1
2		◆185353	Panel, Side Lh Stainless Steel	1
3		+205762	Cover, Top <b>(Robin EH64, Kohler)</b>	1
3		+206758	Cover, Top Stainless Steel <b>(Robin EH64, Kohler)</b>	1
		◆163175	Screw, 250–20x .75 Hex Hd–pln Stainless Steel Pln T18–8 302–305	18
		◆163167	Washer, Lock .254idx0.489odx.062t Stainless Steel Split.250	18
		◆163174	Washer, Flat .281idx0.625odx.050t Stainless Steel	18
4		205605	Label, Power While Welding	1
5		192042	Label, Use Gasoline Only	1
6		181881	Grommet, Plastic Neck Filler Fuel	1
7		166608	Cap, Tank Screw–on W/Vent	1
8		182761	Label, Warning General Precautionary Csa	1
9		183433	Pipe, Exhaust Elbow	1
10		183314	Clamp, Muffler 1.625 Dia U Pld	1
11		182365	Panel, Rear Upper	1
11		◆185351	Panel, Rear Upper Stainless Steel	1
12 & 13		Deleted		
14		205736	Upright, Base <b>(Robin EH64, Kohler)</b>	1
15		205734	Seal, Weather Lift Eye <b>(Robin EH64, Kohler)</b>	1
16		181789	Seal, Barrel	1
17		186667	Cover, Tank Fuel	1
18		204317	Bracket, Mtg. Engine <b>(Robin EH64)</b>	1
18		173043	Bracket, Mtg Engine <b>(Kohler)</b>	1
19		Figure 13-3	Generator	1
20		215939	Label, Engine Maintenance <b>(Robin EH64, Kohler)</b>	1
		202807	Shield, Heat Muffler <b>(Kohler)</b>	1
		205713	Hose, Oil w/Fittings <b>(Robin EH64, Kohler)</b>	1
21		208006	Engine, <b>Robin EH64</b> Gas Elect Start (includes)	1
22		204841	Muffler, Exhaust Engine	1
		065313	Gasket, Muffler	1
		198756	Pump, Fuel	1
	S5	198757	Switch, Low Oil Pressure	1
23	TS1	206573	Solenoid, Throttle	1
		190827	Boot, Solenoid	1
		198778	Regulator, Voltage	1
		215984	Filter, Fuel Inline .250	1
24		208004	Valve, Oil Drain 3/8–18 Nptf (includes)	1
		207490	Hose, Oil W/Fitting 9.750 Lg	1
		165271	Valve, Oil Drain 3/8–18 Nptf	1
		206472	Ftg, Hose Brs Barbed M 1/2 Tbg X M14x1.25	1
	F6	021718	Fuse, Mintr Gl 30. Amp 32 Volt	1
		206473	Washer, Seal oil copper M14 ID x M19.500 OD <b>(Robin EH64)</b>	1
21		209023	Engine, <b>Kohler</b> CH20S-PS–64635 Gas Elec Start (includes)	1
22		207458	Muffler, Exhaust Engine	1
		189477	Gasket, Muffler	1
23	TS1	199530	Solenoid, Throttle	1
			Bracket, Mtg Solenoid (See Engine Parts List)	1
		215984	Filter, Fuel Inline .250	1
24		208003	Valve, Oil Drain 3/8–18 Nptf (includes)	1
		207490	Hose, Oil W/Fitting 9.750 Lg	1
		165271	Valve, Oil Drain 3/8–18 Nptf	1
		206402	Ftg, Hose Brs Barbed M 1/2 Tbg X 3/8 Npt	1
	F6	021718	Fuse, Mintr Gl 30. Amp 32 Volt	1
		180096	Tune–up & Filter Kit, Kohler (Includes)	1
		*067272	Air Filter Element, Kohler	1
		*066698	Oil Filter, Kohler	1
		*215985	Filter/Clamps, Fuel 1/4” Line	1
		*067007	Spark Plug	2

Item No.	Dia. Mkgs.	Part No.	Description	Quantity
<b>Figure 13-1. Main Assembly (Continued)</b>				
25		168385	Label, Warning Battery Explosion Can Blind	1
26		+201174	Door, Access Battery	1
27		182935	Hold Down, Battery	1
28		082319	Cable, Bat Neg 17.750l lg no 4 awg w/clamp & .343 rng <b>(Kohler, Robin EH64)</b>	1
28		172 669	Cable, Bat Neg 11.000 lg 6ga w/.250 rng & .375 rng <b>(Kohler, Robin EH64)</b>	1
29		173 921	Cable, Bat Pos 28.000 lg no 4 awg w/clamp & .312 rng <b>(Kohler, Robin EH64)</b>	1
30		167677	Battery, Stor 12v 430 Crk 75 Rsv Gp 58 Maint Free	1
31		+201280	Pan, Base	1
32		197930	Label, Warning Do Not Weld On Base	2
33		207864	Label, Engine Maintenance <b>(Kohler)</b>	1
34		181057	Cover, Base	2
35	DC-Z	202337	Stabilizer, Assy (includes)	1
		202338	Plate, Rect/Stab Mtg	1
36		+182928	Bracket, Mtg Generator	1
37		121652	Filter/Clamps, Fuel (Part Of Tune-Up & Filter Kits)	1
38		173766	Hose, Sae .250 Id X .500 Od X 11.500	1
39		Deleted		
		084173	Clamp, Hose .460 - .545 Clip Dia Slfittng	3
40		182079	Tank, Fuel 10.0 Gal (includes)	1
		124253	Bushing, Tank Fuel	1
		187502	Ftg, Stand Pipe .250 X 7.375 Lg 90 Degree	1
		182922	Bushing, Tank Fuel 1.210id	1
		182925	Gauge, Fuel Float Type 5.50 Float Travel	1
41	PC1	212708	Circuit Card Assy, Power	1
42		097132	Stand-off, No 6-32 X .375 Lg .250 Hex Brs M&f	6
43		204148	Bracket, Mtg Pc Board	1
44		119148	Bushing, Snap-in Nyl 1.968 Id X 2.500 Mtg Hole	1
45		200263	Label, Warning Electric Shock Hazard	1
46		172731	Holder, Fuse Mintr .250 X 1.250 Clip Anti-pivot	1
47	F1	169296	Fuse, Mintr Gl 25. Amp 125 Volt	1
48	SR2	200759	Rectifier, Integ Bridge 35. Amp 600v	1
49	1T	172661	Block, Stud Connection 6 Position	1
		173734	Link, Jumper	2
50		165437	Clip, Snap In .472 Bundle .250hole .020-.197 Thk	1
51	C12	176007	Capacitor, Elctlt 1200 Uf 300 Vdc Can 1.37 Dia	1
52	C1	199979	Capacitor, Elctlt 1500 Uf 75 Vdc Can 1.40 Dia	1
53		204166	Bracket, Capacitor Support	1
		202331	Gasket, Capacitor Support	1
54	R1	188067	Resistor, Ww Fxd 100 W 200 Ohm W/Clips (AC/DC Units Only)	1
55	CT1	206 369	Xfmr, Current Sensing	1
56		+180628	Panel, Front Lower	1
57		Figure 13-2	Panel, Front w/Components	1
58	SR1	202222	Rectifier, Si 3ph 300 Amp 400 Piv 100% Duty Cycle	1
59		202339	Baffle, Air	1
60		196180	Insulator, Terminal Block	1
	RC29, 30, PLG6	209831	Receptacles, W/Leads	1
		202883	Harness, Control Power Board Interconnecting (includes)	1
	PLG16	115093	Conn, Rect Mini 045 6skt 2row Plug Cable Lkg (Service Kit)	1
	PLG12, PLG27	131054	Conn, Rect Mini 045 2skt 2row Plug Cable Lkg (Service Kit)	2
	PLG21	115094	Conn, Rect Mini 045 4skt 2row Plug Cable Lkg (Service Kit)	1
		206534	Harness, Wrg Interconnecting (includes)	1
	PLG25	115091	Conn, Rect Mini 045 10skt 2row Plug Cable Lkg (Service Kit)	1
	RC9	174823	Conn, Rect Comm 093 2p/S 1row Rcpt Cable Lkg (Service Kit)	1
	RC7	130204	Conn, Rect Univ 084 3p/S 1row Plug Cable Lkg (Service Kit)	1
	PLG18	204773	Plug, W/Leads (AC/DC Units Only)	1



Item No.	Dia. Mkgs.	Part No.	Description	Quantity
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**Figure 13-1. Main Assembly (Continued)**

		206537	Harness, Wrg Ignition (includes)	1
	PLG15	115092	Conn, Rect Mini 045 8skt 2row Plug Cable Lkg (Service Kit)	1
	RC5	116045	Conn, Rect Univ 084 6p/S 3row Rcpt Cable/Panel Lkg (Service Kit)	1
	PLG7	168165	Conn, Rect Comm 084 3p/S 1row Rcpt Cable Lkg	1
	PLG8	177859	Conn, Body 5 Terminal	1
		202660	Conn, Push 4 Wire 12-16strnd 12-18slid 16-22tinstnd	1
	PLG5	135556	Conn, Rect Univ 084 6p/S 3row Plug (Service Kit)	1
		206123	Tune-Up & Filter Kit ( <b>Robin EH64</b> ) (includes)	1
		*198755	Element, Air Cleaner w/Precleaner	1
		*198754	Oil Filter	1
		*121652	Filter/Clamps, Fuel	1
		*198777	Spark Plug	2
		180096	Tune-up & Filter Kit ( <b>Kohler</b> ) (includes)	1
		*067272	Element, Air Cleaner	1
		*066698	Filter, Oil	1
		121652	Filter/Clamps, Fuel	1
		*067007	Spark Plug	2
		*067272	Air Filter Wrapper	1
		206122	Kit, Label ( <b>Robin EH64</b> )	1
		205650	Kit, Label ( <b>Kohler</b> )	1

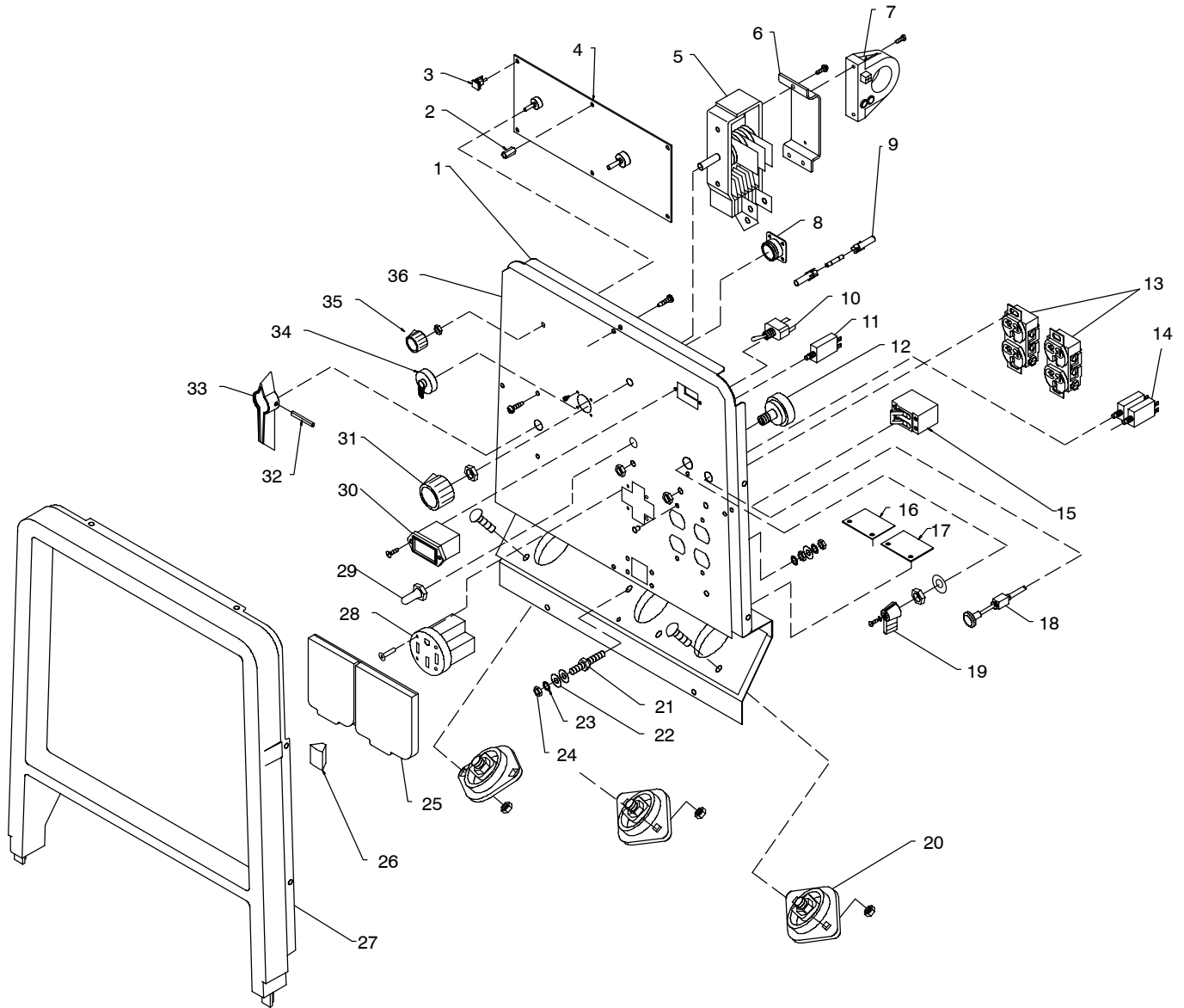
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**Figure 13-2. Panel, Front w/Components**

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
Item No.	Dia. Mkgs.	Part No.	Description	Quantity
<b>Figure 13-2. Panel, Front w/Components (Figure 13-1 Item 57)</b>				
1		206854	Panel, Front	1
2		115 440	Stand-off, No 6-32 X .625 Lg .250 Hex Al Fem	1
3		203401	Stand-off Support, Pc Card .187 Dia W/P&I .625	2
4	PC2	212867	Circuit Card Assy, Control (includes)	1
		206794	Bag, Protective Anti Static 5:00x12:00	1
5	S1	204641	Switch, Changeover Assy W/Leads (AC/DC Units Only)	1
6		187189	Bracket, Mtg Shunt	1
7	LEM	168829	Transducer, Current 1000a Module Max Open Loop	1
		209618	Harness, Remote Control 14pin (includes)	1
8	RC4	143976	Conn, Circ Ms/Cpc 14skt Size 20 Rcpt Panel Pushin (Service Kit)	1
9		209617	Holder, Fuse w/10a Fuse (includes)	1
	F2	085874	Fuse, Mintr Cer Slo-Blo 10 a 250 Volt	1
	PLG23	115093	Conn, Rect Mini 045 6skt 2row Plug Cable Lkg (Service Kit)	1
	PLG24	131054	Conn, Rect Mini 045 2skt 2row Plug Cable Lkg	1
		202884	Harness, Switch Control (includes)	1
	PLG20	131204	Conn, Rect Mini 045 3skt 1row Plug Cable Lkg (Service Kit)	1
10	S3	011609	Switch, Tgl Spdt 15a 125vac On-none-on Spd Term Chr	1
11	CB5	083432	Circuit Breaker, Man Reset 1p 10a 250vac Frict	1
12	S2	176606	Switch, Ignition 4 Position W/Out Handle	1
13	RC2, RC3	141432	Rcpt, Str Dx Grd 2p3w 20a 125v *5-20r	2
13	GFCI2, GFCI3	151981	Rcpt, Str Dx Grd 2p3w 20a 125v GFCI	2
14	CB3, CB4	093996	Circuit Breaker, Man Reset 1p 20a 250vac Frict	2
15	CB1	217858	Circuit Breaker, Man Reset 2p 50a 240vac Screw-90	1
16	PC5	148030	Circuit Card Assy, Filter Hf	1
17	PC3	148021	Circuit Card Assy, Filter Hf	1
		134201	Stand-off Support, Pc Card .312/.375w/Post&lock .43	6
18		211452	Control, Push/Pull Snap-in 42.000 W/1.750 Extension	1
19		119014	Lever, Switch Black	1
20	CC, CV, WORK	099255	Terminal, Pwr Output Neutral (AC/DC Units Only)	3
	POS	039047	Terminal, Pwr Output Red (DC Units Only)	2
	NEG	039046	Terminal, Pwr Output Black (DC Units Only)	1
	PLG30	204777	Plug, w/ Leads (includes)	1
		174824	Conn, Rect Comm 093 2p/S 1row Plug Cable Lkg (Service Kit)	1
	PLG28	204664	Plug, w/Leads (includes)	1
		130203	Conn, Rect Mini 045 12skt 2row Plug Cable Lkg (Service Kit)	1
21		083030	Stud, Brs .250-20 X 1.750 W/Hex Collar	1
22		010915	Washer, Flat .257idx0.640odx.031t Brs	2
23		602207	Washer, Lock .255idx0.489odx.062t Stl Pld Split.250	1
24		601836	Nut, 250-20 .50hex .19h Brs	1
25		188039	Cover, Receptacle W/Gasket	1
26		203016	Boot, Circuit Breaker 2 Pole	1
27		159921	Bezel	1
28	RC1	182954	Rcpt, Str 3p4w 50a 125/250v Flush Mtg *14-50	1
29		021385	Boot, Toggle Switch Lever	1
30	HM	145247	Meter, Hour 12-24vdc 1.25 X 2.12 Rect	1
31		207075	Knob, Pointer 1.625 Dia	1
32		010647	Pin, Spring Cs .156 X 1.250	1
33		115493	Handle, Switch Range (AC/DC Units Only)	1
34		170391	Conn, Circ Ms Protective Cap Size 20 Nylon	1
35		207080	Knob, Pointer 1.125 Dia	1
36			Nameplate (Order By Model & Serial Number)	1

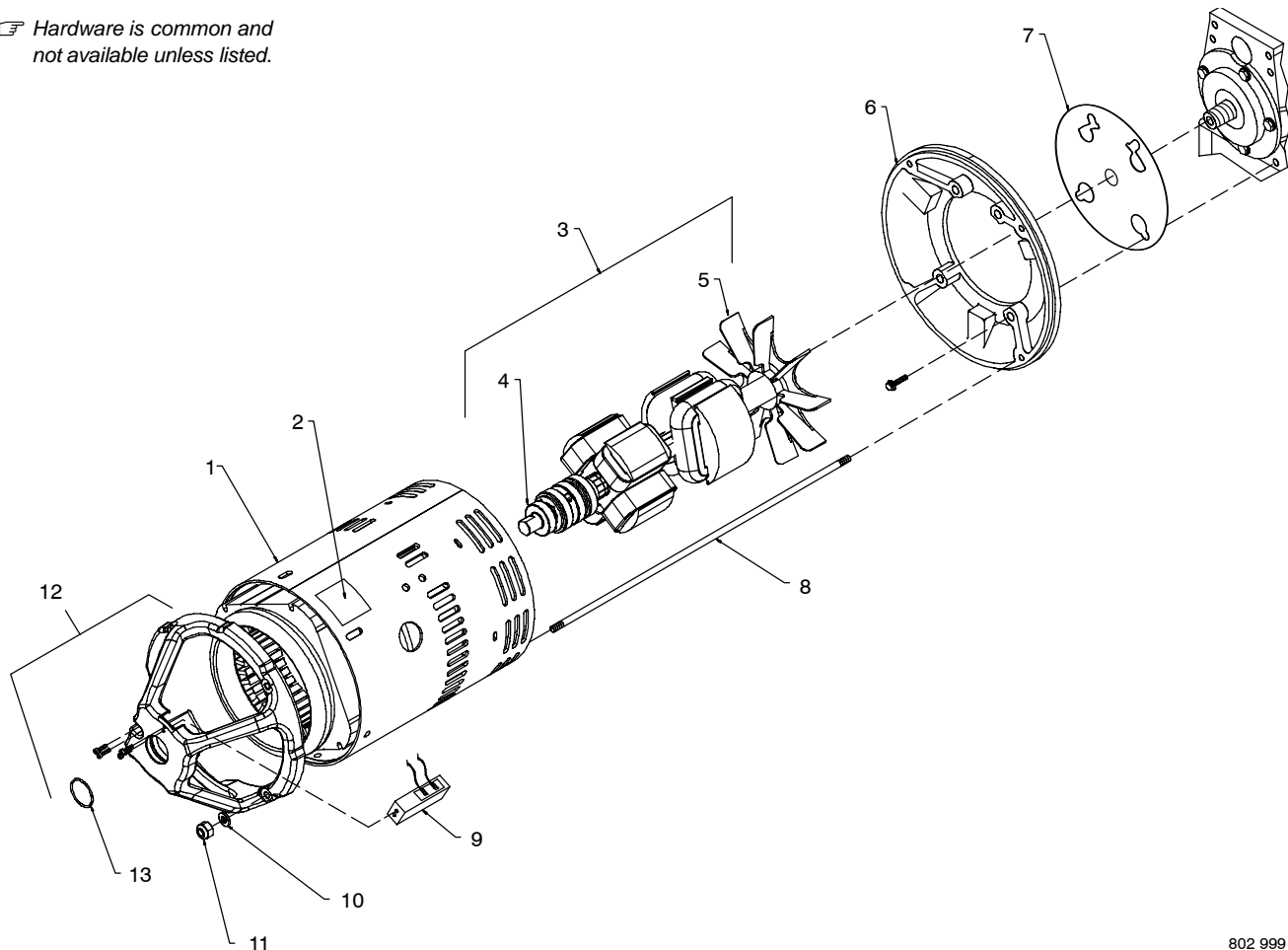
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Item No.	Part No.	Description	Quantity
<b>Figure 13-3. Generator (Figure 13-1 Item 19)</b>			
1	+206 406	Stator, Generator	1
2	182092	Label, Warning Moving Parts Can Cause Serious Injury	2
3	202346	Rotor, Generator (includes)	1
4	181143	Bearing, Ball Rdl Sgl Row .984 X 2.047 X .591	1
5	160566	Fan, Rotor Gen	1
6	212161	Adapter, Engine <b>(Kohler, Robin EH64)</b>	1
7	202771	Baffle, Engine Adapter <b>(Kohler, Robin EH64)</b>	1
8	170861	Stud, Stl .375-16 X 17.375	4
9	205725	Brushholder Assy, Generator	2
	PLG17	Harness, Brushholder (includes)	1
	202511	Conn, Rect Univ 084 6p/S 3row Plug Cable Lkg (Service Kit)	1
10	010909	Washer, Flat .406idx0.812odx.065t Stl Pld Ansi.375	4
11	010910	Nut, 375-16 .56hex .46h Stl Pld Elastic Stop Nut	4
12	218049	Endbell (includes)	1
13	183419	O-Ring	1
	PLG10	Connector, Rect Univ 084 3 P/S 1 Row Plug Cable Lkg (Service Kit)	1

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**Figure 13-3. Generator**

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