



# SERVICE MANUAL

MODELS 50 • 60 (4-STROKE) 2001 AND NEWER

With Serial Numbers United States ..... 0T178500 and Above



## **Notice**

Throughout this publication, "Dangers", "Warnings" and "Cautions" (accompanied by the International HAZARD Symbol  $\bigstar$ ) are used to alert the mechanic to special instructions concerning a particular service or operation that may be hazardous if performed incorrectly or carelessly. **OBSERVE THEM CAREFULLY!** 

These "Safety Alerts" alone cannot eliminate the hazards that they signal. Strict compliance to these special instructions when performing the service, plus "Common Sense" operation, are major accident prevention measures.

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DANGER - Immediate hazards which WILL result in severe personal injury or death.

#### **WARNING**

WARNING - Hazards or unsafe practices which COULD result in severe personal injury or death.

#### **ACAUTION**

Hazards or unsafe practices which could result in minor personal injury or product or property damage.

## Notice to Users of This Manual

This service manual has been written and published by the Service Department of Mercury Marine to aid our dealers' mechanics and company service personnel when servicing the products described herein.

It is assumed that these personnel are familiar with the servicing procedures of these products, or like or similar products manufactured and marketed by Mercury Marine, that they have been trained in the recommended servicing procedures of these products which includes the use of mechanics' common hand tools and the special Mercury Marine or recommended tools from other suppliers.

We could not possibly know of and advise the service trade of all conceivable procedures by which a service might be performed and of the possible hazards and/or results of each method. We have not undertaken any such wide evaluation. Therefore, anyone who uses a service procedure and/or tool, which is not recommended by the manufacturer, first must completely satisfy himself that neither his nor the products safety will be endangered by the service procedure selected.

All information, illustrations and specifications contained in this manual are based on the latest product information available at the time of publication. As required, revisions to this manual will be sent to all dealers contracted by us to sell and/or service these products.

It should be kept in mind, while working on the product, that the electrical system and ignition system are capable of violent and damaging short circuits or severe electrical shocks. When performing any work where electrical terminals could possibly be grounded or touched by the mechanic, the battery cables should be disconnected at the battery.

Any time the intake or exhaust openings are exposed during service they should be covered to protect against accidental entrance of foreign material which could enter the cylinders and cause extensive internal damage when the engine is started.



It is important to note, during any maintenance procedure replacement fasteners must have the same measurements and strength as those removed. Numbers on the heads of the metric bolts and on the surfaces of metric nuts indicate their strength. American bolts use radial lines for this purpose, while most American nuts do not have strength markings. Mismatched or incorrect fasteners can result in damage or malfunction, or possibly personal injury. Therefore, fasteners removed should be saved for reuse in the same locations whenever possible. Where the fasteners are not satisfactory for re-use, care should be taken to select a replacement that matches the original.

## **Cleanliness and Care of Outboard Motor**

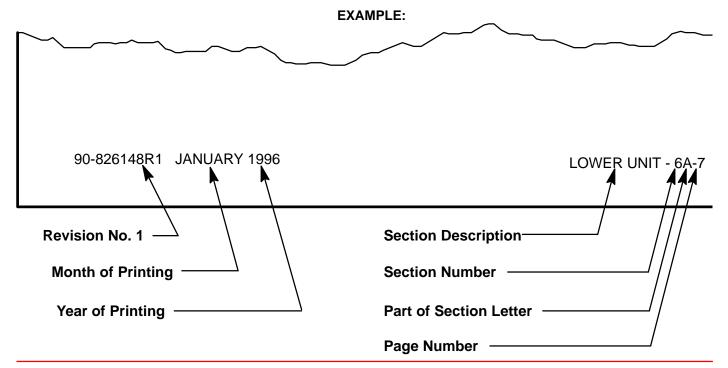
A marine power product is a combination of many machined, honed, polished and lapped surfaces with tolerances that are measured in the ten thousands of an inch/mm. When any product component is serviced, care and cleanliness are important. Throughout this manual, it should be understood that proper cleaning, and protection of machined surfaces and friction areas is a part of the repair procedure. This is considered standard shop practice even if not specifically stated.

Whenever components are removed for service, they should be retained in order. At the time of installation, they should be installed in the same locations and with the same mating surfaces as when removed.

Personnel should not work on or under an outboard which is suspended. Outboards should be attached to work stands, or lowered to ground as soon as possible.

We reserve the right to make changes to this manual without prior notification.

Refer to dealer service bulletins for other pertinent information concerning the products described in this manual.



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## **Specifications**

Models 50/60 (4-Stroke)						
HORSEPOWER (kW)	Model 50 Model 60	50 hp (37.7 Kw) @ 5750 rpm 60 hp (44.7 Kw) @ 5750 rpm				
OUTBOARD WEIGHT	Electric 50/60 ELPT 50/60 ELPT BIGFOOT	236 lb (107.2 kg) 252 lb (114.2 kg)				
FUEL	RECOMMENDED GASOLINE	Automotive Unleaded with a Minimum Pump Posted Octane Rating of 87				
OIL	OIL FILTER OIL FILTER WRENCH ENGINE OIL CAPACITY ENGINE OIL $F^{\circ}$ $C^{\circ}$	p/n 35-822626A2 p/n 91-802653Q1 Either 3 Quarts or 3 Liters SAE 10W-30 viscosity oil is recom- mended for use in all temperatures. SAE 25W-40 viscosity oil may be used at temperatures above 40° F (4° C). Use Quicksilver 4-Cycle Marine Oil with the proper viscosity for the expected temperature in your area (see range thermometer on left). If not available, use a premium quality 4-cycle engine oil, cer- tified to meet or exceed anyone of the following American Petroleum Institute (API) service classifications SH, SG, SF, CF-4, CE, CD, CDII.				





SPECIFICATIONS



	Type Speak Diver	Capacitor Discharge Ignition
	Spark Plug:	
	Туре	NGK DPR6EA-9
	Gap	0.035 in. (1.0 mm)
	Hex Size	18 mm
	Torque	150 lb-in. (17 Nm)
	Hole Size	12 mm
	Firing Order	1-3-4-2
	Ignition Timing:	
	@ Idle (Cold Start)	15° B.T.D.C
IGNITION	@ Idle (800 rpm)	5° B.T.D.C
SYSTEM	@ WOT (6000 rpm)	28° B.T.D.C
Readings taken @	Charge Coil Resistance	660 - 710 Ω (GRN/WHT - WHT/GRN)
68°F (20°C).	Crank Position Sensor Resistance	300 - 350 Ω (RED - WHT)
	Ignition Coil Resistance:	
	Primary	0.08 - 0.7 Ω (BLK - BLK/WHT)
	Secondary (W/o Boots)	3.5 - 4.7 kΩ (BLK - High Tension)
	ECM Engine Speed Limiter	、 <b>、</b> /
	Soft Reduction (Retards Timing)	6200 rpm
	Spark Cut-Out Reduction (Percent-	·
	ages of ignition spark are Cut-Out)	6250 rpm
	ECM Overheat/Low Oil Pressure	·
	Speed Control	Approximately 2000 rpm
	Engine Temperature Sensor	See Graph Section 2A-Ignition
	Alternator Type:	Single Phase (12 Pole)
	6 Amp. Manual Lighting Coil Output	6 Amps.
	Lighting Coil Resistance	0.9 - 1.1 Ohms (YEL-YEL)
CHARGING	15 Amp. Electric Alternator Output	12.6 V-15 Amps. (185 Watts)
SYSTEM		(Rectified/Regulated)
Readings taken @	Battery Charging Coil Resistance	0.22 - 0.24 Ohms (YEL-YEL)
68°F (20°C).	Power Bobbin Resistance	····· ································
	(For Electrothermal Valve)	6.7-7.1 Ohms (YEL/BLK-YEL/BLK)
	Quicksilver Tachometer Setting	"6P" or "4"
	Manual Start	Recoil Starter
	Electric Start:	
	Starter Type	Bendix
STARTING	Output	1.1 kW
SYSTEM	Ampere Draw Under:	
	(Load)	174.0 Amps
	(No Load)	23.7 Amps
	Battery Rating	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
	Minimum Requirement	465 Marine Cranking Amps (MCA)
		or 350 Cold Cranking Amps (CCA)
	For operation below 32° F (0° C)	1000 Marine Cranking Amps (MCA) or
BATTERY		775 Cold Cranking Amps (CCA)
DATTERT		
	Ampere-Hours (Ah) Minimum	
	For operation above 32 $^{\circ}$ F (0 $^{\circ}$ C)	70
	For operation below 32° F (0° C)	105
ENRICHMENT	Auto Enrichener Resistance	15 - 25 Ohms (YEL/BLK - YEL/BLK)
CONTROL	Electrothermal ram projection	0.3 in. (7 mm) after 5 min. of power
SYSTEM		
Readings taken @		
68°F (20°C).		
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	Fuel Pump Type Fuel Pump:	External (Plunger/Diaphragm)
FUEL	Pressure	3-6 psi
SYSTEM	Plunger Stroke	0.23 - 0.38 in. (5.85 - 9.65 mm)
	Fuel Tank Capacity	Accessory
	Idle rpm (Out Of Gear)	850 ± 25 rpm
	Idle rpm (In Forward Gear)	$725\pm25$ rpm
	Wide Open Throttle rpm (WOT) Range	5500-6000
	Main Jet Size	#98
	Pilot Jet	#38
CARBURETOR	Idle Mixture Screw	1 Turn out
	Float Height	0.47-0.63 in. (12.0-16.0 mm)
CYLINDER	Туре	4 Stroke Cycle – Over Head Camshaft
BLOCK	Displacement Number of Cylinders	60.8 cu. in. (996 cc) 4
	-	1
STROKE	Length	2.953 in. (75 mm)
	Diameter Standard	2.5591 in. (65 mm)
CYLINDER	Oversize-0.010 in. (0.25 mm)	2.5689 in. (65.25 mm)
BORE	Oversize-0.020 in. (0.50 mm)	2.5787 in. (65.5 mm)
	Taper/Out of Round Maximum	0.003 in. (0.08 mm)
	Bore Type	Cast Iron
	Piston Type O.D. at Skirt	Aluminum
PISTON	Standard	2.5570 - 2.5578 in. (64.950 - 64.965 mm)
	Oversize-0.010 in. (0.25 mm)	2.5669 - 2.5675 in. (65.2 - 65.215 mm)
	Oversize-0.020 in. (0.50 mm)	2.5768 - 2.5774 in. (65.450 - 65.465 mm)
PISTON CLEARANCE	Piston to Cylinder Clearance	0.00140026 in. (0.035 - 0.065 mm)
	Ring End Gap (Installed)	
	Top	0.006 - 0.012 in. (0.15 - 0.03 mm)
RINGS	Middle Bottom (Oil Ring)	0.012 - 0.020 in. (0.30 - 0.50 mm) 0.008 - 0.028 in. (0.20 - 0.70 mm)
	Side Clearance:	
	Top Middle	0.0008 - 0.0024 in. (0.02 - 0.06 mm) 0.0008 - 0.0024 in. (0.02 - 0.06 mm)
	Compression Ratio	9.7:1
COMPRESSION RATIO	Cylinder Compression* (Electric Models Only, Cold Engine @	180 -210 psi (Peak)
	W.O.T.)	
PISTON PIN	Piston Pin Diameter	0.6285 - 0.6287 in. (15.965 - 15.970 mm)
CONNECTING	Oil Clearance (Big End)	0.0008 - 0.0020 in. (0.020 - 0.052 mm)
ROD	Small End Inside Diameter	0.6293 - 0.6298 in. (15.985 - 15.998 mm)
CRANKSHAFT	Main Bearing Clearance	0.0005 - 0.0017 in. (0.012 - 0.044 mm)
	Crankshaft Run-out	0.0018 in. (0.046 mm)



**\*NOTE:** Manual start models are equipped with compression relief mechanism which will not allow compression testing.

	Run-out Limit Camshaft Bearing Diameter "b"	0.0039 in. (0.1 mm) 1.4541 - 1.4549 in. (36.935 - 36.955 mm)
VALVE SPRING	Free Length "a" Tilt Limit "b"	1.491-1.569 in. (37.85-39.85 mm) Less than 0.060 in. (1.7 mm) 19.8 - 22.0 lbs. (9.0 - 10.0 kg) 19.8 - 22.0 lbs. (9.0 - 10.0 kg) 0.043 in. (1.1 mm)

	Warp Limit	0.004 in. (0.1 mm)		
	* Lines indicate straight edge measurement			
CYLINDER HEAD	Camshaft Bore Inside Diameter "a"	1 4567 - 1 4577 in		
		1.4567 - 1.4577 in. (37.000 - 37.025 mm)		
	Valve/Valve Seat/Valve Guides: Valve Clearance (cold) Intake Exhaust Valve Dimensions:	0.006 - 0.010 in. (0.15 - 0.25 mm) 0.010 - 0.014 in. (0.25 - 0.35 mm)		
	"A" Head Diameter Intake Exhaust "B" Face Width	1.256 - 1.264 in. (31.9 - 32.1 mm) 1.020 - 1.028 in. (25.9 - 26.1 mm)		
	Intake Exhaust "C" Seat Width	0.079 - 0.124 in. (2.00 - 3.14 mm) 0.079 - 0.124 in. (2.00 - 3.14 mm)		
	Intake Exhaust "D" Margin Thickness	0.035 - 0.043 in. (0.9 - 1.1 mm) 0.035 - 0.043 in. (0.9 - 1.1 mm)		
VALVES	Intake Exhaust Stem Outside Diameter	0.020 - 0.035 in. (0.5 - 0.9 mm) 0.020 - 0.035 in. (0.5 - 0.9 mm)		
	Intake Exhaust Guide Inside Diameter	0.2156 - 0.2161 in. (5.475 - 5.490 mm) 0.2150 - 0.2156 in. (5.460 - 5.475 mm)		
	Intake Exhaust Stem To Guide Clearance	0.2165 - 0.2170 in. (5.500 - 5.512 mm) 0.2165 - 0.2170 in. (5.500 - 5.512 mm)		
	Intake Exhaust Stem Run-out Limit (max.)	0.0004 - 0.0015 in. (0.010 - 0.037 mm) 0.0010 - 0.0020 in. (0.025 - 0.052 mm) 0.0006 in. (0.016 mm)		



Valve Dimensions							
Head	"A"	t Width Margin Thickness					
ROCKER SHAFT	Outside Diameter	0.6288 - 0.6296 in. (15.971 - 15.991 mm)					
ROCKER ARM	Inside Diameter of Bore	0.6299 - 0.6306 in. (16.000 - 16.018 mm)					
THERMOSTAT	Valve Opening Temperature Full Open Temperature	118° F - 123° F (48° C - 51° C) 145° F (63° C)					
LUBRICATION SYSTEM	Pump Type Engine Oil Pressure (Warm Engine) @ 3000 rpm Engine Oil Pan Capacity Oil Pump: Outer Rotor to Housing "a" Inner Rotor to Outer Rotor "b" Rotor to Housing "c"	Trochoid 30-40 psi (207-278 kPa) Either 3 Qts. <b>or</b> 3 Liters 0.0045 - 0.009 in. (0.11 - 0.23 mm) 0.005 in. (0.12 mm) 0.0015 - 0.003 in. (0.04 - 0.08 mm)					
MID-SECTION	Transom Height: Long Shaft Steering Pivot Range: Tiller Remote Full Tilt Up Angle Allowable Transom Thickness	20 in. (51 cm) 90° 60° 71° 2-3/4 in. (69.8 mm)					

SPECIFICATIONS



	Gear Ratio	1.83:1
	Gearcase Capacity	11.5 fl oz (340 mL)
	Lubricant Type	Quicksilver Gear Lube-Premium Blend
	Forward Gear	
	Number of Teeth	22 Spiral/Bevel
	Pinion Gear	· ·
	Number of Teeth	12 Spiral/Bevel
	Pinion Height	0.025 in. (0.64 mm)
GEAR HOUSING		Pinion Gear Locating Tool
(1.83:1)		(91-817008A2)
(	Forward Gear Backlash	0.011-0.017 in. (0.28-0.43 mm)
		Backlash Indicator Tool (91-196601)
		MARK #4 or 0.366 in. (9.3 mm)
	Water Pressure (Warm Engine)	
	@ 800 rpm	1–3 psi (7-21 kPa)
	@ 6000 rpm (WOT)	12–25 psi (83-172 kPa)
	Leak Test Pressure	10-12 psi (68-83 kPa)
		for 5 Minutes
	Gear Ratio	2.31:1
	Gearcase Capacity	24 fl oz (710 mL)
	Lubricant Type	Quicksilver Gear Lube-Premium Blend
	Forward Gear	
	Number of Teeth	30 Spiral/Bevel
	Pinion Gear	
	Number of Teeth	13 Spiral/Bevel
	Pinion Height	0.025 in. (0.64 mm)
GEAR HOUSING	Pinion Gear Locating Tool	91-12349A2
BIGFOOT	Flat Number Disc Number	#8 #3
(2.3:1)	Forward Gear Backlash	-
		0.012-0.019 in. (0.30-0.48 mm) 91-78473
	Backlash Indicating Tool Mark Number	91-78473 #4
	Water Pressure	#4
		2–6 psi (14-41 kPa)
	@ 800 rpm (Idle) @ 6000 rpm (WOT)	
	@ 6000 rpm (WOT)	12–25 psi (83-172 kPa)
	Leak Test Pressure	10-12 psi (69-83 kPa)
		for 5 Minutes



## **Propeller Information Charts**

## Mercury/Mariner 50 (4-Stroke) 1.83:1 Non-Bigfoot

Wide Open Throttle RPM : 5500-6000 Recommended Transom Heights : 20", 22.5" Right Hand Rotation Standard Gear Reduction : 1.83:1

Diameter	Pitch	No. of Blades	Material	Approx. Gross Boat Wgt. (Ibs)	Approx. Boat Length	Speed Range (mph)	Propeller Part Number
10"	19"	3	Alum	Up to 800	Up to 14'	49-58	48-73146A40
10"	17"	3	Alum	Up to 900	Up to 15'	43-50	48-73144A40
10"	16"	3	Steel	900-1300	Up to 15'	39-46	48-91818A5
10"	16"	3	Alum	900-1300	Up to 15'	39-46	48-73142A40
10-1/8"	15"	3	Steel	1000-1400	13-15'	36-43	48-855862A5
10-1/8"	15"	3	Alum	1000-1400	13-15'	36-43	48-73140A40
10-1/4"	14"	3	Steel	1100-1600	14-16'	33-39	48-855860A5
10-1/4"	14"	3	Alum	1100-1600	14-16'	33-39	48-73138A40
10-3/8"	13"	3	Steel	1300-1800	14-17'	30-35	48-855858A5
10-3/8"	13"	3	Alum	1300-1800	14-17'	30-35	48-73136A40
10-5/8"	12"	3	Steel	1400-2000	15-17'	27-32	48-855856A5
10-5/8"	12"	3	Alum	1400-2000	15-17'	27-32	48-73134A40
11-5/8"	11"	3	Steel	1700-2400	16-18'	24-29	48-823478A5
10-7/8"	11"	3	Alum	1700-2400	16-18'	24-29	48-85632A40
11-5/8"	10-1/2"	3	Alum	1900-2700	16' +	21-25	48-827312A10
11-1/4"	10"	3	Alum	2100-3000	17' +	19-24	48-73132A40
12-1/4"	9"	3	Steel	2500+	pontoon	17-21	48-97868A10
12-1/4"	9"	3	Alum	2500+	pontoon	17-21	48-87818A10
12-1/2"	8"	3	Alum	3000+	Pontoon/ houseboat	1-18	48-42738A10
12-1/2"	8" Cup	3	Alum		pontoon		48-42738A12



## Mercury/Mariner 60 (4-Stroke) 1.83:1 Non-Bigfoot

Wide Open Throttle RPM : 5500-6000 Recommended Transom Heights : 20", 22.5" Right Hand Rotation Standard Gear Reduction : 1.83:1

Diameter	Pitch	No. of Blades	Material	Approx. Gross Boat Wgt. (Ibs)	Approx. Boat Length	Speed Range (mph)	Propeller Part Number
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10"	16"	3	Steel	1200-1600	Up to 16'	39-46	48-91818A5
10"	16"	3	Alum	1200-1600	Up to 16'	39-42	48-73142A40
10-1/8"	15"	3	Steel	1300-1700	14-16'	36-43	48-855862A5
10-1/8"	15"	3	Alum	1300-1700	14-16'	36-43	48-73140A40
10-1/4"	14"	3	Steel	1400-2000	15-17'	33-39	48-855860A5
10-1/4"	14"	3	Alum	1400-2000	15-17'	33-39	48-73138A40
10-3/8"	13"	3	Steel	1600-2200	15-18'	30-35	48-855858A5
10-3/8"	13"	3	Alum	1600-2200	15-18'	30-35	48-73136A40
10-5/8"	12"	3	Steel	1800-2500	16-18'	27-32	48-855856A5
10-5/8"	12"	3	Alum	1800-2500	16-18'	27-32	48-73134A40
11-5/8"	11"	3	Steel	2300-3000	17-19'	24-29	48-823478A5
10-7/8"	11"	3	Alum	2300-3000	17-19'	24-29	48-85632A40
11-5/8"	10-1/2"	3	Alum	2500-3300	17' +	21-25	48-827312A10
11-1/4"	10"	3	Alum	2800-3600	18' +	19-24	48-73132A40
12-1/4"	9"	3	Steel	3300+	pontoon	17-21	48-97868A10
12-1/4"	9"	3	Alum	3300+	pontoon	17-21	48-87818A10
12-1/2"	8"	3	Alum	4000+	Pontoon/ houseboat	1-18	48-42738A10
12-1/2"	8" Cup	3	Alum		pontoon		48-42738A12



#### Mercury/Mariner 50 (4-Stroke) 2.3:1 Bigfoot

#### Special soft rubber hub propellers designed to reduce clutch rattle

Wide Open Throttle rpm: 5500-6000 Recommended Transom Heights : 20", 25" Right Hand Rotation Standard Gear Reduction : 2.31:1

IMPORTANT: These specially designed rubber hub propellers are rated for 60 horsepower MAXIMUM.

Diameter	Pitch	No. of Blades	Material	Approx. Gross Boat Wgt. (Ibs)	Approx. Boat Length	Speed Range (mph)	Propeller Part Number
13-3/4"	15"	3	Alum	1500-2000	14-16'	25-32	48-77342A33
14"	13"	3	Alum	1800-2600	16-18'	23-27	48-77340A33
14"	11"	3	Alum	2800-4000	pontoon	17-21	48-77338A33
14"	10"	3	Alum	3000+	pontoon/work	14-19	48-854342A33
14"	9"	3	Alum	5000+	houseboat/ work	1-16	48-854340A33

## Mercury/Mariner 60 (4-Stroke) 2.3:1 Bigfoot

#### Special soft rubber hub propellers designed to reduce clutch rattle

Wide Open Throttle rpm: 5500-6000 Recommended Transom Heights : 20", 25" Right Hand Rotation Standard Gear Reduction : 2.31:1

IMPORTANT: These specially designed rubber hub propellers are rated for 60 horsepower MAXIMUM.

Diameter	Pitch	No. of Blades	Material	Approx. Gross Boat Wgt. (Ibs)	Approx. Boat Length	Speed Range (mph)	Propeller Part Number
13-3/4"	15"	3	Alum	2000-2500	16-18'	25-32	48-77342A33
14"	13"	3	Alum	2300-3200	17-20'	23-27	48-77340A33
14"	11"	3	Alum	3000-4300	pontoon	17-21	48-77338A33
14"	10"	3	Alum	3500+	pontoon/work	14-19	48-854342A33
14"	9"	3	Alum	5500+	houseboat/ work	1-16	48-854340A33

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## **Special Tools**

1. Crankcase Oil Pump P/N 90265A5

2. Oil Filter Wrench P/N 91-802653Q1

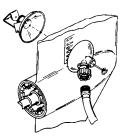








3. Flushing Attachment P/N 44357A2



## **Quicksilver Lubricant/Sealant**

1. Quicksilver Anti-Corrosion Grease P/N 92-78376A6



2. 2-4-C Marine Lubricant with Teflon P/N 92-825407A12



3. Special Lubricant 101 P/N 92-13872A1



4. Quicksilver Power Trim and Steering Fluid P/N 92-190100A12



5. Quicksilver 4-Stroke Outboard Oil P/N 92-828000A12



6. Gear Lube-Premium Blend P/N 92-19007A24



7. Quicksilver 4-Cycle Marine Engine Oil P/N 92-832111A1





## **Inspection And Maintenance Schedule**

To keep your outboard in the best operating condition, it is important that your outboard receive the periodic inspections and maintenance listed in the Inspection and Maintenance Schedule. We urge you to keep it maintained properly to ensure the safety of you and your passengers and retain its dependability.

### **WARNING**

Neglected inspection and maintenance service of your outboard or attempting to perform maintenance or repair on your outboard if you are not familiar with the correct service and safety procedures could cause personal injury, death, or product failure.

#### **Before Each Use**

- 1. Check engine oil level.
- 2. Check that lanyard stop switch stops the engine.
- 3. Visually inspect the fuel system for deterioration or leaks.
- 4. Check outboard for tightness on transom.
- 5. Check steering system for binding or loose components.
- 6. Visually check steering link rod fasteners for proper tightness.
- 7. Check propeller blades for damage.

### After Each Use

- 1. Flush out the outboard cooling system if operating in salt or polluted water.
- 2. Wash off all salt deposits and flush out the exhaust outlet of the propeller and gear case with fresh water if operating in salt water.

#### Every 100 Hours of Use or Once yearly, Whichever occurs first

- 1. Lubricate all lubrication points. Lubricate more frequently when used in salt water.
- 2. Change engine oil and replace the oil filter. The oil should be changed more often when the engine is operated under adverse conditions such as extended trolling.
- 3. Inspect thermostat visually for corrosion, broken spring, and to determine that the valve is completely closed at room temperature. If questionable, inspect thermostat as outlined in Section 4B **"Thermostat**".
- 4. Inspect and clean spark plugs.
- 5. Check engine fuel filter for contaminants.
- 6. Adjust carburetor(s) (if required).
- 7. Check engine timing setup.
- 8. Check corrosion control anodes. Check more frequently when used in salt water.
- 9. Drain and replace gear case lubricant.
- 10. Lubricate splines on the drive shaft.
- 11. Check and adjust valve clearance, if necessary.
- 12. Check power trim fluid.
- 13. Inspect battery.
- 14. Check control cable adjustments.
- 15. Inspect timing belt.
- 16. Remove engine deposits with Quicksilver Power Tune Engine Cleaner.
- 17. Check tightness of bolts, nuts, and other fasteners.

#### **Every 300 Hours of Use or Three Years**

1. Replace water pump impeller (more often if overheating occurs or reduced water pressure is noted).

#### **Before Periods of Storage**

1. Refer to Storage procedure (this section).



## **Flushing the Cooling System**

Flush the internal water passages of the outboard with fresh water after each use in salt, polluted or muddy water. This will help prevent a buildup of deposits from clogging the internal water passages.

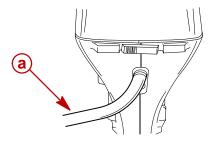
**IMPORTANT:** The engine must be run during flushing in order to open the thermostat and circulate water through the water passages.

NOTE: You can have the outboard tilted or in the vertical operating position during flushing.

**WARNING** 

To avoid possible injury when flushing, remove the propeller. Refer to Propeller Replacement.

- 1. Place the outboard in either the operating position (vertical) or in a tilted position.
- 2. Remove propeller (refer to Propeller Replacement).
- 3. Thread a water hose into the rear fitting. Partially open the water tap (1/2 maximum). Do not open the water tap all the way, as this allows a high pressure flow of water.



a - Water Hose Threaded into Rear Fitting

#### IMPORTANT: Do not run engine above idle when flushing.

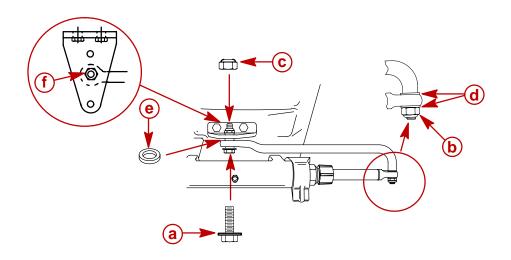
- 4. Shift outboard into neutral. Start the engine and flush the cooling system for at least 5 minutes. Keep engine speed at idle.
- 5. Stop the engine. Turn off the water and remove hose. Reinstall the propeller.

## **Steering Link Rod Fasteners**

#### **WARNING**

Disengagement of a steering link rod can result in the boat taking a full, sudden, sharp turn. This potentially violent action can cause occupants to be thrown overboard exposing them to serious injury or death.

IMPORTANT: The steering link rod that connects the steering cable to the engine must be fastened using special washer head bolt ("a" – Part Number 10-90041) and self locking nylon insert locknuts ("b" & "c" – Part Number 11-34863). These locknuts must never be replaced with common nuts (non locking) as they will work loose and vibrate off, freeing the link rod to disengage.



- a Washer Head Bolt (10-90041)
- b Nylon Insert Locknut (11-34863)
- c Nylon Insert Locknut (11-34863)
- d Flat Washers
- e Spacer (12-71970)
- f Link Rod Mount Hole
- Assemble steering link rod to steering cable with two flat washers (d) and nylon insert locknut ("b" – Part Number 11-34863). Tighten locknut (b) until it seats, then back nut off 1/4 turn.
- Assemble steering link rod to engine with special washer head bolt ("a" Part Number 10-90041), locknut ("c" – Part Number 11-34863) and spacer ("e" – 12-71970). First torque bolt (a) to 20 lb. ft. (27 N⋅m), then torque locknut (c) to 20 lb. ft. (27 N⋅m).

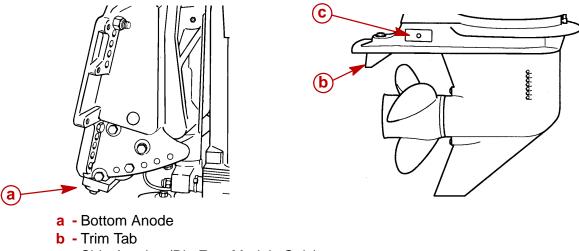


## **Corrosion Control Anode**

Your outboard has control anodes at different locations. An anode helps protect the outboard against galvanic corrosion by sacrificing its metal to be slowly eroded instead of the outboard metals.

Each anode requires periodic inspection especially in salt water which will accelerate the erosion. To maintain this corrosion protection, always replace the anode before it is completely eroded. Never paint or apply a protective coating on the anode as this will reduce effectiveness of the anode.

1. The gear case has two corrosion control anodes. Another anode is installed on the bottom of the transom bracket assembly.

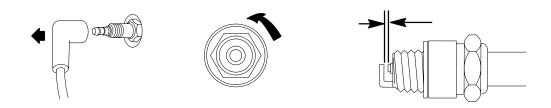


**c** - Side Anodes (Big Foot Models Only)

## **Spark Plug Inspection and Replacement**

Inspect spark plugs at the recommended intervals.

- 1. Remove the spark plug leads by twisting the rubber boots slightly and pull off.
- 2. Remove the spark plugs to inspect and clean. Replace spark plug if electrode is worn or the insulator is rough, cracked, broken, blistered or fouled.



- 3. Set the spark plug gap. See Specification Chart.
- 4. Before reinstalling spark plugs, clean away dirt on the spark plug seats. Install plugs finger tight, and tighten 1/4 turn or torque to 12.5 lb-ft (17 Nm).

## **Battery Inspection**

The battery should be inspected at periodic intervals to ensure proper engine starting capability.

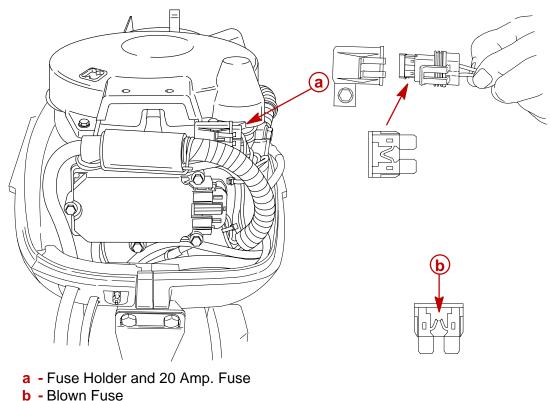
## **IMPORTANT**: Read the safety and maintenance instructions which accompany your battery.

- 1. Turn off the engine before servicing the battery.
- 2. Add water as necessary to keep the battery full.
- 3. Make sure the battery is secure against movement.
- 4. Battery cable terminals should be clean, tight, and correctly installed. Positive to positive and negative to negative.
- 5. Make sure the battery is equipped with a nonconductive shield to prevent accidental shorting of battery terminals.

## **Fuse Replacement – Electric Start Models**

The electric starting circuit is protected from overload by a 20 Amp. fuse. If the fuse is blown, the electric starter motor will not operate. Try to locate and correct the cause of the overload. If the cause is not found, the fuse may blow again. Replace the fuse with a fuse of the same amperage rating.

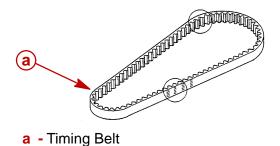
1. Disconnect fuse holder, and remove fuse. Look at the silver colored band inside the fuse. If band is broken replace the fuse. Replace fuse with a new fuse with the same amperage rating.





## **Timing Belt Inspection**

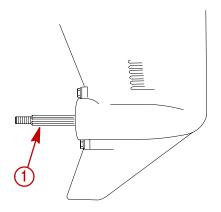
- 1. Inspect the timing belt and replace if any of the following conditions are found.
  - a. Cracks in the back of the belt or in the base of the belt teeth.
  - b. Excessive wear at the roots of the cogs.
  - c. Rubber portion swollen by oil.
  - d. Belt surfaces roughened.
  - e. Signs of wear on edges or outer surfaces of belt.



## **Lubrication Points**

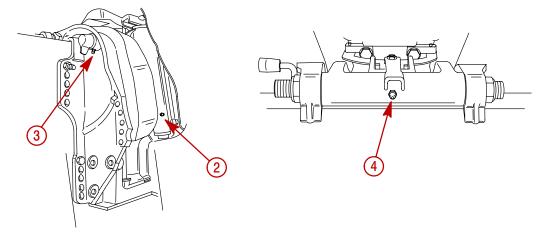
## Lubricate Point 1 with Quicksilver Anti-Corrosion Grease or 2-4-C Marine Lubricant with Teflon

1. Propeller Shaft – Refer to Propeller Replacement for removal and installation of the propeller. Coat the entire propeller shaft with lubricant to prevent the propeller hub from corroding and seizing to the shaft.



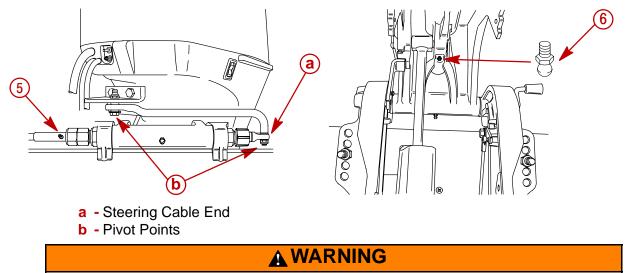
Lubricate Points 2 thru 6 with Quicksilver 2-4-C Marine Lubricant with Teflon or Special Lubricant 101.

- 2. Swivel Bracket Lubricate through fitting.
- 3. Tilt Support Lever Lubricate through fitting.
- 4. Tilt Tube-Lubricate through fitting.



- 5. Steering Cable Grease Fitting (If equipped) Rotate steering wheel to fully retract the steering cable end into the outboard tilt tube. Lubricate through fitting.
- 6. This grease fitting is for lubricating the threaded rod for the co-pilot.

#### Lubricate Points b with light weight oil.

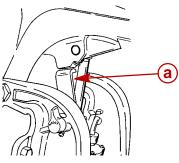


The end of the steering cable must be fully retracted into the outboard tilt tube before adding lubricant. Adding lubricant to steering cable when fully extended could cause steering cable to become hydraulically locked. An hydraulically locked steering cable will cause loss of steering control, possibly resulting in serious injury or death.

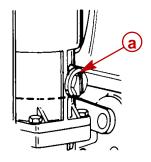


## **Checking Power Trim Fluid**

1. Tilt outboard to the full up position and engage the tilt support lock.



- a Tilt Support Lock
- Remove fill cap and check fluid level. The fluid level should be even with the bottom of the fill hole. Add Quicksilver Power Trim & Steering Fluid. If not available, use automotive (ATF) automatic transmission fluid.





## **Fuel System**

#### **WARNING**

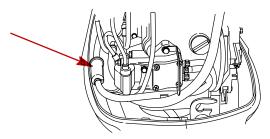
Avoid serious injury or death from gasoline fire or explosion. Carefully follow all fuel system service instructions. Always stop the engine and DO NOT smoke or allow open flames or sparks in the area while servicing any part of the fuel system.

Before servicing any part of the fuel system, stop engine and disconnect the battery. Drain the fuel system completely. Use an approved container to collect and store fuel. Wipe up any spillage immediately. Material used to contain spillage must be disposed of in an approved receptacle. Any fuel system service must be performed in a well ventilated area. Inspect any completed service work for signs of fuel leakage.

#### **Fuel Line Filter**

**IMPORTANT**: Visually inspect for fuel leakage from the filter connections by squeezing the primer bulb until firm, forcing fuel into the filter.

Inspect the fuel line filter. If the filter appears to be contaminated, remove and replace.



#### **Fuel Line Inspection**

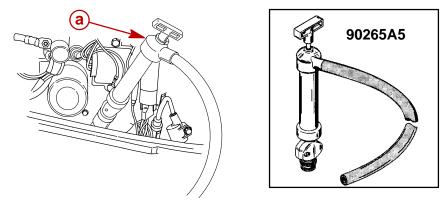
Visually inspect the fuel line and primer bulb for cracks, swelling, leaks, hardness, or other signs of deterioration or damage. If any of these conditions are found, the fuel line or primer bulb must be replaced.

## **Changing Engine Oil**

#### **Oil Changing Procedure**

#### Pump Method

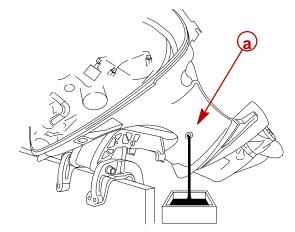
- 1. Place the outboard in an vertical upright position.
- 2. Remove dipstick and slide adaptor tube/pump down dipstick tube. Pump out the engine oil into an appropriate container.



a - Crankcase Oil Pump

#### Drain Plug Method

- 1. Tilt the outboard up to the trailer position.
- 2. Turn the steering on the outboard so that the drain hole is facing downward. Remove drain plug and drain engine oil into an appropriate container. Lubricate the seal on the drain plug with oil and reinstall.

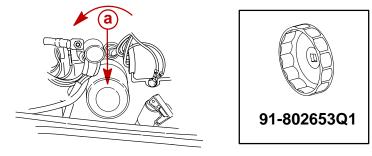


a - Drain Hole

#### **Changing Oil Filter**



- 1. Place a rag or towel below the oil filter to absorb any spilled oil.
- 2. Unscrew old filter by turning the filter counterclockwise.
- 3. Clean the mounting base. Apply film of clean oil to filter gasket. Do not use grease. Screw new filter on until gasket contacts base, then tighten 3/4 to 1 turn.

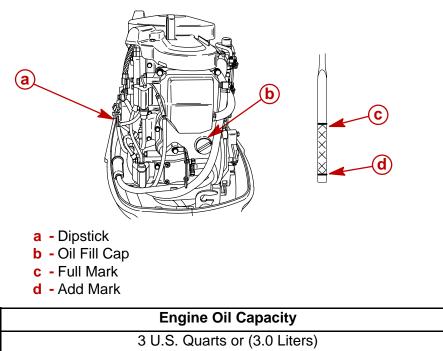


a - Oil Filter

#### **Checking and Adding Engine Oil**

# IMPORTANT: Do not overfill. Be sure that the outboard is upright (not tilted) when checking oil.

- 1. Remove the oil fill cap and add oil to to proper operating level.
- 2. Idle engine for five minutes and check for leaks. Stop engine and check oil level on dipstick. Oil must be between full mark and add mark. Add oil if necessary.



## **Changing Gear Case Lubricant**

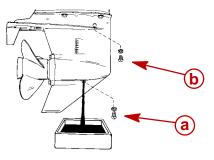
#### 3-1/4 In. (83mm) Diameter Gear Case

When adding or changing gear case lubricant, visually check for the presence of water in the lubricant. If water is present, it may have settled to the bottom and will drain out prior to the lubricant, or it may be mixed with the lubricant, giving it a milky colored appearance. If water is noticed, have the gear case checked by your dealer. Water in the lubricant may result in premature bearing failure or, in freezing temperatures, will turn to ice and damage the gear case.

Examine the drained gear case lubricant for metal particles. A small amount of fine metal particles indicates normal gear wear. An excessive amount of metal filings or larger particles (chips) may indicate abnormal gear wear and should be checked by an authorized dealer.

#### DRAINING GEAR CASE

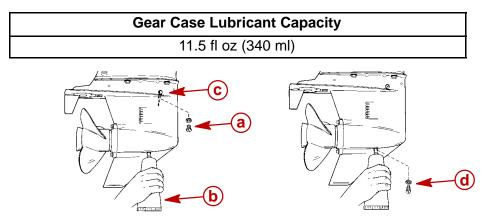
- 1. Place outboard in a vertical operating position.
- 2. Place a drain pan below outboard.
- 3. Remove vent plugs and fill/drain plug and drain lubricant.



a - Fill/drain Plug

**b** - Vent Plug

#### CHECKING GEAR CASE LUBRICANT LEVEL AND REFILLING GEAR CASE



- 1. Place outboard in a vertical operating position.
- 2. Remove vent plug (a).
- 3. Place lubricant tube (b) into the fill hole and add lubricant until it appears at the vent hole (c).

#### IMPORTANT: Replace sealing washers if damaged.

- 4. Stop adding lubricant. Install the vent plug and sealing washer (a) before removing the lubricant tube.
- 5. Remove lubricant tube and reinstall cleaned fill/drain plug and sealing washer (d).



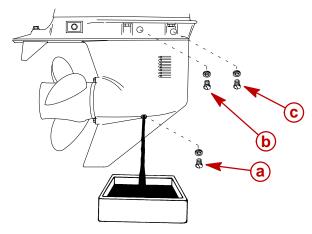
#### 4-1/4 In. (108mm) Diameter Gear Case

When adding or changing gear case lubricant, visually check for the presence of water in the lubricant. If water is present, it may have settled to the bottom and will drain out prior to the lubricant, or it may be mixed with the lubricant, giving it a milky colored appearance. If water is noticed, have the gear case checked by your dealer. Water in the lubricant may result in premature bearing failure or, in freezing temperatures, will turn to ice and damage the gear case.

Whenever you remove the fill/drain plug, examine the magnetic end for metal particles. A small amount of metal filings or fine metal particles indicates normal gear wear. An excessive amount of metal filings or larger particles (chips) may indicate abnormal gear wear and should be checked by an authorized dealer.

#### **DRAINING GEAR CASE**

- 1. Place outboard in a vertical operating position.
- 2. Place a drain pan below outboard.
- 3. Remove vent plugs and fill/drain plug and drain lubricant.



a - Fill/drain Plug

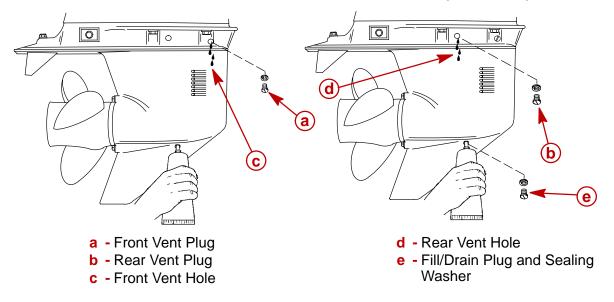
- b Rear Vent Plug
- c Front Vent Plug

#### CHECKING LUBRICANT LEVEL AND FILLING GEAR CASE

#### **Gear Case Lubricant Capacity**

#### 22.5 fl oz (655 ml)

- 1. Place outboard in a vertical operating position.
- 2. Remove the front vent plug and rear vent plug.
- 3. Place lubricant tube into the fill hole and add lubricant until it appears at the front vent hole. At this time install the front vent plug and sealing washer.
- 4. Continue adding lubricant until it appears at the rear vent hole.
- 5. Stop adding lubricant. Install the rear vent plug and sealing washer before removing lubricant tube.
- 6. Remove lubricant tube and reinstall cleaned fill/drain plug and sealing washer.



## **Submerged Outboard**

A submerged outboard will require service within a few hours by an authorized dealer once the outboard is recovered from the water. This immediate attention by a servicing dealer is necessary once the engine is exposed to the atmosphere to minimize internal corrosion damage to the engine.

## **Storage Preparation**

The major consideration in preparing your outboard for storage is to protect it from rust, corrosion, and damage caused by freezing of trapped water.

The following storage procedures should be followed to prepare your outboard for out-ofseason storage or prolonged storage (two months or longer).

#### 

Never start or run your outboard (even momentarily) without water circulating through the cooling water intake in the gear case to prevent damage to the water pump (running dry) or overheating of the engine.



#### **Fuel System**

IMPORTANT: Gasoline containing alcohol (ethanol or methanol) can cause a formation of acid during storage and can damage the fuel system. If the gasoline being use contains alcohol, it is advisable to drain as much of the remaining gasoline as possible from the fuel tank, remote fuel line, and engine fuel system.

Fill the fuel system (tank, hoses, fuel pump, and carburetor) with treated (stabilized) fuel to help prevent formation of varnish and gum. Proceed with following instructions.

- 1. Portable Fuel Tank Pour the required amount of Quicksilver Gasoline Stabilizer (follow instructions on container) into fuel tank. Tip fuel tank back and forth to mix stabilizer with the fuel.
- 2. Permanently Installed Fuel Tank Pour the required amount of Quicksilver Gasoline Stabilizer (follow instructions on container) into a separate container and mix with approximately one quart (one liter) of gasoline. Pour this mixture into fuel tank.
- 3. Place the outboard in water or connect flushing attachment for circulating cooling water. Run the engine for ten minutes to allow treated fuel to reach the carburetor.

#### **Protecting External Outboard Components**

- 1. Lubricate all outboard components listed in the Inspection and Maintenance Schedule.
- 2. Touch up any paint nicks.
- 3. Spray Quicksilver Corrosion Guard on external metal surfaces (except corrosion control anodes).

#### **Protecting Internal Engine Components**

- 1. Remove the spark plugs and inject a small amount of engine oil inside of each cylinder.
- 2. Rotate the flywheel manually several times to distribute the oil in the cylinders. Reinstall spark plugs.
- 3. Change the engine oil.

#### Gear Case

1. Drain and refill the gear case lubricant (refer to maintenance procedure).

#### Positioning Outboard for Storage

Store outboard in an upright (vertical) position to allow water to drain out of outboard.

If outboard is stored tilted up in freezing temperature, trapped cooling water or rain water that may have entered the propeller exhaust outlet in the gear case could freeze and cause damage to the outboard.

#### **Battery Storage**

- 1. Follow the battery manufacturer's instructions for storage and recharging.
- 2. Remove the battery from the boat and check water level. Recharge if necessary.
- 3. Store the battery in a cool, dry place.
- 4. Periodically check the water level and recharge the battery during storage.

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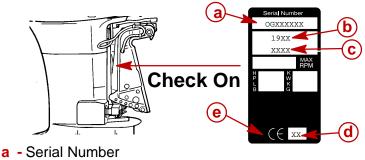
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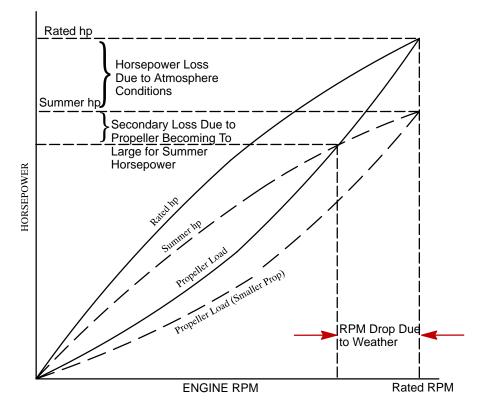
## **Serial Number Location**

The Outboard serial number is located on the lower starboard side of the engine block. A serial number is also located on the top side of the swivel bracket.



- **b** Model Year
- c Model Description
- d Year Manufactured
- e Certified Europe Insignia

## Conditions Affecting Performance Weather



It is a known fact that weather conditions exert a profound effect on power output of internal combustion engines. Therefore, established horsepower ratings refer to the power that the engine will produce at its rated rpm under a specific combination of weather conditions.

Corporations internationally have settled on adoption of I.S.O. (International Standards Organization) engine test standards, as set forth in I.S.O. 3046 standardizing the computation of horsepower from data obtained on the dynamometer, correcting all values to the power that the engine will produce at sea level, at 30% relative humidity at 77° F (25° C) temperature and a barometric pressure of 29.61 inches of mercury.



Summer Conditions of high temperature, low barometric pressure and high humidity all combine to reduce the engine power. This, in turn, is reflected in decreased boat speeds--as much as 2 or 3 miles-per-hour (3 or 5 Km per-hour) in some cases. (Refer to previous chart.) Nothing will regain this speed for the boater, but the coming of cool, dry weather.

In pointing out the practical consequences of weather effects, an engine--running on a hot, humid summer day--may encounter a loss of as much as 14% of the horsepower it would produce on a dry, brisk spring or fall day. The horsepower, that any internal combustion engine produces, depends upon the density of the air that it consumes and, in turn, this density is dependent upon the temperature of the air, its barometric pressure and water vapor (or humidity) content.

Accompanying this weather-inspired loss of power is a second but more subtle loss. At rigging time in early spring, the engine was equipped with a propeller that allowed the engine to turn within its recommended rpm range at full throttle. With the coming of the summer weather and the consequent drop in available horsepower, this propeller will, in effect, become too large. Consequently, the engine operates at less than its recommended rpm.

Due to the horsepower/rpm characteristics of an engine, this will result in further loss of horsepower at the propeller with another decrease in boat speed. This secondary loss, however, can be regained by switching to a smaller pitch propeller that allows the engine to again run at recommended rpm.

For boaters to realize optimum engine performance under changing weather conditions, it is essential that the engine have the proper propeller to allow it to operate at or near the top end of the recommended maximum rpm range at wide-open-throttle with a normal boat load.

Not only does this allow the engine to develop full power, but equally important is the fact that the engine also will be operating in an rpm range that discourages damaging detonation. This, of course, enhances overall reliability and durability of the engine.

#### Boat

#### WEIGHT DISTRIBUTION

- 1. Proper positioning of the weight inside the boat (persons and gear) has a significant effect on the boat's performance, for example:
  - a. Shifting weight to the rear (stern).
    - (1.) Generally increases top speed.
    - (2.) If in excess, can cause the boat to porpoise.
    - (3.) Can make the bow bounce excessively in choppy water.
    - (4.) Will increase the danger of the following wave splashing into the boat when coming off plane.
  - b. Shifting weight to the front (bow).
  - c. Adjusting tilt pin to achieve best performance and handling.
    - (1.) Improves ease of planing off.
    - (2.) Generally improves rough water ride.
    - (3.) If excessive, can make the boat veer left and right (bow steer).

#### BOTTOM

For maximum speed, a boat bottom should be nearly a flat plane where it contacts the water and particularly straight and smooth in fore-and-aft direction.



- 1. **Hook:** Exists when bottom is concave in fore-and-aft direction when viewed from the side. When boat is planing, "hook" causes more lift on bottom near transom and allows bow to drop, thus greatly increasing wetted surface and reducing boat speed. "Hook" frequently is caused by supporting boat too far ahead of transom while hauling on a trailer or during storage.
- 2. **Rocker:** The reverse of hook and much less common. "Rocker" exists if bottom is convex in fore-and-aft direction when viewed from the side, and boat has strong tendency to porpoise.
- 3. **Surface Roughness:** Moss, barnacles, etc., on boat or corrosion of outboard's gear housing increase skin friction and cause speed loss. Clean surfaces when necessary.

#### WATER ABSORPTION

It is imperative that all through hull fasteners be coated with a quality marine sealer at time of installation. Water intrusion into the transom core and/or inner hull will result in additional boat weight (reduced boat performance), hull decay and eventual structural failure.

#### CAVITATION

Cavitation is caused by water vapor bubbles forming either from a sharp edge or angle on the gear case, from an irregularity in the propeller blade itself or from improper engine installation (too high). These vapor bubbles flow back and collapse when striking the surface of the propeller blade resulting in the erosion of the propeller blade surface. If allowed to continue, eventual blade failure (breakage) will occur.

# Engine DETONATION

Detonation in a 4-cycle engine resembles the "pinging" heard in an automobile engine. It can be otherwise described as a tin-like "rattling" or "plinking" sound.

Detonation is an explosion of an unburned portion of the fuel/air charge after the spark plug has fired. Detonation creates severe shock waves in the engine, and these shock waves often find or create a weakness: The dome of a piston, cylinder head/gasket, piston rings or piston ring lands, piston pin and bearings.

A few of the most common causes of detonation in a marine 4-cycle application are as follows:

- Over-advanced ignition timing.
- Use of low octane gasoline.
- Propeller pitch too high (engine rpm below recommended maximum range).
- Lean fuel mixture at or near wide-open-throttle.
- Spark plugs (heat range too hot incorrect reach cross-firing).
- Inadequate engine cooling (deteriorated cooling system).
- Combustion chamber/piston deposits (result in higher compression ratio).

Detonation usually can be prevented if:

- 1. The engine is correctly set up.
- 2. Diligent maintenance is applied to combat the detonation causes.



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**Damaged Piston Resulting from Detonation** 

# **Following Complete Submersion**



When an engine is submerged while running, the possibility of internal engine damage is greatly increased. If, after engine is recovered and with spark plugs removed, engine fails to turn over freely when turning flywheel, the possibility of internal damage (bent connecting rod and/or bent crankshaft) exists. If this is the case, the powerhead must be disassembled.

### Salt Water Submersion (Special Instructions)

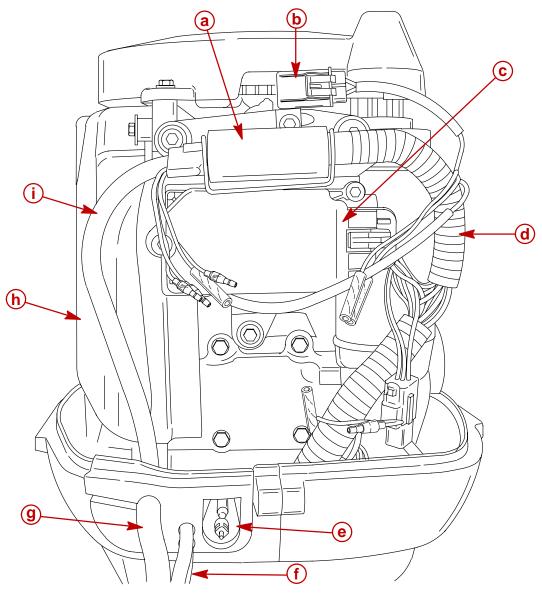
Due to the corrosive effect of salt water on internal engine components, complete disassembly is necessary before any attempt is made to start the engine.

### Fresh Water Submersion (Special Instructions)

- 1. Recover engine as quickly as possible.
- 2. Remove cowling.
- 3. Flush exterior of outboard with fresh water to remove mud, weeds, etc. DO NOT attempt to start engine if sand has entered powerhead, as powerhead will be severely damaged. Disassemble powerhead if necessary to clean components.
- 4. Remove spark plugs and get as much water as possible out of powerhead. Most water can be eliminated by placing engine in a horizontal position (with spark plug holes down) and rotating flywheel.
- 5. Change engine oil and filter as outlined in **Section 1B** "**Changing Engine Oil**". Run outboard for short time and check for presence of water in oil. If water present (milky appearance) drain and refill as previously mentioned.
- 6. Pour alcohol into carburetor throats (alcohol will absorbed water). Again rotate flywheel.
- 7. Turn engine over and pour alcohol into spark plug openings and rotate flywheel.
- 8. Turn engine over (place spark plug openings down) and pour engine oil into throat of carburetors while rotating flywheel to distribute oil throughout crankcase.
- 9. Again turn engine over and pour approximately one teaspoon of engine oil into each spark plug opening. Again rotate flywheel to distribute oil in cylinders.
- 10. Remove and clean carburetors and fuel pump assembly.
- 11. Dry all wiring and electrical components using compressed air.
- 12. Disassemble the engine starter motor and dry the brush contacts, armature and other corrodible parts.
- 13. Reinstall spark plugs, carburetors and fuel pump.
- 14. Attempt to start engine, using a fresh fuel source. If engine starts, it should be run for at least one hour to eliminate any water in engine.
- 15. If engine fails to start, determine cause (fuel, electrical or mechanical). Engine should be run within 2 hours after recovery of outboard from water, or serious internal damage may occur. If unable to start engine in this period, disassemble engine and clean all parts. Apply oil as soon as possible.



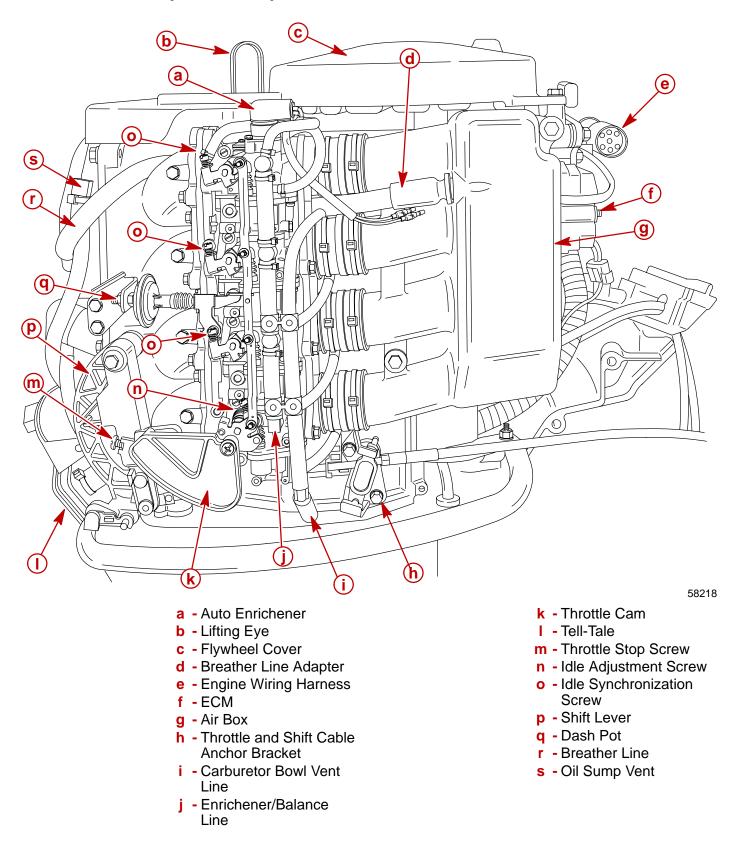
# Model 50/60 (4-Stroke) Powerhead Front View



- a Remote Control and Engine Harness Connection
- **b** 20 Amp. Fuse
- c ECM
- d Engine Harness
- e Fuel Connection
- f Throttle and Shift Cables
- g Remote Control Harness
- **h** Air Box
- i Remote Control Harness

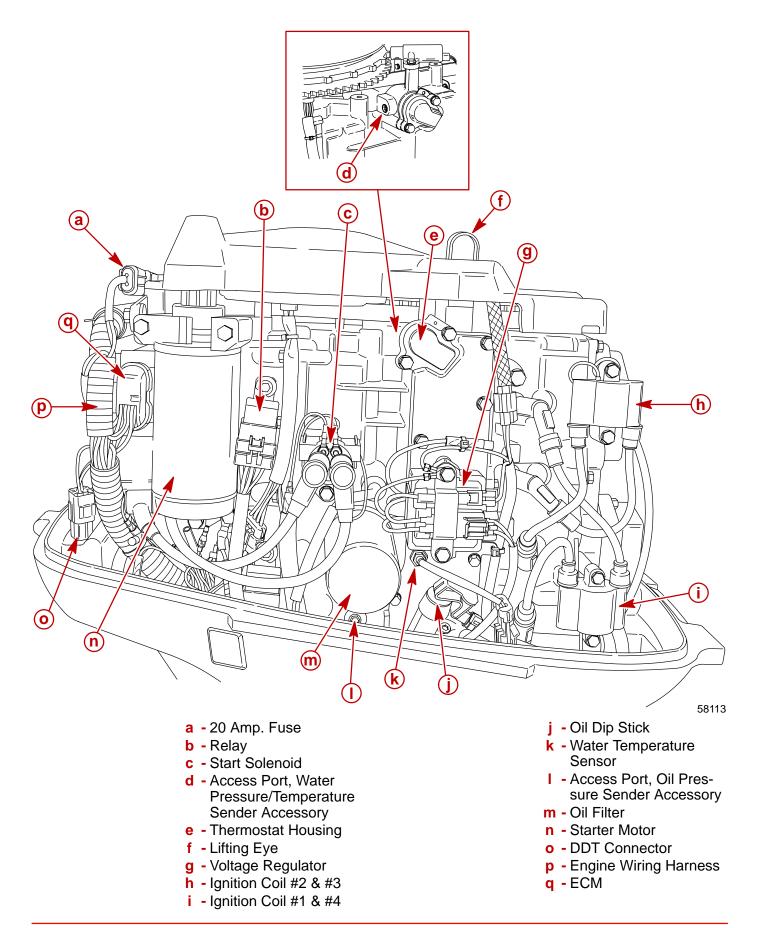
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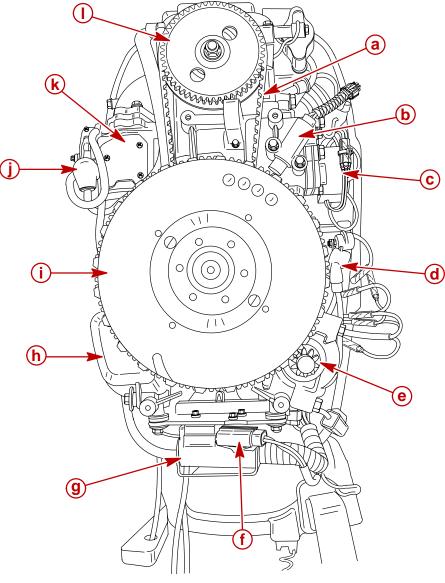


# Model 50/60 (4-Stroke) Powerhead Port View





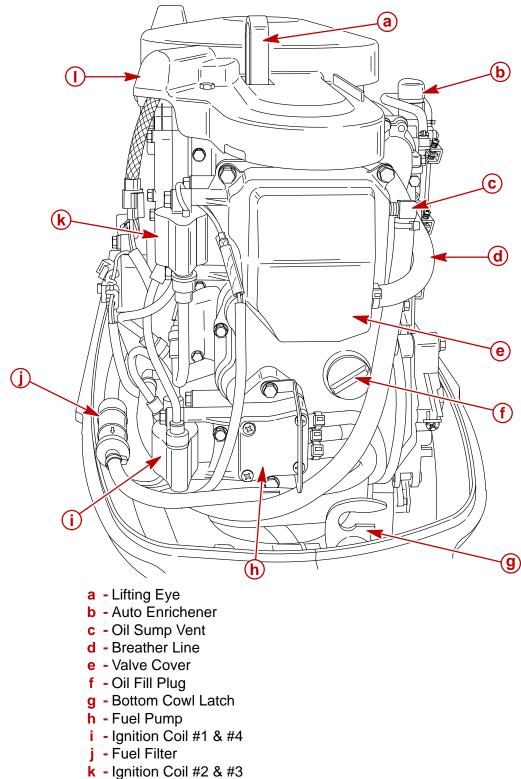
# Model 50/60 (4-Stroke) Powerhead Top View



- a Timing Belt
- **b** Crank Position Sensor
- c Voltage Regulator
- d Start Solenoid
- e Starter Motor
- f 20 Amp. Fuse
- g Remote Control and Engine Harness Connection
- h Air Box
- i Flywheel
- j Auto Enrichener
- **k** Carburetor Assemblies
- I Cam Shaft Timing Gear

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# Model 50/60 (4-Stroke) Powerhead Aft View



I - Flywheel Cover

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### **Propeller Selection**

For in-depth information on marine propellers and boat performance - written by marine engineers - see your Authorized Dealer for the illustrated "What You Should Know About Quicksilver Propellers...and Boat Performance Information" (Part No. 90-86144).

For best all around performance from your outboard/boat combination, select a propeller that allows the engine to operate in the upper half of the recommended full throttle rpm range with the boat normally loaded (refer to Specifications). This rpm range allows for better acceleration while maintaining maximum boat speed.

If changing conditions cause the rpm to drop below the recommended range (such as warmer, more humid weather, operation at higher elevations, increased boat load or a dirty boat bottom/gear case) a propeller change or cleaning may be required to maintain performance and ensure the outboard's durability.

Check full-throttle rpm using an accurate tachometer with the engine trimmed out to a balanced-steering condition (steering effort equal in both directions) without causing the propeller to "break loose".

Refer to "Quicksilver Accessory Guide" for a complete list of available propellers.

- Select a propeller that will allow the engine to operate at or near the top of the recommended full throttle rpm range (listed in "Specifications," preceding) with a normal load. Maximum engine speed (rpm) for propeller selection exists when boat speed is maximum and trim is minimum for that speed. (High rpm, caused by an excessive trim angle, should not be used in determining correct propeller.) Normally, there is a 150-350 rpm change between propeller pitches.
- 2. If full throttle operation is below the recommended range, the propeller MUST BE changed to one with a lower pitch to prevent loss of performance and possible engine damage.
- 3. After initial propeller installation, the following common conditions may require that the propeller be changed to a lower pitch:
  - a. Warmer weather and great humidity will cause an rpm loss.
  - b. Operating in a higher elevation causes an rpm loss.
  - c. Operating with a damaged propeller or a dirty boat bottom or gear housing will cause an rpm loss.
  - d. Operation with an increased load (additional passengers, equipment, pulling skiers, etc.).

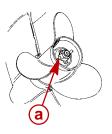
# **Propeller Removal/Installation**

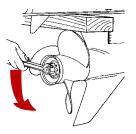
### 3-1/4 In. (83mm) Diameter Gear Case

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If the propeller shaft is rotated while the engine is in gear, there is the possibility that the engine will crank over and start. To prevent this type of accidental engine starting and possible serious injury caused from being struck by a rotating propeller, always shift outboard to neutral position and remove spark plug leads when you are servicing the propeller.

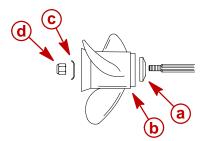
- 1. Shift outboard to neutral (N) position.
- 2. Remove the spark plug leads to prevent engine from starting.



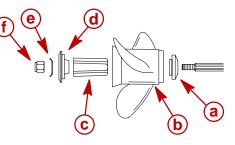


- 3. Straighten the bent tabs (a) on the propeller nut retainer.
- 4. Place a block of wood between gear case and propeller to hold propeller and remove propeller nut. Pull propeller straight off shaft.
- 5. Coat the propeller shaft with Quicksilver or Mercury Precision Lubricants Anti-Corrosion Grease or 2-4-C Marine Lubricant with Teflon.

IMPORTANT: To prevent the propeller hub from corroding and seizing to the propeller shaft, especially in salt water, always apply a coat of the recommended lubricant to the entire propeller shaft at the recommended maintenance intervals and also each time the propeller is removed.



Flo-Torque I Drive Hub Propellers



Flo-Torque II Drive Hub Propellers

- 6. <u>Flo-Torque I Drive Hub Propellers</u> Install forward thrust hub (a), propeller (b), propeller nut retainer (c) and propeller nut (d) onto the shaft.
- <u>Flo-Torque II Drive Hub Propellers</u> Install forward thrust hub (a), propeller (b), replaceable drive sleeve (c), rear thrust hub (d), propeller nut retainer (e) and propeller nut (f) onto the shaft.
- 8. Place propeller nut retainer over pins. Place a block of wood between gear case and propeller and tighten propeller nut to 55 lb. ft. (75 N·m), aligning flat sides of the propeller nut with tabs on the propeller nut retainer.
- 9. Secure propeller nut by bending tabs up and against the flats on the propeller nut.
- 10. Reinstall spark plug leads.



### 4-1/4 In. (108mm) Diameter Gear Case

### **WARNING**

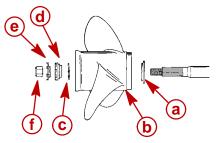
If the propeller shaft is rotated while the engine is in gear, there is the possibility that the engine will crank over and start. To prevent this type of accidental engine starting and possible serious injury caused from being struck by a rotating propeller, always shift outboard to neutral position and remove spark plug leads when you are servicing the propeller.

- 1. Shift outboard to neutral (N) position.
- 2. Remove the spark plug leads to prevent engine from starting.

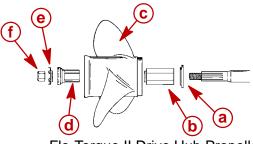


- 3. Straighten the bent tabs (a) on the propeller nut retainer.
- 4. Place a block of wood between gear case and propeller to hold propeller and remove propeller nut. Pull propeller straight off shaft.
- 5. Coat the propeller shaft with Quicksilver or Mercury Precision Lubricants Anti-Corrosion Grease or 2-4-C Marine Lubricant with Teflon.

IMPORTANT: To prevent the propeller hub from corroding and seizing to the propeller shaft, especially in salt water, always apply a coat of the recommended lubricant to the entire propeller shaft at the recommended maintenance intervals and also each time the propeller is removed.



Flo-Torque I Drive Hub Propellers



Flo-Torque II Drive Hub Propellers

- 6. <u>Flo-Torq I Drive Hub Propellers</u> Install thrust washer (a), propeller (b), continuity washer (c), thrust hub (d), propeller nut retainer (e), and propeller nut (f) onto the shaft.
- <u>Flo-Torq II Drive Hub Propellers</u> Install forward thrust hub (a), replaceable drive sleeve (b), propeller (c), thrust hub (d), propeller nut retainer (e) and propeller nut (f) onto the shaft.
- Place a block of wood between gear case and propeller and torque propeller nut to 55 lb. ft. (75 N·m).
- 9. Secure propeller nut by bending three of the tabs into the thrust hub grooves.
- 10. Reinstall spark plug leads.

## **Power Trim System**

### **General Information**

The power trim system is filled at the manufacturer and is ready for use.

Trim outboard through entire trim and tilt range several times to remove any air from the system.

The trim system is pressurized and is not externally vented.

#### **Power Trim Operation**

With most boats, operating around the middle of the "trim" range will give satisfactory results. However, to take full advantage of the trimming capability there may be times when you choose to trim your outboard all the way in or out. Along with an improvement in some performance aspects comes a greater responsibility for the operator, and this is being aware of some potential control hazards. The most significant control hazard is a pull or "torque" that can be felt on the steering wheel or tiller handle. This steering torque results from the outboard being trimmed so that the propeller shaft is not parallel to the water surface.

### **WARNING**

Avoid possible serious injury or death. When the outboard is trimmed in or out beyond a neutral steering condition, a pull on the steering wheel or tiller handle in either direction may result. Failure to keep a continuous firm grip on the steering wheel or tiller handle when this condition exists can result in loss of boat control as the outboard can turn freely. The boat can now "spin out" or go into a very tight maximum turn which, if unexpected, can result in occupants being thrown within the boat or out of the boat.

Consider the following lists carefully:

#### TRIMMING IN OR DOWN CAN:

- 1. Lower the bow.
- 2. Result in quicker planing off, especially with a heavy load or a stern heavy boat.
- 3. Generally improve the ride in choppy water.
- 4. Increase steering torque or pull to the right (with the normal right hand rotation propeller).
- 5. In excess, lower the bow of some boats to a point where they begin to plow with their bow in the water while on plane. This can result in an unexpected turn in either direction called "bow steering" or "over steering" if any turn is attempted or if a significant wave is encountered.

### **WARNING**

Avoid possible serious injury or death. Adjust outboard to an intermediate trim position as soon as boat is on plane to avoid possible ejection due to boat spin-out. Do not attempt to turn boat when on plane if outboard is trimmed extremely in or down and there is a pull on the steering wheel or tiller handle.

#### TRIMMING OUT OR UP CAN:

- 1. Lift the bow higher out of the water.
- 2. Generally increase top speed.
- 3. Increase clearance over submerged objects or a shallow bottom.



- 4. Increase steering torque or pull to the left at a normal installation height (with the normal right hand rotation propeller).
- 5. In excess, cause boat "porpoising" (bouncing) or propeller ventilation.
- 6. Cause engine overheating if any water intake holes are above the water line.

### Trim "In" Angle Adjustment

Some outboard boats, particularly some bass boats, are built with a greater than normal transom angle which will allow the outboard to be trimmed further "in" or "under". This greater trim "under" capability is desirable to improve acceleration, reduce the angle and time spent in a bow high boat, altitude during planing off, and in some cases, may be necessary to plane off a boat with aft live wells, given the variety of available propellers and height range of engine installations.

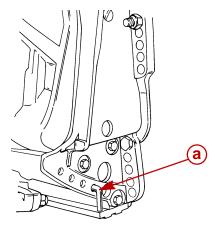
However, once on plane, the engine should be trimmed to a more intermediate position to a avoid a bow-down planing condition called "plowing". Plowing can cause "bow steering" or "over steering" and inefficiently consumes horsepower. In this condition, if attempting a turn or encountering a diagonal, moderate wake, a more abrupt turn than intended may result.

In rare circumstances, the owner may decide to limit the trim in. This can be accomplished by repositioning the tilt stop pins into whatever adjustment holes in the transom brackets is desired.

### **WARNING**

Avoid possible serious injury or death. Adjust outboard to an intermediate trim position as soon as boat is on plane to avoid possible ejection due to boat spin-out. Do not attempt to turn boat when on plane if outboard is trimmed extremely in or down and there is a pull on the steering wheel or tiller handle.

If an adjustment is required, purchase a stainless steel tilt pin (P/N 17-49930A1) and insert it through whatever pin hole is desired. The non-stainless steel shipping bolt should not be used in this application other than on a temporary basis.



a - Optional Tilt Pin

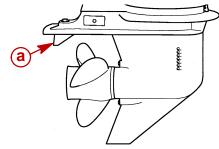
### **Trim Tab Adjustment**

Propeller steering torque will cause your boat to pull in one direction. This steering torque is a normal thing that results from your outboard not being trimmed so the propeller shaft is parallel to the water surface. The trim tab can help to compensate for this steering torque in many cases and can be adjusted within limits to reduce any unequal steering effort.

**NOTE:** Trim tab adjustment will have little effect reducing steering torque if the outboard is installed with the anti-ventilation plate approximately 2 inches (50mm) or more above the boat bottom.

Operate your boat at normal cruising speed, trimmed to desired position. Turn your boat left and right and note the direction the boat turns more easily.

If adjustment is necessary, loosen trim tab bolt and make small adjustments at a time. If the boat turns more easily to the left, move the trailing edge of trim tab to the left. If the boat turns more easily to the right move the trailing edge of trim tab to the right. Retighten bolt and retest.

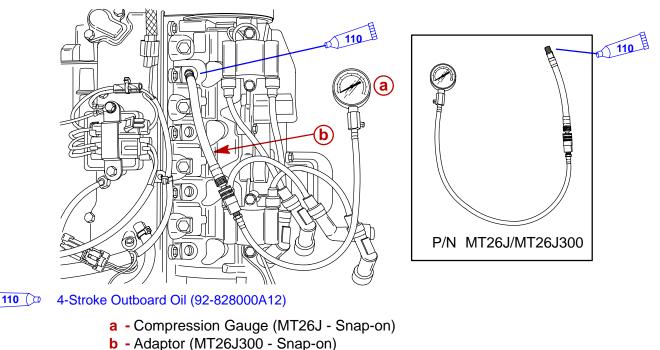


a-Trim Tab

## **Compression Check**

#### IMPORTANT: Compression check should be done with throttle in WOT position.

- 1. Check valve clearance (refer to "Valve Clearance Adjustment" in section 4A), adjust if out of specification.
- 2. Warm up the engine.
- 3. Remove all spark plugs.
- 4. Lubricate threads in cylinder head and on compression gauge. Install compression gauge in spark plug hole.



5. Hold throttle plate at W.O.T.



- 6. Crank the engine over until the compression reading peaks on the gauge. Record the reading.
- 7. Check and record compression of each cylinder. The highest and lowest reading recorded should not differ by more than 15% (see example chart below). A reading below 120 psi might indicate a total engine wear problem.

Compression Pressure (Minimum)	
135 psi (950 Kpa, 9.5 kg/cm <sup>2</sup> )	

Example of compression test differences:

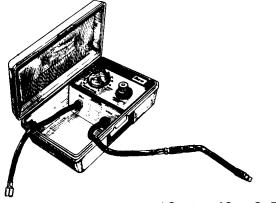
Maximum (psi)	Minimum (psi)
180	162
150	127.5

- 8. Remove compression gauge.
- 9. Install spark plugs.

**NOTE:** Compression check is important because an engine with low or uneven compression cannot be tuned successfully to give peak performance. It is essential, therefore, that improper compression be corrected before proceeding with an engine tuneup.

# **Cylinder Leakage Testing**

**NOTE:** Cylinder leakage testing<sup>\*</sup>, along with compression testing, can help the mechanic pinpoint the source of a mechanical failure by gauging the amount of leakage in an engine cylinder. Refer to the manufactures tester instructions for proper testing procedures.



\* Courtesy of Snap-On-Tools

Cylinder Leakage Tester (Snap-On-Tools MT324)

**NOTE:** Spark plug hole is a 12 mm diameter. Use Snap-On Tool MT26-18 adapter with valve core removed.

### Analysis

Due to standard engine tolerances and engine wear, no cylinder will maintain a 0% of leakage. It is important only that cylinders have somewhat consistent reading between them. Differences of 15 to 30% indicate excessive leakage. Larger engines tend to have a larger percentage of cylinder leakage than smaller engines.

If excessive leakage is present, first check that the piston is at top dead center of it's compression stroke. Leakage will naturally occur if the exhaust or intake valve is open.

To determine the cause of high percentage leaks, you must locate where the air is escaping from. Listen for air escaping thru the carburetor intake, adjacent spark plug holes, exhaust pipe, crankcase fill plug. Use the following table to aid in locating the source of cylinder leakage:

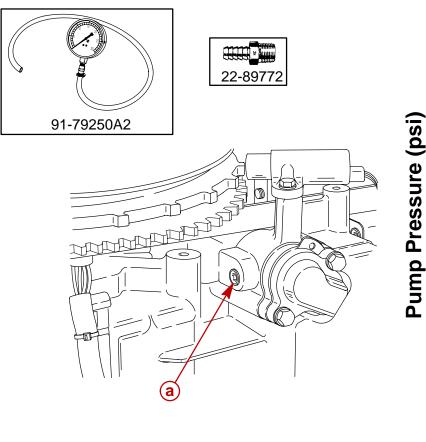
Air Escaping From:	Indicates Possible Defective:
Carburetor	Intake Valve
Exhaust System	Exhaust Valve
Crankcase Fill Plug	Piston or Rings
Cylinder	Head Gasket



### Water Pressure Measurement

- 1. Warm up engine.
- 2. Remove plug.
- 3. Attach hose fitting and water pressure gauge to cylinder block.

**NOTE:** Water pressure measurements should be done on a warm engine with thermostat operating  $140^{\circ}F$  ( $60^{\circ}C$ ).



a - Plug

Water Pump Pressure

# **Painting Procedures**

### **Cleaning & Painting Aluminum Propellers & Gear Housings**

### **WARNING**

Avoid serious injury from flying debris. Avoid serious injury from airborne particles. Use eye and breathing protection with proper ventilation.

#### PROPELLERS

- 1. Sand the entire area to be painted with 3M 120 Regalite Polycut or coarse Scotch-Brite, disc or belts.
- 2. Feather edges of all broken paint edges. Try not to sand through the primer.
- 3. Clean the surface to be painted using PPG Industries DX330 Wax and Grease Remover or equivalent (Xylene or M.E.K.).
- 4. If bare metal has been exposed, use Quicksilver's Light Gray Primer.
- 5. Allow a minimum of 1 hour dry time and no more than 1 week before applying the finish coat.
- 6. Apply the finish coat using Quicksilver's EDP Propeller Black.

#### **GEAR HOUSINGS**

The following procedures should be used in refinishing gear housings. This procedure will provide the most durable paint system available in the field. The materials recommended are of high quality and approximate marine requirements. The following procedure will provide a repaint job that compares with a properly applied factory paint finish. It is recommended that the listed materials be purchased from a local Ditzler Automotive Finish Supply Outlet. The minimum package quantity of each material shown following is sufficient to refinish several gear housings.

#### Procedure:

- 1. Wash gear housing with a muriatic acid base cleaner to remove any type of marine growth, and rinse with water, if necessary.
- 2. Wash gear housing with soap and water, then rinse.
- 3. Sand blistered area with 3M 180 grit sandpaper or P180 Gold Film Disc to remove paint blisters only. Feather edge all broken paint edges.
- 4. Clean gear housing thoroughly with (DX-330) wax and grease remover.
- 5. Spot repair surfaces where bare metal is exposed with (DX-503) alodine treatment.

# IMPORTANT: Do not use any type of aerosol spray paints as the paint will not properly adhere to the surface nor will the coating be sufficiently thick to resist future paint blistering.

- 6. Mix epoxy chromate primer (DP-40) with equal part catalyst (DP-401) per manufacturers instructions, allowing proper induction period for permeation of the epoxy primer and catalyst.
- 7. Allow a minimum of one hour drying time and no more than one week before top coating assemblies.
- 8. Use Ditzler Urethane DU9000 for Mercury Black, DU34334 for Mariner Grey, and DU35466 for Force Charcoal, and DU33414M for Sea Ray White. Catalyze all four colors with Ditzler DU5 catalyst mixed 1:1 ratio. Reduce with solvents per Ditzler label.



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Be sure to comply with instructions on the label for ventilation and respirators. Using a spray gun, apply one half to one mil even film thickness. Let dry, flash off for five minutes and apply another even coat of one half to one mil film thickness. This urethane paint will dry to the touch in a matter of hours, but will remain sensitive to scratches and abrasions for a few days.

9. The type of spray gun used will determine the proper reduction ratio of the paint.

#### **IMPORTANT**: Do not paint sacrificial zinc trim tab or zinc anode.

10. Cut out a cardboard "plug" for trim tab pocket to keep paint off of mating surface to maintain good continuity circuitry between trim tab and gear housing.

## **Decal Application**

#### **Decal Removal**

- 1. Mark decal location before removal to assure proper alignment of new decal.
- 2. Carefully soften decal and decal adhesive with a heat gun or heat blower while removing old decal.
- 3. Clean decal contact area with a 1:1 mixture of isopropyl alcohol and water.
- 4. Thoroughly dry decal contact area and check for a completely cleaned surface.

### Instructions for "Wet" Application

**NOTE:** The following decal installation instructions are provided for a "Wet" installation. **All** decals should be applied wet.

#### TOOLS REQUIRED

- 1. Plastic Squeegee\*
- 2. Stick Pin
- 3. Dish Washing Liquid/Detergent without ammonia\*\* "Joy" and "Drift" are known to be compatible for this process.
- \* Automotive Body Filler Squeegee

\*\* Do not use a soap that contains petroleum based solvents.

SERVICE TIP: Placement of decals using the "Wet" application will allow time to position decal. Read entire installation instructions on this technique before proceeding.

#### TEMPERATURE

IMPORTANT: Installation of vinyl decals should not be attempted while in direct sunlight. Air and surface temperature should be between 60°F (15°C) and 100°F (38°C) for best application.

#### SURFACE PREPARATION

IMPORTANT: Do not use a soap or any petroleum based solvents to clean application surface.

Clean entire application surface with mild dish washing liquid and water. Rinse surface thoroughly with clean water.

#### DECAL APPLICATION

1. Mix <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> ounce (16 ml) of dish washing liquid in one gallon (4 l) of cool water to use as wetting solution.

**NOTE:** Leave protective masking, if present, on the face of decal until final steps of decal installation. This will ensure that the vinyl decal keeps it's shape during installation.

- 2. Place the decal face down on a clean work surface and remove the paper backing from "adhesive side" of decal.
- 3. Using a spray bottle, flood the entire "adhesive side" of the decal with the pre-mixed wetting solution.
- 4. Flood area where the decal will be positioned with wetting solution.
- 5. Position pre-wetted decal on wetted surface and slide into position.
- 6. Starting at the center of the decal, "**lightly**" squeegee out the air bubbles and wetting solution with overlapping strokes to the outer edge of the decal. Continue going over the decal surface until all wrinkles are gone and adhesive bonds to the cowl surface.
- 7. Wipe decal surface with soft paper towel or cloth.
- 8. Wait 10 15 minutes.
- 9. Starting at one corner, "carefully and slowly" pull the masking off the decal surface at a 180° angle.

**NOTE:** To remove any remaining bubbles, pierce the decal at one end of the bubble with stick pin and press out the entrapped air or wetting solution with your thumb (moving toward the puncture).



# **IMPORTANT INFORMATION** Section 1D - Outboard Motor Installation

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### **Electric Fuel Pump**

If an electric fuel pump is used, the fuel pressure must not exceed 4 psi at the engine. If necessary, install a pressure regulator to regulate the pressure.

### **Boat Horsepower Capacity**

U.S. COAST GUARD CAPACITY		
MAXIMUM HORSEPOWER	ххх	
MAXIMUM PERSON CAPACITY (POUNDS)	ххх	
MAXIMUM WEIGHT CAPACITY	ххх	

Do not overpower or overload the boat. Most boats will carry a required capacity plate indicating the maximum acceptable power and load as determined by the manufacturer following certain federal guidelines. If in doubt, contact your dealer or the boat manufacturer.

#### **WARNING**

Using an outboard that exceeds the maximum horsepower limit of a boat can:

1. Cause loss of boat control

2. Place too much weight at the transom, altering the designed flotation characteristics of the boat or,

3. Cause the boat to break apart, particularly around the transom area.

Overpowering a boat can result in serious injury, death, or boat damage.





## **Start in Gear Protection**

The remote control connected to the outboard must be equipped with a start-in-gear protection device. This prevents the engine from starting in gear.

### **WARNING**

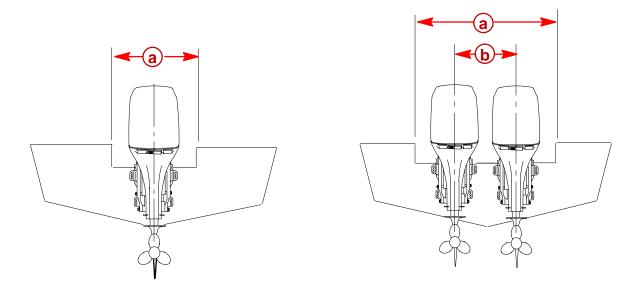
Avoid serious injury or death from a sudden unexpected acceleration when starting your engine. The design of this outboard requires that the remote control used with it must have a built in start-in-gear protection device.

# **Selecting Accessories For The Outboard**

Genuine Quicksilver Parts and Accessories have been specifically designed and tested for this outboard.

Some accessories not manufactured or sold by Quicksilver are not designed to be safely used with this outboard or outboard operating system. Acquire and read the Installation, Operation, and Maintenance manuals for all selected accessories.

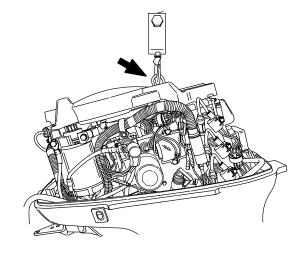
# **Installation Specifications**



Transom Opening "A" (Minimum)		
Single Engine (Remote)	19 in. (483 mm)	
Single Engine (Tiller)	30 in. (762 mm)	
Dual Engines	40 in. (1016 mm)	

Engine Center Line For Dual Engines "B" (Minimum) 26 in. (660mm) Lifting Outboard

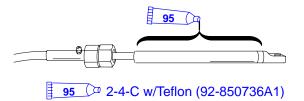
Use lifting eye on engine.



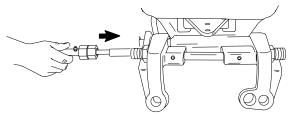
# **Steering Cable**

### STARBOARD SIDE ROUTED CABLE

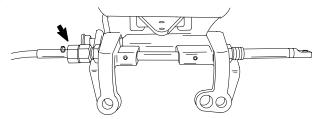
1. Lubricate the entire cable end.



2. Insert steering cable into tilt tube.



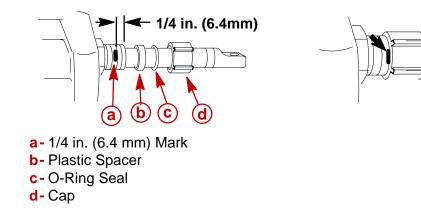
3. Torque nut to 35 lb. ft. (47.5 N·m).





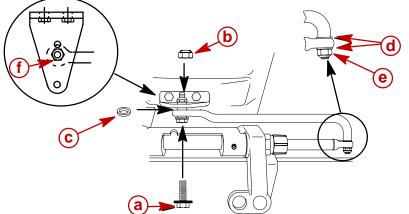
# **Steering Cable Seal**

- 1. Mark tilt tube 1/4 in. (6.4 mm) from end. Install seal components.
- 2. Thread cap to the mark.



## **Steering Link Rod**

1. Install steering link rod per illustration.



- a- Special Bolt (10-90041) Torque to 20 lb. ft. (27.1 N·m)
- b- Nylon Insert Locknut (11-34863) Torque to 20 lb. ft. (27.1 N·m)
- **c**-Spacer (12-71970)
- **d** Flat Washer (2)
- e- Nylon Insert Locknut (11-34863) Tighten Locknut Until it Seats, Then Back Nut Off 1/4 Turn
- f Use Middle Hole Steer Outboard to the Side to Gain Hole Access

IMPORTANT: The steering link rod that connects the steering cable to the engine must be fastened using special bolt ("a" - Part Number 10-90041) and self locking nuts ("b" & "e" - Part Number 11-34863). These locknuts must never be replaced with common nuts (non locking) as they will work loose and vibrate off, freeing the link rod to disengage.

### **WARNING**

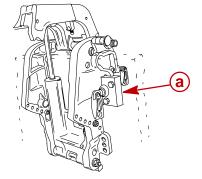
Disengagement of a steering link rod can result in the boat taking a full, sudden, sharp turn. This potentially violent action can cause occupants to be thrown overboard exposing them to serious injury or death.

# Installing Outboard – Thumb Screw Models

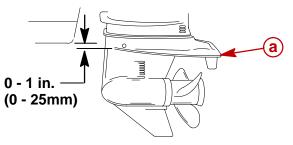
### **WARNING**

Outboard must be fastened to boat transom one of two ways: 1. permanently fastened to transom with thumb screws, and mounting bolts (provided), or 2. secured to the transom using the optional outboard mounting kit (shown below). Should the outboard strike an underwater object or be steered into a sharp turn, failure to fasten outboard correctly to the boat transom with mounting bolts or optional mounting kit could result in outboard ejecting suddenly off boat transom causing serious injury, death, boat damage, or loss of outboard.

**IMPORTANT:** Optional outboard mounting kits shown, must be used if outboard will not be permanently fastened to the transom with mounting bolts.

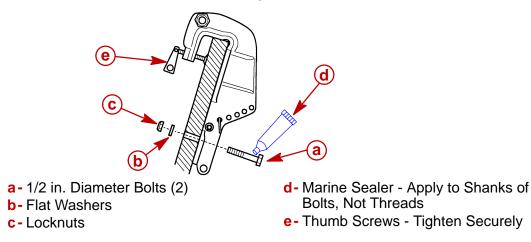


- a Outboard Mounting Kit Part No. 812432A4
- 1. Center outboard on the transom. Install the outboard so that the anti-ventilation plate is in line or within 1 in. (25 mm) below the bottom of the boat.



a - Anti-Ventilation Plate

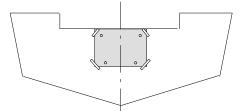
2. Fasten outboard with provided mounting hardware shown.



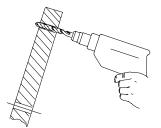


# Installing Outboard – Non Thumb Screw Models

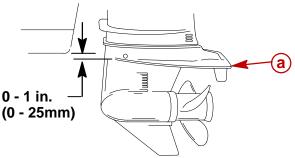
1. Attach (tape) engine mounting template (located in this manual) to boat transom.



2. Mark and drill four 17/32 in. (13.5mm) mounting holes.

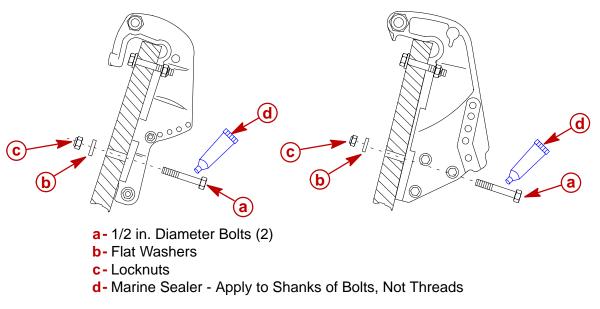


3. Install the outboard so that the anti-ventilation plate is in-line or within 1 in. (25 mm) below the bottom of the boat.



a-Anti-Ventilation Plate

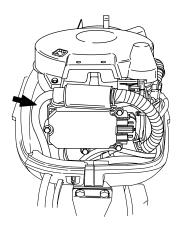
4. Fasten outboard with provided mounting hardware shown.



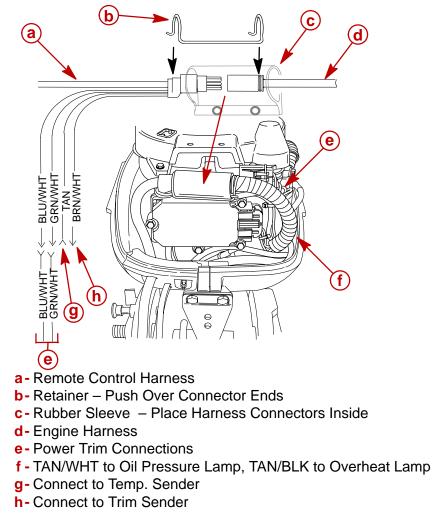
# Wiring Harness

IMPORTANT: Warning Horn Requirement – The remote control or key switch assembly must be wired with a warning horn. This warning horn is used with the engine warning system.

Route wiring harness into bottom cowl.



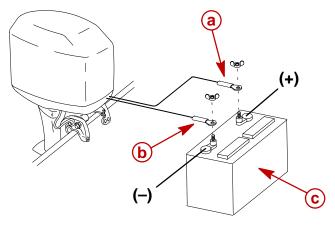
Connect wiring. Push the wiring harness connectors together inside the rubber sleeve. Push the retainer over the exposed ends of the connectors. This will hold the connectors together





# **Battery Cable Connections**

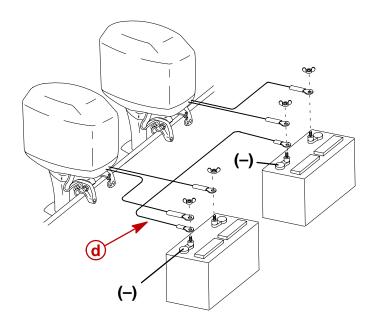
#### SINGLE OUTBOARD



- a-Red Sleeve (Positive)
- **b**-Black Sleeve (Negative)
- c Starting Battery

#### DUAL OUTBOARDS

Connect a common ground cable (wire size same as engine battery cables) between negative (–) terminals on starting batteries.



 d- Ground Cable (Same Wire Size As Engine Battery Cable) – Connect Between Negative (–) Terminals

# Shift and Throttle Cable Installation

Install cables into the remote control following the instructions provided with the remote control.

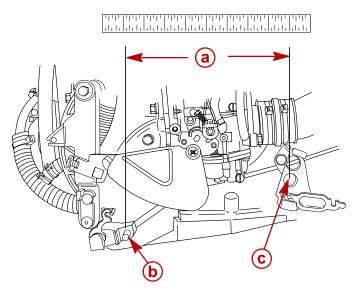
**NOTE:** Install the shift cable to the engine first. The shift cable is the first cable to move when the remote control handle is moved out of neutral.

### **Shift Cable Installation**

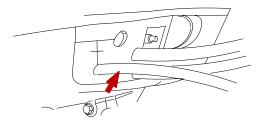
1. Position remote control into neutral.

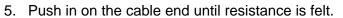


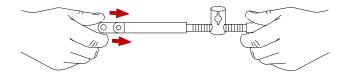
- 2. Shift outboard into neutral.
- 3. Measure the distance (a) between pin and center of lower hole.



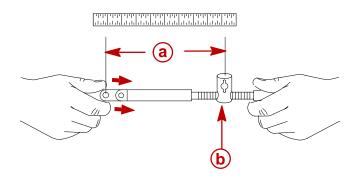
- a Distance Between Pin And Center of Lower Hole
- b- Pin
- c Lower Hole
- 4. Fit shift cable through rubber grommet.





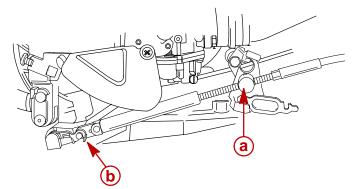


6. While pushing in on the cable end, adjust the cable barrel (b) to attain the measured distance (a) taken in Step 3.



a- Adjust Cable Barrel To Attain The Measured Distance Taken In Step 3
b- Cable Barrel

7. Place cable barrel into the barrel holder. Fasten cable with retainer.



a- Place Barrel Into Barrel Holderb- Retainer

- 8. Check shift cable adjustments as follows:
  - a. Shift remote control into forward. The propeller shaft should be locked in gear. If not, adjust the barrel closer to the cable end.
  - b. Shift remote control into neutral. The propeller shaft should turn freely without drag. If not, adjust the barrel away from the cable end. Repeat steps a and b.
  - c. Shift remote control into reverse while turning propeller. The propeller shaft should be locked in gear. If not, adjust the barrel away from the cable end. Repeat steps a thru c.
  - d. Shift remote control back to neutral. The propeller shaft should turn freely without drag. If not, adjust the barrel closer to the cable end. Repeat steps a thru d.

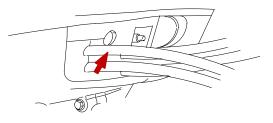
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### **Throttle Cable Installation**

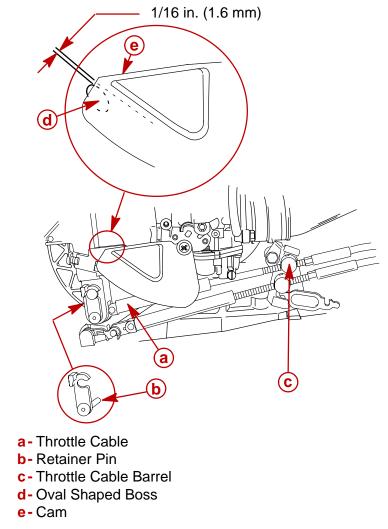
1. Position remote control into neutral.



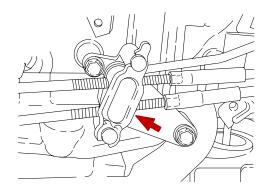
2. Fit throttle cable through rubber grommet.



- 3. Install throttle cable with retainer pin. Lock retainer pin in place.
- 4. Adjust the throttle cable barrel until a 1/16 in. (1.6 mm) gap exists between the oval shaped boss and the cam.



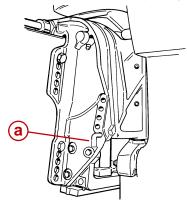




IMPORTANT: After installation, move the remote control handle a few times from the neutral position to the wide-open-throttle position in forward gear. Check for the specified gap between the oval shaped boss and the throttle cam. If necessary, readjust the barrel.

### **Trim-In Stop Adjustment – Power Trim Models**

If an adjustment is required, purchase a stainless steel tilt pin (P/N 17-49930A1) and insert it through whatever pin hole is desired. The non-stainless steel shipping bolt should not be used in this application other than on a temporary basis.

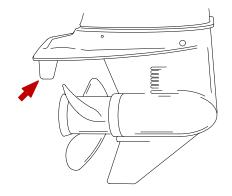


a-Tilt Pin

# **Trim Tab Adjustment**

The trim tab can be adjusted within limits to help compensate for steering torque. Adjust trim tab as follows:

- 1. If boat tends to pull to the right, move the rear edge of the trim tab to the right.
- 2. If boat tends to pull to the left, move the rear edge of the trim tab to the left.



**NOTE:** Trim tab adjustment will have little effect reducing steering torque if the anti-ventilation plate is raised 2 inches (50mm) or more above the boat bottom.

2 A

# **ELECTRICAL** Section 2A - Ignition

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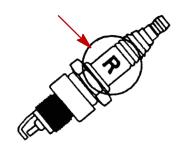
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# **Specifications**



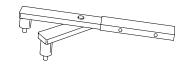
	Tuno	Capacitor Discharge Ignition
	Type Spark Plug:	Capacitor Discharge ignition
		NGK DPR6EA-9
	Туре	
	Gap	0.035 in. (1.0 mm)
	Hex Size	18 mm
	Torque	150 lb-in. (17 Nm)
	Hole Size	12 mm
	Firing Order	1-3-4-2
	Ignition Timing:	
	@ Idle (Cold Start)	15° B.T.D.C
IGNITION	@ Idle (800 rpm)	5° B.T.D.C
SYSTEM	@ WOT (6000 rpm)	28° B.T.D.C
Readings taken @	Charge Coil Resistance	660 - 710 Ω (GRN/WHT - WHT/GRN)
68°F (20°C).	Crank Position Sensor Resistance	300 - 350 Ω (RED - WHT)
	Ignition Coil Resistance:	
	Primary	0.08 - 0.7 Ω (BLK - BLK/WHT)
	Secondary (W/o Boots)	3.5 - 4.7 k $\Omega$ (BLK - High Tension)
	ECM Engine Speed Limiter	, °,
	Soft Reduction (Retards Timing)	6200 rpm
	Spark Cut-Out Reduction (Percent-	•
	ages of ignition spark are Cut-Out)	6250 rpm
	ECM Overheat/Low Oil Pressure	•
	Speed Control	Approximately 2000 rpm
	Engine Temperature Sensor	See Graph Section 2A-Ignition
	• •	
	Alternator Type:	Single Phase (12 Pole)
	6 Amp. Manual Lighting Coil Output	6 Amps.
CHARGING SYSTEM Readings taken @	Lighting Coil Resistance	0.9 - 1.1 Ohms (YEL-YEL)
	15 Amp. Electric Alternator Output	12.6 V-15 Amps. (185 Watts)
		(Rectified/Regulated)
68°F (20°C).	Battery Charging Coil Resistance	0.22 - 0.24 Ohms (YEL-YEL)
	Power Bobbin Resistance	
	(For Electrothermal Valve)	6.7-7.1 Ohms (YEL/BLK-YEL/BLK)
	Quicksilver Tachometer Setting	"6P" or "4"

IMPORTANT: Use resistive spark plugs only.

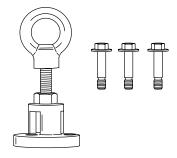


Special Tools

1. Flywheel Holder P/N 91-83163M



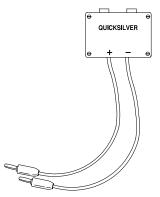
2. Flywheel Puller P/N 91-83164M



3. Timing Light P/N 91-99379



4. Direct Voltage Adapter P/N 91-89045



5. DMT 2000 Digital Tachometer Multi-meter P/N 91-854009A1



6. Digital Diagnostic Tester 91-823686A2



7. Cartridge 91-822608--5

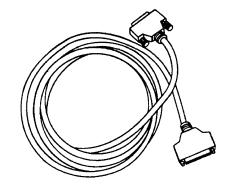


8. DDT Reference Manual 90-859769

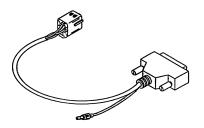




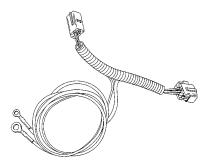
9. DDT Cable 10' (3.05m) Extension 84-825003A1



10. DDT Test Harness 84-822560A7

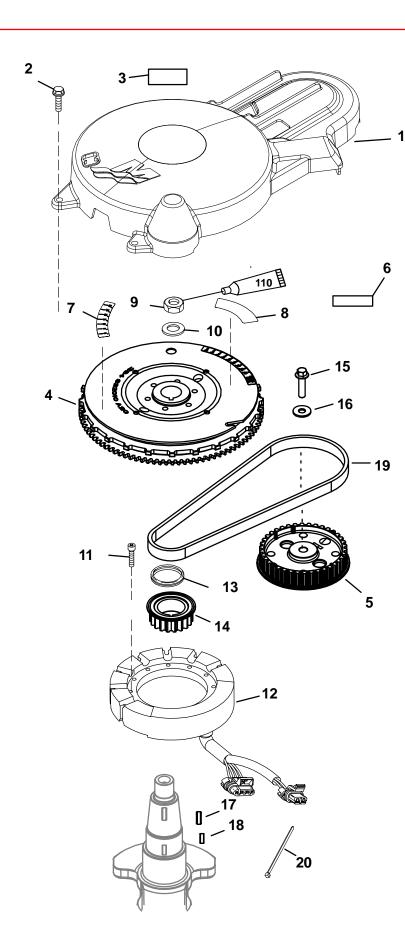


11. DDT Test Harness 84-822560A10



**FLYWHEEL** 





4-Stroke Outboard Oil (92-828000A12)



## FLYWHEEL

REF.			Т	ORQUE	E
NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	lb-in	lb-ft	Nm.
1	1	FLYWHEEL COVER			
2	4	SCREW (M6 x 25)	45		5.1
3	1	DECAL-EPA Information			
4	1	FLYWHEEL			
5	1	DRIVEN GEAR			
6	1	DECAL-Warning Spinning flywheel			
7	1	DECAL-Timing Marks			
8	1	DECAL-Warning-Neutral			
9	1	NUT		116	157
10	1	WASHER			
11	3	SCREW (M5 x 30)	85		9.6
12	1	STATOR			
13	1	LOAD RING			
14	1	DRIVE GEAR			
15	1	SCREW (M10 x 40)		28	38
16	1	WASHER			
17	1	KEY			
18	1	KEY			
19	1	TIMING BELT			
20	1	STA-STRAP			

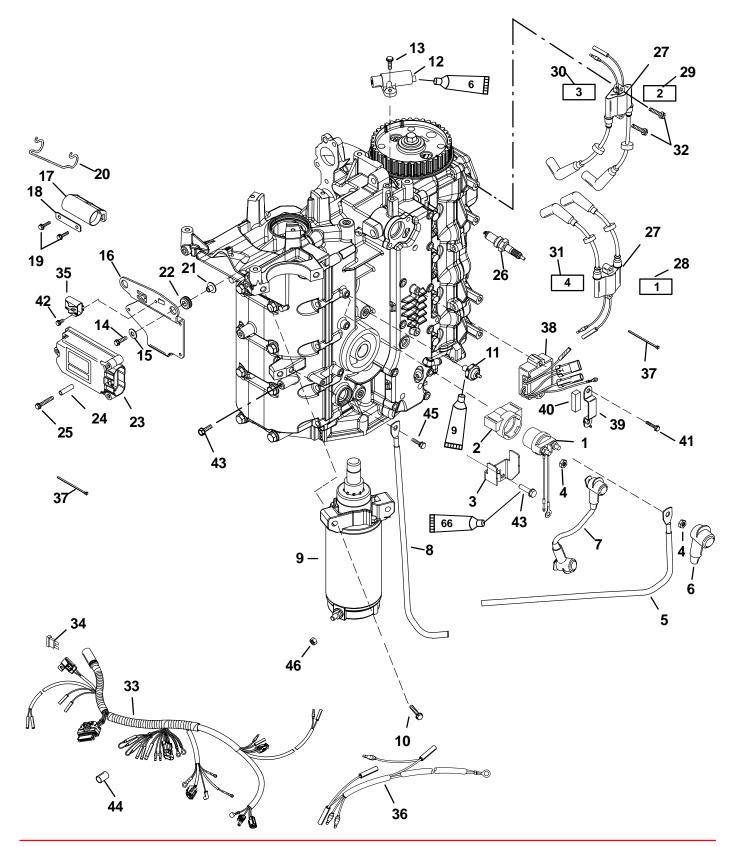


## **ELECTRICAL COMPONENTS**

6 Dielectric Grease (92-823506--1)

9 Loctite PST Pipe Sealant (92-809822)

66 De Loctite 242 (92-809821)





## **ELECTRICAL COMPONENTS**

REF.			1	TORQUE		
NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	lb-in	lb-ft	Nm.	
1	1	SOLENOID				
2	1	BRACKET				
3	1	SOLENOID PLATE				
4	2	NUT (M6)	30		3.5	
5	1	BATTERY CABLE (POSITIVE)				
6	1	BOOT (RED)				
7	1	CABLE				
8	1	BATTERY CABLE (NEGATIVE)				
9	1	STARTER MOTOR (See breakdown on Starter Motor)				
10	3	SCREW (M8 x 45)	260	22	29	
11	1	PRESSURE SWITCH	50		5.7	
12	1	SENSOR-Crank Position				
13	2	SCREW (M5 x 16)	45		5.1	
14	3	SCREW (M6 x 25)	50		5.6	
15	3	WASHER				
16	1	PLATE				
17	1	RETAINER				
18	1	BRACKET				
19	2	SCREW (M6 x 14)	50		5.6	
20	1	RETAINER				
21	3	BUSHING				
22	3	GROMMET				
23	1	ECM				
24	3	BUSHING				
25	3	SCREW (M6 x 40)	45	10 5	5.1	
26	4	SPARK PLUG (NGK DPR6EA-9)	150	12.5	17	
27	2					
28	1	DECAL-(COIL ID #1)				
29	1	DECAL-(COIL ID #2)				
30	1	DECAL-(COIL ID #3)				
31	1	DECAL-(COIL ID #4)				
32	4	SCREW (M6 x 30)	75		8.5	
33	1	ENGINE WIRING HARNESS				
34	1	FUSE (SFE 20 AMP)				
35	1	COVER				
36	1	HARNESS-EXTENSION (HANDLE)				
37	AR	STA-STRAP				
38	1	VOLTAGE REGULATOR				
39	1	BRACKET				
40	1	FOAM PAD				
41	2	SCREW (M6 x 40)	105		11.9	
42	1	SCREW (M6 x 10)	50		5.6	
43	2	SCREW (M6 x 16)	75		8.5	
44	1	PLUG Trim Wires				
45	1	SCREW (M8 x 25)	100		11.5	
46	1	NUT (1/4-20)				



### **Ignition Description**

The ignition system uses CDI (Capacitor Discharge Ignition). This system provides quick voltage buildup and strong spark required for high power and high performance engines. The CDI ignition system does not incorporate mechanically operated points, therefor making this CDI unit virtually maintenance free.

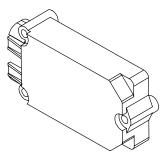
As the flywheel rotates, electrical power (alternating current) is produced by the capacitor charging coil. This power is rectified by diodes so that direct current voltage is utilized by the ignition system. When the ignition driver is off, the D.C. voltage is stored by the capacitor. Once capacitor voltage is charged to its potential, a gate signal is applied on the SCR and the residual current is dissipated through the capacitor charging coils.

The electronic control module (ECM) activates the ignition driver in the ECM which allows the capacitor to discharge, causing the spark to occur. Ignition timing is regulated by the ECM which receives status input from a variety of sensors. These sensors include the crank position sensor, engine temperature and oil pressure sender.

The voltage discharged to the primary winding of the ignition coil causes a surge of high voltage to be induced in the secondary winding of the ignition coil. This induced voltage of sufficient amplitude causes the spark plugs to fire.

### **Ignition Component Description**

### **Electronic Control Module (ECM)**



Under normal operating conditions the ECM unit controls the following:

- 1. Controls ignition spark timing by monitoring the crank position sensor, the engine temperature sensor, and the oil pressure sensor.
- 2. Maintains normal idle timing (see specification).
- 3. Engine stall.
  - a. The stall saver feature will advance the ignition timing to 15° BTDC if engine falls below 650 RPM.
- 4. Advances spark timing quickly to 28° BTDC under hard acceleration conditions.
- 5. Limits RPM of the engine in the event of a over speed condition (cavitation, no load on propeller, and/or under propped), as listed in the following steps:
  - a. Soft Reduction: Ignition timing is gradually retarded to keep engine RPM below 6200.
  - b. Spark Cut-Out Reduction: Percentages of ignition spark will be cut-out according to the degree of over speed RPM reached.

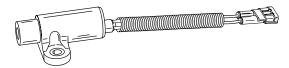


RPM	% Spark Cut-Out	
6250	11%	
6281	33%	
6313	66%	

- 6. Over Heat Protection: Limits engine RPM to 2000 if the engine temperature exceeds 179.6° F (82° C). The ECM will sound the over heat warning horn (a continuous tone) and turn on the optional Over Heat Warning lamp. Over heat warning will subside if the engine temperature drops below 174.2° F (79° C) and engine RPM is momentarily dropped below 1000 RPM as a reset condition. The ECM incorporates a 20 second warning system delay to compensate for a warm restart (heat soak) condition.
- 7. Low Oil Pressure Protection: Limits the engine RPM to 2000 if oil pressure drops below 2.25 +/- 0.75 psi. The ECM will sound the low oil pressure warning horn (intermittent 1 second on 1 second off) and turn on the optional Low Oil Pressure Warning lamp. Low oil pressure warning will reset by shutting the engine off and restarting at a normal oil pressure. The ECM incorporates a 10 second warning system delay to allow engine to achieve operating oil pressure.

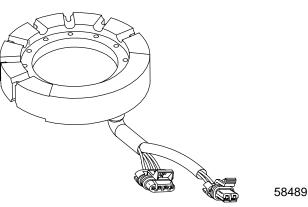
**NOTE:** The ECM controls all timing operations. There are no timing adjustment required on this engine.

#### **Crank Position Sensor**



Contains a permanent magnet and is positioned  $0.030 \pm 0.010''$  (0.762  $\pm 0.254$ mm) from the flywheel teeth. The timed passing of the flywheel teeth through the sensor's magnetic field enables the ECM to determine engine RPM and crankshaft angle.

#### **Stator Assembly**

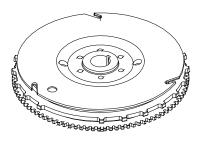


The stator assembly located under the flywheel contains the Ignition, auto enrichener, and battery charge coils. All of these coils make up the stator assembly.

As the flywheel permanent magnets pass the respective stator coil windings, an AC pulse current is produced at each coil winding when magnet polarity changes. (South to North), (North to South) etc.

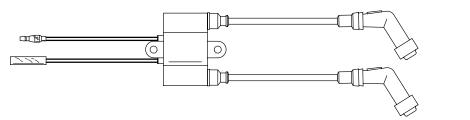


#### **Flywheel Assembly**



The flywheel assembly contains six permanently charged magnet segments which are bonded and retained to the inner wall of the flywheel. Each magnet contains a north and a south pole providing a 12 pole system.

### **Ignition Coils**



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The primary (+) side of the ignition coil receives voltage discharged from a capacitor in the ignition (CDI) circuit located inside the ECM. The voltage is multiplied by the coil until it can jump the spark plug gap. Each ignition coil will produce a high voltage spark at each crank-shaft revolution, producing a spark at each cylinder at the proper time (pre-determined by the ECM). Ignition coil maximum output is approximately 40,000 volts.

### **Ignition Test Procedures**

### Direct Voltage Adapter (DVA)

#### **WARNING**

DANGER – HIGH VOLTAGE/SHOCK HAZARD! Do not touch ignition components and/or metal test probes while engine is running and/or being "cranked". STAY CLEAR OF SPARK PLUG LEADS. To assure personal safety, each individual spark plug lead should be grounded to engine.

### **WARNING**

When testing or servicing the ignition system, high voltage is present. DO NOT TOUCH OR DISCONNECT any ignition parts while engine is running, while key switch is on or while battery cables are connected.

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Failure to comply with the following items may result in damage to the ignition system.

- 1. DO NOT reverse battery cable connections. The battery negative cable is (-) ground.
- 2. DO NOT "spark" battery terminals with battery cable connections to check polarity.
- 3. DO NOT disconnect battery cables while engine is running.
- 4. DO NOT crank engine with CDI or Ignition Coils not grounded.



### **ACAUTION**

To protect against meter and/or component damage, observe the following precautions:

- 400 VDC\* test position (or higher) MUST BE used for all tests.
- INSURE the Positive (+) lead/terminal of DVA is connected to the Positive (+) receptacle
  of meter
- DO NOT CHANGE meter selector switch position while engine is running and/or being "cranked".
- ALL COMPONENTS MUST BE GROUNDED during tests. Running or "cranking" engine with CDI or Ignition Coils ungrounded may damage components.

\* If using a meter with a built-in DVA, the DVA/400 or DVA/500 VDC test position should be used.

**NOTE:** Test leads are not supplied with the Direct Voltage Adapter (p/n 91-89045). Use test leads supplied with multi meter.

Test procedures and specifications are provided for **checking primary ignition voltage** while the engine is **running** and/or being "**cranked**" with all harnesses connected.

### **Ignition Troubleshooting**

### **WARNING**

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#### **WARNING**

When testing or servicing the ignition system, high voltage is present. DO NOT TOUCH OR DISCONNECT any ignition parts while engine is running.

# Tool: Multimeter/DVA Tester 91-99750A1 or DMT 2000 MultiMeter with Direct Voltage Adaptor (p/n 91-89045).

Component Test	Selector Sw. Position	DVA Lead Red	DVA Lead Black	Voltage Read- ing <sup>(1)</sup> @300-3000 RPM
Coil Primary	400 DVA*	Coil (–) Black (B) Lead (2) **	Coil (+) Orange (O) Lead (2) **	250 - 320 (1)
Stator Charge Coil	400 DVA*	Green/White (2)	Ground	250 - 330 (1)
Stator Charge Coil	400 DVA*	White/Green Lead (2)	Ground	250 - 330 (1)

\*If using a meter that requires a DVA adapter, place selector switch to the 400 VDC position. \*\* Reverse Polarity

**NOTE:** If using DMT 2000 turn the selector switch to DC volts. Allow the meter to auto-range.

(1) Readings may vary at cranking speed or at idle speed.

(2) Back probe the electrical lead bullet connector in order to make connection.



Multimeter Ohm Checks						
Tested Part	Multimeter Wires	Connected To:	Meter Scale	Meter Reading		
Stator Charge Coil	Red Black	Green/White (2) White/Green (1)	R x 1 Ω	660 - 710		
Power Bobbin Charge Coil	Red	Yel/Blk Yel/Blk	R x 1 Ω	6.7-7.1		
Stator Battery Charge Coil (6 Amp.)	Red Black	Yel Yel	R x 1 Ω	0.9-1.1		
Stator Battery Charge Coil (15 Amp.)	Red Black	Yel Yel	R x 1 Ω	0.22-0.24		
Crank Position Sensor	Red Black	Red (1) White (2)	R x 1 Ω	300 - 350		
Ignition Coil Primary (with wires disconnected)	Red Black	Orange Black (B)	R x 1 Ω	0.08 - 0.7		
Ignition Coil Secondary (test with coil leads disconnected and spark plug caps re- moved)	Red Black	High Tension Lead Black (B)	R x 1k Ω	3.5 - 4.7		

**NOTE:** Copper is an excellent conductor, however, resistance may notably vary between low and high temperature. Therefore, reasonable differences can be accepted between resistance readings and specifications.

The above readings are for a cold (room temperature) engine. Resistance will increase if the engine is warm.

### **Ignition Diagnostic Procedures**

TROUBLESHOOTING TIP: With engine running, use inductive timing light to check spark advance of each cylinder as throttle is opened and closed. If timing advances and retards on each cylinder, ignition system is MOST LIKELY functioning properly.

**IMPORTANT:** If outboard appears to have an ignition system failure, it is recommended that before beginning in-depth troubleshooting:

- a. Ensure that the engine is mechanically sound condition. (Fuel System, Cylinder Compression etc.).
- b. Check all engine ground leads for loose or corroded connections.
- c. Disconnect and reconnect ignition harness connectors to verify proper continuity.

#### SUGGESTED TESTING PROCEDURES

**NOTE:** The following recommended tests and probable causes are not listed in any specific order. The technician should use this table as a guide to help isolate and test the specific problem/condition. Always perform the DVA tests first (if applicable), then perform resistance test to validate suspected component failure.



### \*Recommended Test

- (1) DVA TEST (Direct Voltage Adapter)(2) OHM TEST (Resistance Testing)
- (3) Replace Component and Retest(4) Mechanical Test/Repair

PROBLEM/CONDITION	Probable Cause	*Perform Test No.
No Spark Condition (All Cylinders)	Crank Position Sensor Stator (ECM) Stop Circuit Short to Ground: a - stop circuit lead	2 1-2 3 2
	b - lanyard stop switch c - tiller handle stop button (if supplied) d - remote control harness Ignition Coil a - primary Circuit Shorted to Ground Spark Plugs	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 3
	Open Ground Condition: a - ignition coil b - stator ground c - (ECM)	2 3 3
No Spark Condition (One Cylinder)	High Tension Lead Spark Plug Cap (Resistor) Spark Plug	2 2 3
Weak Spark Condition	Ground Connection at: a - Ignition Coil Primary Leads b - Stator c - (ECM) Primary Coil Supply Leads High Resistance To Ground at:	2 2 3
	a - stop/lanyard switch (water/corrosion) Weak Charge Coil Ignition Coil/High Tension Lead(s) Spark Plug(s)	2 1-2 1-3 2
	Spark Plug Cap (Resistor) Spark Plug Cap Leak (ECM) Failure	3 3 3
<b>Timing Fluctuates</b> <b>NOTE:</b> It is considered normal for the timing to fluctuate approximately 1° - 2°	Loss Of Oil Pressure/Over Heating: a - timing retards and fluctuates, rpm will drop below 2000 rpm	4
within the designated timing window.	Flywheel Key Sheared (ECM) Unit Stall Saver Activated a - idle rpm set too low	4 3

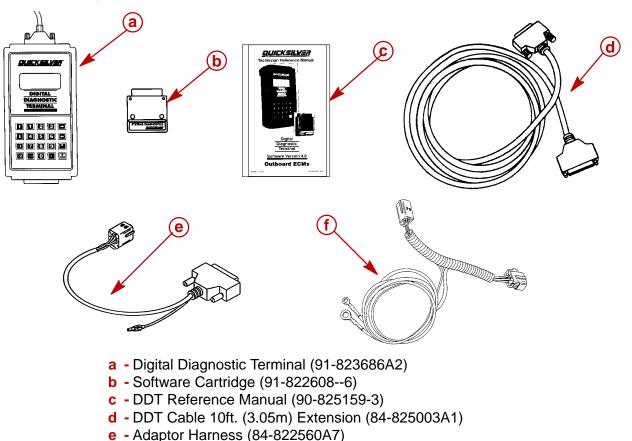


### \*Recommended Test (cont.)

- (1) DVA TEST (Direct Voltage Adapter)
- (2) OHM TEST (Resistance Testing)
- (3) Replace Component and Retest
- (4) Mechanical Test/Repair

PROBLEM/CONDITION	Probable Cause	*Perform Test No.
Timing Will Not Advance	Low Oil Pressure/Engine Over Heating: a - timing retards and fluctuates, rpm will remain below 2000 rpm	4
	(ECM)	3
Engine Misfires At High RPM		
	Low Oil Pressure/Engine Over Heating: a - timing retards and fluctuates, rpm will remain below 2000 rpm	4
	Ignition Coil/High Tension Lead(s)	2
	Spark Plug Cap(s)	2
	Spark Plug(s)	3
	(ECM) Unit Ground Connection:	3
	a - (ECM)	3
	b - ignition coil	2
	c - stator	2
Engine Hard To Start Cold	Debris In Carburetor Enrichener Circuit	4
	Weak Spark Condition	1
	Throttle Plate in Open Position	4
Engine Hard To Start Hot	Weak Spark Condition	4
	Vapor Lock	4
Engine Will Not Run Over 2000 RPM	Low Oil Pressure/Engine Over Heating: a - timing retards and fluctuates, rpm will remain below 2000 rpm	4
	Stator	- 1-2
	Ignition Coil/High Tension Lead(s)	2
	(ĔCM)	3
	Spark Plug(s)	3
Engine Occasionally Misfires	Charge Coil	1-2
	Ignition Coil/High Tension Lead(s)	2
	Spark Plug Cap(s)	2
	Spark Plug(s)	3
	Ground Connection at: a - ignition coil	2
	b - (ECM)	3
	c - stator	2
	High Resistance To Ground at:	
	a - stop/lanyard sw. (water/corrosion)	2
	(ECM)	3
Engine Surges Over 6200 RPM While <u>Under Load</u>	Boat Under Propped Propeller Hub Spun	4 4
<b>NOTE:</b> The engine (ECM) will retard tim- ing and reduce RPM above 6200 RPM.		

## **Troubleshooting with the Digital Diagnostical Terminal**



f - Adaptor Harness (84-822560A10)

The Quicksilver Digital Diagnostic Terminal (DDT) has been developed specifically to help technicians diagnose and repair Mercury Marine 2 and 4 cycle engines.

Attach the diagnostic cable to the ECM diagnostic connector and plug in the software cartridge. You will be able to monitor sensors and ECM data values including status switches.

The ECM program can help diagnose intermittent engine problems. It will record the state of the engine sensors and switches for a period of time and then can be played back to review the recorded information.

Refer to the Digital Diagnostic Terminal Reference Manual for complete diagnostic procedures.

IMPORTANT: When using DDT cartridge p/n 91-822608--6, the 50/60 4-stroke engine will not be listed on the "SELECT ECM" screen. Select option 3 - 3 CYL 99 & Later.





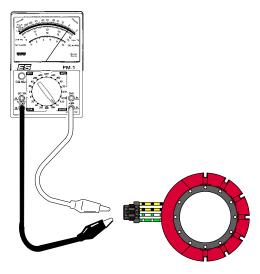
## **Testing Ignition Components**

#### **Resistance Tests**

When performing resistance tests, all component leads must be disconnected. Readings may very slightly due to temperature changes.

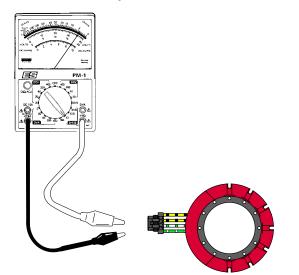
NOTE: Readings listed taken at 68° F (20° C).

#### **STATOR (IGNITION CHARGE COIL)**



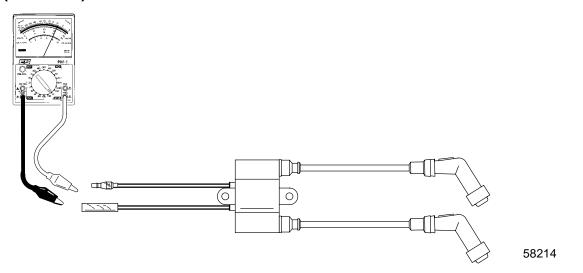
METER TE	ST LEADS	METER SCALE	READING (Ω)
RED	BLACK		
GRN/WHT	WHT/GRN	RX1	660 - 710

STATOR AUTO ENRICHENER (POWER BOBBIN CHARGE COIL)



METER TE	ST LEADS	METER SCALE	READING (Ω)
RED	BLACK	DV/	
YEL/BLK	YEL/BLK	RX1	6.7 - 7.1

#### **IGNITION COIL (PRIMARY)**



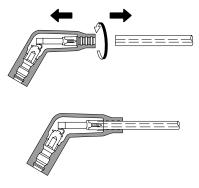
METER TE	ST LEADS	METER SCALE	READING (Ω)
RED	BLACK		
BLK/WHT BLACK		RX1	0.08 - 0.7

**NOTE:** Ohm readings may not be in range specified because of sensitivity of your multi-meter. Meter should show almost full continuity or near zero resistance condition.

#### **Spark Plug Cap Removal**

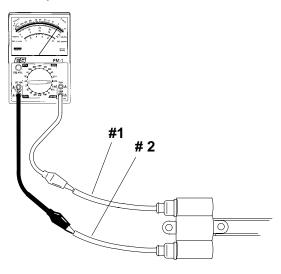
**NOTE:** High tension cables must have spark plug cap removed before testing. Cap contains 5k ohm resistor.

IMPORTANT: To remove spark plug cap from high tension leads, turn cap counterclockwise while applying slight outward pressure. DO NOT PULL HARD or lead may be damaged. To install cap, turn cap clockwise threading cap onto high tension lead.



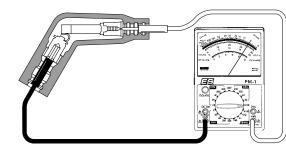


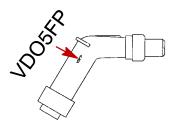
### **IGNITION COIL (SECONDARY)**



METER TE	ST LEADS	METER SCALE	READING (Ω)
RED	BLACK		
#1 OR #3 CABLE #2 OR #4 CABLE		RX1K	3.5 - 4.7

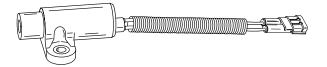
## Spark Plug Cap Resistor Test-P/N VDO5FP





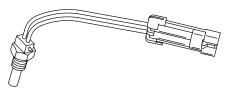
METER TE	ST LEADS	METER SCALE	READING (Ω)
RED	BLACK	RX1K	4.0 - 6.0
WIRE END PLUG END			4.0 - 0.0

#### **CRANK POSITION SENSOR**

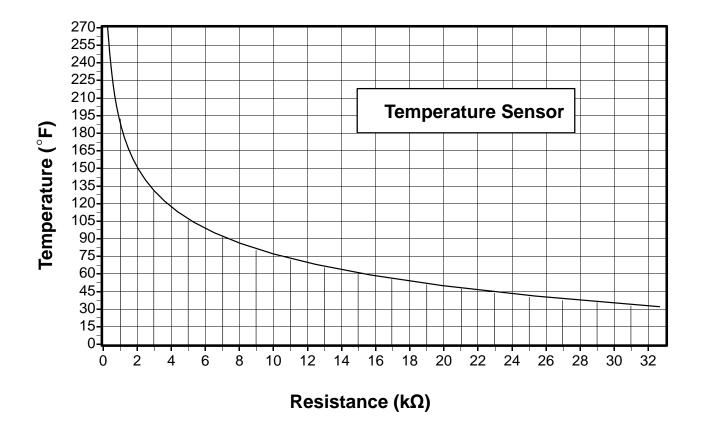


METER TEST LEADS		METER SCALE	READING (Ω)
RED	BLACK		
RED	WHT	RX1	300 - 350

#### **TEMPERATURE SENSOR**



Insert digital or analog ohmmeter test leads into both Black sensor leads. With engine at temperature (F) indicated, ohm rating should be as indicated.





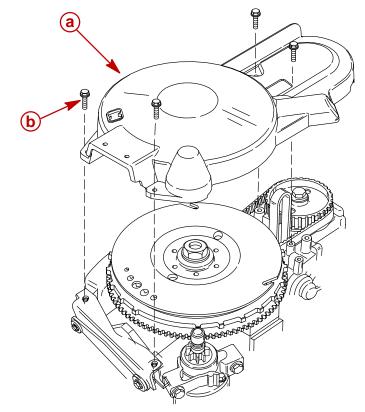
## **Flywheel Removal and Installation**

### **WARNING**

Engine could possibly start when turning flywheel during removal and installation. To prevent this type of accidental engine starting and possible serious injury, always remove spark plug leads from spark plugs.

#### Removal

1. Remove flywheel cover (manual start models refer to section 8).



a - Flywheel Cover

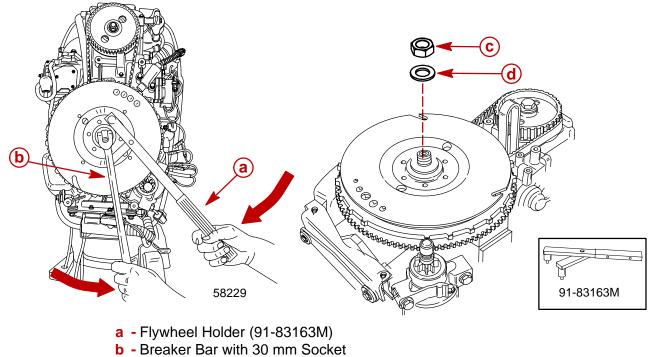
**b** - Bolts (4) M6 x 25



2. Loosen flywheel nut. Hold flywheel using flywheel holder (91-83163M).

3. Remove nut and washer.

**NOTE:** Removal of the nut may require the use of an impact tool.

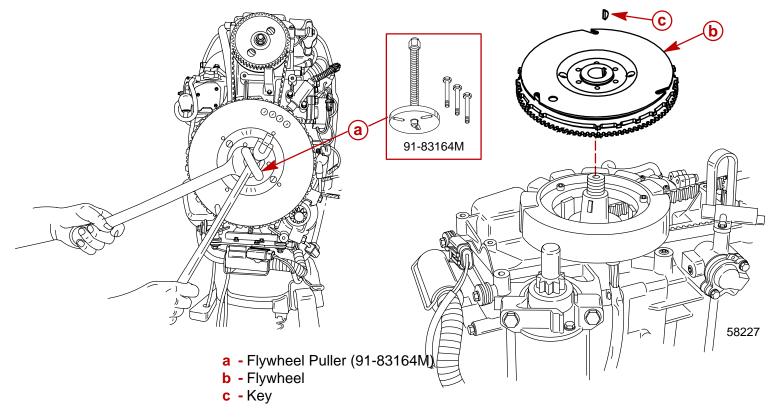


c - Nut

d - Washer

4. Loosen flywheel using puller (91-83164M). Remove flywheel and key.

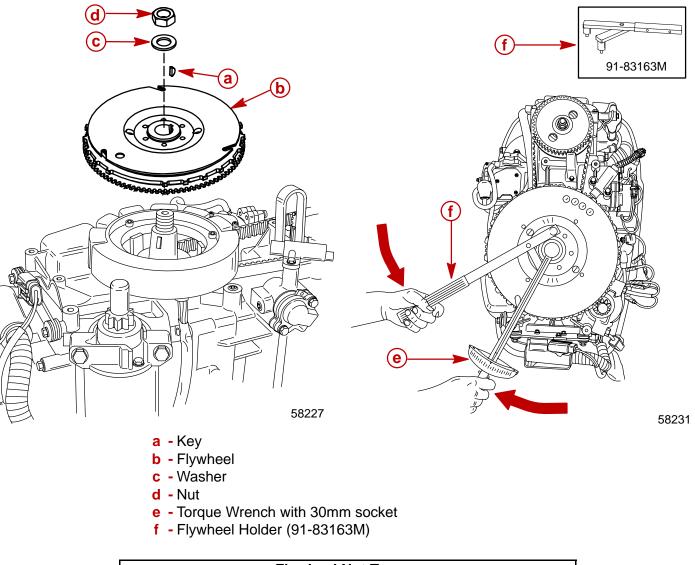
**NOTE:** Apply a small amount of grease to the end of the crankshaft before installing puller.



#### Installation



- 1. Place flywheel key into slot.
- 2. Install flywheel. Apply oil to threads on crankshaft.
- 3. Install washer and nut.
- 4. Hold flywheel using flywheel holder (91-83163M) and tighten nut to the specified torque.



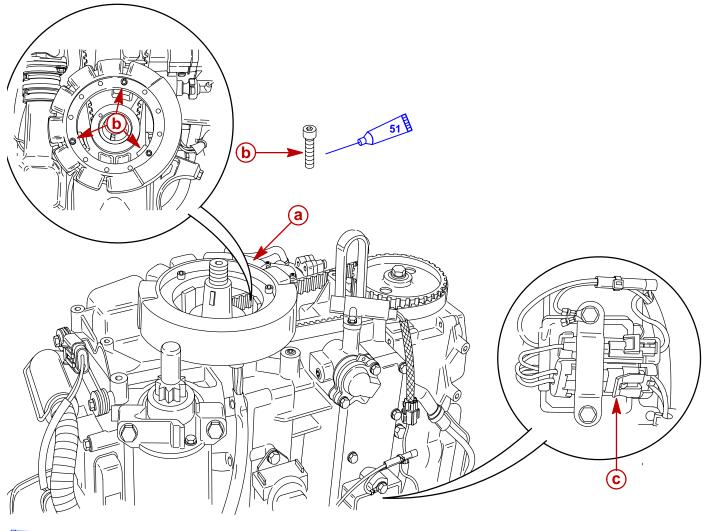
Flywheel Nut Torque				
116 lb. ft. (157 N·m)				

## **Stator Removal and Installation**

**NOTE:** Remove flywheel as outlined in "Flywheel Removal and Installation" section of service manual.

- 1. Disconnect stator wires. The 4 pin connector disconnects from the main stator harness, the 2 pin connector disconnects from voltage regulator.
- 2. Remove stator mounting bolts.
- 3. Reverse steps for installation (refer to wiring diagram **Section 2D** for correct stator wire connections).

NOTE: Apply Loctite 222 to threads of stator screws.



**51** De Loctite "222" (92-809818)

- a Stator
- **b** Screws (3) M5 x 30
- **c** 2 Pin Connector

#### Stator Screw Torque

85 lb. in. (9.6 N·m)

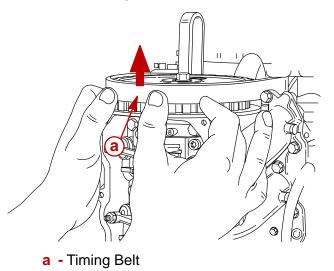


## **Timing Belt Removal and Installation**

**NOTE:** Remove flywheel as outlined in "Flywheel Removal and Installation" section of service manual.

#### Removal

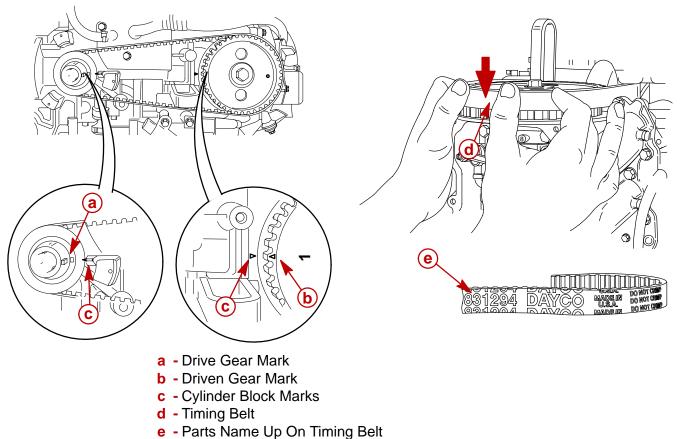
1. Remove timing belt from driven sprocket.



### Installation

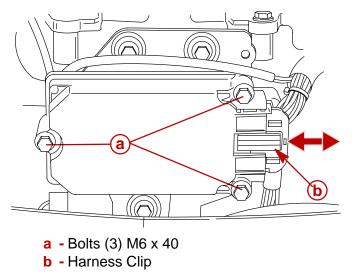
- 1. Align marks on driver and driven gear with marks on cylinder block as shown.
- 2. Install timing belt onto drive sprocket. Slide timing belt onto driven sprocket.

**NOTE:** Install timing belt with parts name up.



## **ECM** Removal and Installation

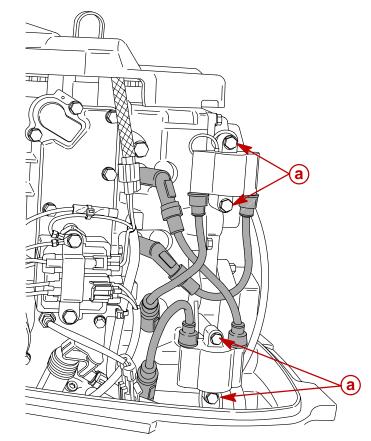
1. Remove and install ECM as shown.



ECM Mounting Bolt Torque			
45 lb. in. (5.1 N·m)			

## **Ignition Coil Removal and Installation**

- 1. Disconnect spark plug leads from spark plugs.
- 2. Disconnect wires (Black and Orange) at bullet connectors.
- 3. Remove ignition coil mounting bolts.
- 4. Reverse steps for installation.

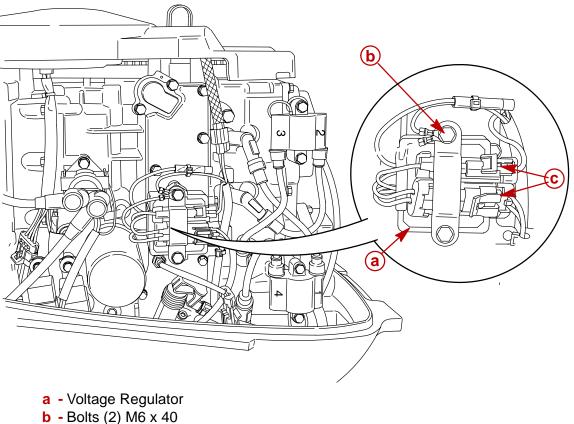


a - Mounting Bolts(4) M6x20

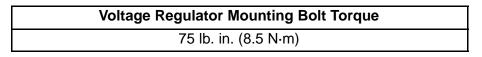
Ignition Coil Mounting Bolt Torque			
75 lb. in. (8.5 N·m)			

## **Voltage Regulator Removal and Installation**

- 1. Disconnect voltage regulator wire connectors.
- 2. Remove mounting bolts.
- 3. Reverse steps for installation (refer to wiring diagram **section 2D** for correct wire connections).

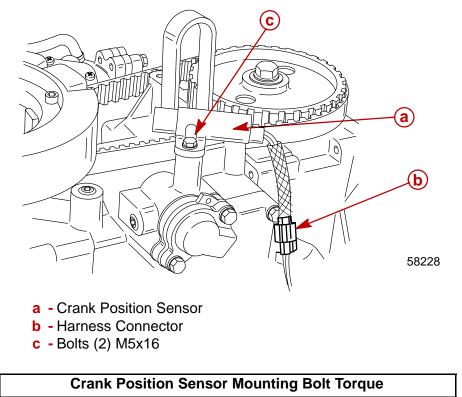


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- c Connectors



## **Crank Position Sensor Removal and Installation**

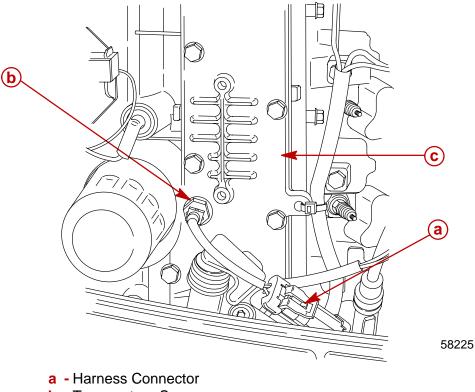
- 1. Disconnect sensor from wiring harness.
- 2. Remove sensor mounting bolts.
- 3. Reverse steps for installation.



45 lb. in. (5.1 N·m)

## **Temperature Sensor Removal and Installation**

- 1. Disconnect sensor from wiring harness.
- 2. Remove sensor from exhaust cover.
- 3. Reverse steps for installation.



- **b** Temperature Sensor
- c Exhaust Cover

Temperature Position Sensor Mounting Torque			
15 lb. in. (1.7 N⋅m)			

### Section 2B - Charging & Starting System

Regulator/Rectifier (P/N 854514-1)

Diode Test

Analog Meter

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## **Specifications**

CHARGING SYSTEM Readings taken @ 68°F (20°C).	Alternator Type: 6 Amp. Manual Lighting Coil Output Lighting Coil Resistance 15 Amp. Electric Alternator Output	Single Phase (12 Pole) 6 Amps. 0.9 - 1.1 Ohms (YEL-YEL) 12.6 V-15 Amps. (185 Watts) (Rectified/Regulated)
	Battery Charging Coil Resistance Power Bobbin Resistance (For Electrothermal Valve) Quicksilver Tachometer Setting	0.22 - 0.24 Ohms (YEL-YEL) 6.7-7.1 Ohms (YEL/BLK-YEL/BLK) "6P" or "4"
STARTING SYSTEM	Manual Start Electric Start: Starter Type Output Ampere Draw Under: (Load) (No Load)	Recoil Starter Bendix 1.1 kW 174.0 Amps 23.7 Amps
BATTERY	Battery Rating Minimum Requirement For operation below 32° F (0° C)	465 Marine Cranking Amps (MCA) or 350 Cold Cranking Amps (CCA) 1000 Marine Cranking Amps (MCA) or 775 Cold Cranking Amps (CCA)
	Ampere-Hours (Ah) Minimum For operation above 32° F (0° C) For operation below 32° F (0° C)	70 105

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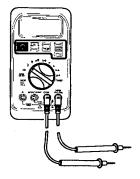
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## **Special Tools**

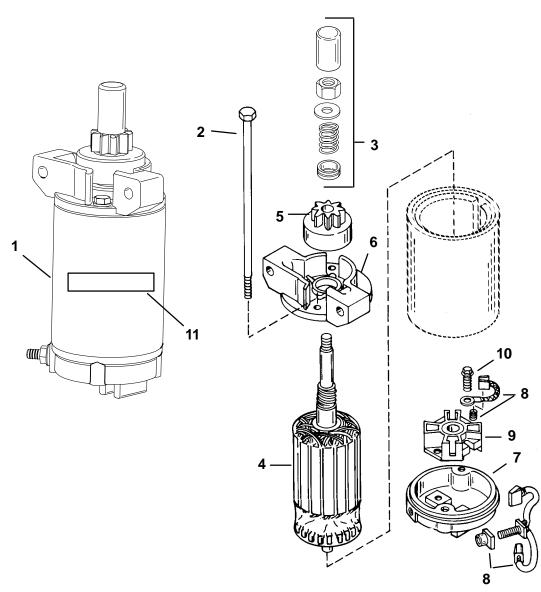
1. DMT 2000 Digital Tachometer Multi-meter P/N 91-854009A1







## **STARTER MOTOR**



REF.		Т		FORQUE	
NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	lb-in	lb-ft	Nm.
1	1	STARTER MOTOR			
2	2	THRU BOLT	70		8.0
3	1	DRIVE KIT			
4	1	ARMATURE			
5	1	PINION			
6	1	DRIVE CAP			
7	1	COMMUTATOR CAP			
8	1	BRUSH & SPRING KIT			
9	1	BRUSH HOLDER			
10	2	SCREW			
11	1	DECAL-Warning-High voltage			



### Battery

#### **Recommended Battery**

A 12 volt battery with a minimum rating of 465 marine cranking amps (MCA) or 350 cold cranking amps (CCA). For operation below  $32^{\circ}$  F ( $0^{\circ}$  C) a rating of 1000 Marine Cranking Amps (MCA) or 775 Cold Cranking Amps (CCA) is recommended.

#### **Operating Engine Without Battery**

If desired (or in an emergency), engines equipped with an electric start and alternator can be started and operated without a battery (either disconnected or removed) if "**WARNING**", below, is followed.

#### **WARNING**

Before operating engine with battery leads disconnected from battery, disconnect the two wire (stator harness plug) from rectifier.

#### **Battery Charging System Troubleshooting**

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The charging system may be damaged by: 1) reversed battery cables, 2) running the engine with battery cables disconnected and stator leads connected to rectifier, 3) an open circuit, such as a broken wire or loose connection.

A fault in the battery charging system usually will cause the battery to become undercharged. Check battery electrolyte level, and charge battery.

If battery will NOT accept a satisfactory charge, replace battery.

If battery accepts a satisfactory charge, determine the cause of the charging system problem as follows.

- Check for correct battery polarity [RED cable to POSITIVE (+) battery terminal]. If polarity was incorrect, check for damaged regulator/rectifier. See "REGULATOR/RECTIFI-ER DIODE TEST".
- 2. Check for loose or corroded battery connections.
- 3. Visually inspect wiring between stator and battery for cuts, chafing; and disconnected, loose or corroded connection.
- 4. Excessive electrical load (from too many accessories) will cause battery to run down.

If visual inspection determines that battery connections and wiring are OK, perform the following stator and regulator/rectifier tests.

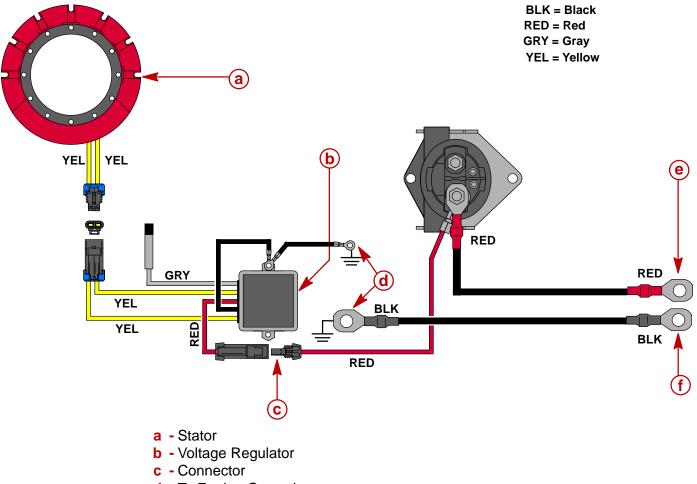


## **Battery Charging System**

### **Description (15 Ampere)**

The battery charging system components are the stator battery charge coils, regulator and battery. Alternating current (generated in battery charge coils) flows to the regulator, which changes the alternating current to a regulated direct current for charging the battery.

#### Wiring Diagram (15 Ampere)



- d To Engine Ground
- e To Battery Positive (Red) Terminal
- f To Battery Negative (Black) Terminal



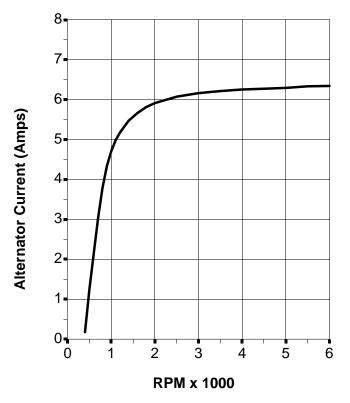
#### 6 Ampere Stator

### **A**CAUTION

When testing any charging system, the technician must use an ammeter capable of reading the maximum current output for the test being performed or higher. Failure to use a amp meter that can handle the specific current load could possibly damage the meter being used.

**IMPORTANT:** Rectifier (optional accessory) must be functioning properly for accurate test results to be obtained.

- 1. Remove RED lead from (+) terminal of rectifier.
- 2. Connect RED (+) ammeter lead to rectifier (+) terminal and BLACK (–) ammeter lead to RED rectifier lead.
- 3. With engine running at the indicated RPM, the ammeter should indicate the following approximate amperes:

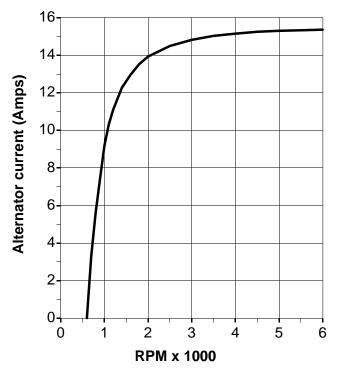


4. If proper ampere readings are not obtained, replace stator.

#### **15 Ampere Stator**



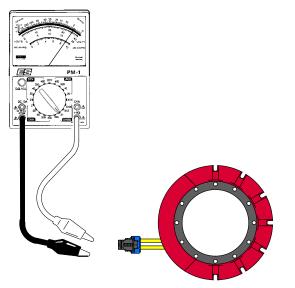
- 1. Check battery voltage at battery with engine running.
- 2. If battery voltage is above 14.5-15.0 volts, replace voltage regulator/rectifier. Check condition of battery as overcharging may have damaged battery.
- 3. If battery voltage is below 14.5 volts, charge battery. If battery can NOT be satisfactorily charged, replace battery.
- 4. If battery accepts a satisfactory charge, check battery voltage while cranking engine. If cranking voltage is not acceptable, replace battery.
- 5. If cranking voltage is acceptable, disconnect the RED (voltage regulator) connector.
- 6. Connect RED (+) ammeter lead to RED voltage regulator wire, and the BLACK (–) ammeter lead to the RED wiring harness wire.
- 7. Secure starter wires away from flywheel.
- 8. With engine running at the indicated RPM's, the ammeter should indicate the following appropriate amperes:



- 9. A reading of 15 amperes at 5000 RPM indicates the charging system is functioning properly.
- 10. If ammeter reads less than required amperes @ 5000 RPM, test the stator (refer to "**Sta-tor Ohms Test**"). If stator tests OK, replace rectifier/regulator.

## **Stator Ohms Test**

#### STATOR (BATTERY CHARGE COIL)



#### 6 Amp. Stator

METER TEST LEADS		METER SCALE	READING (Ω)
RED	BLACK		
YEL	YEL	RX1	0.9 - 1.1

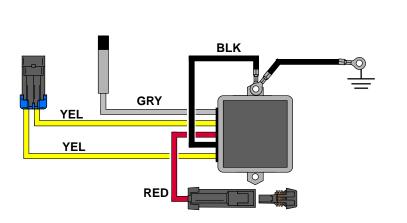
15 Amp. Stator

METER TEST LEADS		METER SCALE	READING (Ω)
RED	BLACK		
YEL	YEL	RX1	0.22 - 0.24



### **Analog Meter**

**NOTE:** Voltage regulator/rectifier specifications are given for informational purposes only, use the appropriate troubleshooting techniques previously mentioned to find the faulty component in the charging system.



Blk = Black Gry = Gray Red = Red Yel = Yellow

#### DIODE TEST:

- 1. Set Ohm meter to R X 10 scale.
- 2. Connect Red (+) meter lead to RED regulator lead.
- 3. Connect Black (-) meter lead to either YELLOW regulator lead.

#### **TEST RESULTS:**

100 - 400 OHMS

#### DIODE TEST:

- 1. Set Ohm meter to R X 1k scale.
- 2. Connect Black (-) meter lead to RED regulator lead.
- 3. Connect Red (+) meter lead to YELLOW regulator lead. Test. Then change Red (+) meter lead to the other YELLOW regulator lead for 2ND test reading.

#### **TEST RESULTS (1ST READING):**

20,000 to  $\infty$  OHMS

#### **TEST RESULTS (2ND READING):**

 $\infty$  OHMS (No needle movement)

#### SCR TEST:

- 1. Set Ohm meter to R X 1k scale.
- 2. Connect Red (+) meter lead to regulator case.
- 3. Connect Black (–) meter lead to one YELLOW regulator lead. Test. Connect Black (–) meter lead to the other YELLOW lead.

#### **TEST RESULTS (BOTH TESTS):**

8,000 - 15,000 OHMS (8k - 15K)



#### TACHOMETER CIRCUIT TEST:

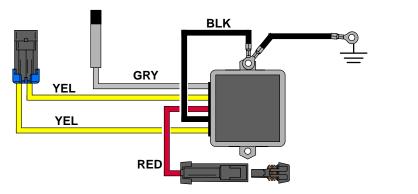
- 1. Set Ohm meter to R X 1k scale.
- 2. Connect Red (+) meter lead to GREY regulator lead.
- 3. Connect Black (-) meter lead to regulator case.

#### TEST RESULTS:

10,000 - 50,000 OHMS (10k - 50k)

#### **Digital Meter**

**NOTE:** Voltage regulator/rectifier specifications are given for informational purposes only, use the appropriate troubleshooting techniques previously mentioned to find the faulty component in the charging system.



Blk = Black Gry = Gray Red = Red Yel = Yellow

#### **DIODE TEST:**

- 1. Set meter to  $\rightarrow$ .
- 2. Connect Black (–) meter lead to RED regulator lead.
- 3. Connect Red (+) meter lead to either YELLOW regulator lead.

#### **TEST RESULTS:**

0.4-0.8 V

#### DIODE TEST:

- 1. Set meter to →.
- 2. Connect Red (+) meter lead to RED regulator lead.
- 3. Connect Black (-) meter lead to either YELLOW regulator lead.

#### **TEST RESULTS (1ST READING):**

 $\infty$  or OUCH or OL

#### SCR TEST:

- 1. Set meter to →.
- 2. Connect Black (-) meter lead to regulator case.
- 3. Connect Red (+) meter lead to either YELLOW regulator lead.

#### **TEST RESULTS (BOTH TESTS):**

1.5 V -  $\infty$  or OUCH or OL



# **Starting System Components**

### Description

The function of the starting system is to crank the engine. The battery supplies electrical energy to crank the starter motor. When the ignition switch is turned to "START" position, the starter solenoid is activated and completes the starting circuit between the battery and starter.

The neutral start switch opens the start circuit when the shift control lever is not in neutral. This prevents accidental starting when engine is in gear.

The starting system consists of the following components.

- 1. Battery
- 2. Starter Solenoid
- 3. Neutral Safety Switch
- 4. Starter Motor
- 5. Ignition Switch

**A**CAUTION

The starter motor may be damaged if operated continuously. DO NOT operate continuously for more than 30 seconds. Allow a 2 minute cooling period between starting attempts.

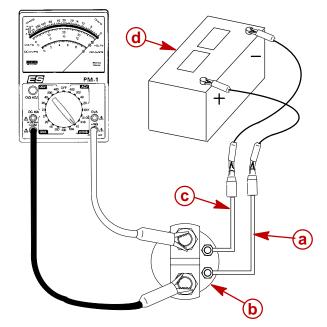
# **Troubleshooting the Starting Circuit**

Before beginning the starting circuit troubleshooting flow chart, following, check first for the following conditions:

- 1. Make sure that battery is fully charged.
- 2. Check that control lever is in "NEUTRAL" position.
- 3. Check terminals for corrosion and loose connections.
- 4. Check cables and wiring for frayed and worn insulation.
- 5. Check 20 Amp fuse.

#### **Starter Solenoid Test**

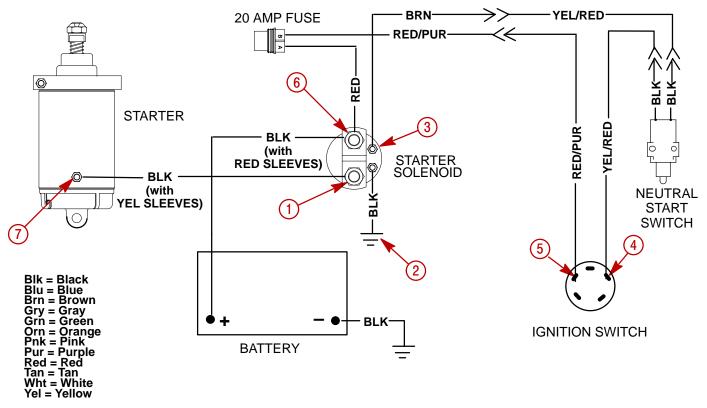
- 1. Inspect starter solenoid for cracks, loose terminals or loose terminal lead connections.
- 2. Connect ohm meter between terminals of starter solenoid.
- 3. Connect the BLACK lead from solenoid to battery negative (–) terminal and momentarily connect the BROWN lead to the positive (+) terminal of battery.
- 4. Verify continuity between the starter solenoid terminals when 12 volts are applied.



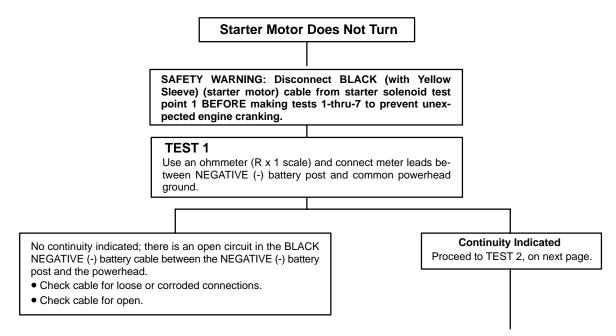
- a BROWN Lead
- b Starter Solenoid
- c BLACK Lead
- **d** Battery

The following "STARTING CIRCUIT TROUBLESHOOTING FLOW CHART" is designed as an aid to troubleshooting the starting circuit. This flow chart will accurately locate any existing malfunction. Location of "TEST POINTS" (called out in the chart) are numbered in diagram below.

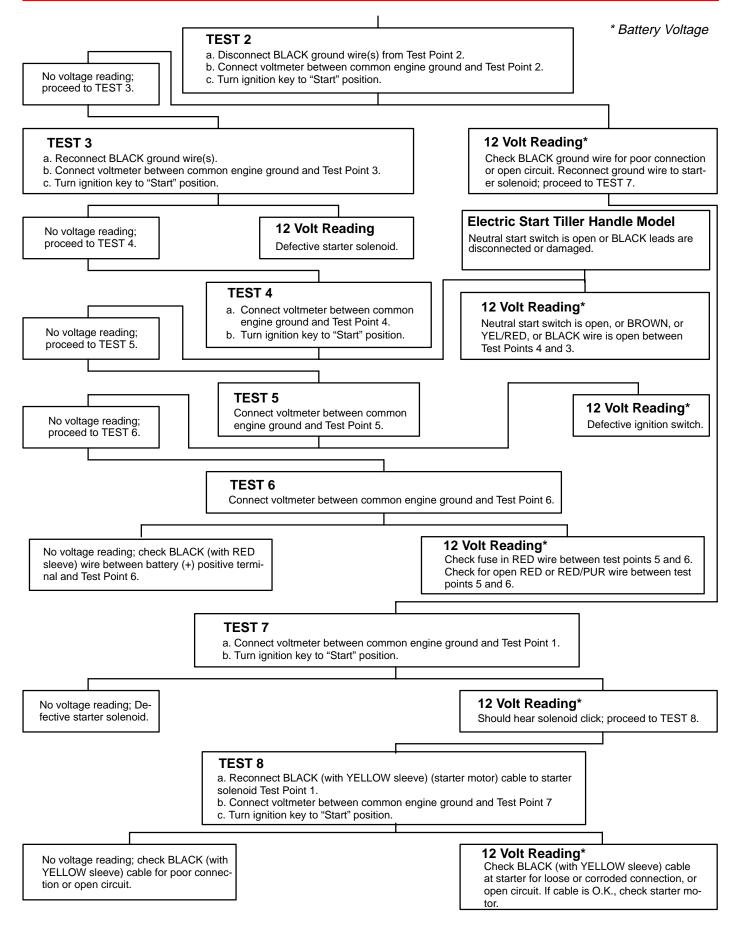




### **Starting Circuit Troubleshooting Flow Chart**









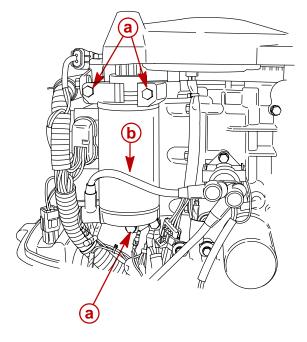
# **Starter Motor**

### Removal

### **WARNING**

Always disconnect the battery and remove spark plug leads from spark plugs before working on motor.

- 1. Disconnect battery leads from battery and black starter motor lead from starter solenoid.
- 2. Remove top 2 bolts, loosen bottom bolt, lift up and remove starter.

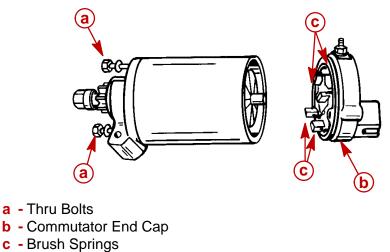


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- a Bolts (3) M8 x 45
- **b** Starter Motor Lead

### Disassembly

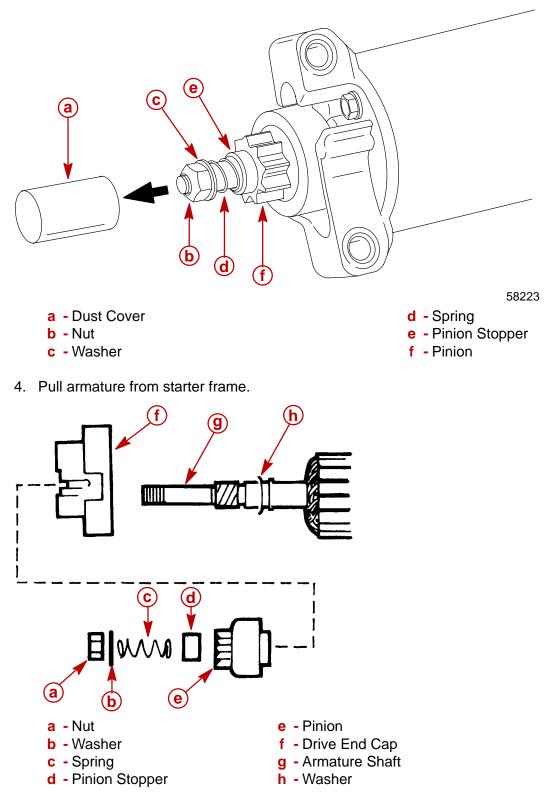
1. Remove 2 thru bolts and commutator end cap, taking care not to lose brush springs.





- 2. Remove dust cover by pulling it straight off.
- 3. Remove the nut, washer, spring, pinion stopper and pinion drive assembly. You may need to lightly clamp the armature in a vise while removing the nut.

#### *NOTE:* DISPOSE OF NUT AFTER REMOVING IT AND USE A NEW ONE FOR REAS-SEMBLY.



### **Cleaning and Inspection**



- 1. Clean all motor parts.
- 2. Check pinion teeth for chips, cracks or excessive wear.
- 3. Replace the drive clutch spring and/or collar, if tension is not adequate, or if wear is excessive.
- 4. Check that the brush holder is not damaged or is not holding the brushes against the commutator.
- 5. Replace brushes that are pitted or worn to less than 1/4 in. (6.4mm) in length. Refer to "BRUSH REPLACEMENT", following.
- 6. Replace a damaged or excessively worn bushing in the end cap.
- 7. Check the armature conductor (commutator bar junction) for a firm connection. A poor connection usually results in a burned commutator bar.
- 8. Re-surface and undercut a rough commutator, as follows:

### **ACAUTION**

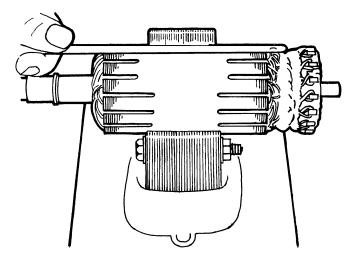
Do not turn down the commutator excessively.

- a. Re-surface the commutator and undercut the insulation between the commutator bars 1/3 in. (0.8mm) to the full width of the insulation, make sure that the undercut is flat.
- b. Clean the commutator slots after undercutting.
- c. De-burr the commutator lightly with No. 00 sandpaper, then clean the commutator.
- d. Check the armature on a growler for shorts. See "TESTING", following.
- 9. Open-circuited armatures often can be saved where and open circuit is obvious and repairable. The most likely place for an open circuit is at the commutator bars. Long cranking periods overheat the starter motor so that solder in the connections melts. The poor connections cause arcing and burning of the commutator bars.
- 10. Repair bars, that are not too badly burned, by re-soldering the leads in bars (using rosin flux solder) and turning down the commutator in a lathe to remove burned material, then undercut the mica.
- 11. Clean out the copper or brush dust from slots between the commutator bars.
- 12. Check the armature for shorts and ground. See "TESTING".



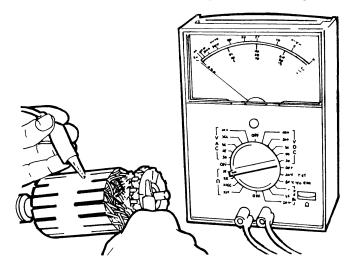
#### ARMATURE TEST FOR SHORTS

Check armature for short circuits by placing on growler and holding hack saw blade over armature core while armature is rotated. If saw blade vibrates, armature is shorted. Recheck after cleaning between commutator bars. If saw blade still vibrates, replace armature.



#### ARMATURE TEST FOR GROUND

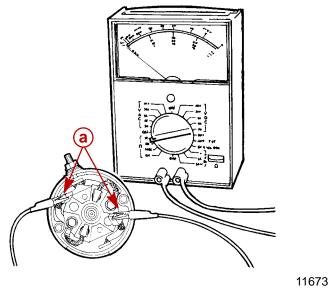
- 1. Set ohmmeter to (R x 1 scale). Place one lead of ohmmeter on armature core (or shaft) and other lead on commutator, as shown.
- 2. If meter indicates continuity, armature is grounded and must be replaced.





#### CHECKING POSITIVE BRUSHES AND TERMINALS

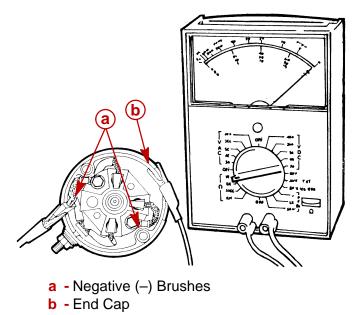
- 1. Connect ohmmeter (R x 1 scale) leads between positive brushes.
- 2. Ohmmeter must indicate full continuity (zero resistance). If resistance is indicated, check lead to positive terminal solder connection. If connection cannot be repaired, brushes must be replaced. Refer to "BRUSH REPLACEMENT".



a - Positive Brushes

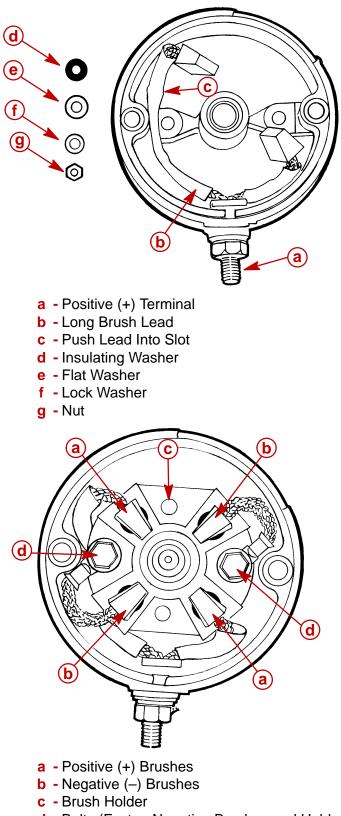
#### **TESTING NEGATIVE BRUSHES FOR GROUND**

Set ohmmeter to (R x 1 scale). Place one lead of ohmmeter on the negative brush and the other lead on the end cap (bare metal). If the meter indicates NO continuity, replace the negative brush. Repeat this procedure on the other negative brush.



### **Brush Replacement**

IMPORTANT: Replace brushes that are pitted or worn to less than 1/4 in. (6.4mm) in length.

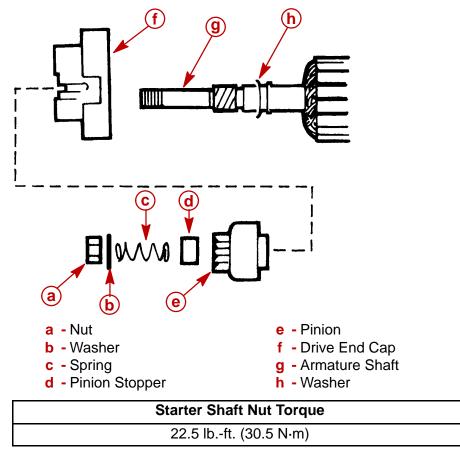


d - Bolts (Fasten Negative Brushes and Holder)



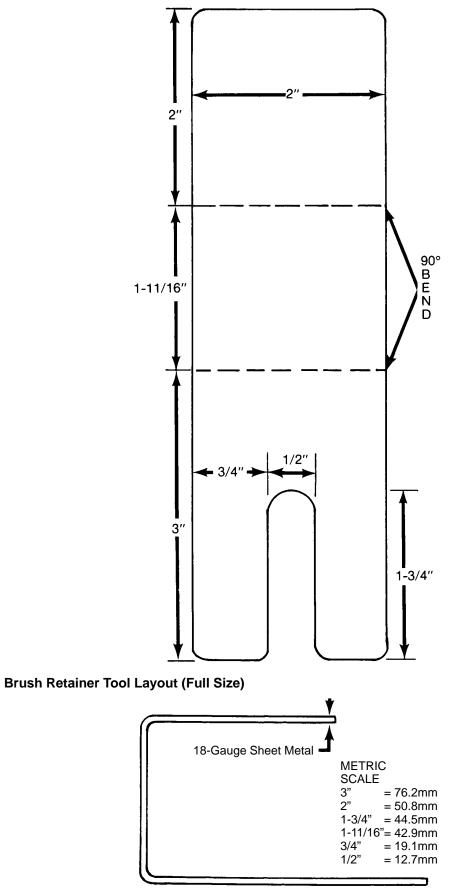
#### Reassembly

- 1. Lubricate helix threads and drive end cap bushing with SAE 10W oil.
- 2. Install the pinion, pinion stopper, spring, washer and **NEW** nut onto armature shaft.
- 3. Lightly clamp the armature in a vise and torque nut to 240-300lbs. in (27-34 N·m).





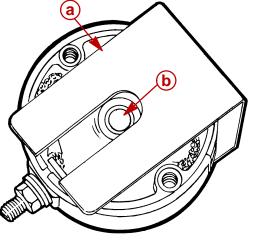
4. Construct a brush retainer tool as shown.



Brush Retainer Tool Side View (Full Size)

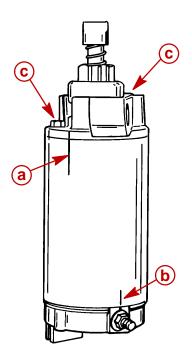


- 5. Place springs and brushes into brush holder and hold in place with brush retainer tool.
- 6. Lubricate bushing with one drop of SAE 10W oil. DO NOT over-lubricate.



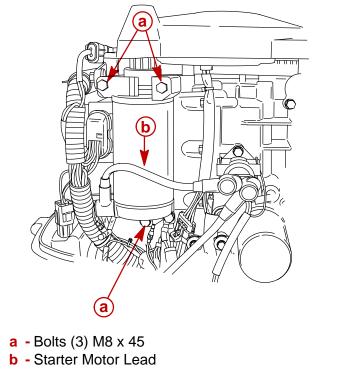
a - Brush Retainer Tool

- **b** Bushing
- 7. Position armature into starter frame so that commutator end of armature is at end of starter frame where permanent magnets are recessed 1 in. (25.4mm). Align marks (a) as shown.
- 8. Install commutator end cap onto starter frame; align marks (b) as shown, and remove brush retainer tool.
- 9. Install thru bolts (c) and torque to 70 lbs. in. (7.9 N·m).



### Installation

1. Secure starter to block with 3 bolts. Torque bolts to 22 lb. ft. (29 N·m). Secure starter motor lead as shown.



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Starter Motor Bolt Torque			
22 lb. ft. (29 N·m)			

# ELECTRICAL

## Section 2C - Timing, Synchronizing, & Adjusting

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# **Specifications**

**NOTE:** The 50/60 four stroke ECM unit electronically controls the ignition timing, therefore making the ignition timing non adjustable. When initially running the outboard, use a timing light to verify that the ignition timing falls within the timing windows. If the ignition timing does not stay within the timing windows, replace the ignition ECM unit and retest.

	Туре	Capacitor Discharge Ignition		
	Spark Plug:			
	Туре	NGK DPR6EA-9		
	Gap	0.035 in. (1.0 mm)		
	Hex Size	18 mm		
	Torque	150 lb-in. (17 Nm)		
	Hole Size	12 mm		
	Firing Order	1-3-4-2		
	Ignition Timing:			
	@ Idle (Cold Start)	15° B.T.D.C		
IGNITION	@ Idle (800 rpm)	5° B.T.D.C		
SYSTEM	@ WOT (6000 rpm)	28° B.T.D.C		
Readings taken @	Charge Coil Resistance	660 - 710 Ω (GRN/WHT - WHT/GRN)		
68°F (20°C).	Crank Position Sensor Resistance	300 - 350 Ω (RED - WHT)		
	Ignition Coil Resistance:			
	Primary	0.08 - 0.7 Ω (BLK - BLK/WHT)		
	Secondary (W/o Boots)	3.5 - 4.7 k $\Omega$ (BLK - High Tension)		
	ECM Engine Speed Limiter	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		
	Soft Reduction (Retards Timing)	6200 rpm		
	Spark Cut-Out Reduction (Percent-			
	ages of ignition spark are Cut-Out)	6250 rpm		
	ECM Overheat/Low Oil Pressure	· F · · ·		
	Speed Control	Approximately 2000 rpm		
	Engine Temperature Sensor	See Graph Section 2A-Ignition		

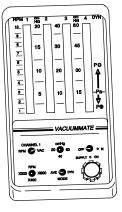
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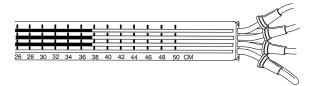


# **Special Tools**

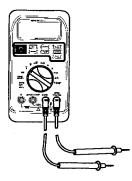
1. New Style Vacuummate Carburetor Tuner P/N 91-809871-1



 Old Style Mercury Filled Carburetor Tuner P/N 91-809641A1 Filters (4) P/N 35-18206



3. DMT 2000 Digital Tachometer Multi-meter P/N 91-854009A1



4. Timing Light P/N 91-99379





5. Digital Diagnostic Tester 91-823686A2



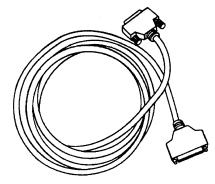
6. DDT Cartridge 91-822608--5 and DDT Reference Manual 90-859769.



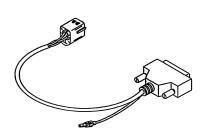
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7. DDT Cable 10' (3.05m) Extension 84-825003A1



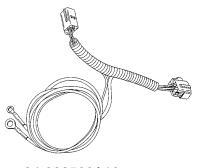
8. DDT Test Harness 84-822560A7 and 84-822560A10



84-822560A7

9. Tubing Clamp P/N 91-804063





84-822560A10

Timing



### **WARNING**

To prevent personal injury or possible death, from loss of balance or stability while servicing the motor, DO NOT attempt to check timing while boat is in motion. Failure to follow one of the recommended servicing procedures may result in the person falling overboard or causing personal injury from fall in boat.

### **WARNING**

To prevent personal injury from spinning flywheel, Do Not attempt to remove flywheel cover or place hands on top of cover when checking ignition timing.

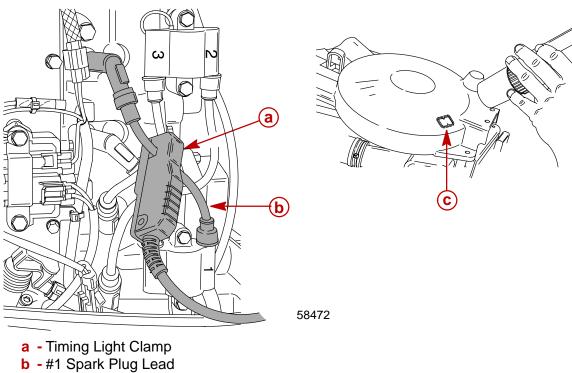
Ignition timing is not adjustable. The Electronic Control Module unit electronically controls the ignition timing.

When initially running the outboard, use a timing light to verify that the ignition timing falls within the timing windows as described within the following tests. If the ignition timing does not stay within the timing windows, replace the ignition E.C.M. unit and retest. (Refer to the Ignition Diagnostic Procedures tests in Section 2A.)

# **IMPORTANT:** When checking the timing with the engine running, one of the following test procedures must be followed.

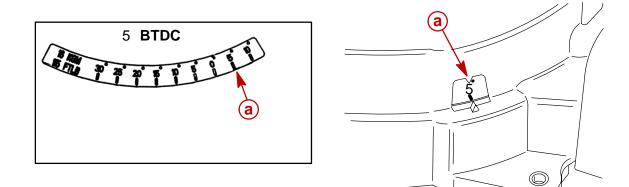
Check maximum timing per specification while running the outboard:

- •IN A TEST TANK
- •ON A DYNAMOMETER
- •ON A BOAT SECURED ON A TRAILER "Backed in Water"
- 1. Attach timing light to #1 spark plug lead.

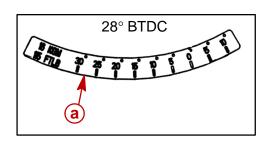


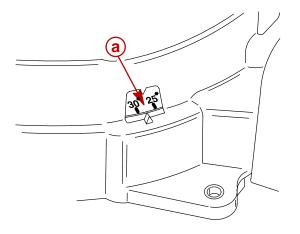
**c** - Timing Window-Electric Start Models

- 2. Place the outboard in "Forward" gear and check timing at idle "Retarded." (If not within specification window, refer to Diagnostic Test Procedures Section 2A.)



- a Timing Mark (Full Retarded)
- 3. Slowly increase the engine RPM while watching the ignition timing marks. The timing should increase to the maximum timing specification "Full Advance" at approximately 6000 RPM. (If not within specification window, refer to Diagnostic Test Procedures Section 2A.)





a - Timing Mark (Full Advance)



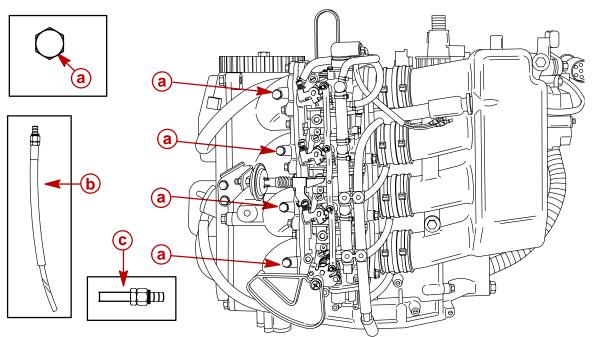
# **Carburetor Synchronization**

**NOTE:** The carburetors are synchronized by adjusting the intake manifold vacuum on the carburetors. Use Carburetor Tuner (91-809641A1) or Vacuummate Tuner (p/n 91-809871-1) to measure the vacuum.

### INSTALLING CARBURETOR TUNER

- 1. Remove four plugs from the intake manifold.
- 2. Install intake manifold hose adaptor in each plug hole. Tighten securely.

**NOTE:** Intake manifold hose adaptors are provided with the Carburetor Tuner.

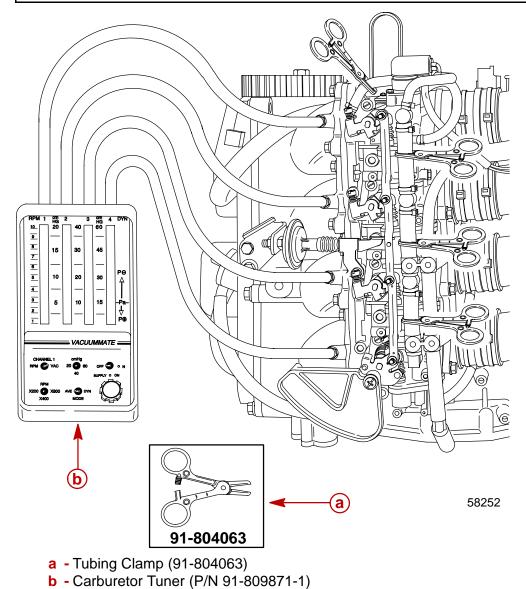


- a Intake Manifold Plugs (4)
- **b** Intake Manifold Hose Adaptor (4) From Vacuummate Carb. Tuner
- **c** Intake Manifold Hose Adaptor (4) From Mercury Filled Carb. Tuner

- 3. Connect the Carburetor Tuner to the hose adaptors.
- 4. Pinch off enrichener lines between carburetors with a tubing clamp.

### **A**CAUTION

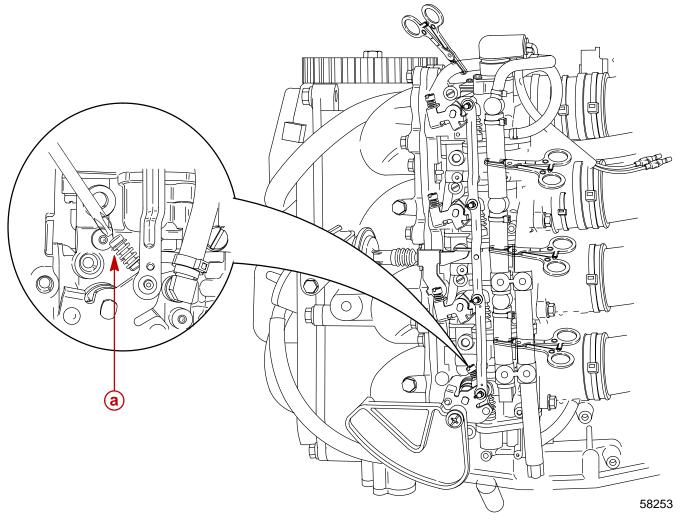
When using the old style mercury filled carb. tuner (p/n 91-809641) install filters (4) (p/n 35-18206) in each line. This will prevent mercury from being drawn into carburetors during an abrupt throttle change.



#### SYNCHRONIZING CARBURETORS

- 1. With the outboard in water, start engine and allow to warm up. Shift the outboard to neutral.
- 2. Connect a tachometer to the engine.
- 3. Adjust idle RPM screw (a) on bottom carburetor to obtain an idle setting of 1000 RPM in neutral. If necessary, keep adjusting the idle screw.

**NOTE:** Keep engine speed set at 1000 RPM in neutral while synchronizing carburetors.

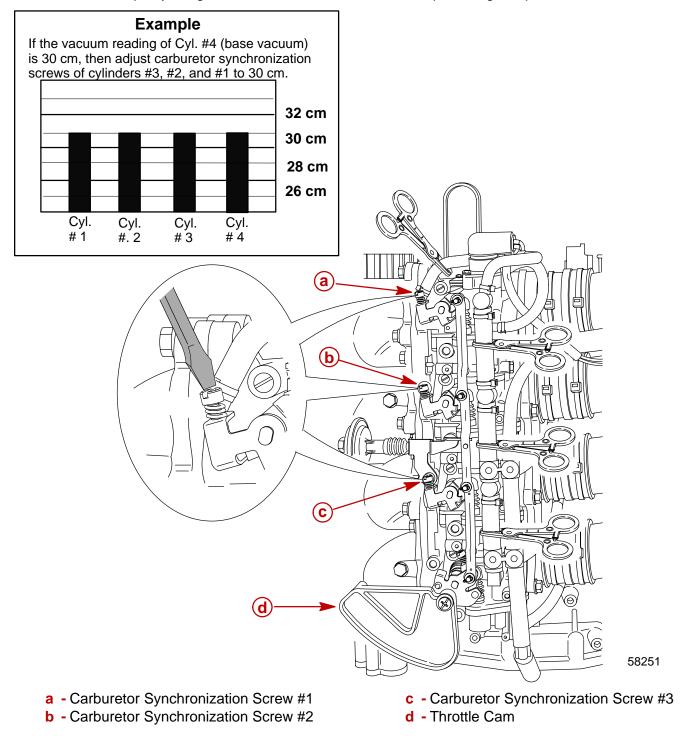


a - Idle RPM Screw



- 4. Read the vacuum of cylinder #4. It's not important to be at any specific vacuum setting.
- 5. Adjust the carburetor synchronization screws of cylinders #3, #2 and #1 to match the base vacuum of cylinder #4.

**NOTE:** Keep viewing the tachometer, as the engine RPM may fluctuate during adjustments. Keep adjusting the idle RPM screw in order to keep the engine speed at 1000 RPM.





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### **WARNING**

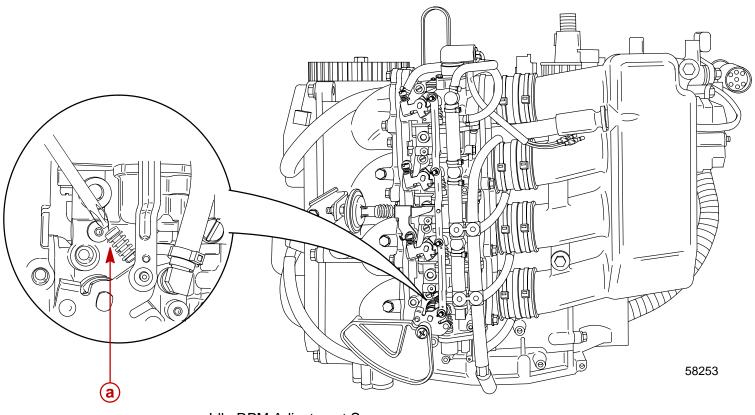
When revving the engine move the throttle cam to increase RPM. Do not use remote control or tiller handle twist throttle to increase RPM. If you do, the throttle linkage will contact the bottom intake manifold hose adaptor and damage the fitting.

- 6. Rev engine a few times and let engine idle for 15 seconds. Check that the vacuum values remain the same between cylinders. Re-adjust if necessary.
- 7. Stop engine, remove adaptors and reinstall plugs. Refer to Idle Speed Adjustment and adjust the idle RPM back to specification.

# **Idle Speed Adjustment**

**NOTE:** The engine should be completely warmed up for the adjustment. Correct adjustments can not be obtained in a cold condition.

- 1. With the outboard in water, start engine and allow to warm up. Shift the outboard to forward gear.
- 2. With the outboard in **forward** gear, turn the idle adjustment screw located on the #4 (bottom) carburetor to attain the specified idle RPM.



a - Idle RPM Adjustment Screw

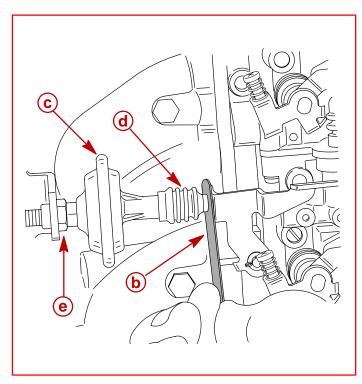


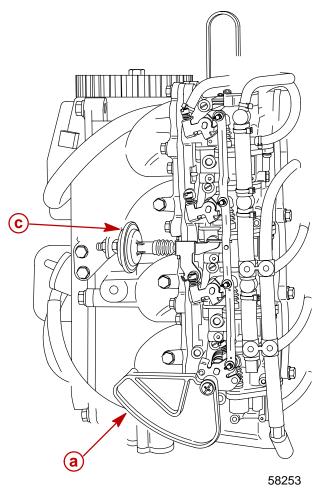
- 3. Rev engine 2 or 3 times and allow to idle for 15 seconds.
  - a. If the engine holds a stable idle condition, then no other adjustments are necessary.
  - b. If the engine has an unstable idle condition, then carburetor synchronization is required. Refer to **Carburetor Synchronization** preceding.

# **Dashpot Adjustment**

**NOTE:** The function of the dashpot is to eliminate stalling after a rapid deceleration. When the engine drops quickly in RPM, the linkage will contact the dashpot plunger and gradually bring the RPM down until the correct engine idle speed is reached.

- 1. Open the throttle cam until the dashpot linkage is fully open and the plunger is fully extended.
- 2. Using a feeler gage, measure the clearance between the end of the plunger and the face of the adjacent bracket. The clearance should be 0.050 0.060 in. (1.3 1.5mm)."
- 3. If the gap needs to be adjusted because it does not fall within the above specs, loosen the jam nut (12mm wrench) and turn the dashpot (10mm wrench) in the appropriate direction. Tighten the jam nut when the correct setting is attained.





- a Throttle Cam
- b Feeler Gage
- c Dashpot
- d Dashpot Plunger
- e Dashpot Locknut

# ELECTRICAL Section 2D - Wiring Diagrams

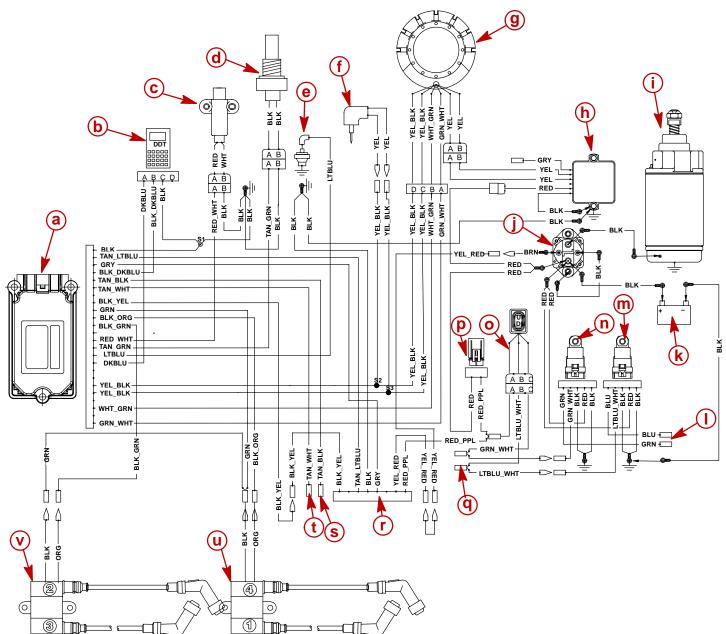
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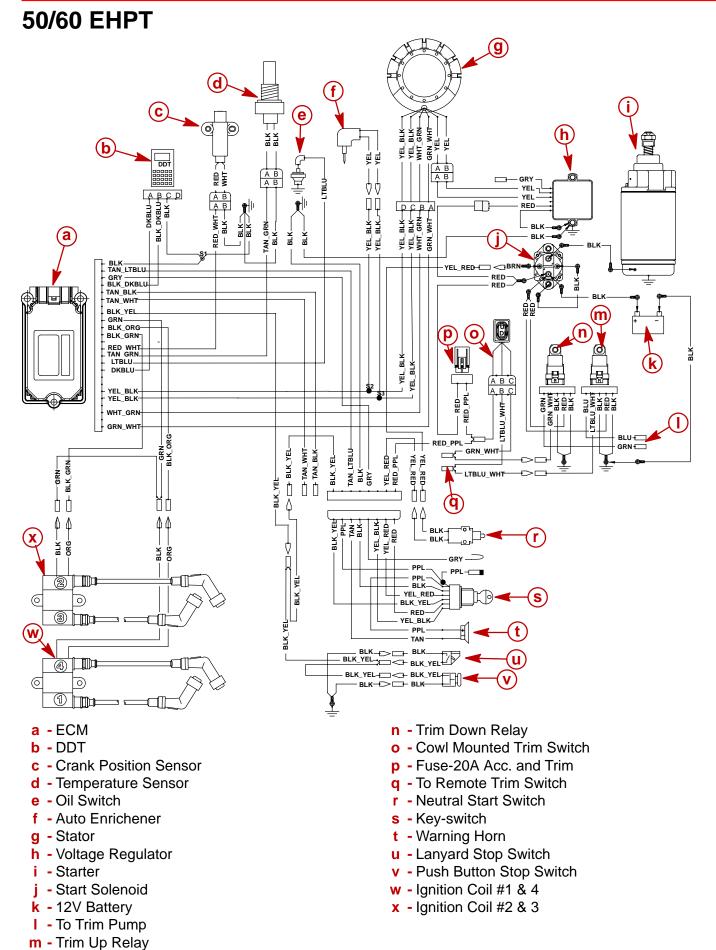


# 50/60 ELPT

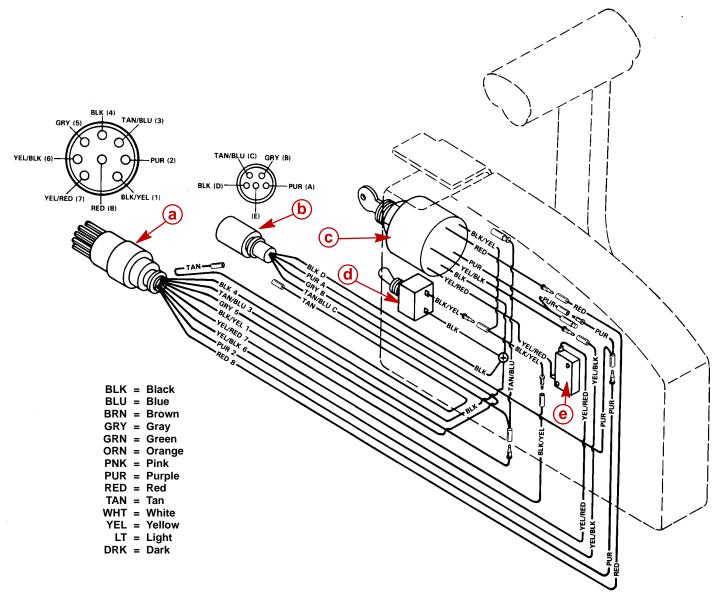


- a ECM
- b DDT
- c Crank Position Sensor
- d Temperature Sensor
- e Oil Switch
- f Auto Enrichener
- g Stator
- h Voltage Regulator
- i Starter
- j Start Solenoid
- k 12V Battery
- I To Trim Pump

- m Trim Up Relay
- n Trim Down Relay
- o Cowl Mounted Trim Switch
- p Fuse-20A Acc. and Trim
- q To Remote Trim Switch
- r To Remote Control
- s To Over-Heat Lamp
- t To Oil Pressure Lamp
- u Ignition Coil #1 & 4
- v Ignition Coil #2 & 3

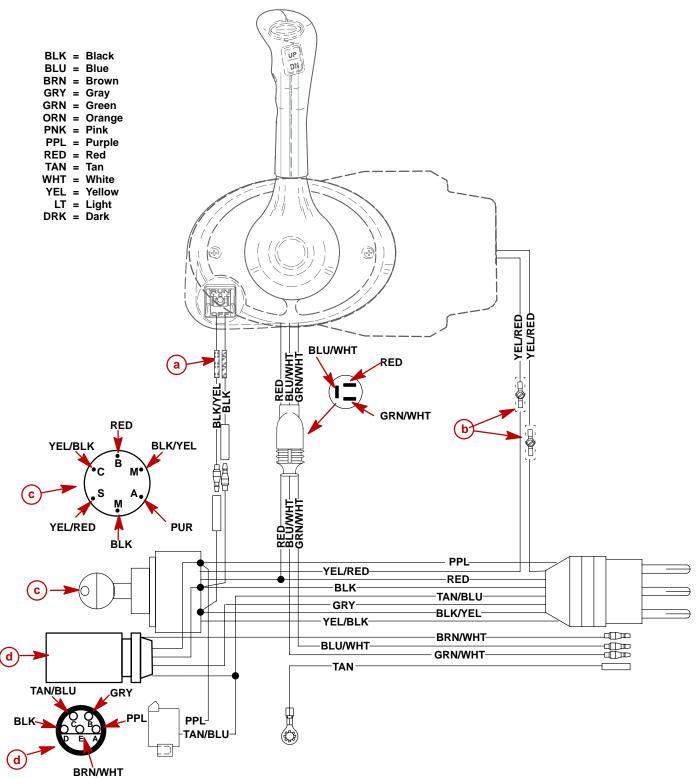






- a Wiring Harness Connector
- Tachometer/Accessories Harness Connector
- c Ignition/Choke Switch
- d Emergency Stop Switch
- e Neutral Start Switch

# **MPC 4000 Series Mechanical Panel Control**

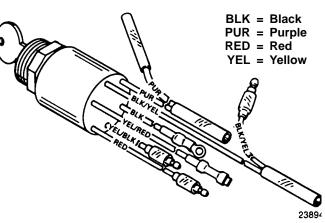


- a Lanyard stop switch leads must be soldered and covered with shrink tube for a water proof connection.
   If alternate method of connection is made, (use of electrical butt connector) verify connection is secure and sealed for moisture proof connection.
- Connect wires together with screw and hex nut (2 places); apply Quicksilver Liquid Neoprene to connections and slide heat shrink tubing over each connection.
- c Keyswitch
- d 5-Pin tachometer harness connector



# **Key Switch Test**

- 1. Disconnect remote control wiring harness and instrument panel connector.
- 2. Set ohmmeter on R x 1 scale for the following tests:



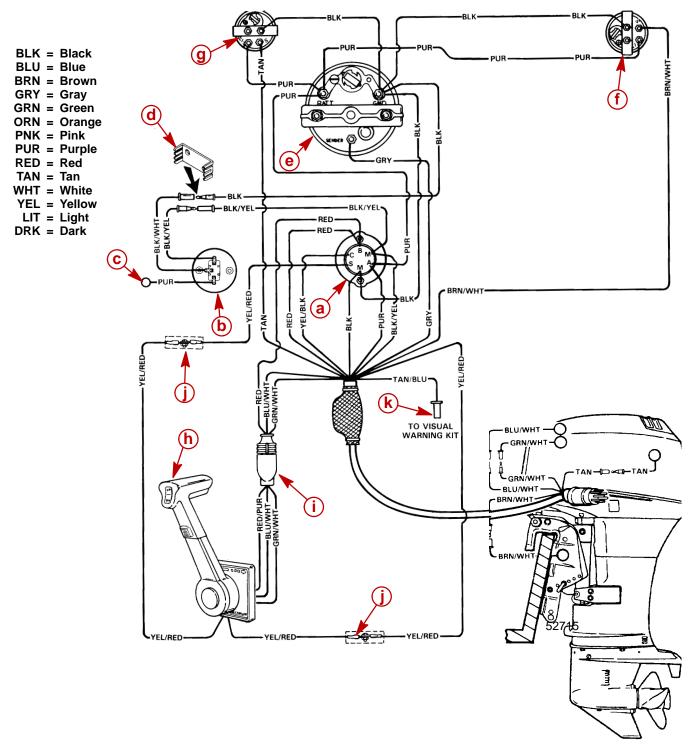
KEY	CONTINUITY SHOULD BE INDICATED AT THE FOLLOWING POINTS:					
POSITION	BLK	BLK/YEL	RED	YEL/RED	PUR	YEL/BLK
OFF	0	0				
RUN			0		0	
START			0	0 0	0	
			0		0	
CHOKE*			0		0	0
					0	O

\*Key switch must be positioned to "RUN" or "START" and key pushed in to actuate choke for this test.

**NOTE:** If meter readings are other than specified in the preceding tests, verify that switch and not wiring is faulty. If wiring checks ok, replace switch.

# Instrument/Lanyard Stop Switch Wiring Diagram

IMPORTANT: On installations where gauge options will not be used, tape back any unused wiring harness leads.

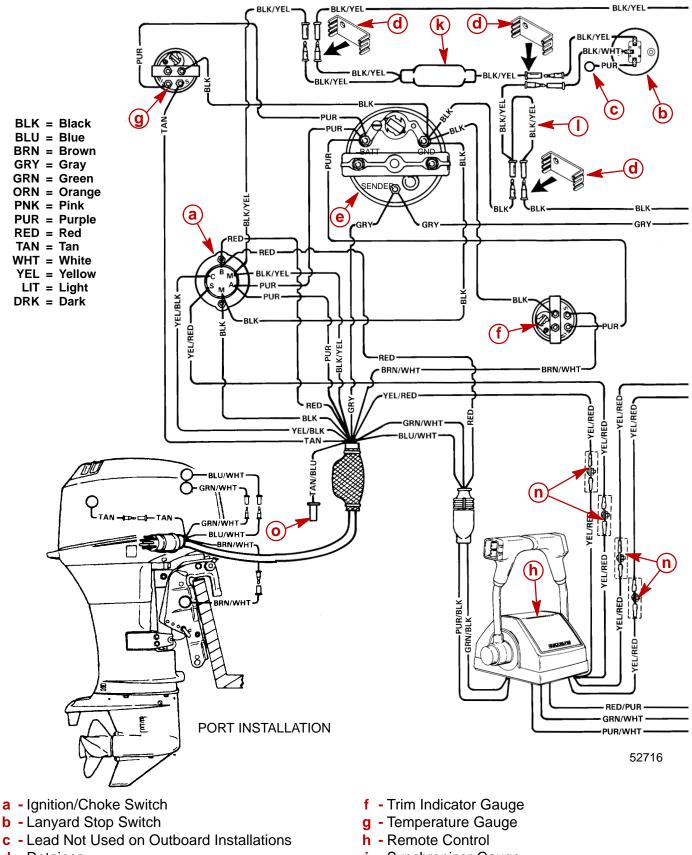


- a Ignition/Choke Switch
- **b** Lanyard Stop Switch
- c Lead Not Used On Outboard Installations
- d Retainer
- e Tachometer
- f Trim Indicator Gauge (Optional)
- g Temperature Gauge

- h Remote Control
- i Power Trim Harness Connector
- j Connect Wires Together with Screw and Hex Nut (2 Places); Apply Quicksilver Liquid Neoprene to Connections and Slide Rubber Sleeve over Each Connection
- k Lead to Optional Visual Warning Kit



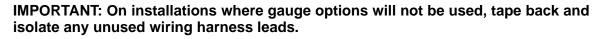
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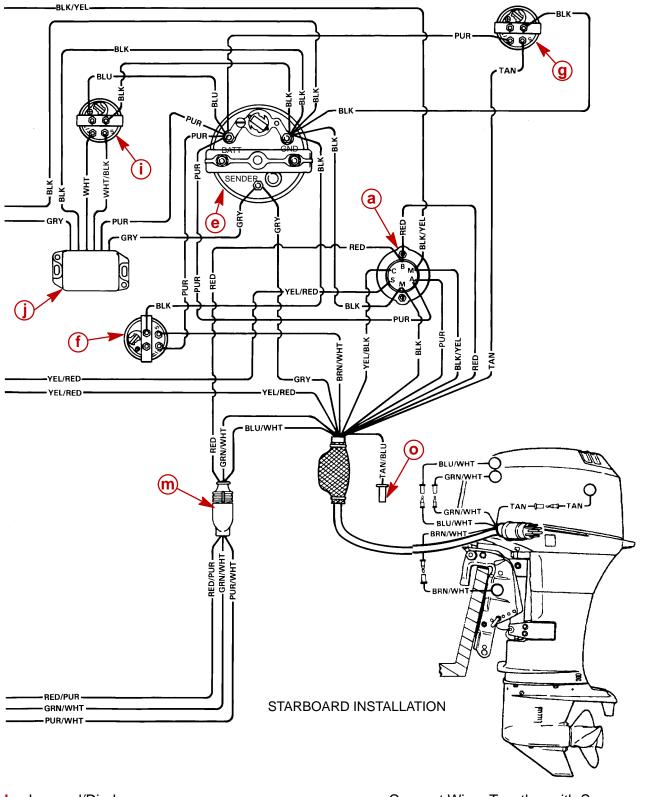


- d Retainer
- e Tachometer

- i Synchronizer Gauge
- **j** Synchronizer Box







- k Lanyard/Diode
- I "Y" Harness
- **m** Power Trim Harness Connector

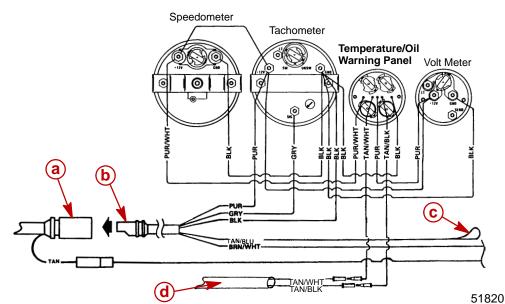
- n Connect Wires Together with Screw and Hex Nut (4 Places); Apply Quicksilver Liquid Neoprene to Connections and Slide Rubber Sleeve over Each Connection.
- o Lead to Visual Warning Kit

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### Instrument Wiring Connections Without Light Switch

**NOTE:** ANY INSTRUMENT WIRING HARNESS LEADS NOT USED MUST BE TAPED BACK TO THE HARNESS.

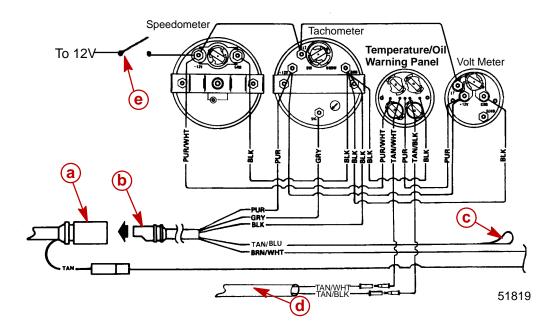


a - Tachometer Receptacle-From Control Box or Ignition/Choke Switch

- **b** Tachometer Wiring Harness
- Lead to Optional Visual Warning Kit (Taped Back to Harness)
- d Cable Extension (For Two Function Warning Panel)
- e Light Switch

### With Light Switch

Wire	Where To	
BLK=BLACK	GROUND	
TAN/WHT=TAN/WHITE	OIL LIGHT	
TAN/BLK=TAN/BLACK	TEMPERATURE LIGHT	
TAN=TAN	TEMPERATURE GAUGE	
PUR=PURPLE	IGNITION 12 VOLT	
GRY=GRAY	TACHOMETER	
BRN/WHT=BROWN/WHITE	TRIM GAUGE	
TAN/BLU=TAN/BLUE	VISUAL WARNING KIT (OPT.)	



**NOTE:** Refer to individual oil pressure gauge instructions for proper installation procedures for installing gauge in boat.

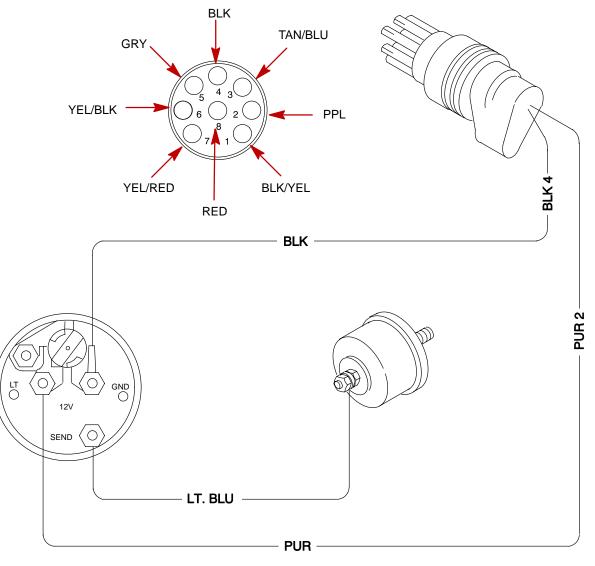
1. Install LIGHT BLUE sensor lead to oil pressure gauge as shown.

**NOTE:** Normal oil pressure readings will be as follows: Outboard at normal operating temperature –

- Wide-Open Throttle 30-60 psi (207-414 kPa)
- Minimum Oil Pressure @ W.O.T. No Less than 10 psi (69 kPa)
- Oil Pressure @ Idle 5-10 psi (34-69 kPa)

**NOTE:** Cold engine oil pressure readings will be approximately 10% higher.

### **Oil Pressure Wiring Diagram**



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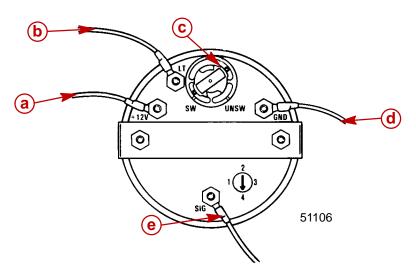
### **QSI Gauge Wiring Diagrams**

### **Tachometer Wiring Diagram**

Tachometer dial on back side of case must be set to position number "4" for QSI Series Gauges, or position number "6" for all other Quicksilver Series Gauges.

### WIRING DIAGRAM A

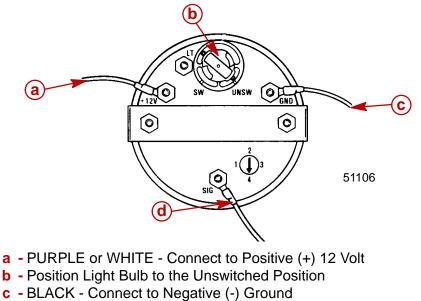
Use this wiring diagram when using a separate light switch for instrument lighting.



- a PURPLE or WHITE Connect to Positive (+) 12 Volt
- **b** Light Switch Wire 12 Volt
- c Position Light Bulb to the Switched Position
- d BLACK Connect to Negative (-) Ground
- e GRAY or BROWN Wire

#### WIRING DIAGRAM B

Use this wiring diagram when instrument lighting is wired directly to the ignition key switch. (Instrument lights are on when ignition key switch is turned on.)

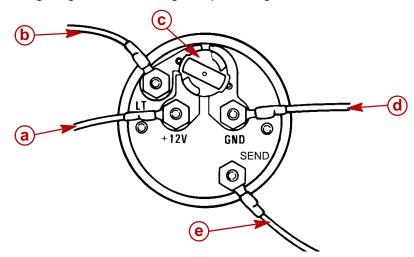


d - GRAY or BROWN Wire

### Water Temperature Gauge

#### WIRING DIAGRAM A

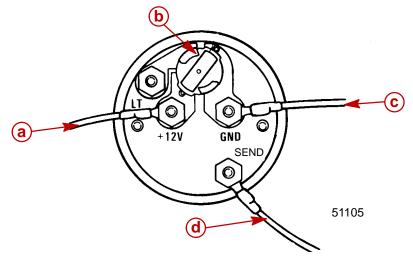
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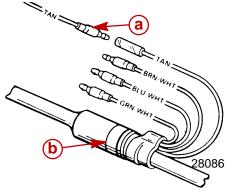


- a PURPLE Connect to Positive (+) 12 Volt
- **b** Position Light Bulb to the Unswitched Position
- c BLACK Connect to Negative (-) Ground
- d TAN Connect to TAN lead located at the tachometer receptacle on Commander Side Mount Remote Control or TAN lead coming from Accessary Ignition/Choke Assembly.



Route TAN lead on starboard side of engine to engine/remote control harness. Connect as shown.

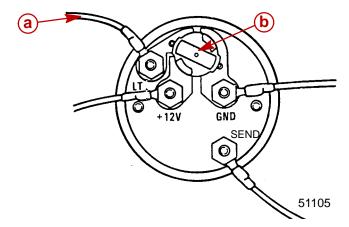
### IMPORTANT: Tape back and isolate any unused wiring harness leads.



- a Lead from Temperature Sender
- b Engine/Remote Control Harness

# Engine Synchronizer Wiring Diagram LIGHT BULB POSITION A

Use this position when using a separate light switch for instrument lighting.

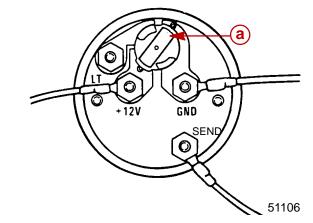


a - Light Switch Wire - 12 Volt

**b** - Position Light Bulb to the Unswitched Position

#### LIGHT BULB POSITION B

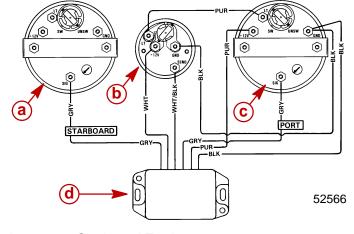
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a - Position Light Bulb to the Switched Position

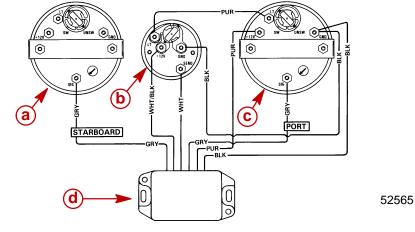
Synchronizer wiring can be accomplished two different ways as an option to the user.

Wiring Diagram – Gauge needle to point toward slow running engine



- a Tachometer Starboard Engine
- **b** Synchronizer Gauge
- c Tachometer Port Engine
- **d** Synchronizer Box

#### Wiring Diagram – Gauge needle to point toward fast running engine



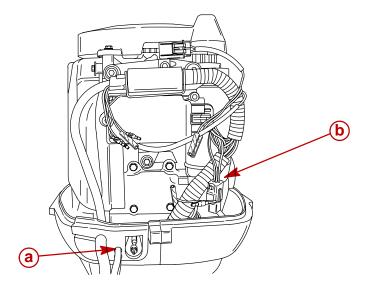
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- c Tachometer Port Engine
- d Synchronizer Box

#### **CLEANING GAUGES**

Clean gauge by washing with fresh water to remove sand and salt deposits. Wipe off with a soft cloth moistened with water. The gauge may be scored or damaged if wiped with abrasive material (sand, saline or detergent compounds, etc.) or washed with solvents such as trichloroethylene, turpentine, etc.

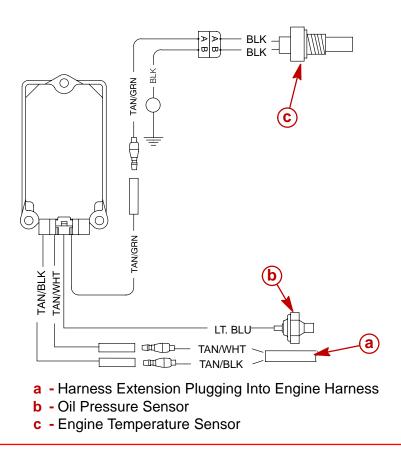
### **2** Function Gauge

1. Route extension harness thru grommet opening. Connect TAN/WHITE and TAN/ BLACK of harness to TAN/WHITE and TAN/BLACK wires on engine harness.



a - Grommet Opening

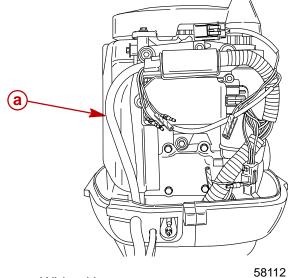
**b** - TAN/WHITE and TAN/BLACK WIRES ON ENGINE HARNESS



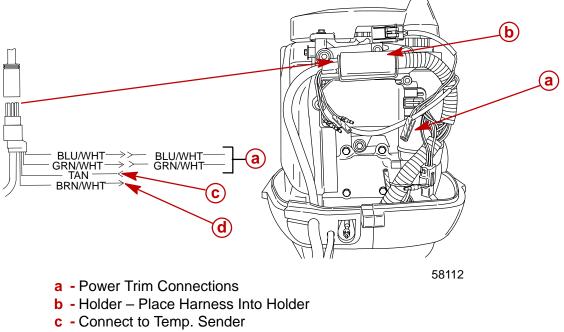
## **Remote Wiring Harness Connection to Engine**

### **Electric Start Remote Control Model**

1. Route the remote wiring harness to the front of the engine block as shown.



- a Remote Wiring Harness
- 2. Connect wiring. Place harness into the holder.

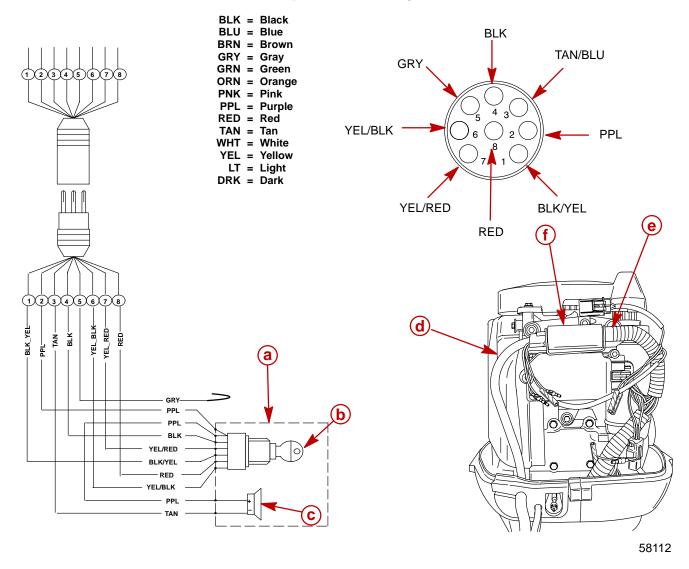


d - Connect to Trim Sender



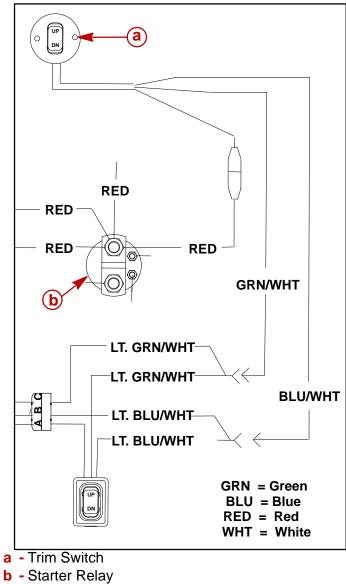
### **Remote Key**

1. Connect the remote key harness and engine harness, secure harness in holder.



- a Keyswitch Assembly Transom Mount
- **b** Keyswitch
- c Horn
- d Remote Key Harness Connector
- e Engine Harness Connector
- f Harness Connector Holder

## **Power Trim Switch Wiring Diagram**



## FUEL SYSTEM Section 3A - Fuel Pump

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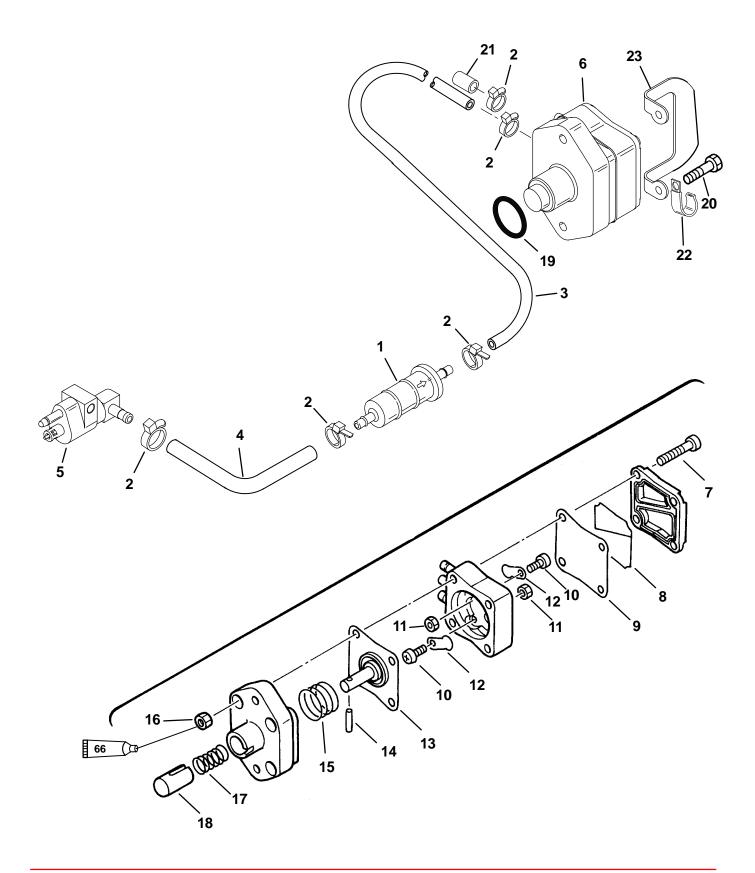
EUEI	Fuel Pump Type Fuel Pump:	External (Plunger/Diaphragm)
FUEL SYSTEM	Pressure Plunger Stroke Fuel Tank Capacity	3-6 psi 0.23 - 0.38 in. (5.85 - 9.65 mm) Accessory





### **FUEL PUMP**

66 Loctite 242 (92-809821)





### **FUEL PUMP**

REF.			1	ORQUE	
NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	lb-in	lb-ft	Nm.
1	1	FUEL FILTER			
2	5	STA–STRAP			
3	1	TUBING (14 IN.)			
4	1	TUBING (19 IN.)			
5	1	FUEL CONNECTOR			
-	1	O RING			
6	1	FUEL PUMP			
7	4	SCREW (M5x35)	Drive Tight		nt
8	1	O RING			
9	1	DIAPHRAGM			
10	2	SCREW	Drive Tight		nt
11	2	NUT			
12	2	CHECK VALVE			
13	1	DIAPHRAGM			
14	1	PIN			
15	1	SPRING			
16	4	NUT			
17	1	SPRING			
18	1	PLUNGER			
19	1	O RING			
20	2	SCREW (M6 x 30)	75		8.5
21	1	PLUG			
22	1	J CLIP			
23	1	COWL DEFLECTOR			



### **Fuel Pump Operation**

- 1. The fuel pump is a diaphragm pump which is mechanically driven off of the rocker arm.
- 2. The black mounting block (insulator) helps prevent vapor lock.
- 3. If the engine runs out of fuel, or has a restriction preventing adequate fuel flow, the pump will make a "clicking" noise.

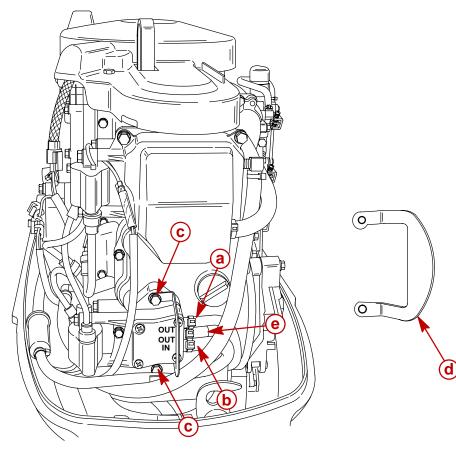
### **WARNING**

FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD. Observe fire prevention rules, particularly NO SMOKING. Before servicing any part of the fuel system, disconnect electrical system at the battery. Drain the fuel system completely. Use an approved container to collect and store fuel. Wipe up any spillage immediately. Materials used to contain spillage must be disposed of in an approved receptacle. Any fuel system service must be performed in a well ventilated area.

FUEL LEAKAGE FROM ANY PART OF THE FUEL SYSTEM CAN BE A FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD WHICH CAN CAUSE SERIOUS BODILY INJURY OR DEATH. Careful periodic inspection of the entire fuel system is mandatory, particularly after engine storage. All fuel components, including fuel tanks, whether plastic, metal, or fiberglass, fuel lines, primer bulbs, fittings, swelling, and must be inspected for corrosion. Any sign of leakage or deterioration necessitates replacement before further engine operation.

### **Fuel Pump Removal**

- 1. Cut sta-straps and remove inlet and outlet hoses.
- 2. Remove fuel pump mounting bolts and cowl deflector.
- 3. Separate fuel pump from cylinder head cover.



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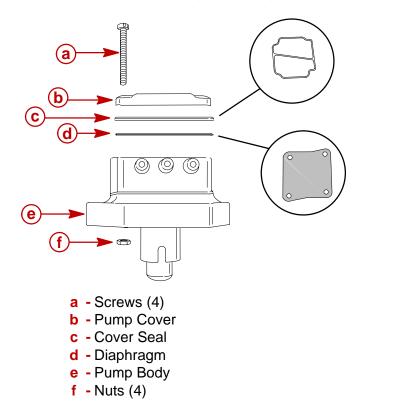
- a Outlet Fuel Hose
- b Inlet Fuel Hose
- **c** Mounting Bolts (2)
- d Cowl Deflector
- e Cap On Unused Outlet Fitting



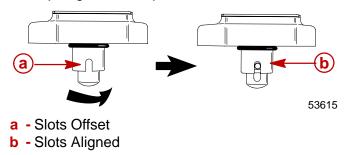
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## **Fuel Pump Disassembly**

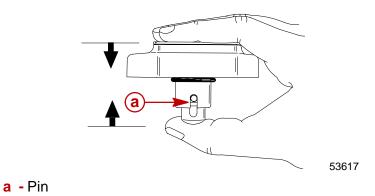
1. Remove screws to separate pump cover, cover seal, and diaphragm, from pump body.



2. Rotate plunger to line up slots.

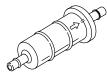


- 3. Compress pump assembly to free spring load on pin.
- 4. Tilt assembly to allow pin to slide out.



### **Cleaning/Inspection/Repair**

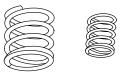
1. Inspect fuel filter for cracks/clogs, replace if necessary.



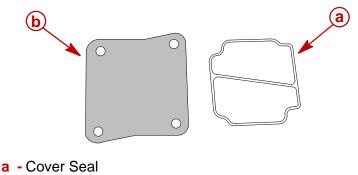
2. Inspect the check valves for damage, replace if necessary.



3. Inspect springs for damage, replace if necessary.



4. Inspect cover seal and diaphragm, replace if damaged.

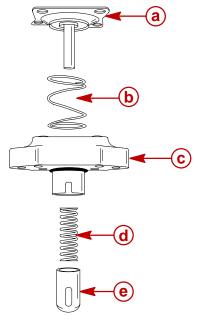


**b** - Diaphragm

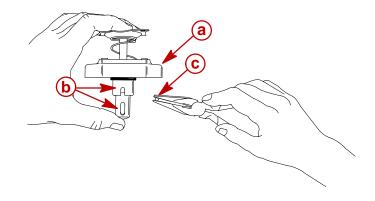


## **Fuel Pump Reassembly**

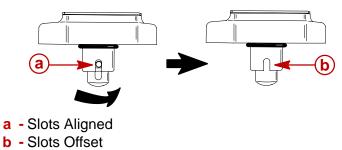
1. Assemble springs, diaphragm, and plunger onto pump body.



- a Diaphragm
- **b** Diaphragm Spring
- c Pump Body
- d Spring
- e Plunger
- 2. Line up slots and compress assembly.
- 3. Insert pin into hole.

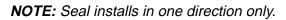


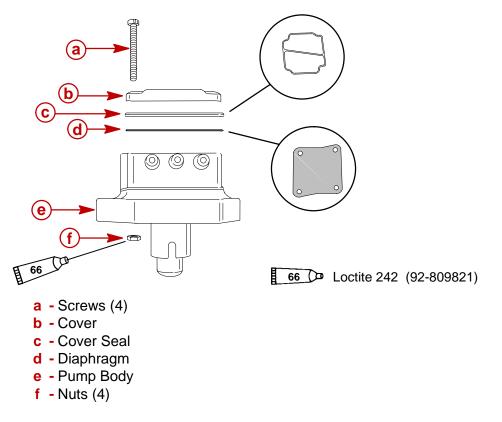
- a Pump Body
- b Slots
- c Pin
- 4. Rotate plunger  $90^{\circ}$  to offset slots.



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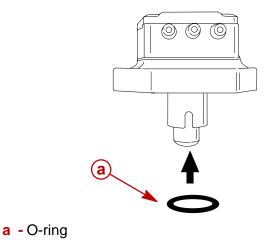
5. Assemble diaphragm, seal, and cover, to pump body, secure with screws and nuts.





6. Install a new O-ring onto the pump assembly.

**NOTE:** Always install a new O-ring.

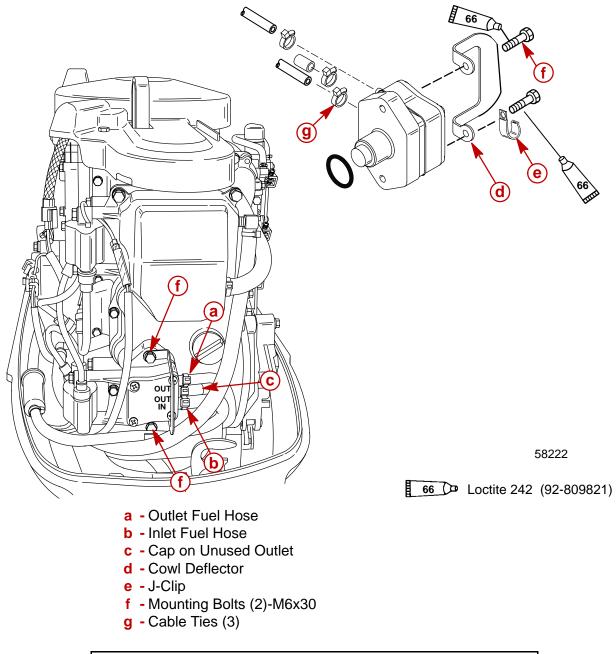


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## **Fuel Pump Installation**

- 1. Secure fuel pump and cowl deflector to cylinder head cover with 2 bolts.
- 2. Connect fuel lines to pump and secure with sta-straps.



Fuel Pump Mounting Bolt Torque75 lb. in. (8.5 N·m)

3 B

## FUEL SYSTEM Section 3B - Carburetor

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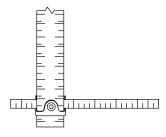
## **Specifications**

	Idle rpm (Out Of Gear) Idle rpm (In Forward Gear)	850 ± 25 rpm 725 ± 25 rpm
CARBURETOR	Wide Open Throttle rpm (WOT) Range Main Jet Size Pilot Jet Idle Mixture Screw Float Height	5500–6000 #98 #38 1 Turn out 0.47-0.63 in. (12.0-16.0 mm)

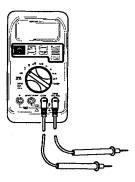


## **Special Tools**

1. Carburetor Scale P/N 91-36392.



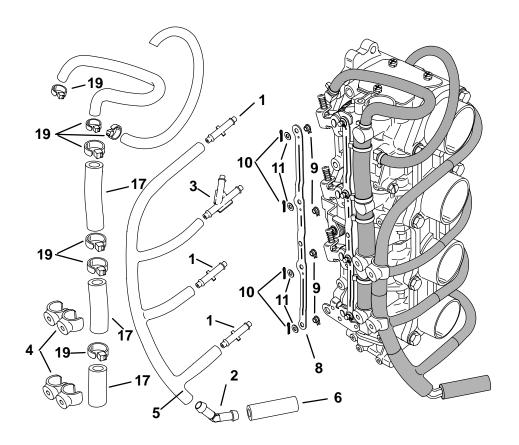
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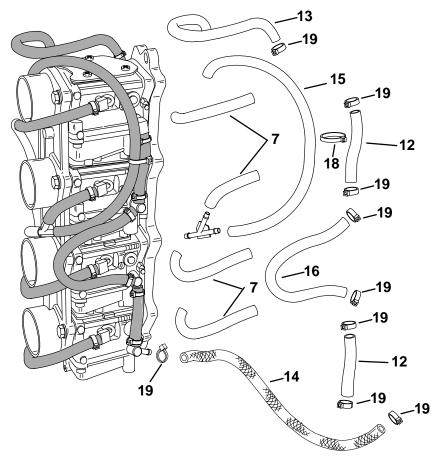






## **FUEL LINES**







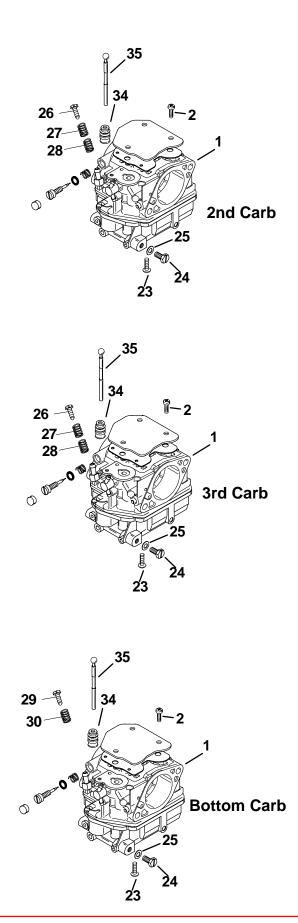
## **FUEL LINES**

REF.			1	ORQUE	
NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	lb-in	lb-ft	Nm.
1	3	CONNECTOR			
2	1	FITTING (45 DEGREES)			
3	1	Y-CONNECTOR			
4	2	CLIP			
5	1	HOSE			
6	1	HOSE (3-1/2 IN)			
7	4	HOSE			
8	1	LINKAGE			
9	4	BUSHING			
10	4	COTTER PIN			
11	4	WASHER			
12	2	HOSE			
13	1	HOSE			
14	1	HOSE & SLEEVE			
15	1	HOSE			
16	1	HOSE			
17	3	HOSE			
18	AR	STA-STRAP (8 IN.)			
19	AR	STA-STRAP (4 IN.)			



### CARBURETOR

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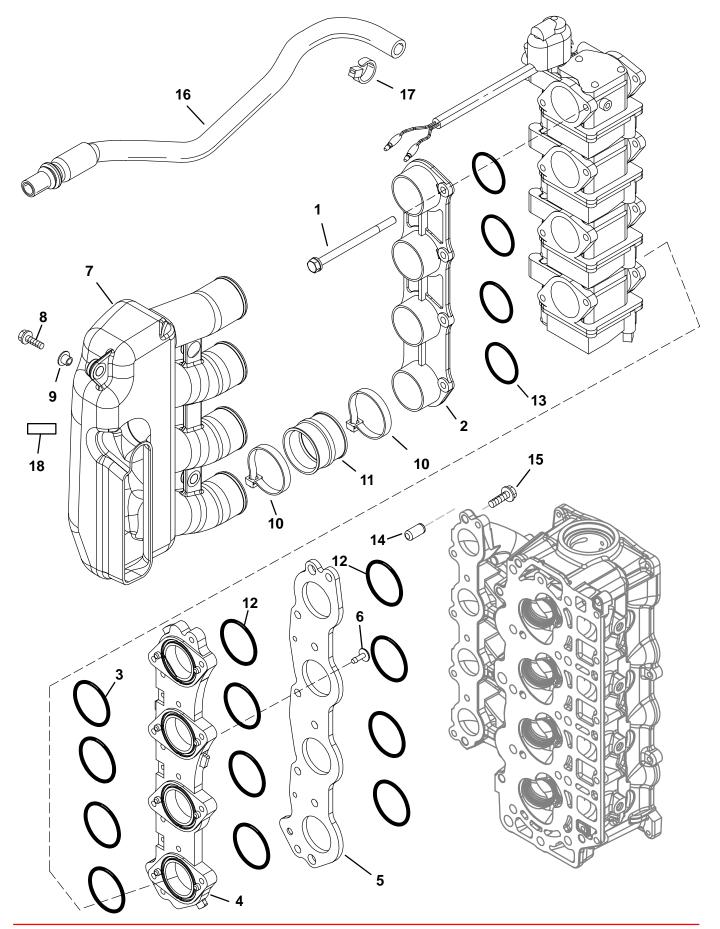


### CARBURETOR

REF. NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	lb-in	lb-ft	Nm.
	1	CARBURETOR (TOP)			
1	2	CARBURETOR (CENTERS)			
	1	CARBURETOR (BOTTOM)			
2	13	SCREW			
3	4	PLATE			
4	4	GASKET			
5	1	ENRICHENER			
6	1	O RING			
7	1	PLATE			
8	4	CAP			
9	4	IDLE MIXTURE SCREW			
10	4	O RING			
11	4	SPRING			
12	4	JET (SLOW)			
13	4	O RING			
14	4	PLUG			
15	4	JET (MAIN) #0.98			
16	4	MAIN NOZZLE			
17	4	FLOAT VALVE			
18	4	FLOAT			
19	4	FLOAT PIN			
20	4	SCREW			
21	4	GASKET			
	1	FLOAT BOWL <b>(TOP)</b>			
22	3	FLOAT BOWL (CENTERS/BOTTOM)			
23	16	SCREW			
24	4	DRAIN SCREW			
25	4	WASHER			
26	3	SYNCHRONIZATION SCREW (TOP/CENTERS)			
27	3	SPRING (TOP/CENTERS)			
28	3	SPRING (TOP/CENTERS)			
29	1	STOP SCREW (BOTTOM)			
30	1	SPRING (BOTTOM)			
31	4	SPRING			
32	4	PLUNGER			
33	4	PLUNGER RETAINING SCREW			
34	4	RUBBER BELLOWS			
35	4	PLUNGER ROD			
-	1	CARB REPAIR KIT			



### INTAKE





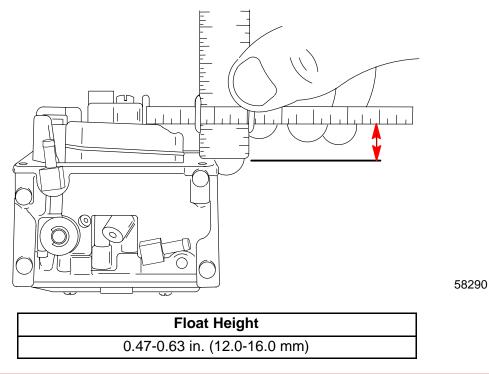
### INTAKE

REF.			Г	ORQUE	Ξ
NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	lb-in	lb-ft	Nm.
1	8	SCREW (M6x90)	70		7.9
2	1	AIR INTAKE			
3	4	O RING			
4	1	PLATE			
E	1	ISOLATOR (60 HP)			
5	1	ISOLATOR (50 HP)			
6	3	PLUG			
7	1	SOUND ATTENUATOR			
8	2	SCREW (M6 x 20)	70		7.9
9	2	BUSHING			
10	8	STA-STRAP			
11	4	SEAL			
12	12	O RING			
13	4	O RING			
14	2	DOWEL PIN			
15	8	SCREW (M6 x 25)	70		7.9
16	1	BREATHER HOSE			
17	1	STA-STRAP			
18	1	DECAL-Caution Start			

### **Carburetor Adjustments**

### **Float Level**

1. With carburetor turned upside down and carb scale seated on inner edge, check float level from top of float to float bowl flange as shown.



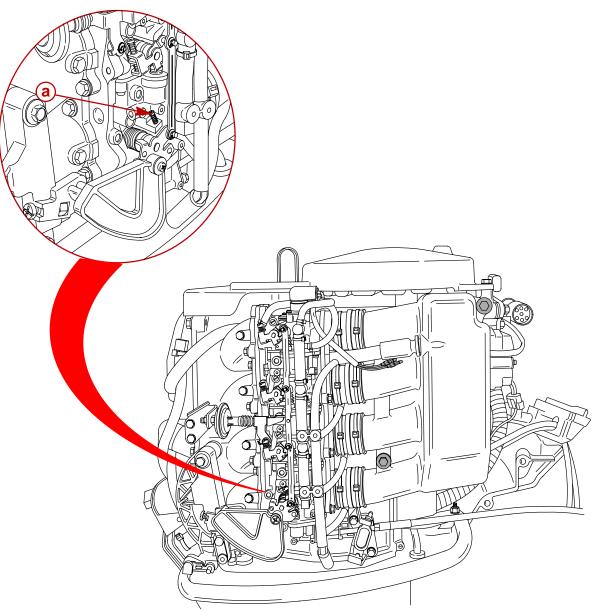


### **Idle Speed**

NOTE: Outboard should be completely warmed up for the idle speed adjustment.

1. With the outboard in forward gear adjust idle speed screw to obtain the specified idle speed.

**NOTE:** Turning idle speed adjustment screw; **clockwise** – will **increase** engine idling speed **counterclockwise** – will **decrease** engine idling speed



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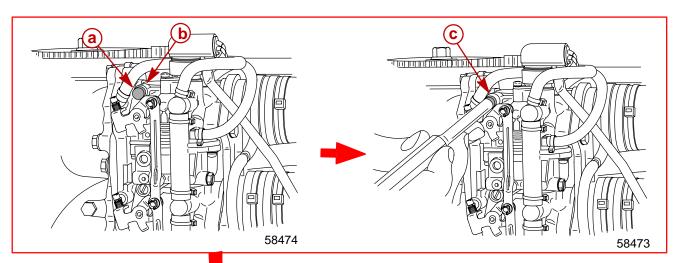
a - Idle Speed Screw (Carburetor #4)

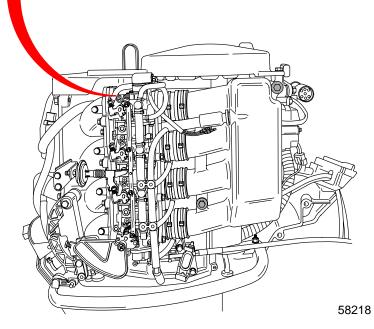
Idle Speed (Forward Gear)	
725 ± 25 RPM	

### **Idle Mixture Screw Adjustment**

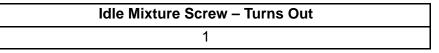
**NOTE:** Access to idle mixture screws can only be made by removing the sealing plug. Drilling a small hole in the center of the plug and using an awl to pry out the plug must be done with extreme caution. The sealing plug is very thin and the idle mixture screw is located directly behind the plug. It is recommended that additional idle mixture screws be ordered for stock should the original mixture screw be damaged during drilling or the removal process.

Idle mixture screw adjustment is strictly regulated by the Environmental Protection Agency. However, if the carburetor is overhauled, the EPA allows the adjustment of the mixture screws. Each idle mixture screw (1 per carburetor) is located behind a sealing plug. The sealing plug can be removed by carefully drilling a small hole in the center of the plug and prying the plug out with an awl. After mixture screws have been adjusted, a new sealing plug MUST BE installed over each mixture screw.





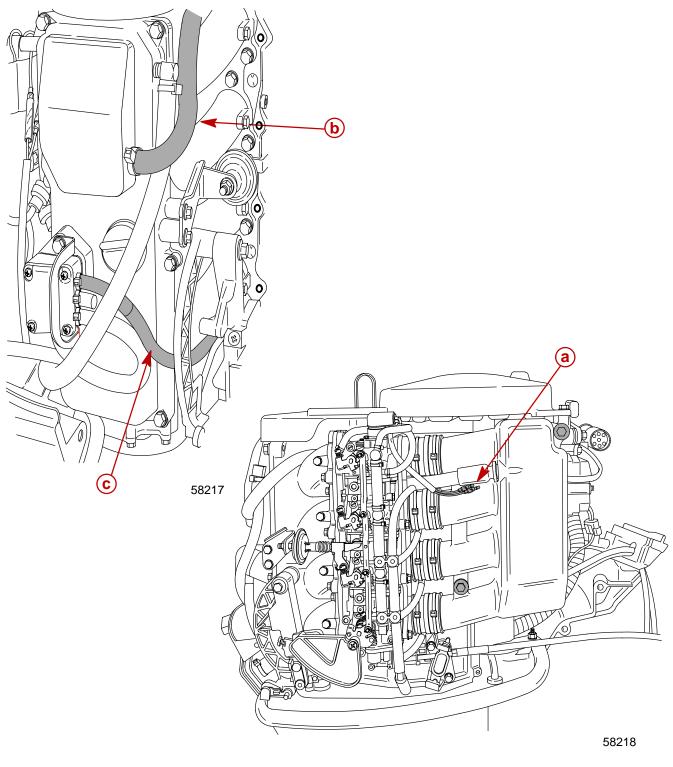
- a Plug
- **b** Idle Mixture Screw (behind plug)
- c Install new plug and seat flush with casting after adjusting idle mixture screw





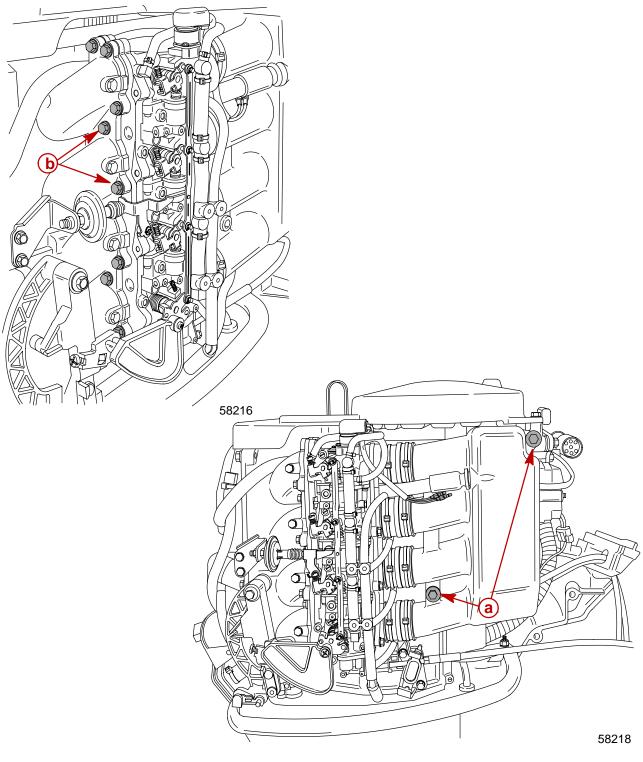
### **Carburetor Removal**

1. Disconnect auto enrichener wires, breather hose, and fuel supply lines.



- **a** Auto Enrichener Wires (Yellow)
- **b** Breather Hose
- c Fuel Supply Line

2. Remove intake and carburetor mounting bolts.



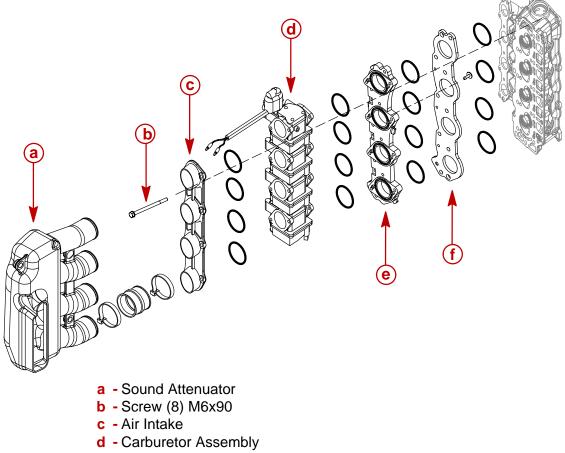
a - Intake Mounting Bolts (2)-M6x20

**b** - Carburetor Mounting Bolts (8) M6x25



## **Carburetor Disassembly**

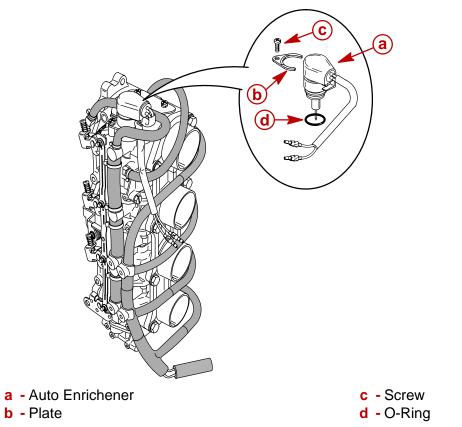
1. Remove air intake and plate from carburetor assembly.



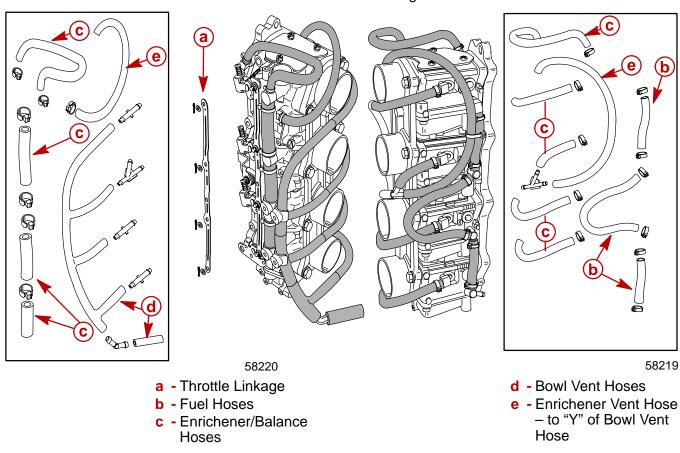
- e Plate
- f Isolator

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2. Remove auto enrichener.

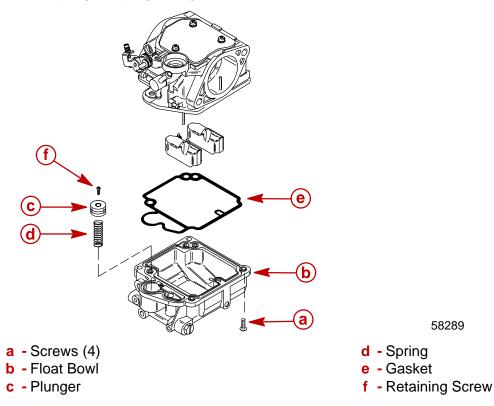


3. Remove fuel hoses and disconnect linkage.

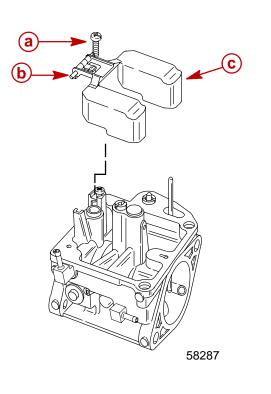




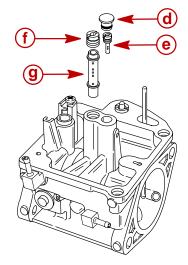
- 4. Remove float bowl.
- 5. Remove plunger, spring, and gasket.



6. Remove float, plug, nozzles and jets.



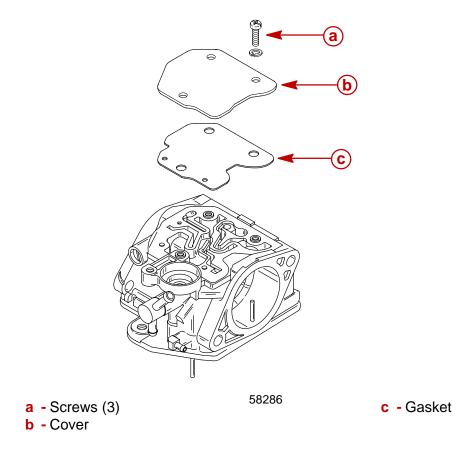
a - Screw
b - Float Pin
c - Float
d - Plug



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e - Slow Jetf - Main Jetg - Main Nozzle

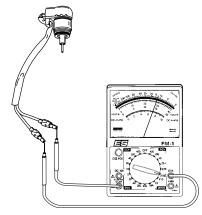
7. Remove cover and gasket.





## Inspection

- 1. Inspect needle and piston valve. Replace if worn or damaged.
- 2. Measure auto enrichener resistance. Replace if out of specification.

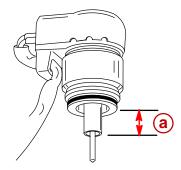


### Auto Enrichener Resistance 15-25 Ω @ 68°F (20°C)

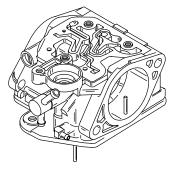
3. Perform piston valve height test below.

#### Piston Valve Height Test:

- a. Measure piston valve height
- b. Connect to 12 V battery
- c. Wait several minutes
- d. Measure piston valve height
- 4. Replace auto enrichener if no change was observed.

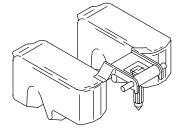


- a Piston Valve Height Measurement
- 5. Inspect carburetor body, replace if cracked or damaged.



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6. Inspect float, replace if cracked or damaged.

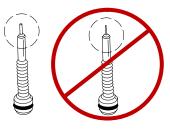


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### **A**CAUTION

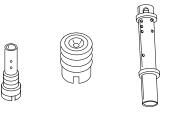
Do not use steel wire for cleaning the jets as this may enlarge the jet diameters and seriously affect performance. Use a petroleum based solvent for cleaning and blow out all passages with compressed air.

7. Inspect idle mixture screw. Replace if bent or damaged.

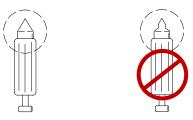


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8. Inspect main jet,, slow jet and main nozzle. Clean if they are contaminated.



9. Inspect needle valve, replace if end is worn or grooved.

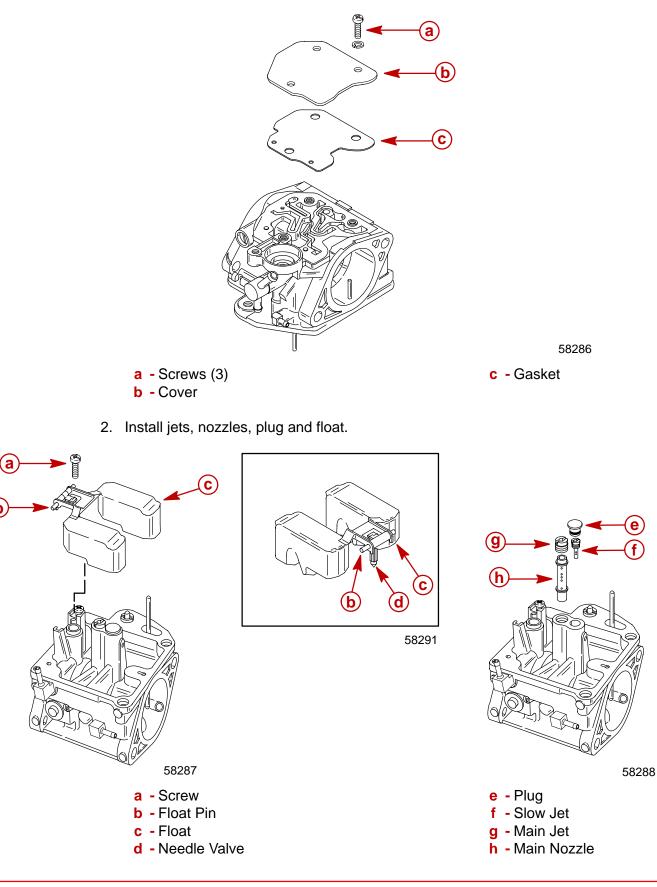


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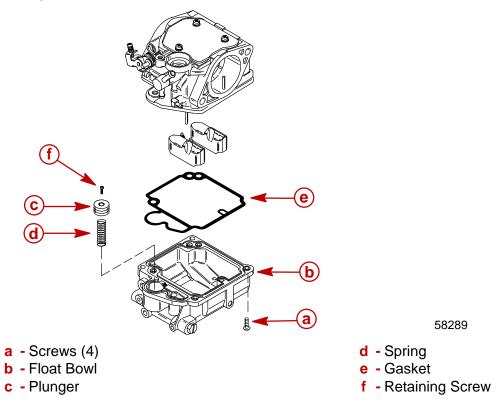


## **Carburetor Reassembly**

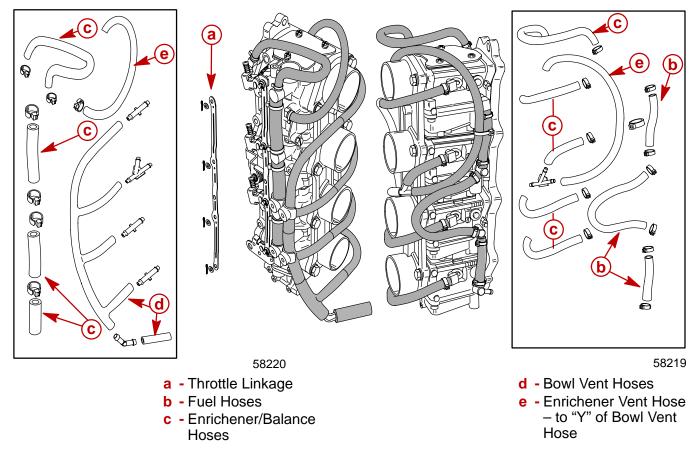
1. Install gasket, and cover.



- 3. Install plunger and spring.
- 4. Install gasket bowl and float.

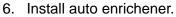


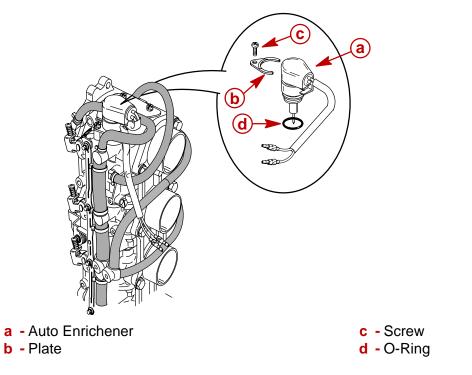
5. Install hoses and throttle linkage. Secure hoses with cable ties where shown.



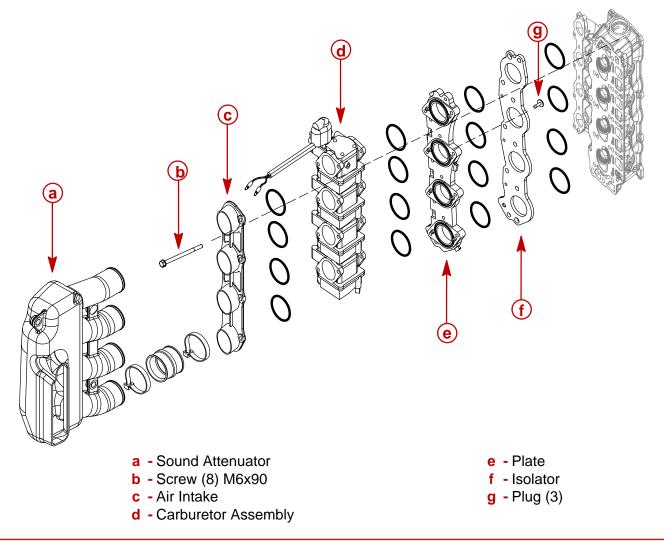


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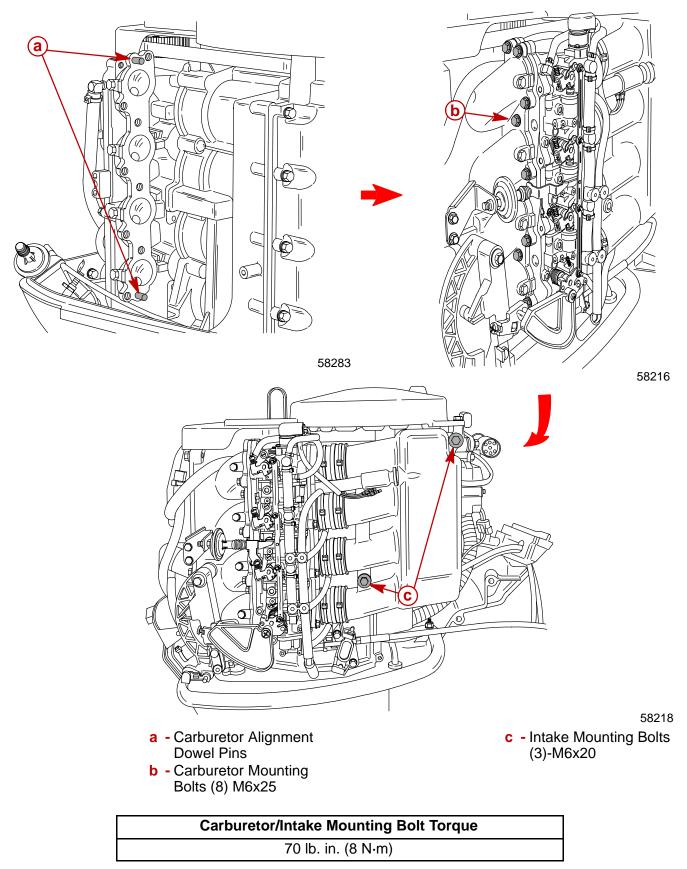


7. Install air intake and plate onto carburetor assembly.

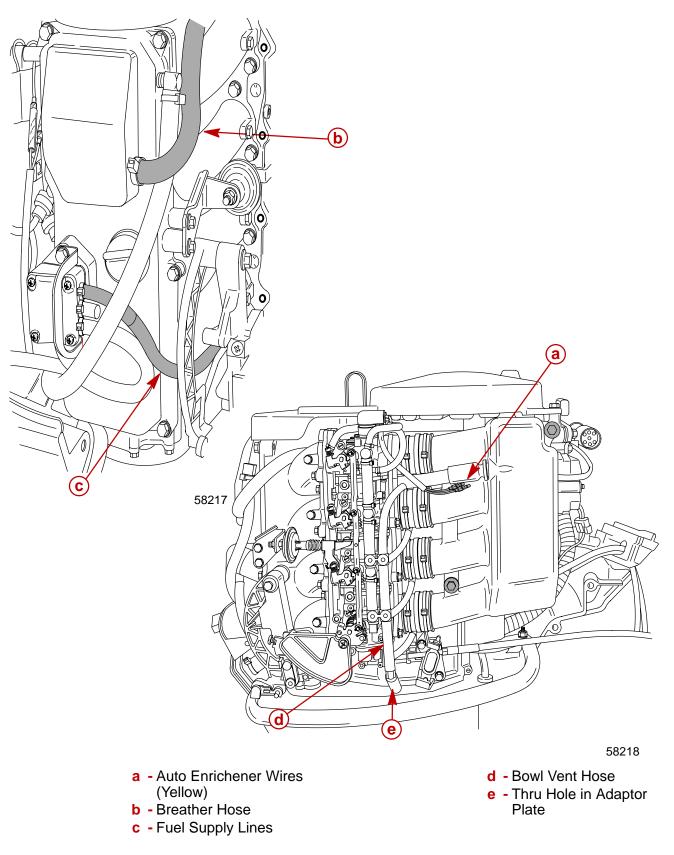


## **Carburetor Installation**

1. Install air intake and carburetor mounting bolts.



2. Connect auto enrichener wires, breather hose fuel supply hoses and bowl vent hoses.



**NOTE:** Carburetor synchronization is required after rebuilding carburetors. Refer to section 2C, **Timing/Synchronizing/Adjusting.** 

# FUEL SYSTEM

**Section 3C – Emissions** 

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## **Exhaust Emissions Standards**

Through the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), the federal government has established exhaust emissions standards for all new marine engines sold in the U.S.

### What Are Emissions?

Emissions are what comes out of the exhaust system in the exhaust gas when the engine is running. They are formed as a result of the process of combustion or incomplete combustion. To understand exhaust gas emissions, remember that both air and fuel are made of several elements. Air contains oxygen and nitrogen among other elements; gasolene contains mainly hydrogen and carbon. These four elements combine chemically during combustion. If combustion were complete, the mixture of air and gasoline would result in these emissions: water, carbon dioxide and nitrogen, which are not harmful to the environment. But combustion is not usually complete. Also, potentially harmful gases can be formed during and after combustion.

All marine engines must reduce the emission of certain pollutants, or potentially harmful gases, in the exhaust to conform with levels legislated by the EPA. Emissions standards become more stringent each year. Standards are set primarily with regard to three emissions: hydrocarbons (HC), carbon monoxide (CO) and oxides of nitrogen (NOx).

### Hydrocarbons – HC

Gasoline is a hydrocarbon fuel. The two elements of hydrogen and carbon are burned during combustion in combination with oxygen. But they are not totally consumed. Some pass through the combustion chamber and exit the exhaust system as unburned gases known as hydrocarbons.

### Carbon Monoxide – CO

Carbon is one of the elements that make up the fuel burned in the engine along with oxygen during the combustion process. If the carbon in the gasoline could combine with enough oxygen (one carbon atom with two oxygen atoms), it would come out of the engine in the form of carbon dioxide ( $CO_2$ ).  $CO_2$  is a harmless gas. But carbon often combines with insufficient oxygen (one carbon atom with one oxygen atom). This forms carbon monoxide, CO. Carbon monoxide is the product of incomplete combustion and is a dangerous, potentially lethal gas.

### **Oxides of Nitrogen - NOx**

NOx is a slightly different byproduct of combustion. Nitrogen is one of the elements that makes up the air going into the engine. Under extremely high temperatures it combines with oxygen to form oxides of nitrogen (NOx). This happens in the engine's combustion chambers when temperatures are too high. NOx itself is not harmful, but when exposed to sunlight it combines with unburned hydrocarbons to create the visible air pollutant known as smog. Smog is a serious problem in California as well as many other heavily populated areas of the United States.

### **Controlling Emissions**

There are two principle methods of reducing emissions from a two-stroke-cycle marine engine. The first method is to control the air/fuel ratio that goes into the combustion chamber. The second is to control the time when this air/fuel mixture enters the combustion chamber. Timing is important, to prevent any unburned mixture from escaping out of the exhaust port.

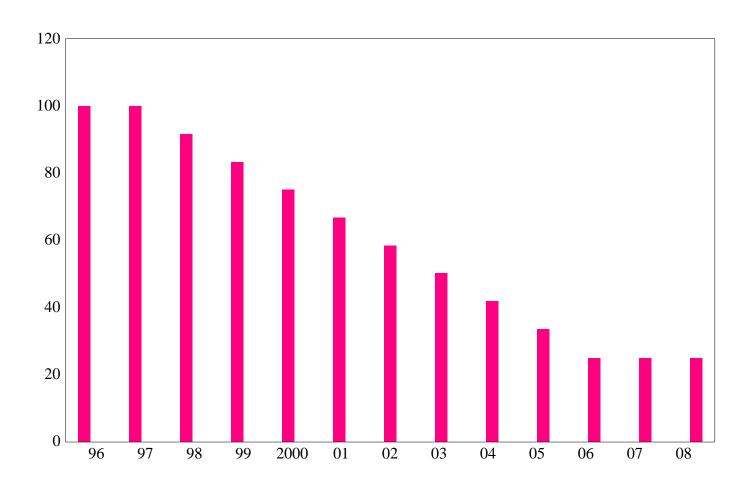
### Stoichiometric (14.7:1) Air/Fuel Ratio

In the search to control pollutants and reduce exhaust emissions, engineers have discovered that they can be reduced effectively if a gasoline engine operates at an air/fuel ratio of 14.7:1. The technical term for this ideal ratio is stoichiometric. An air/fuel ratio of 14.7:1 provides the best control of all three elements in the exhaust under almost all conditions. The HC and CO content of the exhaust gas is influenced significantly by the air/fuel ratio. At an air/fuel ratio leaner than 14.7:1, HC and CO levels are low, but with a ratio richer than 14.7:1 they rise rapidly. It would seem that controlling HC and CO by themselves might not be such a difficult task; the air/fuel ratio only needs to be kept leaner than 14.7:1. However, there is also NOx to consider.

As the air/fuel ratio becomes leaner, combustion temperatures increase. Higher combustion temperatures raise the NOx content of the exhaust. But, enrichening the air/fuel ratio to decrease combustion temperatures and reduce NOx also increases HC and CO, as well as lowering fuel economy. So the solution to controlling NOx - as well as HC and CO - is to keep the air/fuel ratio as close to 14.7:1 as possible.

## OUTBOARD HYDROCARBON EMISSIONS REDUCTIONS

### 8 1/3% ↓ PER YEAR OVER 9 MODEL YEARS



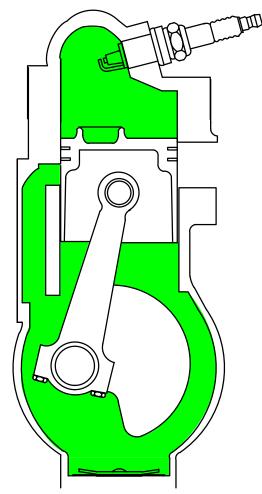


## STRATIFIED VS HOMOGENIZED CHARGE

DFI engines use a stratified charge inside the combustion chamber to aid in reducing emissions. All other models use a homogenized charge. The difference between the two is:

### **Homogenized Charge**

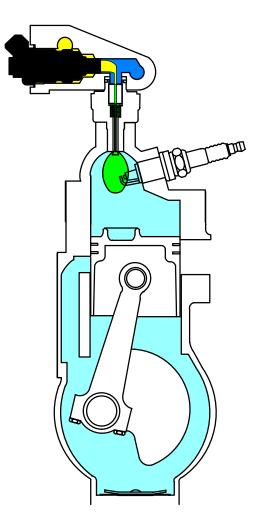
A homogenized charge has the fuel/air particles mixed evenly throughout the cylinder. This mixing occurs inside the carburetor venturi, reed blocks and crankcase. Additional mixing occurs as the fuel is forced through the transfer system into the cylinder. The homogenized charge is easy to ignite as the air/fuel ratio is approximately 14.7:1.



## **Stratified Charge**

A stratified charge engine only pulls air through the transfer system. The fuel required for combustion is forced into the cylinder through an injector placed in the top of the cylinder (head). The injector sprays a fuel/air mixture in the form of a bubble into the cylinder. Surrounding this bubble is air supplied by the transfer system. As the bubble is ignited and burns, the surrounding air provides almost complete combustion before the exhaust port opens.

A stratified charge is hard to ignite, the fuel/air bubble is not evenly mixed at 14.7:1 and not easily ignited.





## **Emissions Information**

### Manufacturer's Responsibility:

Beginning with 1998 model year engines, manufacturers of all marine propulsion engines must determine the exhaust emission levels for each engine horsepower family and certify these engines with the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). A certification decal/emissions control information label, showing emission levels and engine specifications directly related to emissions, **must** be placed on each engine at the time of manufacture.

### **Dealer Responsibility:**

When performing service on all 1998 and later outboards that carry a certification, attention must be given to any adjustments that are made that affect emission levels.

Adjustments must be kept within published factory specifications.

Replacement or repair of any emission related component must be executed in a manner that maintains emission levels within the prescribed certification standards.

Dealers are **not** to modify the engine in any manner that would alter the horsepower or allow emission levels to exceed their predetermined factory specifications.

Exceptions include manufacturers prescribed changes, such as that for altitude adjustments.

### **Owner Responsibility:**

The owner/operator is required to have engine maintenance performed to maintain emission levels within prescribed certification standards.

The owner/operator is **not** to modify the engine in any manner that would alter the horsepower or allow emissions levels to exceed their predetermined factory specifications.

#### **Exceptions:**

- Carburetor jets may be changed for high altitude use in accordance with factory recommendations.
- Single engine exceptions may be allowed with permission from the EPA for racing and testing.

### **EPA Emission Regulations:**

All new 1998 and later outboards manufactured by Mercury Marine are certified to the United States Environmental Protection Agency as conforming to the requirements of the regulations for the control of air pollution from new outboard motors. This certification is contingent on certain adjustments being set to factory standards. For this reason, the factory procedure for servicing the product must be strictly followed and, whenever practicable, returned to the original intent of the design.

The responsibilities listed above are general and in no way a complete listing of the rules and regulations pertaining to the EPA laws on exhaust emissions for marine products. For more detailed information on this subject, you may contact the following locations:

VIA U.S. POSTAL SERVICE: Office of Mobile Sources Engine Programs and Compliance Division Engine Compliance Programs Group (6403J) 401 M St. NW Washington, DC 20460

VIA EXPRESS or COURIER MAIL: Office of Mobile Sources Engine Programs and Compliance Division Engine Compliance Programs Group (6403J) 501 3rd St. NW Washington, DC 20001

EPA INTERNET WEB SITE: http://www.epa.gov/omswww



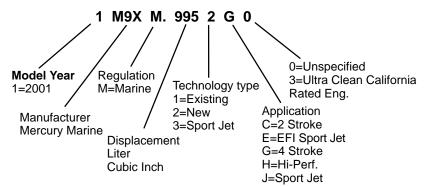
#### **CERTIFICATION LABEL:**

The certification label must be placed on each engine at the time of manufacture and must be replaced in the same location if damaged or removed. Shown below is a typical certification label and is not representative of any one model. Label shown below is not to scale; (shown at twice the normal size).

	MERCURY		EMISSION CONTRO	L
			01 CALIFORNIA AND U.S. EF ARK IGNITION MARINE ENGINE	
	REFER TO C	WNERS MANUAL FO	R REQUIRED MAINTENANCE.	
( <b>i</b> )	IDLE SPEED (IN C	GEAR): 725 ± 25 RPM	FAMILY: 1M9XM.9952G	0 🔫 (
	► 50 HP	→ 995 cc	FEL: 16.8 g/kW-hr	
( <b>g</b> )	Т	IMING (IN DEGREES)	: NOT ADJUSTABLE	
(f)-	► JAN 2000	•	lug: NGK DPR6EA-9 Gap: 1.0 mm (0.035″)	
	Cold Va	alve Clearance (mm)	Intake: 0.15 – 0.25 Exhaust: 0.25 – 0.35	

a-Family Example

- **b**-FEL: Represents (Mercury Marine) statement of the maximum emissions output for the engine family
- c-Timing specifications when adjustable
- d-Recommended spark plug for best engine performance
- e-Valve Clearance (Four Stroke engines only)
- f-Date of Manufacture
- g-Cubic Centimeter
- h-Engine Horsepower rating
- i-Idle Speed (In Gear)



### **Decal Location for 2001 Models:**

Model	Service Part No.	Location on Engine
2001 Merc/Mar 995 cc	37-804655AO1	Flywheel/Rewind Cover

## **Service Replacement Certification Label**

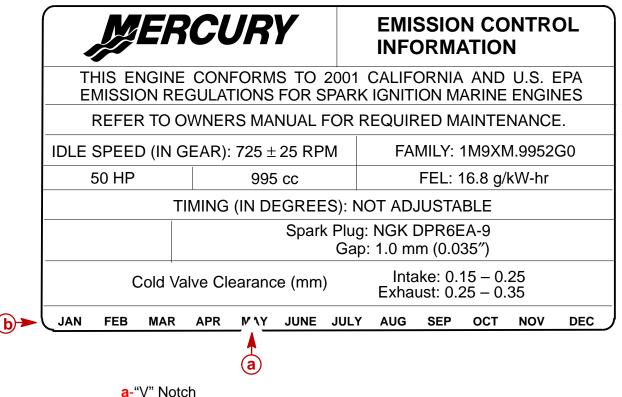
IMPORTANT: By federal law, it is required that all 1998 and newer Mercury Marine outboards have a visible and legible emission certification label. If this label is missing or damaged, contact Mercury Marine Service for replacement if appropriate.

### Removal

Remove all remaining pieces of the damaged or illegible label. Do not install new label over the old label. Use a suitable solvent to remove any traces of the old label adhesive from the display location.

### **Date Code Identification**

Cut and remove a "V" notch through the month of engine manufacture before installing the new label. The month of manufacture can be found on the old label. If the label is missing or the date code illegible, contact Mercury Marine Technical Service for assistance.



b-Month of Manufacture

### Installation

Install the label on a clean surface in the original factory location.

### **Decal Location:**

Model	Service Part No.	Location on Engine
2001 Merc/Mar 995 cc	37-804655AO1	Flywheel/Rewind Cover

## **POWERHEAD** Section 4A - Cylinder Head

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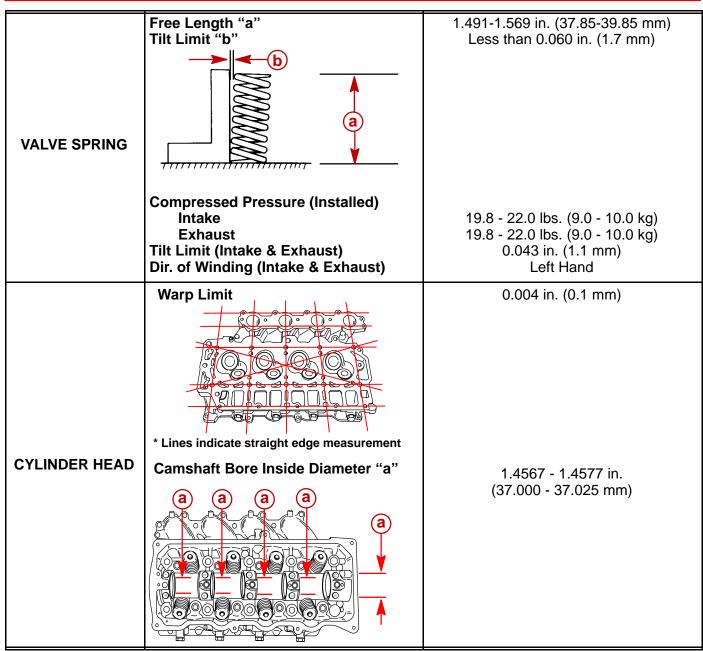
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## **Specifications**

	Camshaft Dimensions Intake "A" Exhaust "A" Intake "B" Exhaust "B"	1.214 - 1.222 in. (30.83 - 31.03 mm) 1.214 - 1.222 in. (30.83 - 31.03 mm) 1.020 - 1.028 in. (25.90 - 26.10 mm) 1.020 - 1.028 in. (25.90 - 26.10 mm)
	Run-out Limit Camshaft Bearing Diameter "b"	0.0039 in. (0.1 mm) 1.4541 - 1.4549 in. (36.935 - 36.955 mm)
CAMSHAFT		





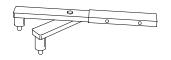


	Valve/Valve Seat/Valve Guides:	
	Valve Clearance (cold)	
	Intake	0.006 - 0.010 in. (0.15 - 0.25 mm)
	Exhaust	0.010 - 0.014 in. (0.25 - 0.35 mm)
	Valve Dimensions:	0.010 - 0.014 III. (0.25 - 0.35 IIIII)
	"A" Head Diameter	
	Intake	1.050 + 1.001  in  (01.0 + 0.01  mm)
		1.256 - 1.264 in. (31.9 - 32.1 mm)
	Exhaust	1.020 - 1.028 in. (25.9 - 26.1 mm)
	"B" Face Width	
	Intake	0.079 - 0.124 in. (2.00 - 3.14 mm)
	Exhaust	0.079 - 0.124 in. (2.00 - 3.14 mm)
	"C" Seat Width	
	Intake	0.035 - 0.043 in. (0.9 - 1.1 mm)
	Exhaust	0.035 - 0.043 in. (0.9 - 1.1 mm)
	"D" Margin Thickness	
VALVES	Intake	0.020 - 0.035 in. (0.5 - 0.9 mm)
	Exhaust	0.020 - 0.035 in. (0.5 - 0.9 mm)
	Stem Outside Diameter	
	Intake	0.2156 - 0.2161 in. (5.475 - 5.490 mm)
	Exhaust	0.2150 - 0.2156 in. (5.460 - 5.475 mm)
	Guide Inside Diameter	``````````````````````````````````````
	Intake	0.2165 - 0.2170 in. (5.500 - 5.512 mm)
	Exhaust	0.2165 - 0.2170 in. (5.500 - 5.512 mm)
	Stem To Guide Clearance	
	Intake	0.0004 - 0.0015 in. (0.010 - 0.037 mm)
	Exhaust	0.0010 - 0.0020 in. (0.025 - 0.052 mm)
	Stem Run-out Limit (max.)	0.0006 in. (0.016 mm)
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## **Special Tools**

1. Flywheel Holder P/N 91-83163M



2. Valve Guide Remover P/N 91-809495A1



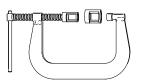
3. Valve Guide Installer Bushing P/N 91-809496A1



4. Valve Guide Reamer P/N 91-809497A1



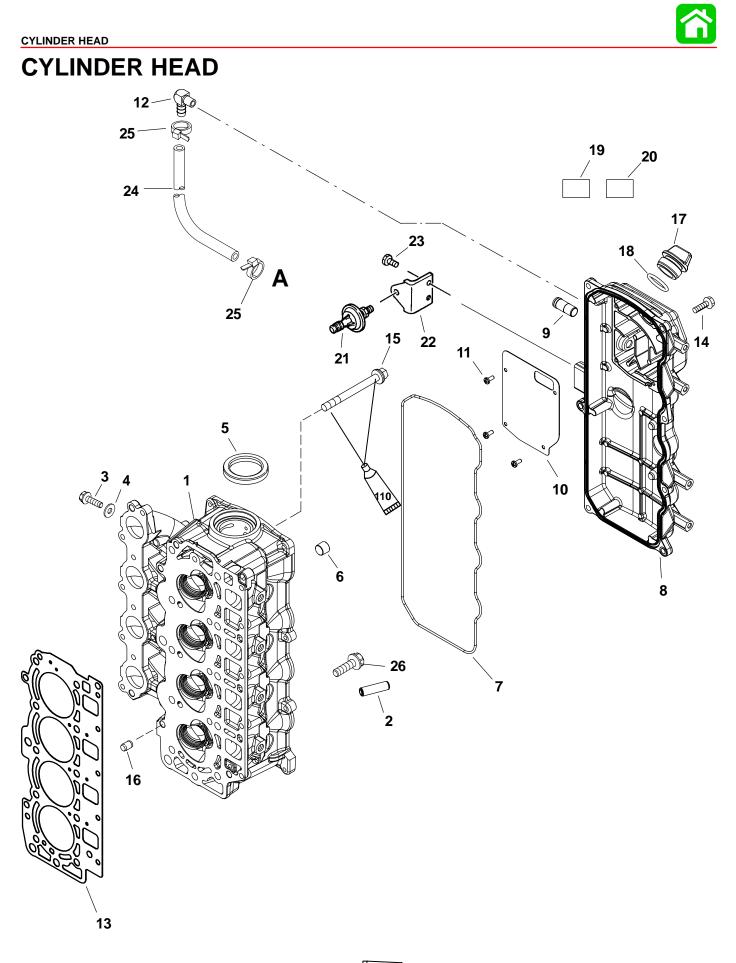
5. Valve Spring Compressor P/N 91-809494A1



6. Valve Seat Cutter Kit (Obtain Locally).







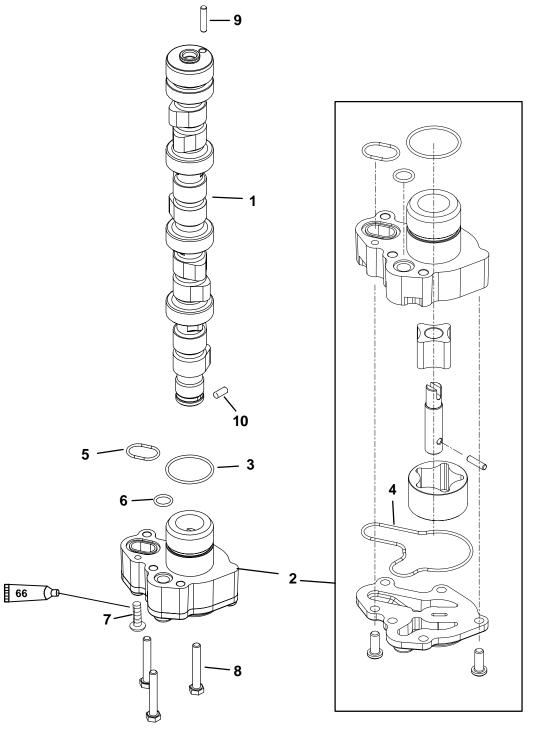
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110 4-stroke Outboard Oil (92-828000A12)



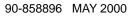
## **CYLINDER HEAD**

REF.			Т	ORQUE	
NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	lb-in	lb-ft	Nm.
-	1	CYLINDER HEAD			
1	1	CYLINDER HEAD			
2	8	GUIDE			
3	4	SCREW	70		8
4	4	WASHER			
5	1	OIL SEAL			
6	8	PIPE PLUG			20
7	1	O RING			
8	1	COVER			
9	1	BREATHER PIPE			
10	1	BAFFLE PLATE			
11	4	SCREW (M4 x 10)	D	rive Tigh	nt
12	1	ELBOW			
13	1	GASKET			
14	7	SCREW (M6 x 20)	70		8
15	10	SCREW (M9 x 95)		34.7	47
16	2	DOWEL PIN			
17	1	PLUG			
18	1	O RING			
19	1	DECAL-Servicing Referral			
20	1	DECAL-Engine Oil/Valve Clearance			
21	1	DASH POT			
22	1	BRACKET-Dash Pot			
23	2	SCREW (M6 x 13)	75		8.5
24	1	HOSE (19 IN.)			
25	2	STA-STRAP			
26	5	SCREW (M6 x 25)	106		12









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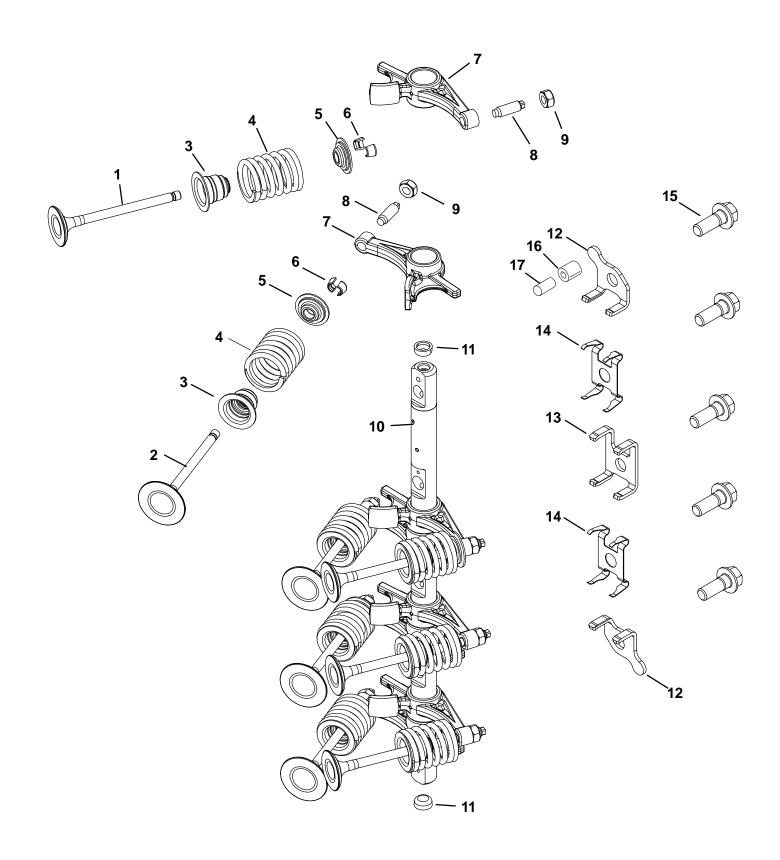


## CAMSHAFT

REF.				TORQUE	
NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	lb-in	lb-ft	Nm.
1	1	CAMSHAFT			
2	1	OIL PUMP ASSEMBLY			
3	1	O RING			
4	1	O RING			
5	1	O RING			
6	1	O RING			
7	2	SCREW (M6 x 16)	70		8
8	4	SCREW (M6 x 40)	70		8
9	1	DOWEL PIN			
10	1	PIN			



## **INTAKE/EXHAUST VALVE**





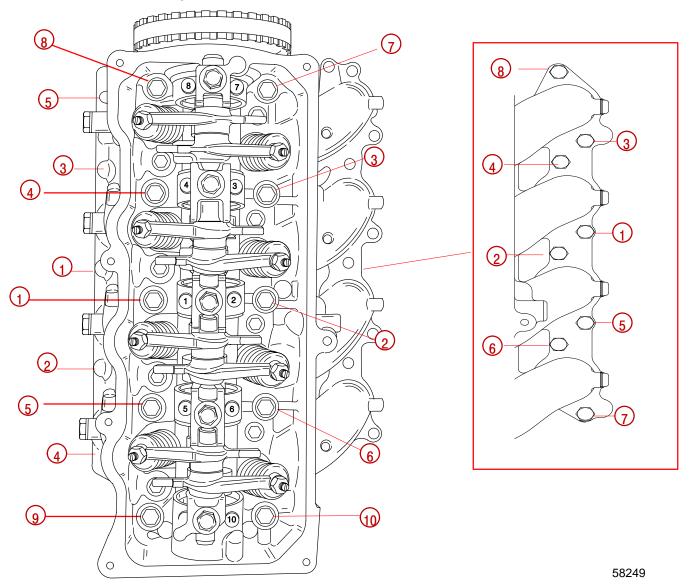
## **INTAKE/EXHAUST VALVES**

REF.			Г	ORQUE	
NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	lb-in	lb-ft	Nm.
1	4	EXHAUST VALVE			
2	4	INTAKE VALVE			
3	8	SEAL-Valve Stem			
4	8	VALVE SPRING-Outer			
5	8	RETAINER			
6	16	KEY			
7	8	ROCKER ARM			
8	8	SCREW			
9	8	NUT	120		13.5
10	1	ROCKER SHAFT			
11	2	PLUG			
12	2	BRACKET			
13	1	BRACKET			
14	2	SPRING			
15	5	SCREW (M8 x 23)	160		18
16	1	GASKET			
17	1	PIN-Cam Thrust			



## **Torque Sequence**

Torque center bolts in sequence and in two steps, than torque the Cylinder Head and carburetor flange bolts.



## **Valve Clearance Adjustment**

**NOTE:** Valves should be adjusted when engine is cold.

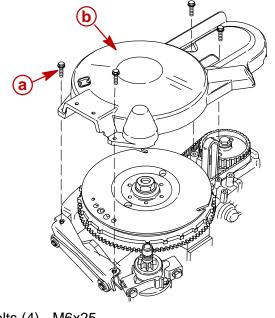
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Engine could possibly start when turning flywheel during adjustment. To prevent this type of accidental engine starting and possible serious injury, always remove spark plug leads from spark plugs.

### Valve Cover Removal

1. Remove flywheel cover/manual starter components.

NOTE: Refer to section 8 for removal of manual starter.



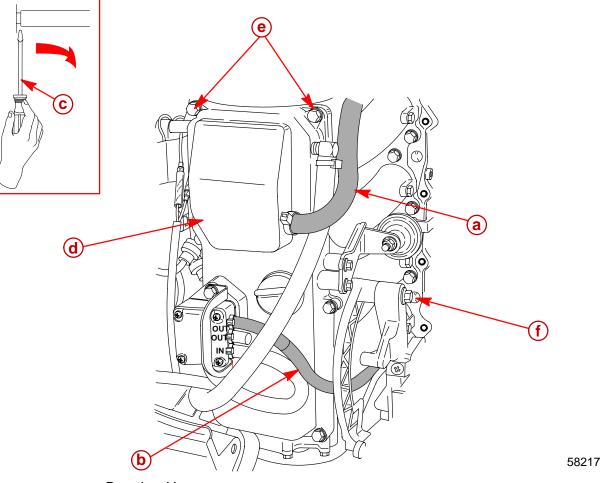
- a Bolts (4) M6x25b Flywheel Cover/Manual Starter
- 2. Disconnect spark plug leads and remove spark plugs.



3. Disconnect the breather hose.

IMPORTANT: The hose fittings on the fuel pump can break if you try twisting or pulling off the hoses. Remove hoses by slowly prying off the hoses using a small screwdriver (c).

- 4. Disconnect fuel pump output hose.
- 5. Remove valve cover.
- 6. Remove throttle lever assembly from starboard side of cylinder head.

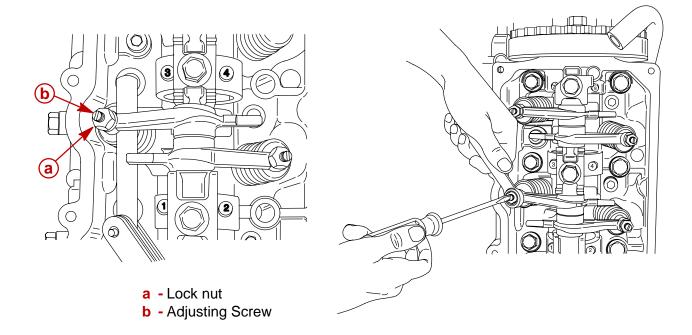


- a Breather Hose
- **b** Fuel Pump Output Hose "OUT"
- c Pry Fuel Hoses Off Fuel Pump. DO NOT Twist or Pull Hoses
- d Valve Cover
- e Bolts (7) M6x20
- f Throttle Lever Linkage

### **Adjusting Valves**

Measure valve clearance with a feeler gauge. Adjust if out of specification.

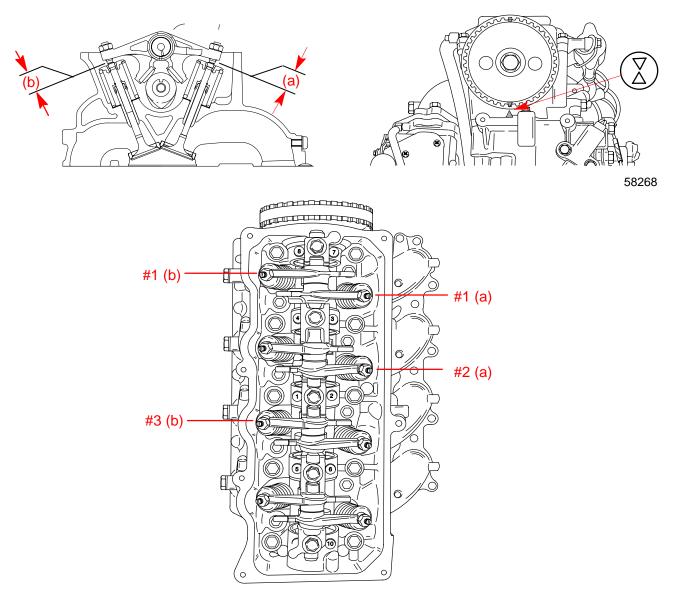
**NOTE:** When loosening lock nuts, hold the adjusting screw with a screw driver to prevent it from moving.





#### NO. 1 AND NO. 2 INTAKE VALVES NO. 1 AND NO. 3 EXHAUST VALVES

- 1. Turn the driven gear and align the " $\Delta$ " mark on the gear with the cylinder head mark " $\Delta$ ".
- 2. Adjust the valve clearance for No. 1 and No. 2 intake valves and No. 1 and No. 3 exhaust valves.

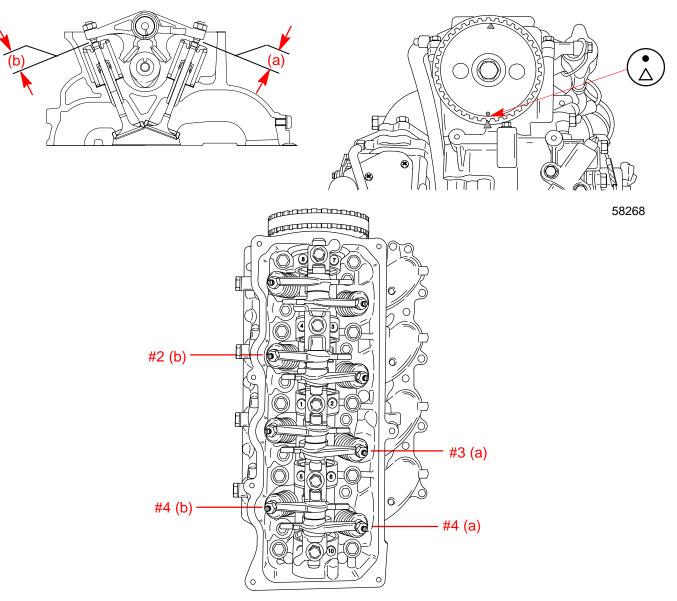


Valve Clearance Specifications (Cold)		
Intake Valve (a)	0.006 - 0.010 in. (0.15 - 0.25 mm)	
Exhaust Valve (b)	0.010 - 0.014 in. (0.25 - 0.35 mm)	

Valve Adjusting Nut Torque
120 lb-in. (13.5 Nm)

#### NO. 3 AND NO. 4 INTAKE VALVES NO. 2 AND NO. 4 EXHAUST VALVES

- 1. Turn the driven gear and align the " $\bullet$ " mark on the gear with the cylinder head mark " $\Delta$ ".
- 2. Adjust the valve clearance for No. 3 and No. 4 intake valves and No. 2 and No. 4 exhaust valves.



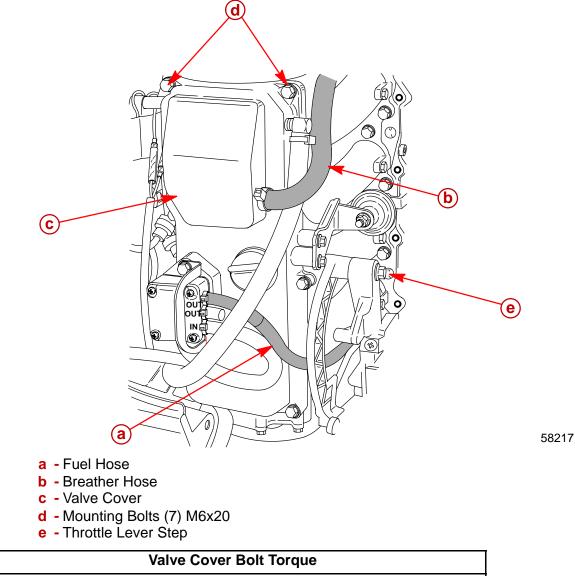
Valve Clearance Sp	pecifications (Cold)
Intake Valve (a)	0.006 - 0.010 in. (0.15 - 0.25 mm)
Exhaust Valve (b)	0.010 - 0.014 in. (0.25 - 0.35 mm)

Valve Adjusting Nut Torque
120 lb-in. (13.5 Nm)



### **Valve Cover Installation**

- 1. Reinstall the valve cover. Tighten bolts to the specified torque.
- 2. Reconnect the breather hose and fuel hose. Use sta-straps to fasten all hose connections.
- 3. Reinstall throttle linkage.



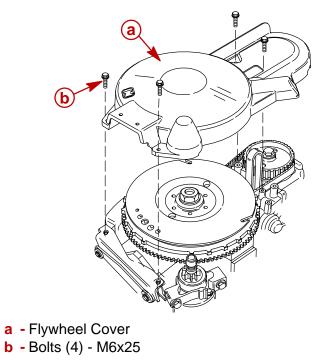
70 lb-in. (8 Nm)

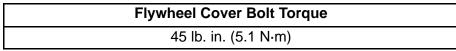
4. Reinstall spark plugs and spark plug leads.

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5. Install flywheel cover/manual starter.

NOTE: Refer to section 8 for installation of manual starter.







# **Cylinder Head Disassembly**

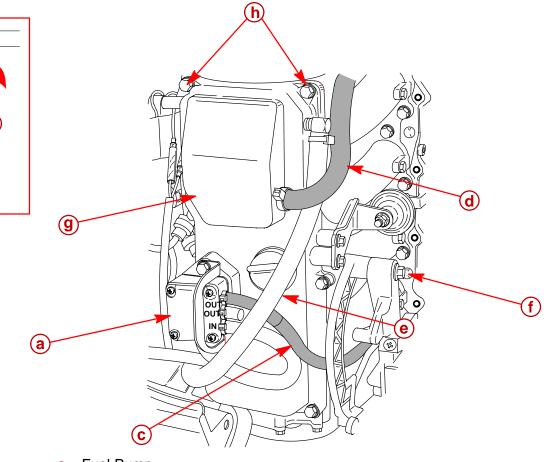
### **Valve Cover Removal**

**NOTE:** Remove flywheel cover as noted in previous pages.

- 1. Disconnect spark plug leads and remove spark plugs.
- 2. Disconnect the breather hose and fuel output hose.

IMPORTANT: The hose fittings on the fuel pump can break if you try twisting or pulling off the hoses. Remove hoses by slowly prying off the hoses using a small screwdriver.

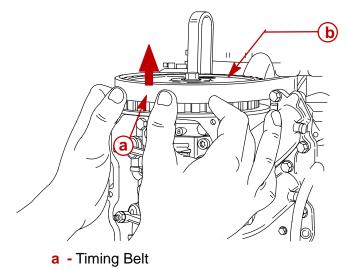
- 3. Disconnect the top fuel hose from the fuel pump.
- 4. Remove valve cover.



- a Fuel Pump
- b Pry Fuel Hoses Off Fuel Pump. DO NOT Twist or Pull Hoses
- c Top Fuel Hose "OUT"
- d Breather Hose
- e Oil Sump Vent Hose
- f Throttle Lever Linkage
- g Valve Cover
- h Bolts (7) M6x20

### **Cylinder Head Removal**

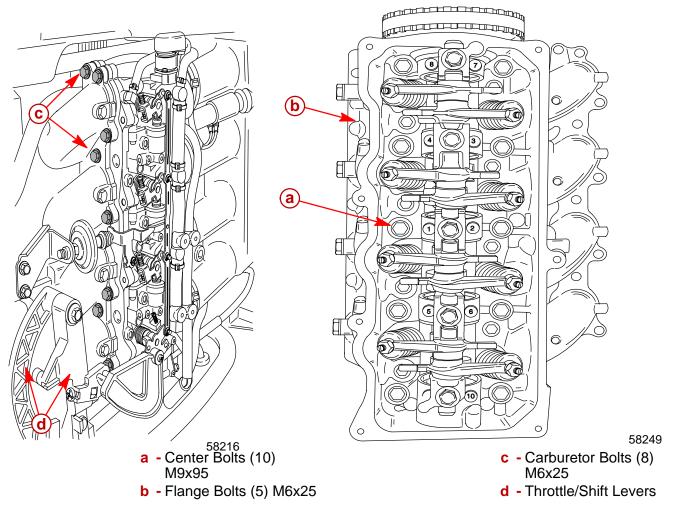
1. Remove timing belt from driven gear.



**b** - Driven Gear

- 2. Remove the throttle and shift levers from side of cylinder head.
- 3. Remove the cylinder head and carburetor mounting bolts.
- 4. Separate the cylinder head from the block.

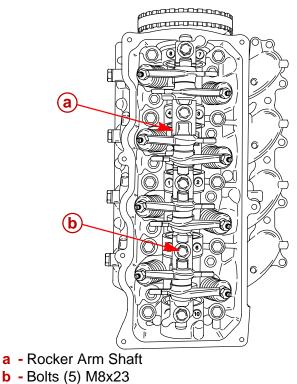
NOTE: Cylinder head gasket is not reusable.





### **Rocker Arm Assembly Removal**

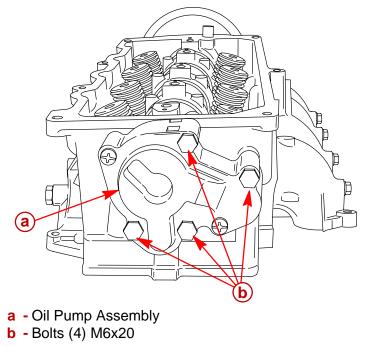
1. Remove five bolts and the rocker arm shaft.



**Oil Pump Removal** 

IMPORTANT: Do not twist/turn oil pump from side to side while removing oil pump from cylinder head as oil pump sealing o-rings will be cut. Pull oil pump away from cylinder head using pry points on oil pump body as needed.

1. Remove four bolts and pull out the oil pump assembly.

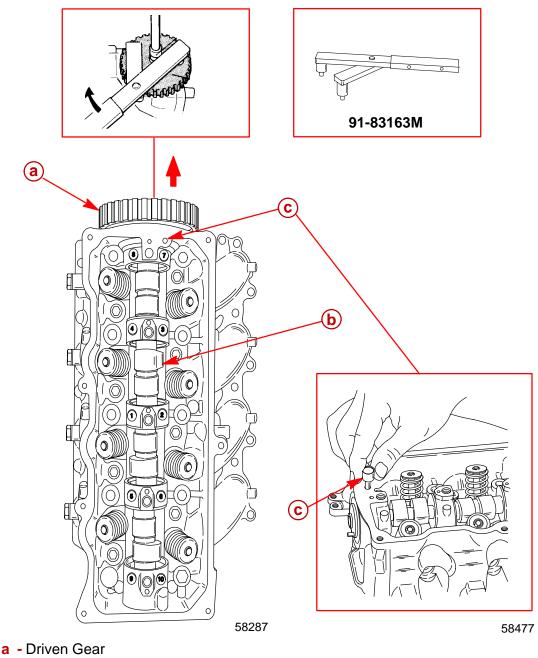


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#### **Camshaft Removal**

- 1. Hold driven gear using tool (91-83163M) and remove bolt and flat washer. Remove driven gear.
- 2. Remove camshaft retaining pin. Slide camshaft/oil seal out of cylinder head.

**NOTE:** The cam can also be removed from the top without removing the cylinder head from engine.

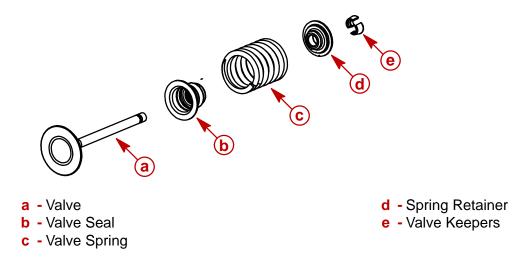


- **b** Camshaft
- c Camshaft Retaining Pin with Seal



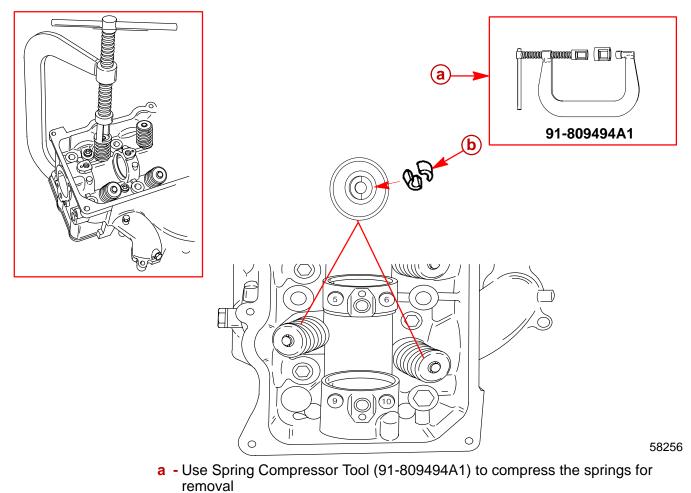
#### **Valve Removal**

#### VALVE COMPONENTS



#### **REMOVING VALVES**

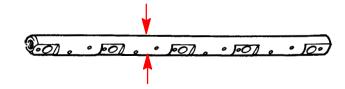
- 1. Anytime a valve is removed, replace the valve seal.
- 2. Remove valves as shown.



**b** - Compress the spring and remove the valve keepers

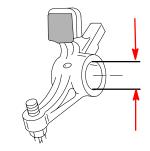
### **Rocker Shaft and Rocker Arm**

1. Measure rocker shaft diameter. Replace shaft if out of specification.



Rocker Shaft Diameter		
0.6288 - 0.6296 in. (15.971 -15.991 mm)		

2. Measure rocker arm inside diameter. Replace rocker arms if out of specification.



Rocker Arm Inside Diameter
0.6299 - 0.6306 in. (16.000 -16.018 mm)

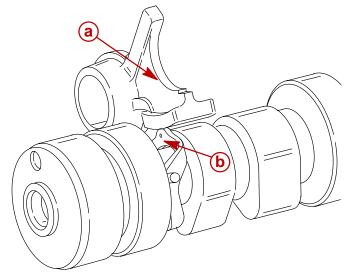


#### Camshaft

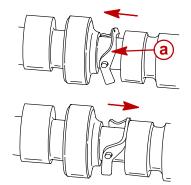
Manual start models are equipped with a cam shaft featuring a compression release mechanism. The compression relief mechanism releases a percentage of the cylinder compression during engine cranking which lowers the starter rope pull force.

At cranking speeds (RPM) the cam shaft decompression levers rest against the side of the exhaust cam lobes, protruding out from the heal of the lobe. This protrusion contacts the exhaust valve rocker arms during the compression stroke, slightly opening the exhaust valve.

With the increase of centrifugal force at engine running speeds, the decompression levers swing out of contact with the exhaust valve rocker arms, allowing the exhaust valves to operate normally (fully closed) during the compression stroke.



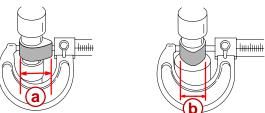
- a Exhaust Valve Rocker Arm
- **b** Decompression Lever
- 1. Inspect the camshaft for pitting, heat discoloration, scratches and for the following measurements. Replace camshaft if worn or not within specification.
- 2. Inspect the compression relief cam lever (if equipped) for free movement. Replace camshaft if necessary.



a - Compression Relief Cam



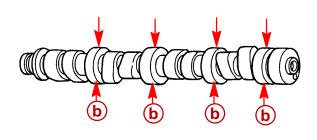
3. Measure the cam lobe length (a) and width (b).

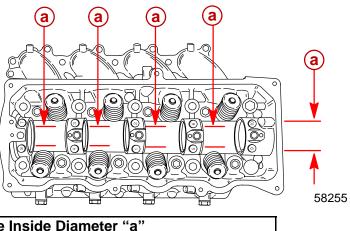


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Cam Lobe Specifications		
а	Intake	1.214 - 1.222 in. (30.83 - 31.03 mm)
	Exhaust	1.214 - 1.222 in. (30.83 - 31.03 mm)
b	Intake	1.020 - 1.028 in. (25.90 -26.10 mm)
	Exhaust	1.020 - 1.028 in. (25.90 -26.10 mm)

4. Measure the camshaft bore diameters (a) and camshaft bearing diameters (b).



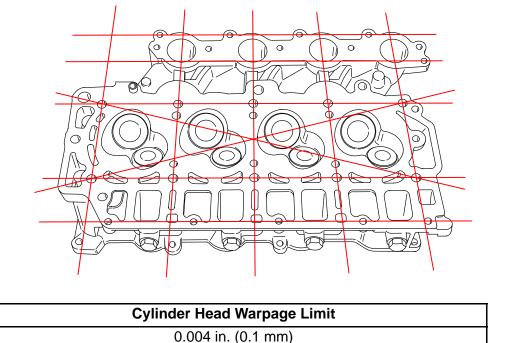


Camshaft Bore Inside Diameter "a"	
1.4567 - 1.4577 in. (37.000 - 37.025 mm)	
Camshaft Bearing Diameter "b"	
1.4541 - 1.4549 in. (36.935 - 36.955 mm)	



#### **Cylinder Head**

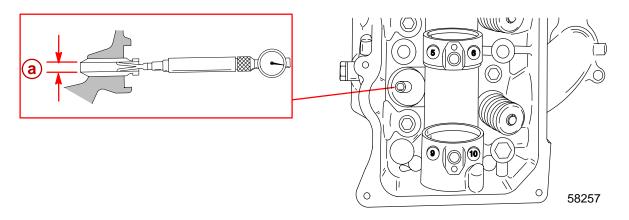
- 1. Inspect the cylinder head for the following conditions:
  - Mineral deposits/corrosion in water passage ways.
  - Carbon deposits In combustion chamber (use round scraper to clean away deposits). Be careful not to scratch or remove material.
- 2. Inspect cylinder head for warpage. Replace cylinder head If out of specification.



#### **Valve Guides**

**NOTE:** Inspect the valve guides for wear or damage. If valve guide wear is out of specification, replace the valve guide.

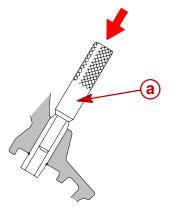
Measure valve guide bore.



Valve Guide Inside Diameter	
Intake Valve	0.2165 - 0.2170 in.
Exhaust Valve	(5.500 - 5.512 mm)

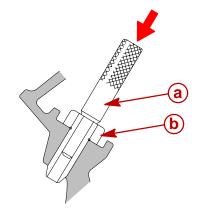
#### Valve Guide Replacement

- 1. Heat the cylinder head in an oven to 390° F (200° C). This will help to ease guide removal and installation and to maintain correct interference fit.
- 2. Remove the valve guide using a valve guide remover.



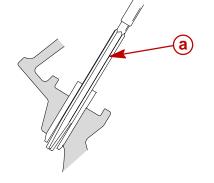
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- a Valve Guide Remover (91-809495A1)
- 3. Install the new valve guide and circlip using a valve guide installer bushing along with the valve guide remover.



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- a Valve Guide Remover (91-809495A1)
- **b** Valve Guide Installer Bushing (91-809496A1)
- 4. After installing the valve guide, ream the valve guide using a valve guide reamer to obtain proper stem-to-guide clearance.

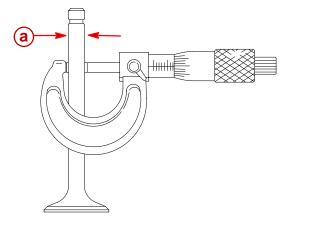


a - Valve Guide Reamer (91-809497A1)



#### Valves

- 1. Clean the carbon deposits from the valve. Discard any cracked, warped, or burned valves.
- 2. Measure the valve stem to check for wear. Replace valves if not in specification.



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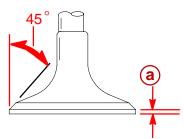
Valve Stem Diameter "a"	
Intake Valve	0.2156 - 0.2161 in. (5.475 - 5.490 mm)
Exhaust Valve	0.2150 - 0.2156 in. (5.460 - 5.475 mm)

3. Check the valve face for pitting. Valves faces that are pitted must be refaced.

**NOTE:** Several different types of equipment are available for refacing valves. Follow the equipment manufacturer's instructions.

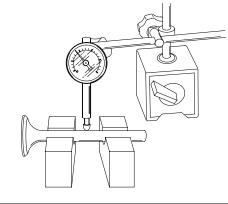
**NOTE:** After refacing valve seat or replacing the valve and valve guide, the valve seat and valve face should be lapped.

4. Check the margin thickness of the valves after the valves have been ground. Any valve with a margin thickness of less than the specification, should be replaced.



Margin Thickness "a"	
Intake Valve	0.020 - 0.035 in. (0.5 - 0.9 mm)
Exhaust Valve	0.020 - 0.035 in. (0.5 - 0.9 mm)

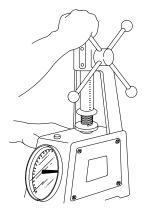
5. Measure valve stem runout, replace if out of specification.



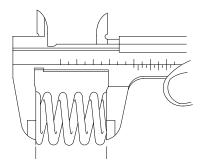
Valve Stem Runout Limit (Max.)	
Intake Valve Exhaust Valve	0.0006 in. (0.016 mm)

### **Valve Springs**

1. Check each spring under load on a spring tester. Replace any weak springs.



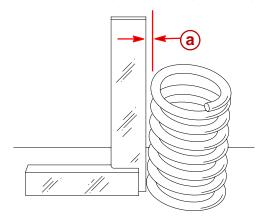
2. Check free length limit of each spring. Replace valve springs if not in specification.



Valve Spring Free Length
1.491 - 1.569 in. (37.85 - 39.85 mm)



3. Check each spring on a flat surface using a square. Rotate spring and check space between the top coil and square. Replace valve springs if not in specification.



Valve Spring Tilt Specification "a"	
Less than 0.06 in. (1.7 mm)	

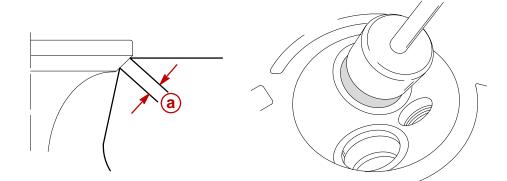
#### Valve Seat Reconditioning

Clean the carbon deposits from the combustion chambers and valve seats and check for pitting.

Several different types of equipment are available for reseating valve seats. Follow the equipment manufacturer's instructions.

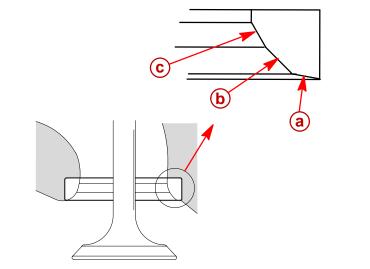
Reface valve seat; use a  $60^{\circ}$ ,  $45^{\circ}$ ,  $15^{\circ}$  valve seat cutter.

Measure valve seat width (a). Resurface the valve seat If not in specification.



Valve Seat Width Specification "a"	
Intake Valve	0.035 - 0.043 in. (0.9 - 1.1 mm)
Exhaust Valve	

If resurfacing the valve seats is required, resurface the valve seats to the specified angles shown in chart.

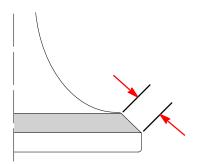


Valve Seat Angle Specifications	
а	15°
b	45°
С	60°



#### **Valve Refacing Steps**

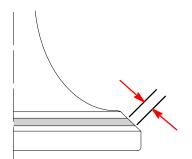
Condition: The valve seat is centered on valve face but it is too wide.



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Valve	Seat Cutter Set	Desired Results		
Use	15° Cutter	To reduce valve seat width		
Lightly	60° Cutter			

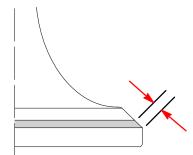
Condition: The valve seat is in the middle of the valve face but it is too narrow.



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Valve Seat Cutter Set		Desired Results
Use	45° Cutter	To achieve a uniform valve seat width

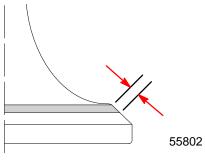
**Condition**: Valve seat is too narrow and it is near valve margin.



Valve Seat Cutter Set		Desired Results		
Use	15° Cutter, First	To center the seat and to		
	45° Cutter	achieve its width		



**Condition**: Valve seat is too narrow and is located near the bottom edge of the valve face.

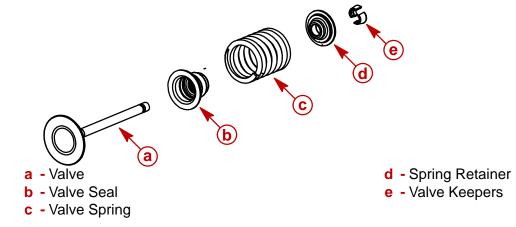


Valve Seat Cutter Set		Desired Results		
Use	60° Cutter, First	To center the seat and to in-		
	45° Cutter	crease its Width		

# **Cylinder Head Reassembly**

### Valve Installation

#### INTAKE AND EXHAUST VALVE COMPONENTS

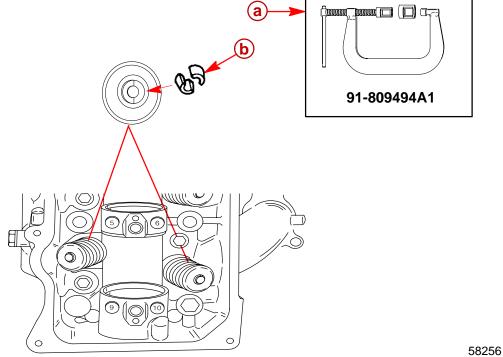


#### **INSTALLING VALVES**



- 1. Always use new valve seals.
- 2. Apply engine oil to the valves and valve seats.
- 3. Install valves as shown.

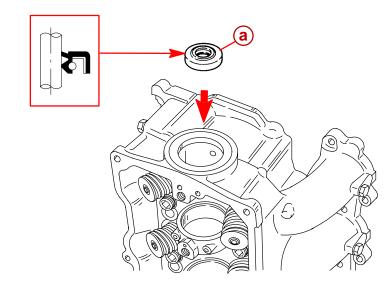
**NOTE:** Valve springs are symmetrical and may be installed in either direction.



- **a** Use spring compressor tool to compress the springs for installation.
- **b** Compress the spring and retainer and install the valve keepers around the valve stem. You may have to tap lightly on end of valve to seat the keepers.

### **Camshaft Oil Seal Installation**

1. If removed, install new oil seal. Position seal so part number side is facing outward. Press seal in until it makes contact with the inside flat surface.



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a - Upper Camshaft Oil Seal

#### **Camshaft Installation**

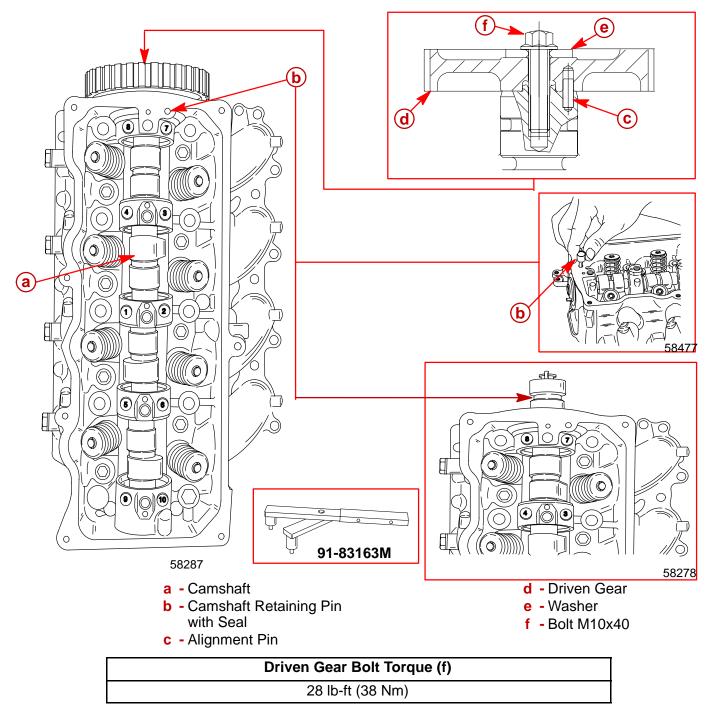


- 1. Apply engine oil to the main journals (5 places) on the camshaft.
- 2. Slide camshaft into cylinder head (threaded end towards driven gear).

**NOTE:** Camshaft retaining pin groove must align with retaining pin hole in cylinder head.

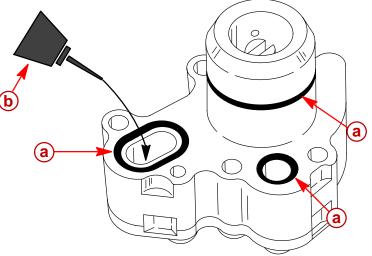
- 3. Install camshaft retaining pin. Install seal over pin.
- 4. Place driven gear on camshaft so alignment pin is in hole. Hold gear with tool (91-83163M) and fasten with washer and bolt. Tighten bolt to the specified torque.
- 5. Remove any oil from the camshaft lobes and apply Moly Grease to the lift portion of the lobes. Obtain Moly Grease from a local source.

NOTE: Rotate camshaft after assembly to ensure it rotates smoothly.

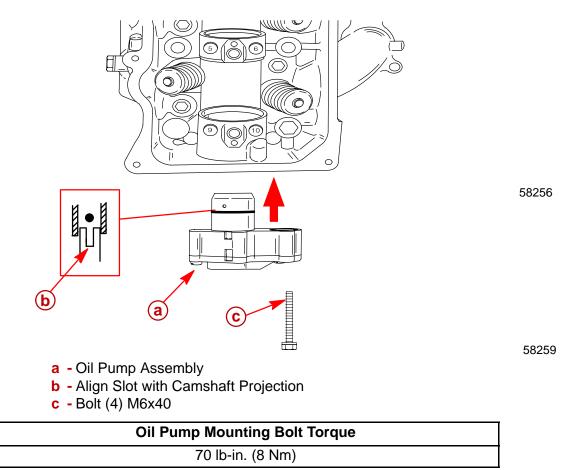


#### **Oil Pump Installation**

- 1. Place O-ring seals on the oil pump. Lubricate the O-rings with oil.
- 2. Prime the oil pump by pouring approximately 1 fl oz (30 ml) of engine oil into the oil pump body.



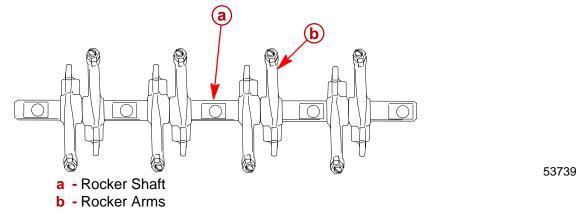
- a O-Ring Seals
- **b** Pour Approximately 1 fl oz (30 ml) of Engine Oil into the Oil Pump Body
- 3. Align oil pump shaft with the camshaft and install the oil pump.
- 4. Fasten with 4 bolts. Tighten bolts to the specified torque.







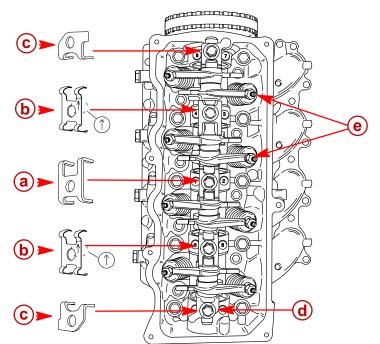
- 1. Apply engine oil to the rocker shaft and arms.
- 2. Locate the end of the rocker shaft that gets installed towards driven gear (oil holes will line-up with the mating oil holes in the cylinder head).
- 3. Slide the rocker arms onto rocker shaft as shown.



### **Rocker Arm Shaft Installation**

1. Install the rocker arm shaft assembly as shown. Tighten bolts to the specified torque.

**NOTE:** Leave all adjustment screws loose at this time.



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- a Rocker Arm Retainer (1)
- **b** Rocker Arm Retainer (2) Arrow Must Point Towards Driven Gear
- c Rocker Arm Retainer (2)
- **d** Mounting Bolts (5)
- e Adjustment Screw Loose M8x23

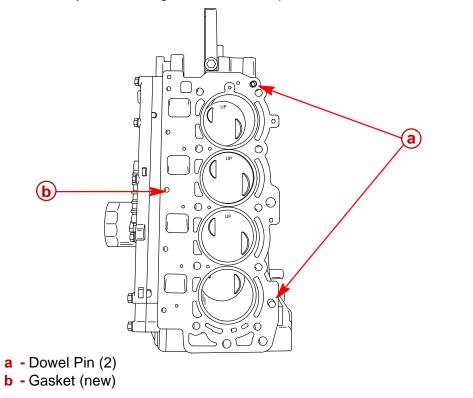
#### Rocker Arm Shaft Mounting Bolt Torque

160 lb-in. (18 Nm)

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### **Cylinder Head Gasket**

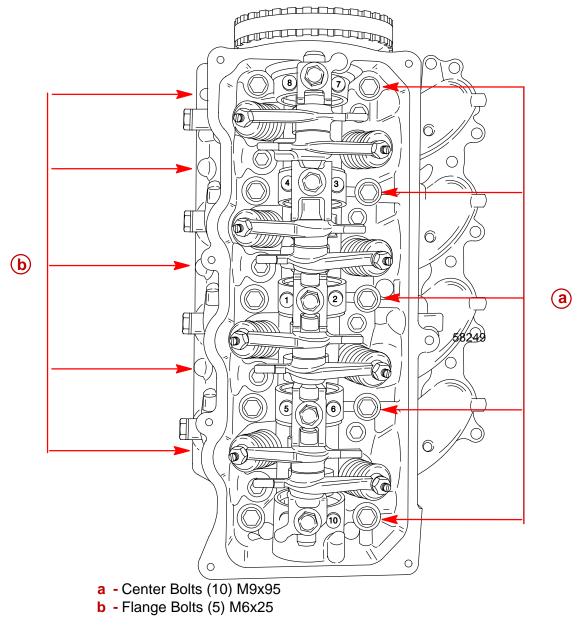
1. Install new cylinder head gasket and dowel pins.





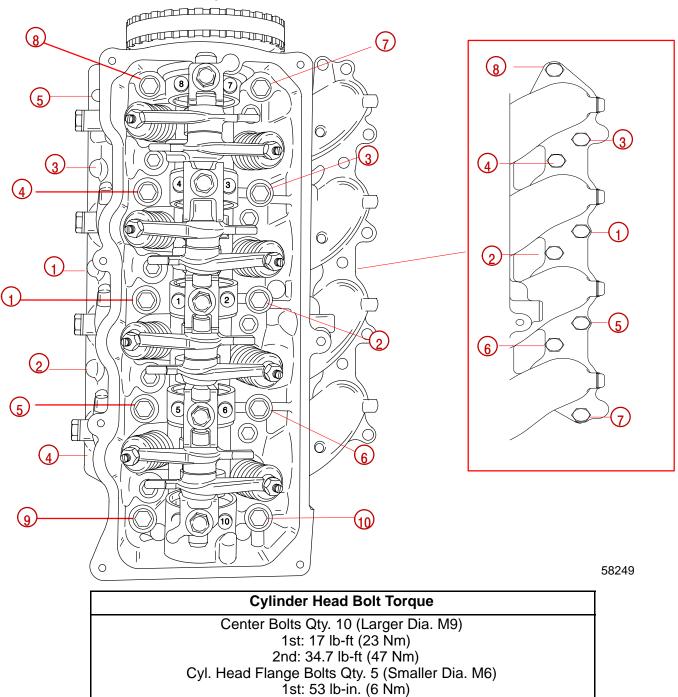
### **Cylinder Head Installation**

- 1. Apply engine oil to the threads of each bolt and seat surface.
- 2. Fasten cylinder head with bolts shown.





3. Torque center bolts in sequence and in two steps, then torque the cylinder head and carburetor flange bolts.



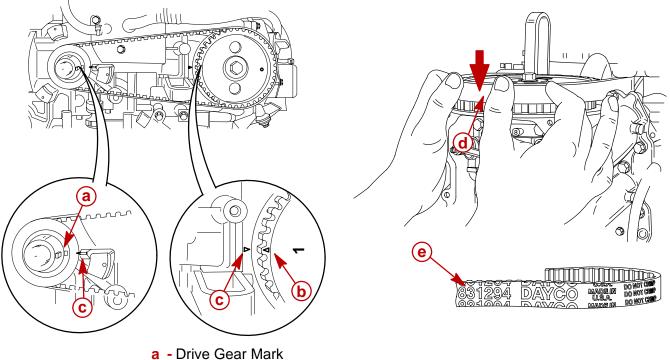
2nd: 106 lb-in. (12 Nm) Carburetor Flange Bolts Qty. 8 (Smaller Dia. M6) 70 lb-in. (8 Nm)

#### **Timing Belt Installation**

Timing Belt Installation Notes:

- Protect the timing belt from water and oil.
- Use care not to scratch the belt.
- Do not use any metal device to help stretch the belt onto the driven gear.
- 1. Align marks on driver and driven gear with marks on cylinder block as shown.
- 2. Install timing belt onto drive sprocket. Slide timing belt onto driven sprocket.

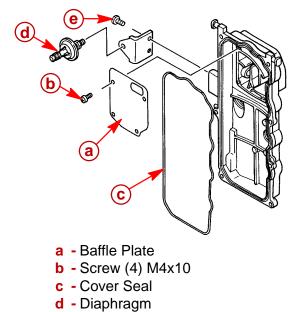
**NOTE:** Install timing belt with parts name up.



- **b** Driven Gear Mark
- **c** Cylinder Block Marks
- **d** Timing Belt
- e Parts Name Up On Timing Belt
- 3. Refer to "Valve Clearance Adjustment" preceding and perform valve clearance adjustments.

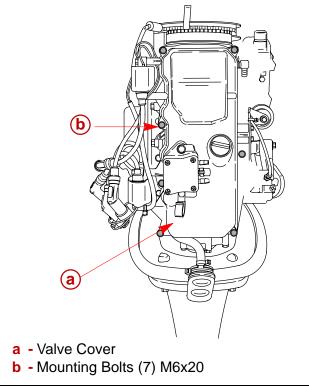
#### **Valve Cover Installation**

- 1. Install cover seal into groove.
- 2. If removed, reinstall diaphragm.



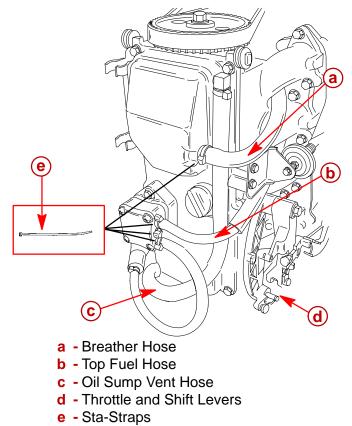
e - Bolt (2) M6x13

3. Install valve cover. Tighten bolts to the specified torque.



Valve Cover Bolt Torque
70 lb-in. (8 Nm)

- 4. Reconnect hoses. Use sta-straps to fasten all hose connections.
- 5. Reconnect the throttle and shift levers.



6. Install spark plugs and spark plug leads.

# **POWERHEAD**

# Section 4B - Cylinder Block/Crankcase

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# **Specifications**

CYLINDER BLOCK	Type Displacement Number of Cylinders	4 Stroke Cycle – Over Head Camshaft 60.8 cu. in. (996 cc) 4
STROKE	Length	2.953 in. (75 mm)
CYLINDER BORE	Diameter         2.5591 in. (65 mm)           Standard         2.5689 in. (65.25 mm)           Oversize-0.020 in. (0.50 mm)         2.5787 in. (65.5 mm)           Taper/Out of Round Maximum         0.003 in. (0.08 mm)           Bore Type         Cast Iron	
PISTON	Piston Type O.D. at Skirt Standard Oversize-0.010 in. (0.25 mm) Oversize-0.020 in. (0.50 mm)	Aluminum 2.5570 - 2.5578 in. (64.950 - 64.965 mm) 2.5669 - 2.5675 in. (65.2 - 65.215 mm) 2.5768 - 2.5774 in. (65.450 - 65.465 mm)
PISTON CLEARANCE	Piston to Cylinder Clearance	0.00140026 in. (0.035 - 0.065 mm)
RINGS	Ring End Gap (Installed) Top Middle Bottom (Oil Ring) Side Clearance: Top Middle	0.006 - 0.012 in. (0.15 - 0.03 mm) 0.012 - 0.020 in. (0.30 - 0.50 mm) 0.008 - 0.028 in. (0.20 - 0.70 mm) 0.0008 - 0.0024 in. (0.02 - 0.06 mm) 0.0008 - 0.0024 in. (0.02 - 0.06 mm)



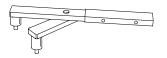
COMPRESSION RATIO	Compression Ratio Cylinder Compression* (Electric Models Only, Cold Engine @ W.O.T.)	9.7:1 180 -210 psi (Peak)
PISTON PIN	Piston Pin Diameter	0.6285 - 0.6287 in. (15.965 - 15.970 mm)
CONNECTING ROD	Oil Clearance (Big End) Small End Inside Diameter	0.0008 - 0.0020 in. (0.020 - 0.052 mm) 0.6293 - 0.6298 in. (15.985 - 15.998 mm)
CRANKSHAFT	Main Bearing Clearance Crankshaft Run-out	0.0005 - 0.0017 in. (0.012 - 0.044 mm) 0.0018 in. (0.046 mm)

# **Special Tools**

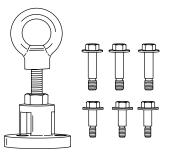
1. Oil Filter Wrench (P/N 91-802653)



2. Flywheel Holder (P/N 91-83163M)



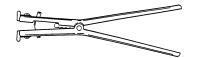
3. Flywheel Puller (P/N 91-83164M)



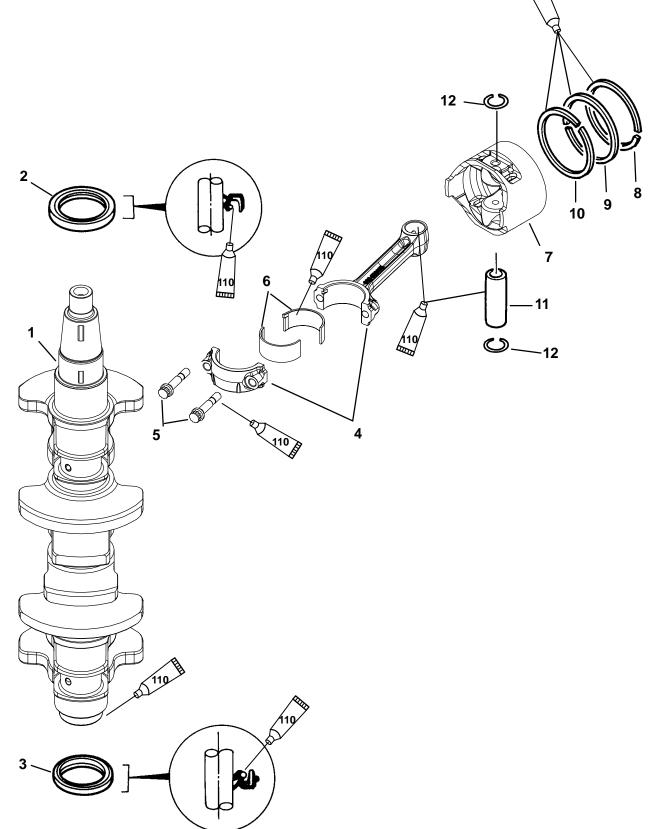
4. Piston Ring Compressor (P/N FT2997)

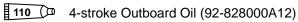


5. Piston Ring Expander (P/N 91-24697)









**CRANKSHAFT** 





### **CRANKSHAFT**

REF.		TORC		ORQUE	QUE	
NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	lb-in	lb-ft	Nm.	
1	1	CRANKSHAFT				
2	1	OIL SEAL				
3	1	OIL SEAL				
4	4	CONNECTING ROD				
5	8	BOLT	150	12.5	17	
	8	BEARING (BROWN)				
6	8	BEARING (BLACK)				
	8	BEARING (BLUE)				
7	4	PISTON				
8	4	PISTON RING (TOP)				
9	4	PISTON RING (SECOND)				
10	4	PISTON OIL RING				
11	4	PISTON PIN				
12	8	RETAINER				

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# CYLINDER BLOCK AND CRANKCASE

Loctite Master Gasket (92-12564-2)

**4**-stroke Outboard Oil (92-828000A12)

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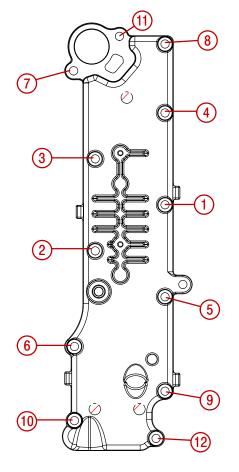


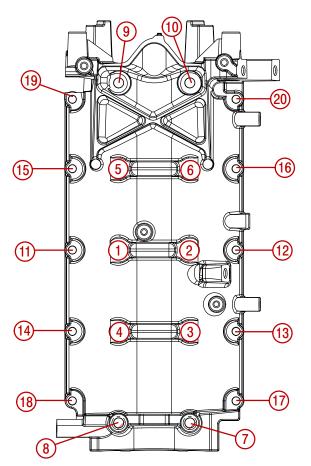
# CYLINDER BLOCK AND CRANKCASE

REF.				TORQUE	
NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	lb-in.	lb-ft	Nm
1	1	CYLINDER BLOCK			
2	2	DOWEL PIN			
3	3	PLUG			
4	1	PIPE PLUG (1/2-14)			
5	1	PIPE PLUG (3/4-14)			
	10	BEARING (BROWN)			
6	10	BEARING (BLACK)			
	10	BEARING <b>(BLUE)</b>			
7	1	NIPPLE		29.5	40
8	10	SCREW (M8 x 82)	264	22	30
9	10	SCREW (M6 x 35)	106		12
10	1	GASKET			
11	1	OIL FILTER	70		8
12	1	GASKET			
13	1	EXHAUST COVER			
14	1	PIPE PLUG			
15	1	THERMOSTAT			
16	1	GASKET			
17	1	GASKET			
18	1	COVER			
19	12	SCREW (M6 x 35)	106	8.8	12
20	1	ELBOW			
21	2	STA STRAP			
22	1	TUBING (11 IN.)			
23	1	TEMPERATURE SENSOR	15		1.7
24	1	O RING			
25	1	LIFTING EYE			
26	1	SCREW (M8 x 35)	210	17.5	24
27	1	PLUG-Serial Number			

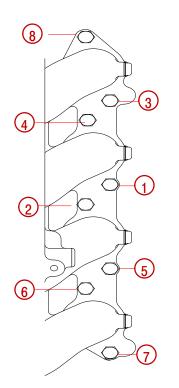


## **Torque Sequence**





Exhaust Cover



**Carburetor Flange** 

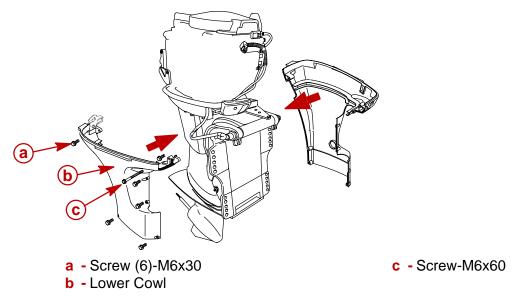
Crankcase Cover

### **Powerhead Removal**

### **WARNING**

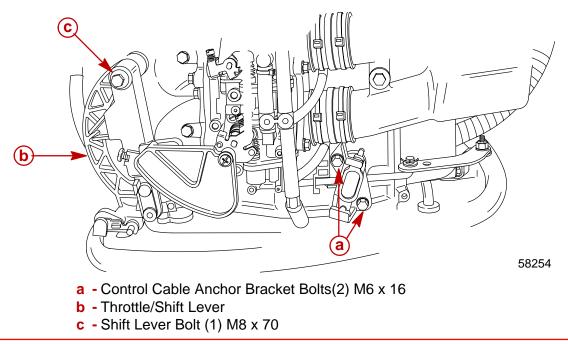
The possibility exists that the engine could start when turning the flywheel. To avoid possible serious injury, always disconnect the battery and remove spark plug leads from spark plugs before working on motor.

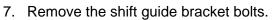
- 1. On electric start models, disconnect the battery cables from the battery. Remove battery cables from engine.
- 2. Disconnect the power trim wires (if so equipped).
- 3. Remove the bottom cowls.



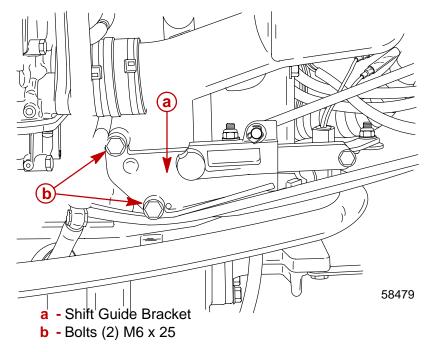
- 4. Drain the engine oil.
- 5. Remove the control cable anchor bracket bolts (remote control models).
- 6. Remove the throttle/shift lever bolt and swing the entire shift linkage to the side.

#### **Remote Control Model**



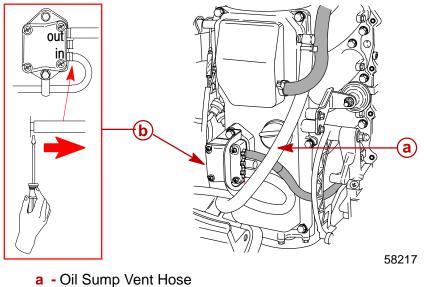


#### **Tiller Handle Model**



- 8. Disconnect the oil sump vent hose.
- 9. Disconnect inlet hose from fuel pump.

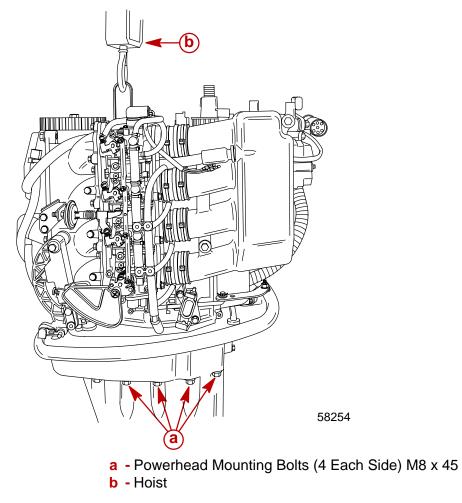
IMPORTANT: The hose fittings on the fuel pump can break if you try twisting or pulling off the hoses. Remove hoses by slowly prying off the hoses using a small screwdriver.



**b** - Inlet hose



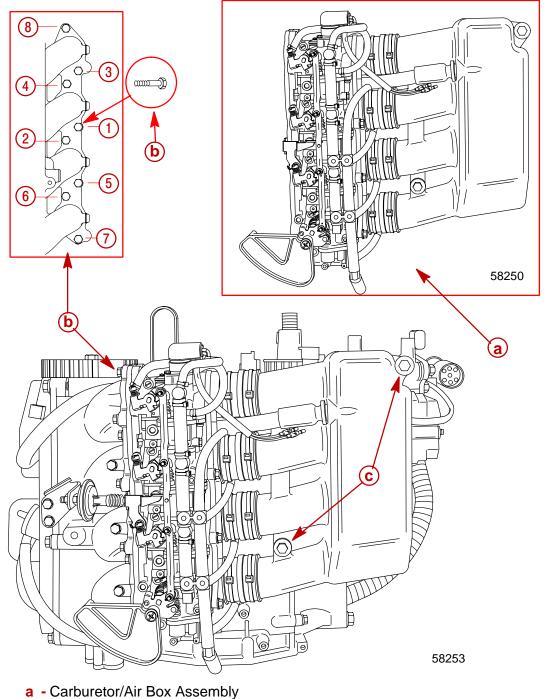
- 10. Remove powerhead mounting bolts.
- 11. Lift powerhead from driveshaft housing.





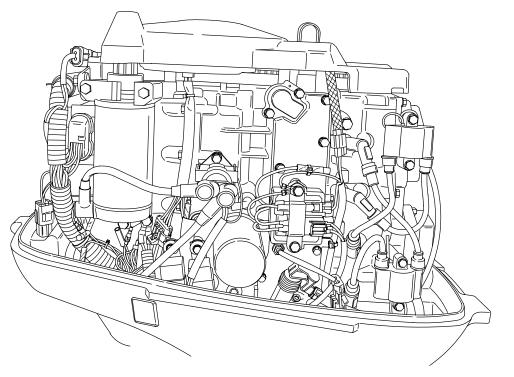
# **Removing Powerhead Components**

- 1. Place powerhead on bench.
- 2. Remove 8 flange bolts and 2 air box mounting bolts. Lift carburetor /air box assembly from powerhead. Disconnect hoses and wiring as necessary.



- **b** Carburetor Flange Bolts (8) M6 x 25
- **c** Air Box Mounting Bolts (2) M6 x 20

- 3. Refer to section 2A for flywheel and stator removal, section 2B for starter removal.
- 4. Disconnect/Remove components in the following order: ECM bracket bolts(3), main harness ground wire bolts (near bottom of starter), starter solenoid mounting bolts, oil temp sensor, engine temp sensor, regulator/rectifier mounting bolts, crank position sensor mounting bolts, ignition coil mounting bolts.
- 5. Remove electrical components as an assembly. Disconnect wiring and cut sta-straps as necessary.



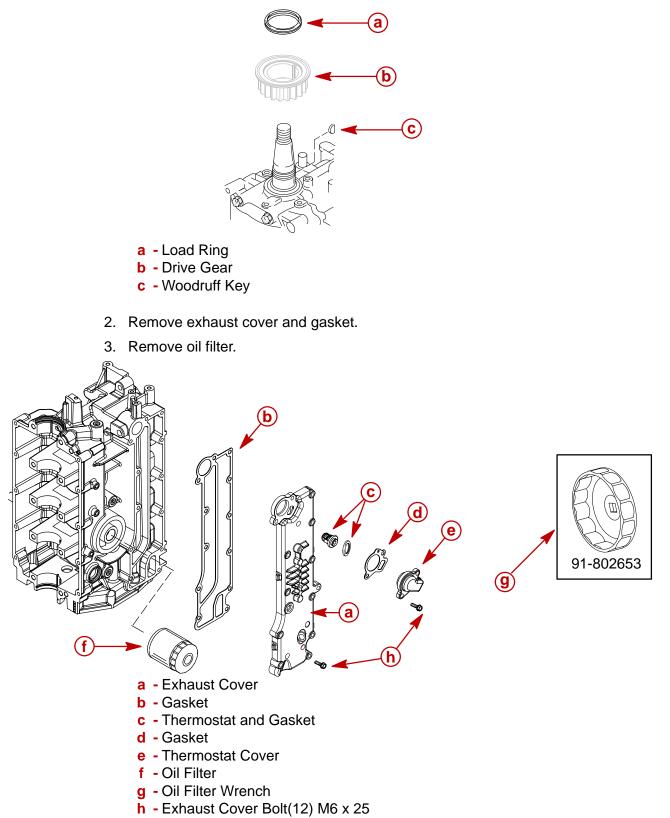
6. Remove cylinder head following instructions outlined in section 4A.

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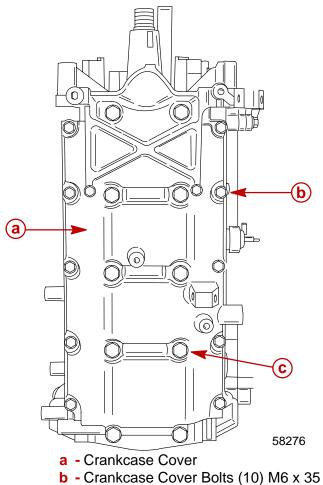
# **Cylinder Block Disassembly**

1. Remove the drive gear components.

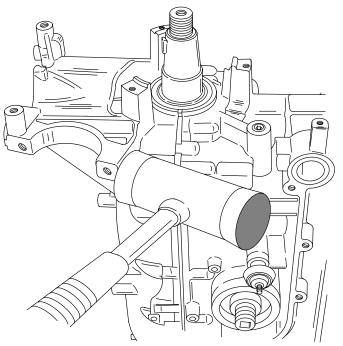




4. Remove crankcase cover bolts.



- **c** Crankcase Cover Bolts (10) M 8 x 82
- 5. With a rubber or plastic hammer, lightly strike the crankcase cover in order to separate it from the block. If the cover will not separate, try prying it off with a screwdriver. Do not damage the split line sealing surface when prying the cover off.

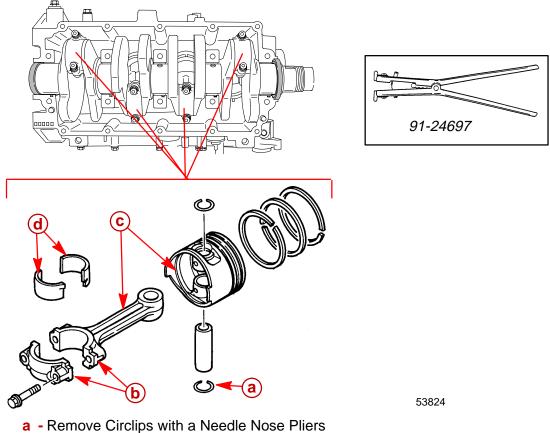




- 6. Use a 5/16 in. 12 point socket and remove connecting rod bolts.
- 7. Remove carbon ridge from the cylinder bore using a burr knife. Push out the pistons. Keep each piston, connecting rod, and cap together as an assembly.

**NOTE:** Use piston ring expander tool to prevent rings from breaking. If reusing rings, mark their location (piston #1, #2, #3, or #4) for correct installation.

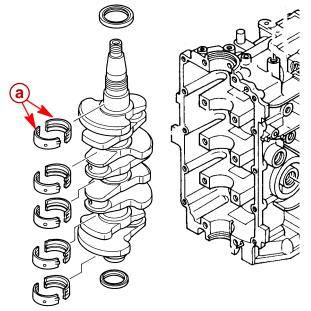
**NOTE:** Each connecting rod and cap are a matched set. They must not be interchanged.



- **b** Connecting Rod and Cap are a Matched Set, Don't Interchange
- c Scribe the Cylinder Number (1 thru 4) on Inside of Each Piston and Connecting Rod so they can be Reinstalled in their Original Location
- d Connecting Rod Bearings Do Not Interchange. Reinstall in Original Locations



8. Remove crankshaft from block.



a - Main Bearings - Do Not Interchange. Reinstall in Original Locations



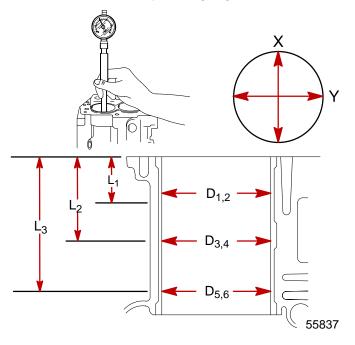
### Inspection Cylinder Bore

#### **MEASURING CYLINDER BORE**

- 1. Measure the cylinder bore diameter at three locations in both X and Y axis.
- 2. If the cylinder bore is beyond the standard limits listed in the tables below, it will be necessary to re-bore the cylinder to accept the oversize piston.

**NOTE:** Measure at three locations ( $L_1$ ,  $L_2$ , and  $L_3$ ) in both X and Y axis ( $D_{1-6}$ ).  $L_1=0.8$  in. (20 mm)  $L_2=1.6$  in. (40 mm)  $L_3=2.4$  in. (60 mm)

- 1. Inspect:
  - a. Water jacket for mineral deposits/corrosion, clean if necessary.
  - b. Inner surface for score marks, repair if necessary.
- 2. Measure bore diameter with a cylinder gauge, re-bore or replace if necessary.



Cylinder Bore Specifications	
Bore Size	Maximum Taper/Out-of-Round
Standard Bore 2.5591 in. (65 mm)	0.003 in.(0.08 mm)
<b>Oversize Bore-0.10 in. (0.25 mm)</b> 2.5689 in. (65.25 mm)	0.003 in.(0.08 mm)
Oversize Bore-0.20 in. (0.50 mm) 2.5787 in. (65.5 mm)	0.003 in.(0.08 mm)

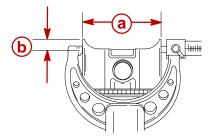
**NOTE:** Taper=(Maximum of  $D_1$  or  $D_2$ )–(Minimum of  $D_5$  or  $D_6$ )



1. Inspect piston wall wear/damage, replace if necessary.



2. Measure the piston at a point 0.2 in (5.0 mm) from the bottom, replace if out of specification.



a - Piston Diameter

**b** - 0.2 in. (5.0 mm)

Piston Diameter "a"	
Piston Size Diameter	
Standard	2.5570 - 2.5578 in. (64.950 - 64.965 mm)
Oversize-0.010 in. (0.50 mm)	2.5669 - 2.5675 in. (65.2 - 65.215 mm)
Oversize -0.020 in. (0.50 mm)	2.5768 - 2.5774 in. (65.450 - 65.465 mm)

- 3. Measure piston to cylinder clearance. If out of specification examine piston and cylinder bore further to determine repair/replacement.
  - a. Piston to Cylinder Clearance can be defined by:

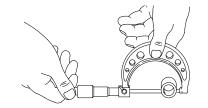
#### **MBM–MPM=PCC** where:

#### MBM=Minimum Bore Measurement MPM=Maximum Piston Measurement PCC=Piston to Cylinder Clearance

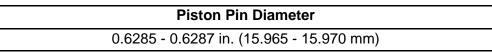
Piston to Cylinder Clearance	
0.0014 - 0.0026 in. (0.035 - 0.065 mm)	

#### **Piston Pin**

1. Measure piston pin diameter. Replace piston pin if out of specification.

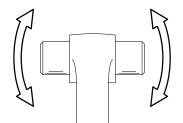


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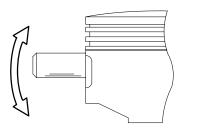


1. Place the piston pin into the connecting rod and check for free play. There should be no noticeable free play.



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2. Place the piston pin into the piston and check for free play. There should be no noticeable free play.

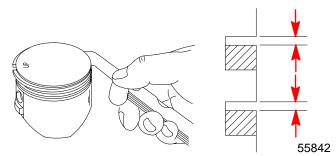


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### **Piston Rings**

#### PISTON RING SIDE CLEARANCE

1. Measure piston ring side clearance. Replace piston and/or piston rings if out of specification.

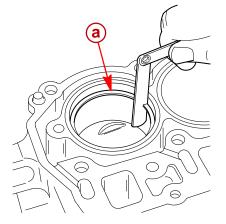


Piston Ring Side Clearance	
Тор	0.0008 - 0.0024 in. (0.02 - 0.06 mm)
Middle	0.0008 - 0.0024 in. (0.02 - 0.06 mm)



#### PISTON RING END GAP CLEARANCE

1. Measure piston ring end gap clearance. Replace piston ring if out of specification.



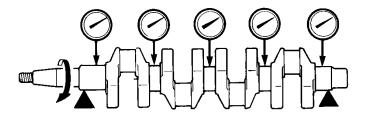
a - Push Piston Rings into Cylinder 0.8 in. (20 mm) Deep. Push in the Rings Using the Piston.

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Piston Ring End Gap	
Тор	0.006 - 0.012 in. (0.15 - 0.30 mm)
2nd	0.012 - 0.020 in. (0.30 - 0.50 mm)
Oil	0.008 - 0.028 in. (0.20 - 0.70 mm)

#### Crankshaft

- 1. Thoroughly clean crankshaft and inspect bearing surfaces. Replace crankshaft if bearing surfaces are pitted, scored, or discolored.
- 2. Measure Run-out. Replace crankshaft if out of specification.



Crankshaft Run-out	
0.0018 in. (0.046 mm)	



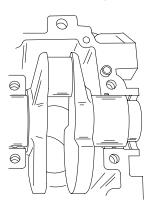
#### **Checking Main Bearing Clearance**

**IMPORTANT**: Do not interchange the main bearings. Reinstall in their original position.

- 1. Clean all the old sealing material from the split line on the crankcase cover and cylinder block.
- 2. Clean all the oil from the following areas:
  - Main bearing surfaces on the cylinder block and crankcase cover.
  - Main bearings.
  - Crankshaft bearing surfaces.

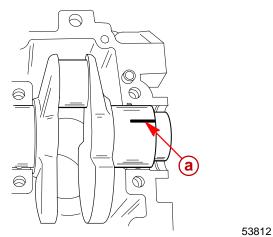
# **NOTE:** Refer to instructions in <u>Cylinder Block Reassembly</u> for selecting and installing main bearings.

- 3. Install main bearings.
- 4. Place crankshaft into cylinder block.



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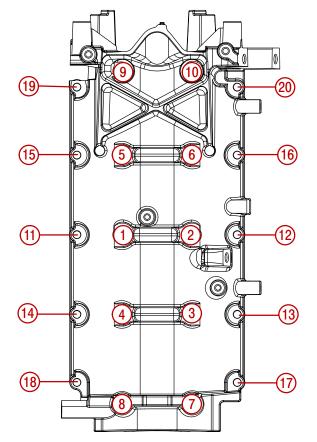
5. Place a piece of plastigauge onto each crankshaft bearing surface.



**a** - Plastigauge **NOTE:** Do not put plastigauge over the oil hole on the bearing surface of the crankshaft.

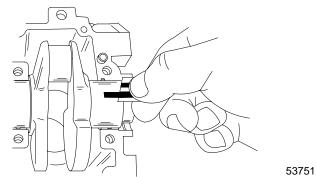


6. Install crankcase cover. Apply oil to the cover bolts and torque cover bolts in sequence and in two steps.



Crankcase Cover Bolt Torque		
Center Bolts Qty. 10	1st Torque:	11 lb-ft. (15 Nm)
(M8x82)	2nd Torque:	22 lb-ft. (30 Nm)
Outer Bolts Qty. 10	1st Torque:	53 lb-in. (6 Nm)
(M6x35)	2nd Torque:	106 lb-in. (12 Nm)

7. Remove the crankcase cover. Measure the compressed plastigauge to check the main bearing clearance. Replace bearings if clearance is not in specification.



Main Bearing Clearance 0.0005 - 0.0017 in. (0.012 - 0.044 mm)

8. If replacement of the main bearings is required, refer to Main Bearing Selection and Installation in <u>Cylinder Block Reassembly.</u>



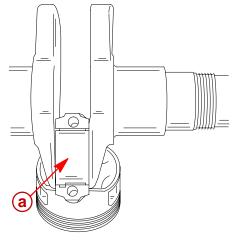
#### **Checking Connecting Rod Bearing Clearance**

# **IMPORTANT:** Do not interchange used connecting rod bearings. Reinstall bearings in their original position.

1. Clean all the oil from the connecting rod bearing surfaces and connecting rod journals on the crankshaft.

**NOTE:** Refer to instructions in <u>Cylinder Block Reassembly</u> for selecting and installing connecting rod bearings.

2. Place a piece of plastigauge on the connecting rod journals.

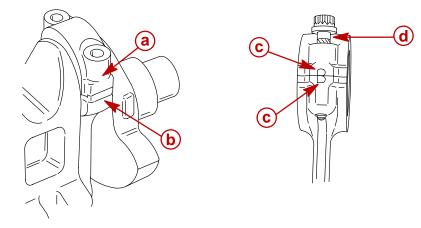


a - Plastigauge

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#### IMPORTANT: Do not rotate connecting rod when checking clearance.

3. Install the connecting rod to the respective journal. Tighten connecting rod bolts in sequence and in two steps to the specified torque.

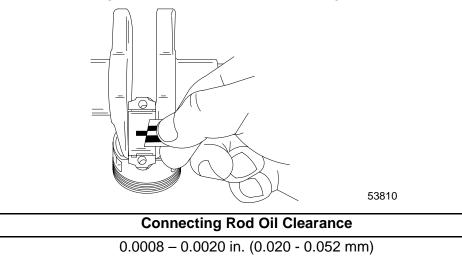


- a Connecting Rod Cap
- **b** Crankpin
- c Scribe Marks on Cap and Rod
- d Connecting Rod Bolts

Connecting Rod Bolt Torque	
1st Torque:	53 lb-in. (6 Nm)
2nd Torque:	150 lb-in. (17 Nm)

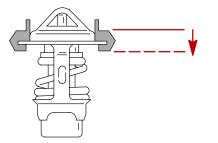


4. Remove the connecting rod cap. Measure the compressed plastigauge to check the connecting rod oil clearance. Replace bearings if oil clearance is not in specification.



#### Thermostat

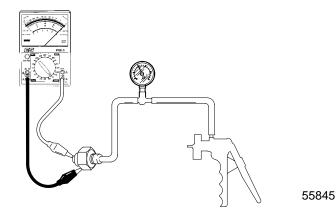
1. Measure the lift of the thermostat at the operating water temperature listed.



Water Temperature	Valve Lift
118 - 123° F (48° - 51° C)	Starts to Open
Above 145° F (63° C)	Minimum 0.12 in. (3 mm)

#### **Oil Pressure Switch**

1. Check continuity of switch.



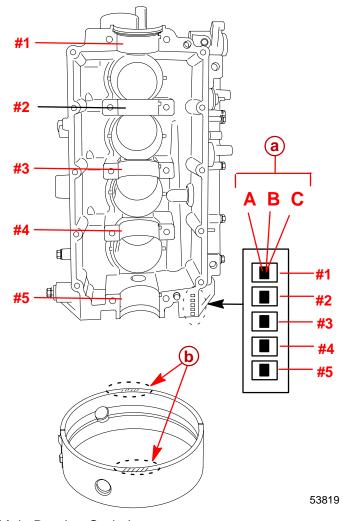
Oil Switch Continuity Check	
Below 2.9 psi (20.0 kPa)	Continuity
Above 2.9 psi (20.0 kPa)	No Continuity



### Cylinder Block Reassembly Selecting New Main Bearings

- 1. Locate the main bearing code letters on the cylinder block.
- 2. Refer to the following reference chart to select the correct main bearings.
- 3. Use the color coded main bearings that match the main bearing code letter.

Main Bearing Code Letter	Main Bearing Color Code
A	Blue
В	Black
С	Brown

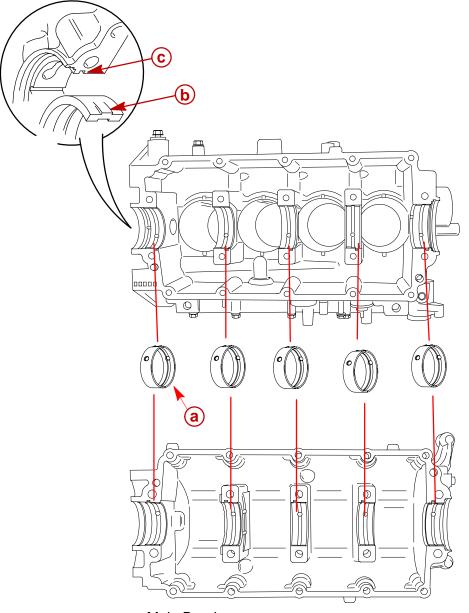


a - Main Bearing Code Lettersb - Main Bearing Identification Color Location

#### **Main Bearing Installation**

IMPORTANT: Do not interchange used main bearings. Reinstall in their original position.

- 1. Check clearance of each bearing, following procedure in Cleaning and Inspection.
- 2. Clean all the oil from the main bearing surfaces on the cylinder block and crankcase cover.
- 3. Install main bearings. Make sure the locking tab on each bearing fits into its notch in the cylinder block.

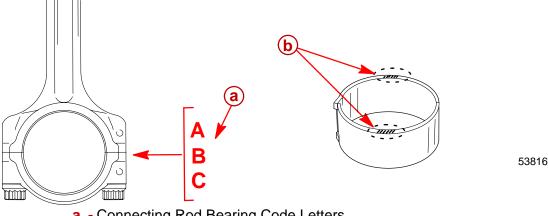


- a Main Bearings
- **b** Locking Tab
- c Notch in Cylinder Block



- 1. Locate the connecting rod bearing code letter that is scribed on the side of the connecting rod.
- 2. Refer to the following reference chart to select the correct connecting rod bearings.
- 3. Use the color coded connecting rod bearings that match the connecting rod bearing code letter.

Connecting Rod Bearing Code Letter	Connecting Rod Bearing Color Code
A	Blue
В	Black
С	Brown

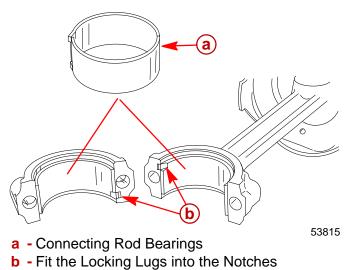


- a Connecting Rod Bearing Code Letters
- **b** Connecting Rod Bearing Identification Color Location

#### **Installing Connecting Rod Bearings**

# **IMPORTANT:** Do not interchange used connecting rod bearings. Reinstall bearings in their original position.

- 1. Clean all the oil from the bearing surfaces on the connecting rod.
- 2. Install connecting rod bearings. Make sure the locking lug on each bearing fits into its notch.



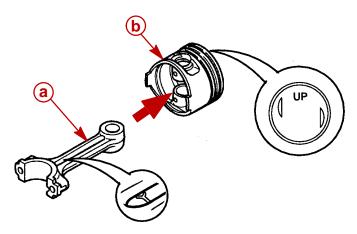
#### **Connecting Rod Installation**

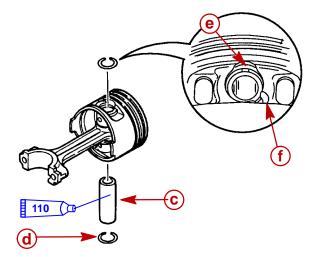
1. Lubricate the piston pin with oil and assemble the piston to the connecting rod. Always use new circlips.

IMPORTANT: Install the split end of the circlip into the groove first, push the other end down until it snaps into the groove. If the shape of the circlip is permanently distorted when attempting installation, discard it and use a new one.

IMPORTANT: Install side of connecting rod marked with a "Y" towards "UP" on piston face.

**IMPORTANT:** Piston pin clip should be installed with end gap facing opposite of pry point.





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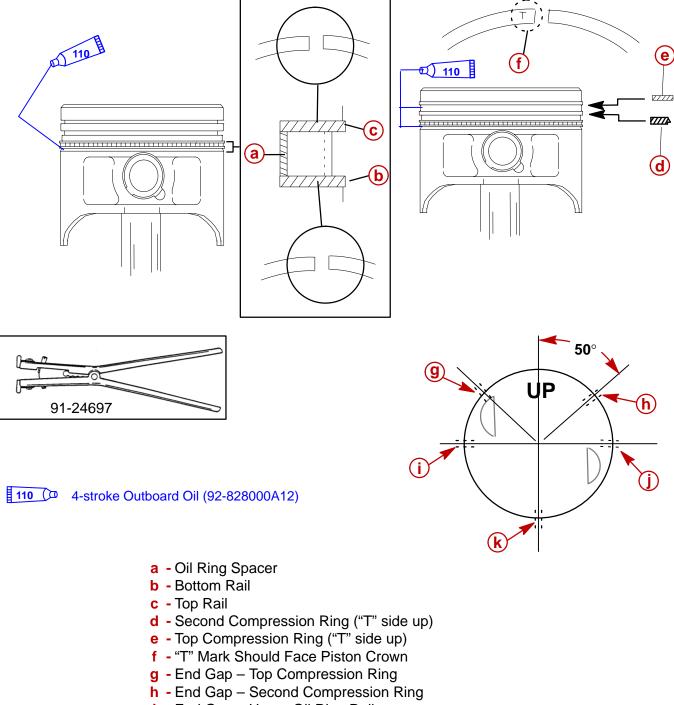
- a Connecting Rod
- **b** Piston
- **c** Piston Pin
- **d** Piston Pin Clip (2)
- e Piston Pin Clip End Gap
- **f** Pry Point



#### **Piston Ring Installation**

#### **IMPORTANT**: Use caution when installing piston rings to avoid scratching piston.

- 1. Install the oil ring components as shown. Spread rings just enough to slip over piston.
- 2. Install the second and top compression rings ("T" side up). Spread rings just enough to slip over piston.
- 3. Offset the piston ring end gaps.



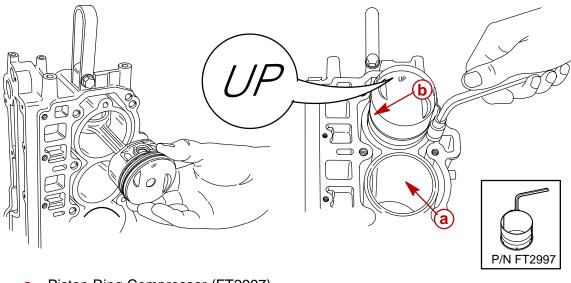
- i End Gap Upper Oil Ring Rail
- j End Gap Lower Oil Ring Rail
- k End Gap Oil Ring Spacer

#### **Piston Installation**

**NOTE:** Cylinder bores must be clean before installing pistons. Clean with light honing, as necessary. After honing, clean cylinder bores with water and detergent. After cleaning, swab cylinder bores several times with engine oil and a clean cloth, then wipe with a clean dry cloth.

- 1. Lubricate pistons, rings. and cylinder walls with engine oil.
- 2. Install piston/connecting rod assembly using piston ring compressor tool.

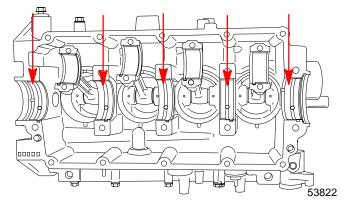
**NOTE:** Install used pistons in their original locations(cylinders). Install piston with "UP" mark on piston crown facing toward the flywheel end of block.



- a Piston Ring Compressor (FT2997)
- **b** Flywheel End

#### Crankshaft Installation

1. Lubricate the crankshaft bearing surfaces with engine oil.

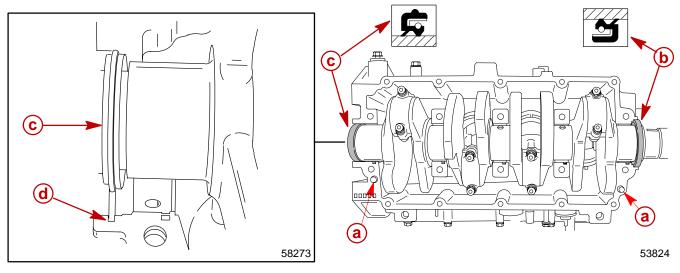


- 2. Lubricate the connecting rod journals with engine oil.
- 3. Lubricate the oil seals lips with oil.



- 4. Install upper and lower oil seals on crankshaft. Position oil seal lips as shown.
- 5. If removed, install dowel pins
- 6. Carefully lower crankshaft into place.

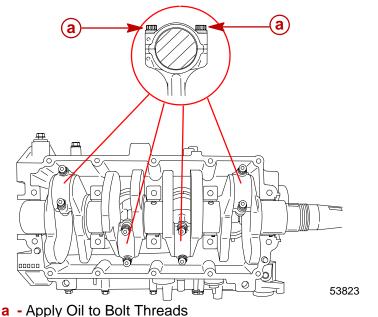
# **IMPORTANT**: Make sure the lower oil seal notch is positioned into the groove in the crankcase.



a - Dowel Pin (2)b - Upper Oil Seal

c - Lower Oil Seal (Raised Rib)d - Oil Seal Groove

- 7. Assemble the connecting rods to the crankshaft. Install the connecting rod caps, aligning the code letter marked on the connecting rod and cap.
- 8. Apply oil to the connecting rod bolts. Tighten bolts in sequence and in two steps to the specified torque.



Connecting Rod Bolt Torque		
1st Torque:	53 lb-in. (6 Nm)	
2nd Torque:	150 lb-in. (17 Nm)	

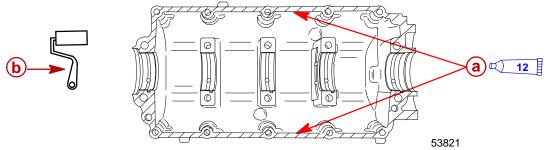
#### **Crankcase Cover Installation**

1. Clean off all oil from the contacting surfaces of the crankcase cover and cylinder block.

# **IMPORTANT:** Make sure the contacting surface of the crankcase cover and cylinder block are clean before applying gasket sealant.

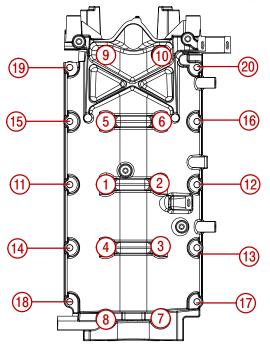
2. Apply a smooth even coat of Loctite Master Gasket Sealant to the contacting surfaces on the crankcase cover. Use a small (paint type) roller to spread out the sealant for a smooth even coverage. Instructions in gasket sealant kit must be followed exactly.

**NOTE:** Do not apply gasket sealant to the main bearings or the bolt holes.



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- a Apply Loctite Master Gasket Sealant
- b Use a Roller to Apply a Smooth Even Coat
- 3. Install crankcase cover on cylinder block. Dowel pins will lineup the two mating surfaces, be sure they are installed.
- 4. Apply oil to bolt threads. Torque the bolts in the sequence shown below. Tighten to the 1st torque value specified below. Repeat this torque sequence for the 2nd torque value.

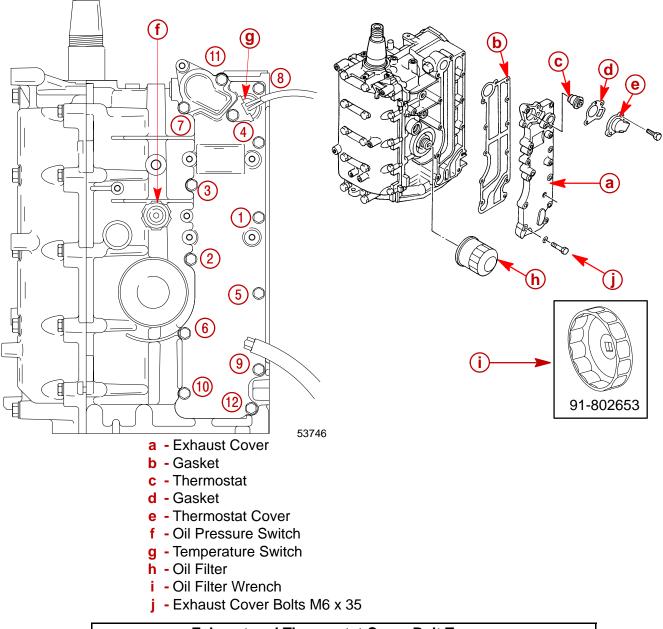


Crankcase Cover Bolt Torque		
Center Bolts Qty. 10 (M8x82)	1st Torque:	11 lb-ft. (15 Nm)
	2nd Torque:	22 lb-ft. (30 Nm)
Outer Bolts Qty. 10 (M6x35)	1st Torque:	53 lb-in. (6 Nm)
	2nd Torque:	106 lb-in. (12 Nm)



#### **Exhaust Cover Installation**

- 1. Install oil filter. Tighten to specified torque using wrench p/n 91-802653.
- 2. Install exhaust cover along with the thermostat and thermostat cover. Use new gaskets.
- 3. Tighten bolts to the first torque value in the sequence shown below. Repeat this procedure for the second torque value.
- 4. Install the oil pressure and temperature switch.



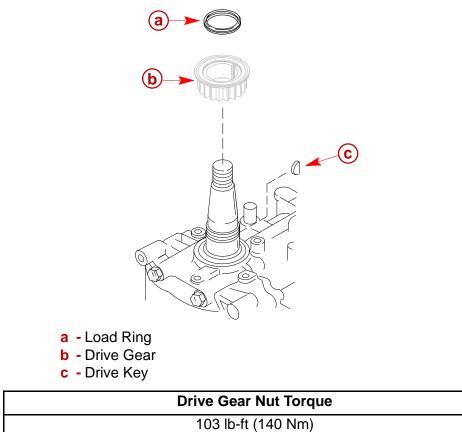
Exhaust and Thermostat Cover Bolt Torque	
1st Torque:	53 lb-in. (6 Nm)
2nd Torque:	106 lb-in. (12 Nm)

Oil Filter Torque
70 lb-in. (8 Nm)

#### **Drive Gear Installation**

1. Install the drive gear components.

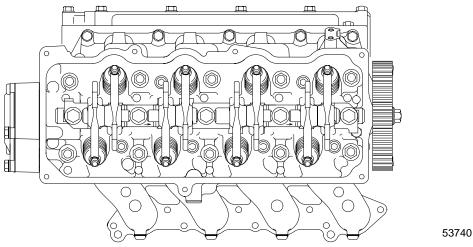
**NOTE:** Load Ring is for one time use and must be replaced if flywheel is removed.





#### **Installing Powerhead Components**

1. Reinstall cylinder head. Refer to Section 4A for installation and torque values.



#### **Engine Wiring Harness and Ignition/Electrical Component Installation**

1. Install the wiring harness assembly to the powerhead in the same order you removed it (refer to page 12 of this section). Refer to the appropriate section for each components torque value.

#### **Ignition Components**

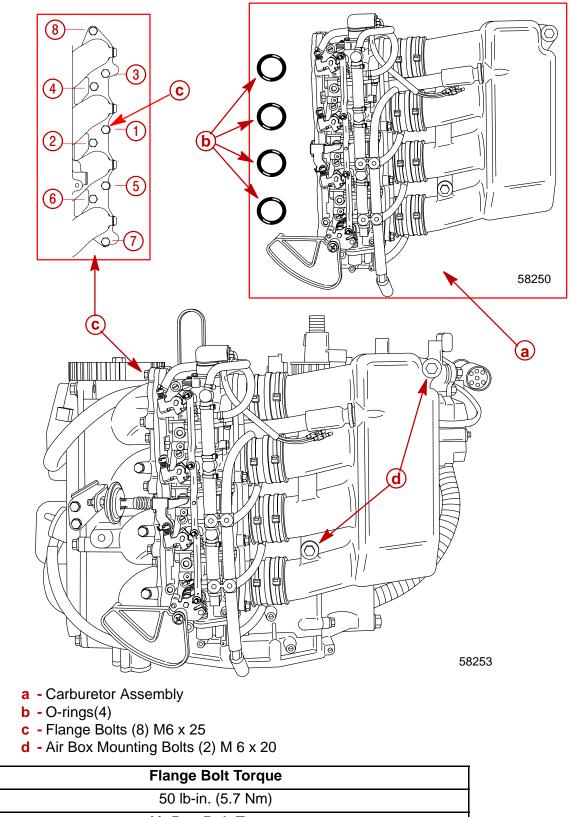
- 1. Refer to **Section 2A** for installation and torque values of the following ignition components.
  - a Timing Belt
  - **b** Stator
  - **c** Flywheel
  - d Ignition Coils
  - e ECM
  - f Crank Position Sensor

#### **Charging and Starting System Components**

- 1. Refer to Section 2B for installation and torque values of the following components:
  - a Starter Motor
  - b Start Solenoid
  - c Voltage Regulator

### **Fuel Components**

1. Reinstall carburetor assembly making sure the flange sealing o-rings(4) are in place. Tighten bolts to the specified torque.



#### Air Box Bolt Torque

75 lb-in. (8.5 Nm)



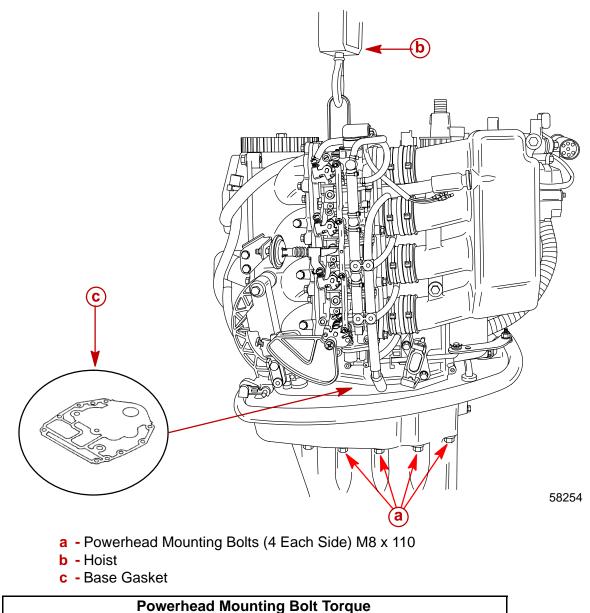
### **Powerhead Installation**

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When lubricating the driveshaft splines do not allow any grease on top of the driveshaft. Grease on top of the driveshaft will force the shaft down when installing the gearcase, causing the pinion gear to bind with the forward gear. This can result in damage or failure of the gears.

1. Install powerhead and new base gasket. Tighten mounting bolts to specified torque.

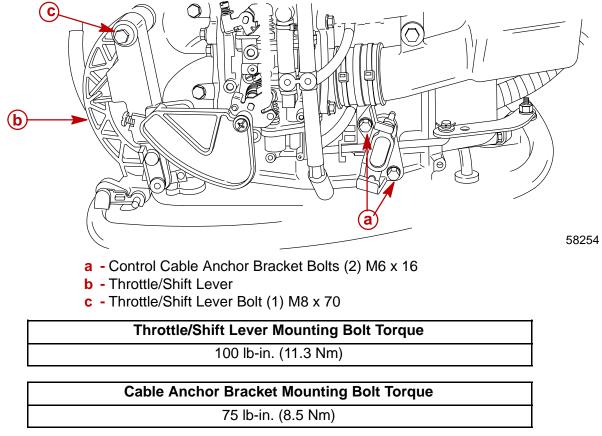
IMPORTANT: If the crank shaft splines do not line up with the driveshaft splines, shift the gearcase into forward, place a prop on the propshaft and rotate it counterclockwise. This will allow the splines to line up.



Re-connect throttle/shift linkage and control cable anchor bracket. Torque fasteners to specified torque.

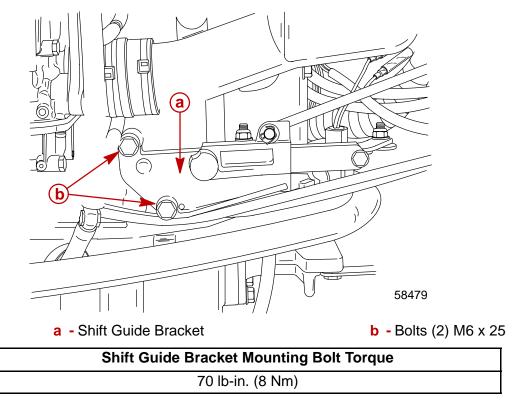


#### **Remote Control Model**

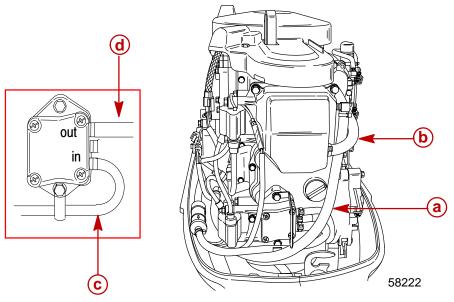


3. Install the shift guide bracket bolts. Tighten to specified torque.

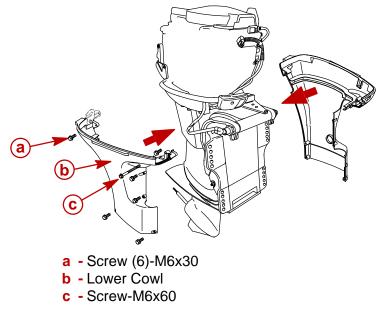
#### **Tiller Handle Model**



4. Reconnect hoses. Use sta-straps to fasten all hose connections.



- a Vent Hose
- **b** Breather Hose
- c Fuel Hose (In)
- d Fuel Hose (Out)
- 5. Reconnect the power trim harness wires.
- 6. Install spark plugs
- 7. Install bottom cowl. Tighten bolts to specified torque.



# Bottom Cowl Bolt Torque

75 lb-in. (8.5 Nm)

- 8. Connect battery cables to battery terminals (red goes to positive terminal).
- 9. Check engine oil level.

#### **Tiller Handle Models**

1. Refer to section 7B for installation of throttle cables, shift rod and tiller handle wiring.

# **POWERHEAD** Section 4C - Lubrication

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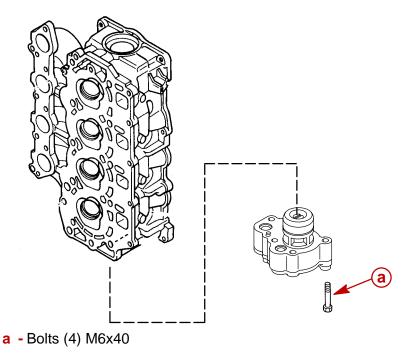
	Pump Type	Trochoid
	Engine Oil Pressure (Warm Engine)	
	@ 3000 rpm	30-40 psi (207-278 kPa)
	Engine Oil Pan Capacity	Either 3 Qts. or 3 Liters
	Oil Pump:	
	Outer Rotor to Housing "a"	0.0045 - 0.009 in. (0.11 - 0.23 mm)
	Inner Rotor to Outer Rotor "b"	0.005 in. (0.12 mm)
	Rotor to Housing "c"	0.0015 - 0.003 in. (0.04 - 0.08 mm)
LUBRICATION SYSTEM		
OTOTEM	<b>D</b>	
	<b>C</b>	
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### **Oil Pump Removal**

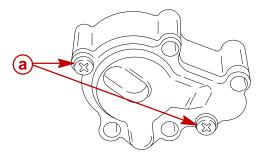
IMPORTANT: Do not twist/turn oil pump from side to side while removing it from cylinder head, as oil pump sealing o-rings will be cut. Pull oil pump away from cylinder head by inserting a screwdriver in the pry points on oil pump body.

- 1. Refer to section 4A for Cylinder Head Removal.
- 2. Remove oil pump bolts, separate oil pump from cylinder head.



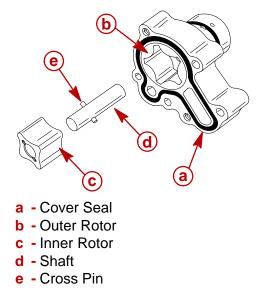
### **Oil Pump Disassembly**

1. Heat screws to loosen Loctite sealant. Remove screws.



a - Screw (2) Heat Screws to Loosen Loctite Sealant.

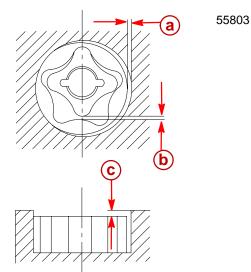
2. Disassemble Oil Pump.



### **Cleaning and Inspection**

#### **Oil Pump**

- 1. Check oil pump components for pitting, scratches, and for the following measurements. Replace oil pump if worn or out of specification.
- 2. Using a feeler gauge, measure the following oil pump clearances:
  - a. Between outer rotor and pump housing (a).
  - b. Between the inner rotor and outer rotor (b).
  - c. Between the outer rotor and pump housing (c).

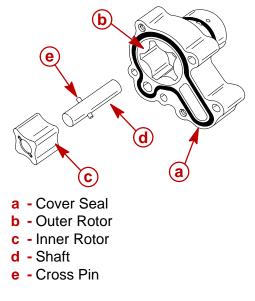


Oil Pump Clearances	
а	0.0045 - 0.009 in. (0.03 - 0.15 mm)
b	0.005 in. (0.12 mm)
С	0.0015 - 0.003 in. (0.03 - 0.08 mm)

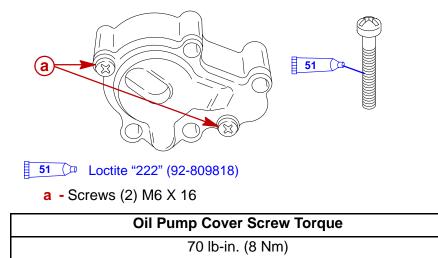


# **Oil Pump Reassembly**

- 1. Reassemble the oil pump assembly.
- 2. Lubricate the outer and inner rotors thoroughly with engine oil.

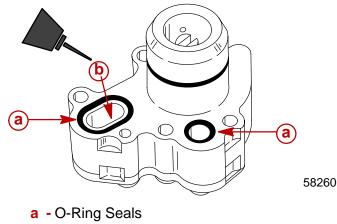


3. Fasten cover with two screws. Apply Loctite 222 to threads. Tighten screws to the specified torque.



## **Oil Pump Installation**

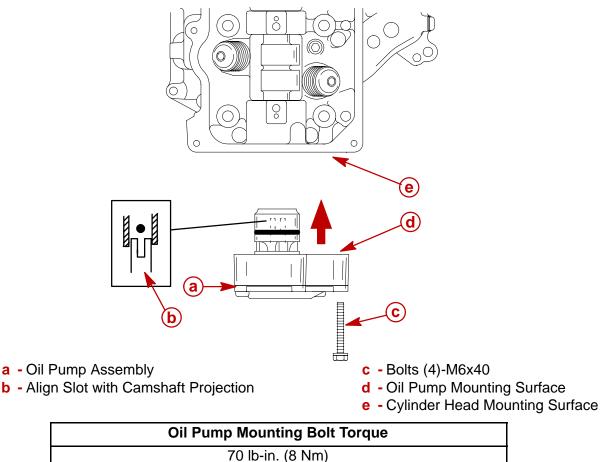
- 1. Place O-ring seals on the oil pump. Lubricate the O-rings with oil.
- 2. Prime the oil pump by pouring approximately 1 fl oz (30 ml) of engine oil into the oil pump body.



**b** - 30 ml of Engine Oil

IMPORTANT: When the oil pump sealing surface gets close to the surface of the cylinder head, do not twist/turn oil pump from side to side. The sharp edges on the cylinder head will cut the sealing o-rings.

- 3. Align oil pump shaft with the camshaft and install the oil pump.
- 4. Fasten with 4 bolts. Tighten bolts to the specified torque.





# **MID-SECTION**

### Section 5A - Clamp/Swivel Brackets & Drive Shaft Housing

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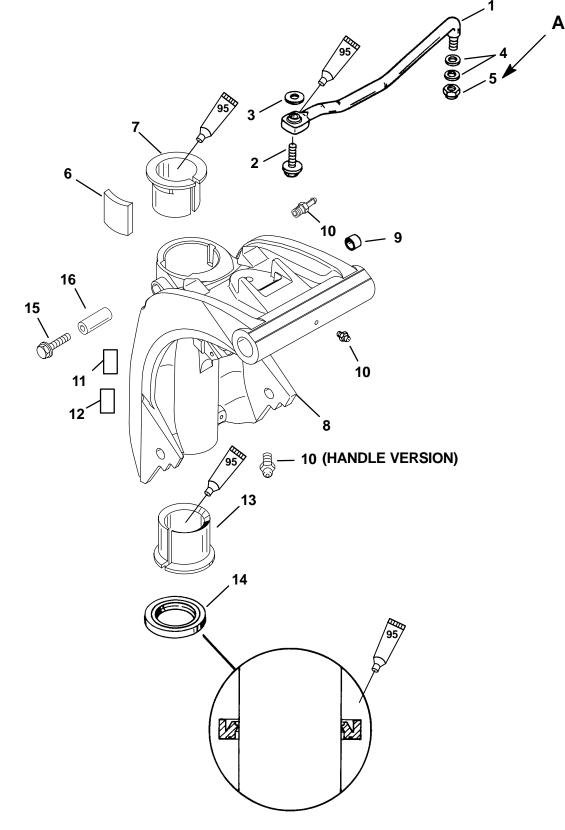
2-4-C w/Teflon

4-Stroke Outboard Oil

MID-SECTION	Transom Height: Long Shaft Steering Pivot Range: Tiller Remote Full Tilt Up Angle Allowable Transom Thickness	20 in. (51 cm) 90° 60° 71° 2-3/4 in. (69.8 mm)
Part No.	Description	
92-88504	Loctite Pipe Sealant w/Teflon	
92-850735A1	Anti-Corrosion Grease	



## **SWIVEL BRACKET**



95 0 2-4-C With Teflon (92-825407A12)

A = TORQUE NUT 120 LB. (13.5 N\_M) AND THEN BACK OFF 1/4 TURN.

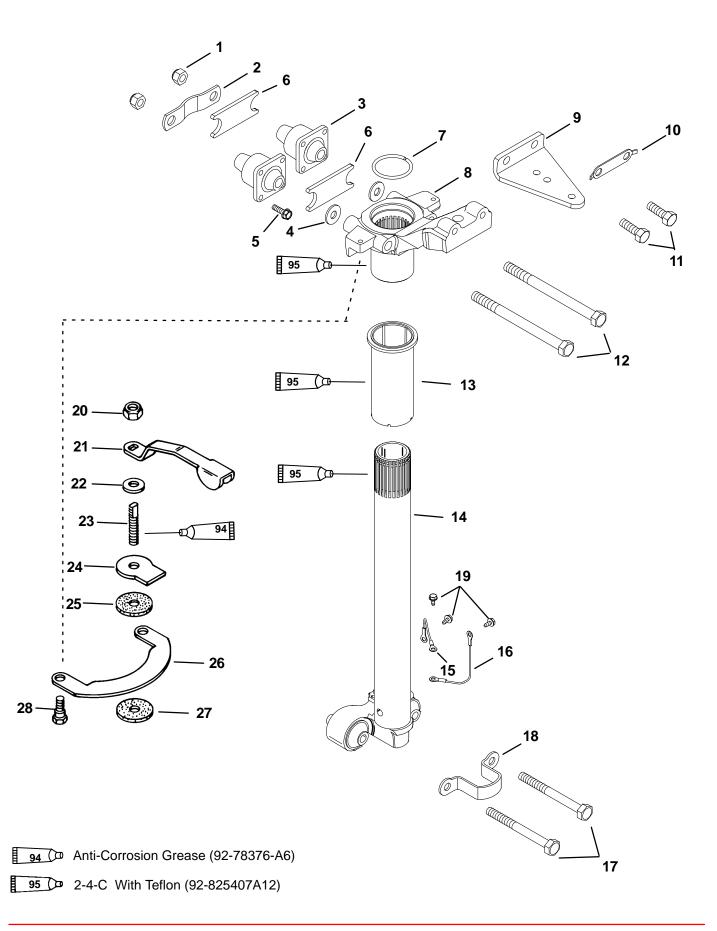


## **SWIVEL BRACKET**

REF.			TORQUE		Ξ
NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	lb-in	lb-ft	Nm.
1	1	LINK ROD			
2	1	SCREW (1-1/2 IN.)		20	27.0
3	1	WASHER ELECTRIC NON HANDLE			
4	2	WASHER			
5	2	NUT (.375-24)	120		13.5
6	1	PUCK			
7	1	BUSHING			
8	1	SWIVEL BRACKET			
9	2	BEARING			
10	2	GREASE FITTING (Qty. of 3 required on Handle Versions)	•		
11	1	DECAL-Co-Pilot (HANDLE)			
12	1	DECAL-Serial Overlaminate			
13	1	BUSHING (LOWER)			
14	1	SEAL			
15	1	SCREW (M8 x 10) (HANDLE)			
15	1	SCREW (M8 x 25) NON-HANDLE			
16	1	SEAL			



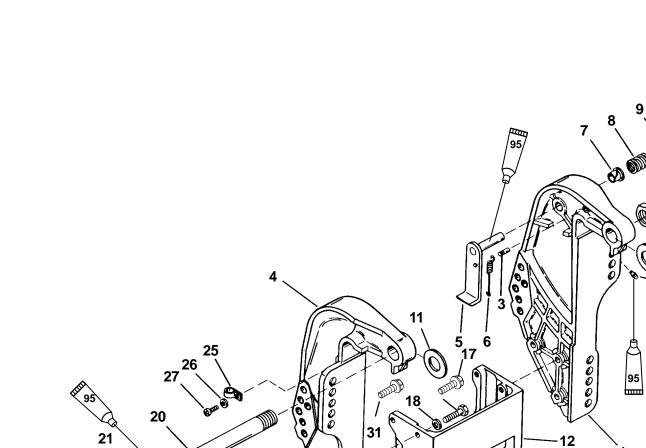
### **STEERING ARM**





### **STEERING ARM**

REF.			Г	ORQUE	E
NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	lb-in	lb-ft	Nm.
1	2	NUT		50	67.8
2	1	STRAP			
3	2	MOUNT			
4	2	WASHER			
5	8	SCREW (M6 x 20)	130	11	
6	2	BUMPER			
7	1	RETAINING RING			
8	1	STEERING ARM			
9	1	BRACKET			
10	1	TAB WASHER NON-HANDLE			
11	2	SCREW (M10x30)		32.5	44
12	2	SCREW (M12x154)		50	67.8
13	1	SPACER			
14	1	SWIVEL TUBE			
15	1	GROUND STRAP			
16	1	GROUND STRAP			
17	2	SCREW (M10x105)		32.5	44
18	1	STRAP-Lower Mount			
19	3	SCREW(SELF-TAPPING)	C	rive Tig	ht
20	1	NUT (.375-24)			
21	1	LEVER–Co-Pilot			
22	1	WASHER			
23	1	ROD (THREADED) HANDLE			
24	1	BRACKET PLATE			
25	1	DISC			
26	1	PLATE			
27	1	DISC			
28	2	SCREW (Hex Shoulder)	70		8.0



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**CLAMP/SWIVEL BRACKETS & DRIVE SHAFT HOUSING** 

**TRANSOM BRACKET** 

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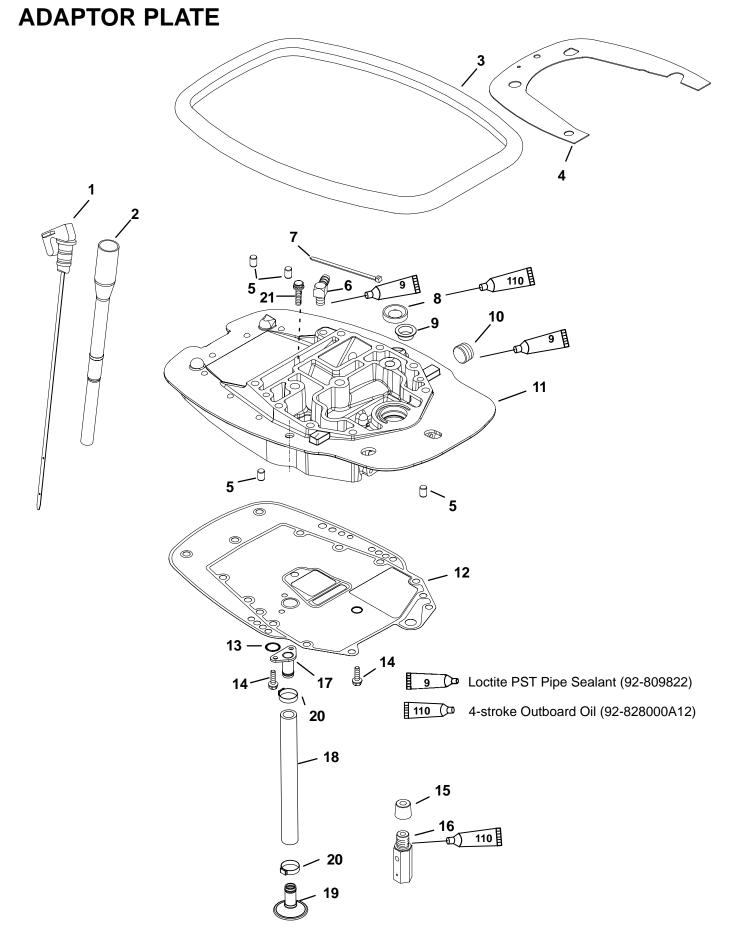
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## **TRANSOM BRACKET**

REF.			1	FORQU	E
NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	lb-in	lb-ft	Nm.
1	1	TRANSOM BRACKET (PORT)			
2	1	GREASE FITTING			
3	1	GROOVE PIN			
4	1	TRANSOM BRACKET (STARBOARD)			
5	1	TILT LOCK LEVER			
6	1	SPRING			
7	1	NYLINER			
8	1	SPRING			
9	1	KNOB			
10	1	GROOVE PIN			
11	2	WASHER			
12	1	ANCHOR BRACKET			
13	1	ANODE ASSEMBLY			
14	2	SCREW (M6 x 25)	60		6.8
15	2	WASHER			
16	5	SCREW (30 MM)	300		
17	1	SCREW (35 MM)	2	5-40 lb-	in
18	4	LOCKWASHER			
19	2	NUT			
20	1	TILT TUBE			
21	2	NUT	Tighter and the	n nut to en back turn	32 lb-ft off 1/4
22	1	SEAL KIT			
23	1	O RING NON-HANDLE			
24	1	SPACER			
25	2	CLIP			
26	1	C-WASHER			
27	1	SCREW (10-16 x 5/8)	D	rive Tig	ht
28	4	SCREW	D	rive Tig	ht
29	4	WASHER		rive Tig	
30	4	NUT			
31	2	SCREW (M10 x 40)			
32	2	WASHER			
33	2	NUT			

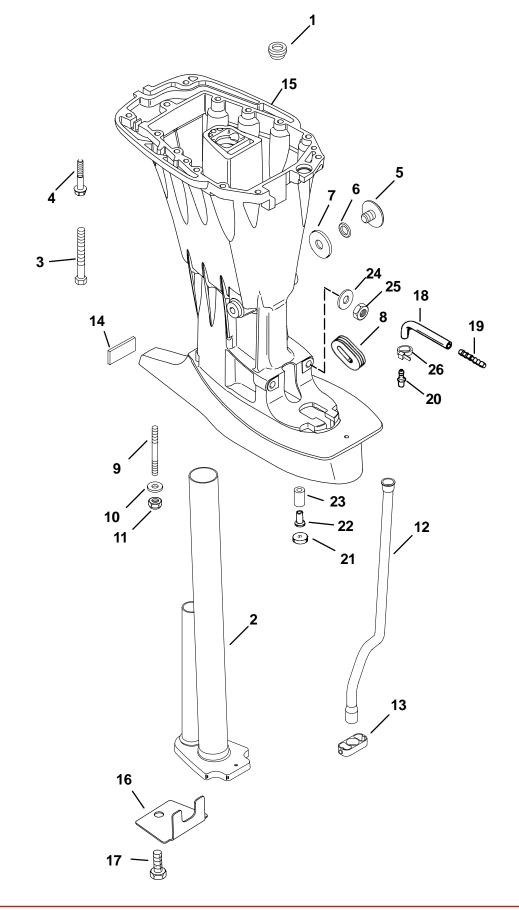






## **ADAPTOR PLATE**

REF.				TORQUE	
NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	lb-in	lb-ft	Nm.
1	1	DIPSTICK			
2	1	DIPSTICK TUBE			
3	1	SEAL			
4	1	HEAT SHIELD			
5	4	DOWEL PIN			
6	1	ELBOW			
7	2	STA-STRAP			
8	1	SEAL-driveshaft			
9	1	BUSHING			
10	1	PLUG-oil passage			
11	1	ADAPTOR PLATE			
12	1	GASKET			
13	1	O RING			
14	3	SCREW (M6x20)	75		8.5
15	1	DEFLECTOR-Oil			
16	1	BODY-oil pressure relief		17	23
17	1	PLATE-Top Oil Pickup			
18	1	HOSE-Oil Pickup			
19	1	BAFFLE			
20	2	CLAMP			
21	1	SCREW (M6 x 50)	150		16.9



# **DRIVESHAFT HOUSING**

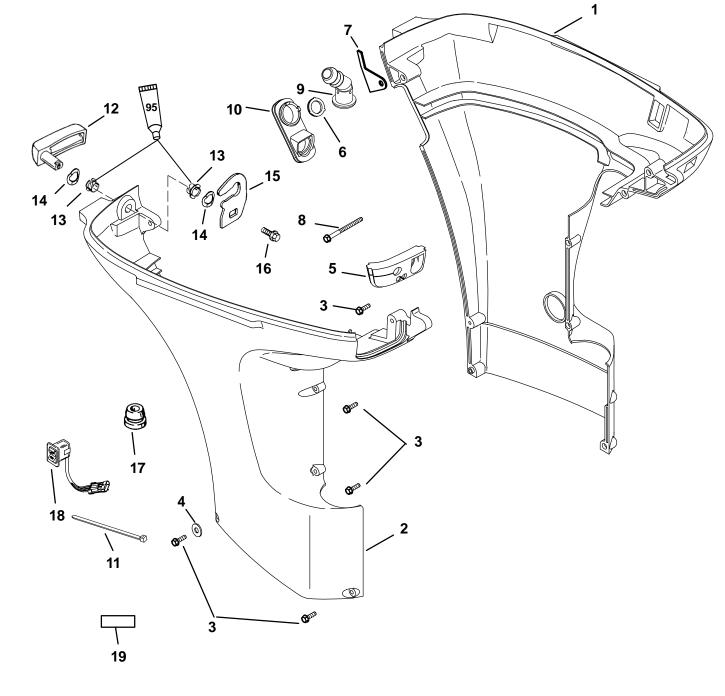
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# **DRIVESHAFT HOUSING**

REF.			TORQUE		
NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	lb-in	lb-ft	Nm.
1	1	SEAL-water tube			
2	1	EXHAUST PIPE			
3	8	SCREW (M8x110)		33	44.7
4	5	SCREW (M8 x 45)		28	38
5	1	DRAIN PLUG	210	17.5	23.5
6	1	GASKET			
7	2	BUMPER			
8	1	GROMMET			
_	1	STUD (M10 x 50) (NON-BIGFOOT)		12	16.3
9	1	STUD (M10 x 100) (BIGFOOT)		12	16.3
10	1	WASHER			
11	1	NUT		40	54.5
12	1	WATER TUBE			
13	1	GUIDE			
14	1	BUMPER (LONG)			
15	1	DRIVESHAFT HOUSING			
16	1	PLATE			
17	1	SCREW (M10 X 25)		26	35.3
18	1	SPEEDOMETER PICK UP			
19	1	CONNECTOR			
20	1	FITTING			
21	1	SPACER			
22	1	COUPLING			
23	1	BUSHING			
24	2	WASHER			
25	2	NUT			
26	1	STA-STRAP			



# **BOTTOM COWL**

**CLAMP/SWIVEL BRACKETS & DRIVE SHAFT HOUSING** 

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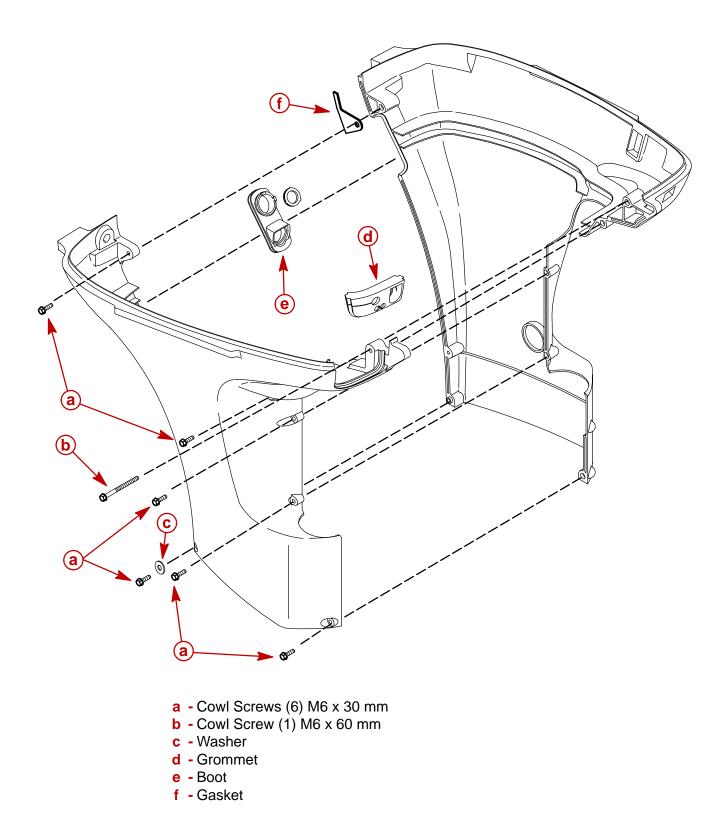


### **BOTTOM COWL**

REF.			TORQUE		Ε
NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	lb-in	lb-ft	Nm.
1	1	BOTTOM COWL (LONG-PORT)			
2	1	BOTTOM COWL (LONG-STBD.)			
3	6	SCREW (M6 x 30)	60		7.0
4	1	WASHER			
5	1	SEAL			
6	1	WASHER			
7	1	GASKET			
8	1	SCREW (M6 x 60)	60		7.0
9	1	FITTING-telltale			
10	1	BOOT			
11	1	STA-STRAP			
12	1	LEVER-Cowl Latch			
13	2	BUSHING			
14	2	WAVE WASHER			
15	1	LATCH HOOK			
16	1	SCREW (M6 x 16)	60		7.0
17	1	GROMMET-Trim wires			
18	1	SWITCH			
19	1	DECAL (CA VERY LOW EMISSION)			

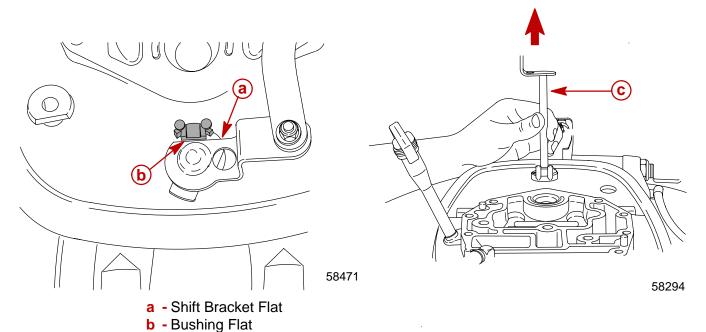


## **Bottom Cowl Removal/Installation**

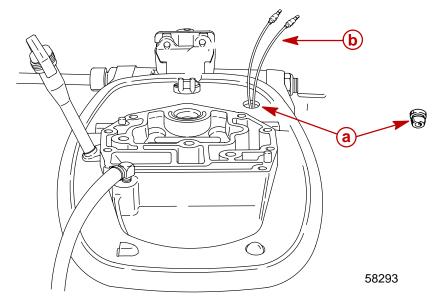


## **Adaptor Plate Removal**

- 1. Remove powerhead, refer to section 4B.
- 2. Remove lower unit, refer to section 6.
- 3. Rotate shift linkage until the flat on the shift shaft bracket lines up with the flat on the bushing. Pull the shift shaft straight up and out.



4. Remove wire grommet from adaptor plate. Pull power trim wires out of grommet.

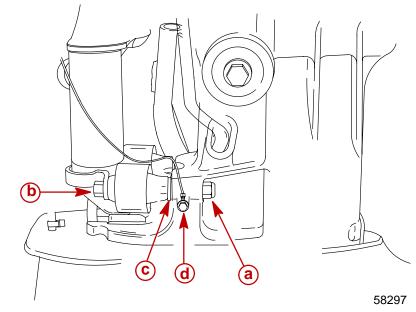


- a Trim Wire Grommet
- **b** Power Trim Wires

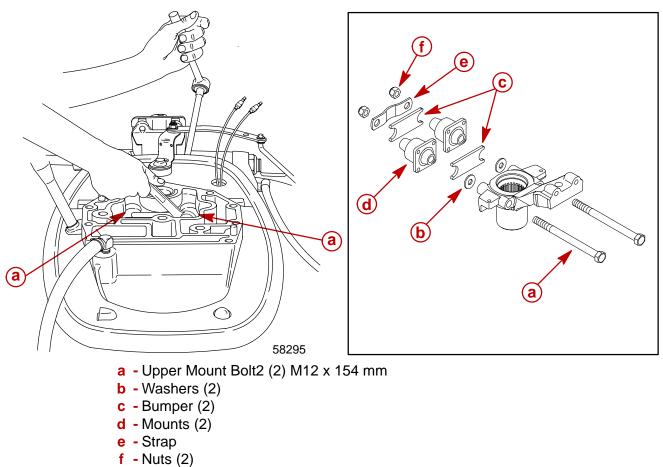
c - Shift Shaft



- 5. Remove nuts and washers from lower mount bolts.
- 6. Remove ground strap bolt.

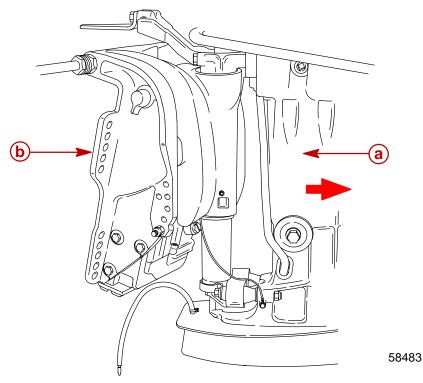


- **a** Nut (2)
- **b** Lower Mount Bolts (2) M10 x 105 mm
- **c** Washers (2)
- d Ground Strap Bolt
- 7. Remove nuts and washers from upper mount bolts.



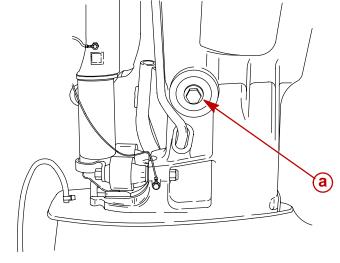


8. Separate drive shaft housing from transom bracket mount bolts by pulling backward.



a - Driveshaft Housing

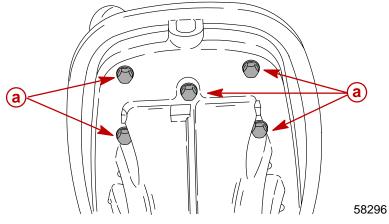
- **b** Transom Bracket
- 9. Remove drain plug on port side of driveshaft housing to drain remaining oil from sump.



a - Drain Plug

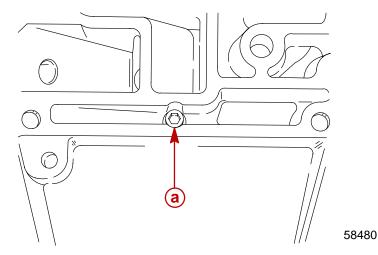


10. Remove 5 adaptor plate bolts from aft/underside of driveshaft housing.



a - Bolts (5) M8 x 45 mm

11. Remove allen head screw on top of adaptor plate.

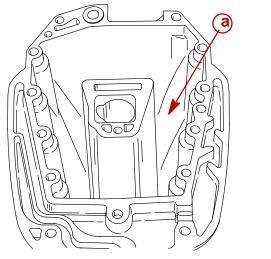


a - Allen Head Screw M6 x 50

- 12. Remove adaptor plate from driveshaft housing.
- 13. Inspect powerhead base gasket and adaptor plate gasket before reassembly. Replace if necessary.

### **Cleaning Oil Sump**

1. Inspect and clean oil sump thoroughly before reassembly.

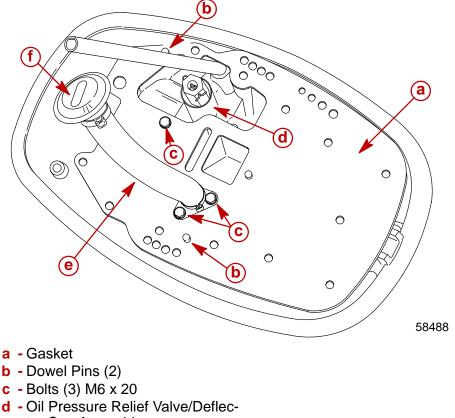


a - Oil Sump

#### **Adaptor Plate Inspection/Cleaning**

- 1. Disassemble, clean and inspect adaptor plate components as required.
- 2. Oil pick-up screen in baffle should be clean and free of damage.
- 3. Oil pick-up hose must be in good condition and clamped securely at either end.
- 4. Oil pressure relief valve must be clean and free to open and close without sticking.

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- tor Cup Assembly
- e Oil Pick-up Hose
- f Baffle Screen



## **Adaptor Plate Reassembly**

1. If removed during cleaning/inspection, install adaptor plate components per the above diagram. Tighten fasteners to specified torque.

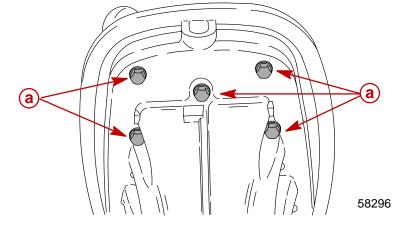
#### Pickup Hose/Gasket Bolt Torque

75 lb-in. (38 Nm)

Oil Pressure Relief Valve Torque (Oiled)

17 lb-ft. (23 Nm)

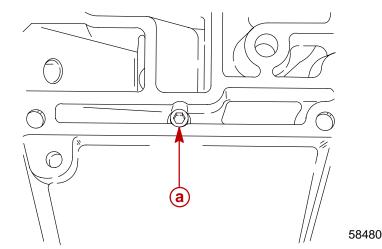
1. Place adaptor plate on to driveshaft housing, install 5 bolts on the aft/underside of the driveshaft housing and tighten to specified torque.



a - Bolts (5) M8 x 45 mm

Adaptor Plate Bolt Torque
28 lb-ft. (38 Nm)

2. Install allen head screw on top side of adaptor plate. Tighten to specified torque.

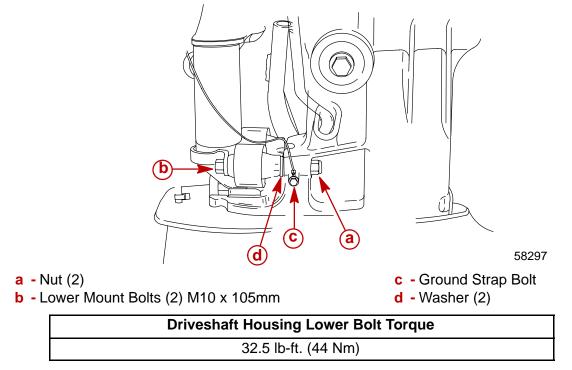


a - Allen Head Screw M6 x 50

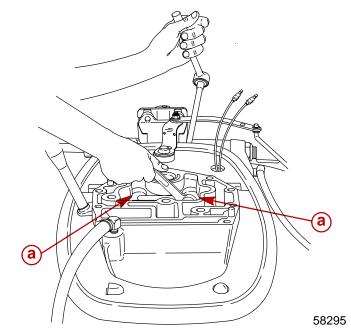
Adaptor Plate Bolt Torque
150 lb-in. (16.9 Nm)

# **Driveshaft Housing Reassembly**

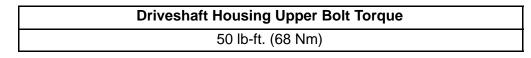
- 1. Replace driveshaft housing assembly to transom bracket. Two people may be required for this, one to hold the driveshaft housing, the other to install the upper and lower bolts.
- 2. Tighten lower bolts to specified torque. Make sure washers are in the correct position.
- 3. Tighten ground strap bolt.



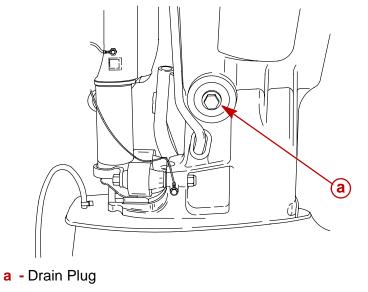
4. Tighten upper mount bolts to specified torque.



a - Upper Mount Bolts(2) M12 x 154

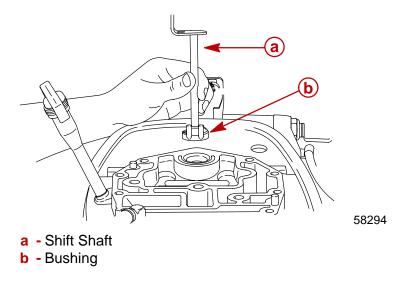


5. Replace drain plug into housing and torque to specified torque.



Drain Plug Torque	
17.5 lb-ft (24 Nm)	

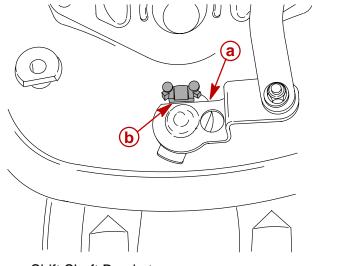
6. Slide the shift shaft through the bushing, into the driveshaft housing.



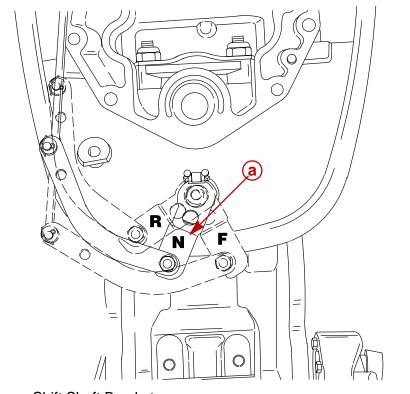


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7. Rotate shift shaft so the flat on the shift shaft bracket lines up with the flat on the bushing.



- a Shift Shaft Bracket
- **b** Bushing Flat
- 8. Rotate shift shaft and position bracket in the neutral position.

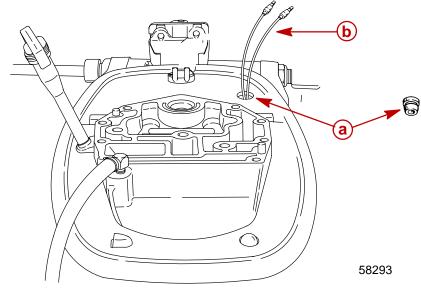


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a - Shift Shaft Bracket



9. Install grommet and pull power trim wires up thru adaptor plate grommet.



a - Trim Wire Grommet

**b** - Power Trim Wires

10. Reinstall the following components:

- Lower unit, refer to section 6.
- Powerhead, refer to section 4B.

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# MID-SECTION Section 5B - Power Trim

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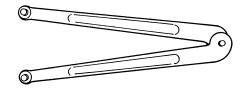
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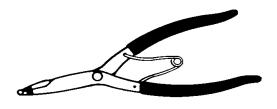


# **Special Tools**

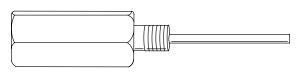
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2. Lock-Ring Pliers P/N 91-822778A3



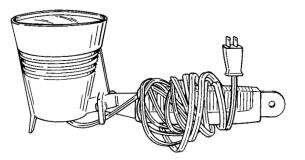
3. Expanding Rod P/N CG 41-11\*



4. Collet P/N CG 41-14\*



5. Heat Lamp P/N 91-63209



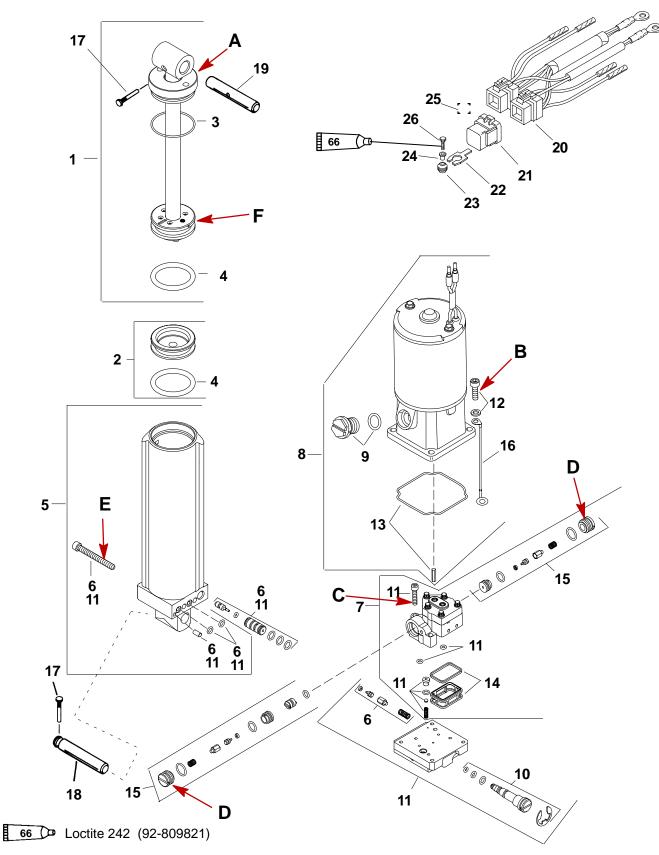
# **Quicksilver Lubricants and Service Aids**

Part No.	Description
92-90100A12	Power Trim Fluid
92-850736A1	2-4-C w/Teflon



**Power Trim** 





**NOTE:** Lubricate all O-rings using Quicksilver Power Trim and Steering Fluid. If not available, use automotive (ATF) automatic transmission fluid.

**NOTE:** It is recommended that all O-rings be replaced when servicing tilt system.



### **Power Trim**

REF.			1	TORQUE		
NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	lb-in.	lb-ft	Nm	
_	1	POWER TRIM PUMP				
1	1	SHOCK ROD KIT				
2	1	MEMORY PISTON ASSEMBLY				
3	1	O RING REBUILD KIT				
4	2	O RING				
5	1	CYLINDER ASSEMBLY				
_	1	TRIM LIMIT VALVE KIT (NON-BIGFOOT)				
6	1	TRIM LIMIT VALVE KIT <b>(BIGFOOT)</b>				
7	1	PUMP ASSEMBLY				
8	1	MOTOR KIT				
9	1	RESERVOIR PLUG				
10	1	MANUAL RELEASE ASSEMBLY				
11	1	MANIFOLD KIT				
12	1	SCREW KIT (MOTOR)				
13	1	DRIVE SHAFT				
14	1	FILTER KIT				
15	1	P.O. CHECK ASSEMBLY KIT				
16	1	CABLE				
_	1	O RING KIT (COMPLETE TRIM)				
17	2	GROOVE PIN				
18	1	ANCHOR PIN				
19	1	PIN				
_	1	TRIM HARNESS/RELAY ASSEMBLY				
20	1	HARNESS-Trim				
21	2	RELAY				
22	2	BRACKET				
23	2	GROMMET				
24	2	BUSHING				
25	2	DECAL-Trim Relay				
26	2	SCREW (M6 x 30)				

- A Torque cylinder cap to 45 lb-ft (61 Nm)
- B Torque screws to 80 lb-in. (9.0 Nm)
- C Torque screws to 70 lb-in. (7.9 Nm)
- D Torque plugs to 120 lb-in. (13.5 Nm)
- E Torque screws to 100 lb-in. (11 Nm)
- F Torque shock piston to 90 lb-ft (122 Nm)



## **Theory Of Operation**

The Power Trim system consists of an electric motor, pressurized fluid reservoir, pump and trim cylinder.

The remote control (or trim panel) is equipped with a switch that is used for trimming the outboard "up" and "down", and for tilting the outboard for shallow water operation (at slow speed) or for "trailering". The outboard can be trimmed "up" or "down" while engine is under power or when engine is not running.

## Adjustments

#### **Trimming Characteristics**

**NOTE:** Because varying hull designs react differently in various degrees of rough water, it is recommended to experiment with trim positions to determine whether trimming "up" or "down" will improve the ride in rough water.

When trimming your outboard from a mid-trim position (trim tab in neutral, straight fore-andaft, position), you can expect the following results:

#### TRIMMING OUTBOARD "UP" ("OUT")

#### **WARNING**

Excessive trim "out" may reduce the stability of some high speed hulls. To correct instability at high speed, reduce the power gradually and trim the motor "In" slightly before resuming high speed operation. (Rapid reduction in power will cause a sudden change of steering torque and may cause additional momentary boat instability.)

- Will lift bow of boat, generally increasing top speed.
- Transfers steering torque harder to left on installations below 23 in. transom height.
- Increases clearance over submerged objects.
- In excess, can cause porpoising and/or ventilation.
- In excess, can cause insufficient water supply to water pump resulting in serious water pump and/or powerhead overheating damage.

### **WARNING**

Excessive engine trim angle will result in insufficient water supply to water pump causing water pump and/or powerhead overheating damage. Make sure that water level is above gear housing water intake holes whenever engine is running.

Operating "Up" circuit will actuate the "up" relay (located under engine cowl) and close the electric motor circuit. The electric motor will drive the pump, thus forcing automatic transmission fluid through internal passageways into the "up" side of the trim cylinder.

The trim cylinder/trim rod will position the engine at the desired trim angle within the 20° maximum trim range. The power trim system is designed so the engine cannot be trimmed beyond the 20° maximum trim angle as long as engine RPM is above approximately 2000 RPM.

The engine can be raised beyond the  $20^{\circ}$  maximum trim angle for shallow water operation, etc., by keeping the engine RPM below 2000 RPM. If engine RPM increases above 2000 RPM, the thrust created by the propeller (if deep enough in the water) will cause the trim system to automatically lower the engine back to the  $20^{\circ}$  maximum trim angle.



#### TRIMMING OUTBOARD "DOWN" ("IN")

### **WARNING**

Excessive speed at minimum trim "In" may cause undesirable and/or unsafe steering conditions. Each boat should be tested for handling characteristics after any adjustment is made to the tilt angle (tilt pin relocation).

- Will help planing off, particularly with a heavy load.
- Usually improves ride in choppy water.
- In excess, can cause boat to veer to the left or right (bow steer).
- Transfers steering torque harder to right (or less to the left).
- Improves planing speed acceleration (by moving tilt pin one hole closer to transom).

Operating "Down" circuit will actuate the "down" relay (located under engine cowl) and close the electric motor circuit (motor will run in opposite direction of the "Up" circuit). The electric motor will drive the pump, thus forcing automatic transmission fluid through internal passageways into the "down" side of the trim cylinder. The trim rod will move the engine downward to the desired angle.

#### Trailering Outboard

#### **WARNING**

Excessive engine trim angle will result in insufficient water supply to water pump causing water pump and/or powerhead overheating damage. Make sure that water level is above gear housing water intake holes whenever engine is running.

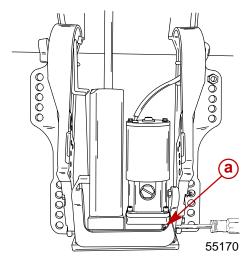
While operating "up" circuit, the cylinder rod will continue to tilt the outboard to a full up position for trailering.

#### Tilting Outboard Up and Down Manually

#### **WARNING**

Before loosening the manual release valve, make sure all persons are clear of engine, as engine will drop to full "down" position when valve is loosened.

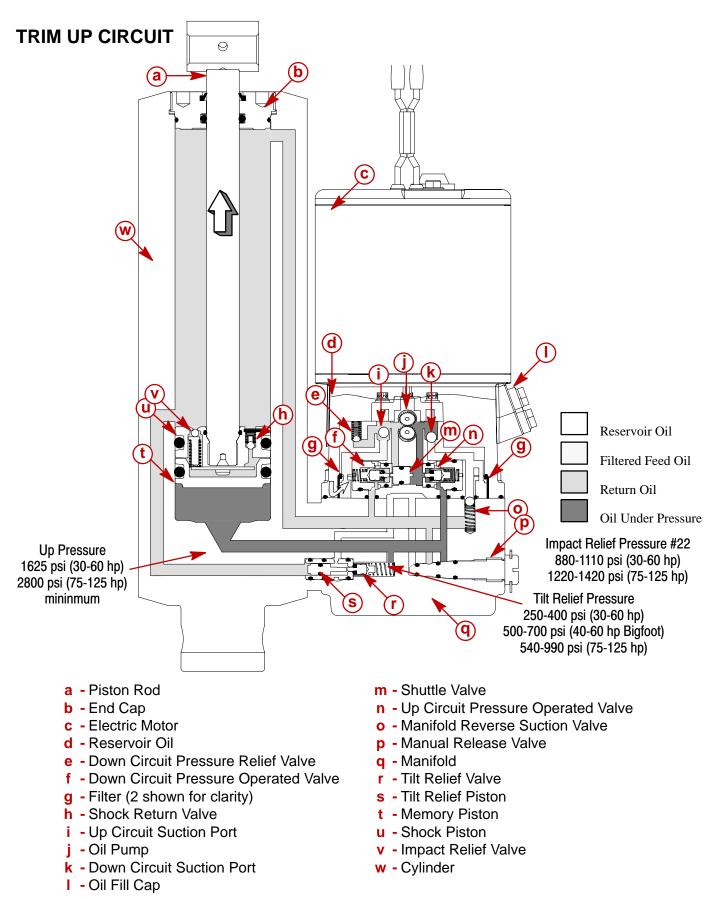
With power trim installed, the outboard can be raised or lowered manually by opening the manual release valve 3 to 4 turns (counterclockwise).



a - Manual Release Valve



# **Power Trim Flow Diagrams**

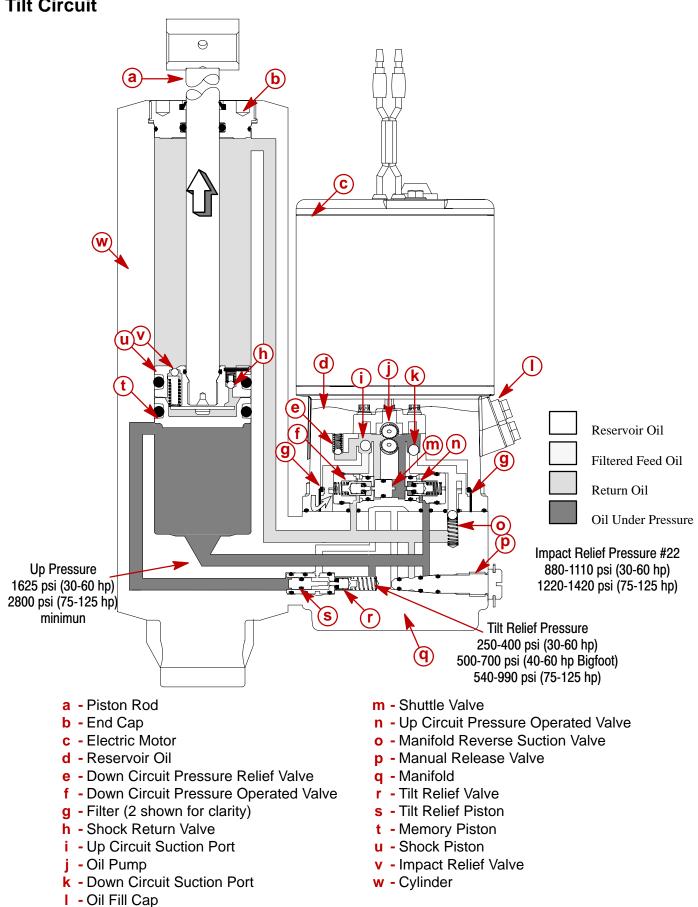




When the trim switch is activated in the up position, the electric motor (c) begins to rotate the oil pump gears (j), the oil pump draws a small amount of oil through the filter (g) and through the up circuit suction port (i). The oil pump gear (j) rotation forces oil into the passages for the up circuit. Oil, under pressure, will slide the shuttle valve (m) against the down circuit pressure operated valve (f). The shuttle valve will mechanically open the down pressure operated valve, allowing oil from the down cavity of the trim cylinder, to flow into the oil pump. This returning oil, from the down cavity, will supply most of the oil required for the up circuit. Oil in the up circuit is blocked from returning into the reservoir by the ball inside the down circuit suction port (k). The pressure of the oil will force the up circuit pressure operated valve (n) to open, allowing the oil to enter the passages inside the manifold (g) leading to the trim cylinder (w) up cavity. Oil is blocked from all other passages by the closed manual release valve (p). Oil under pressure will enter the trim cylinder below the memory piston (t). With an increasing amount of oil entering the cylinder, the memory piston contacts the shock piston (u) and forces the piston rod (a) up and out, raising the outboard motor. Oil on the top of the shock piston exits through a passage running down along the side of the cylinder and enters the manifold passages. The oil is drawn back into the pump (j) through the open down circuit pressure operated valve (f) and enters the pump as supply for the up circuit.

#### **Tilt Circuit**



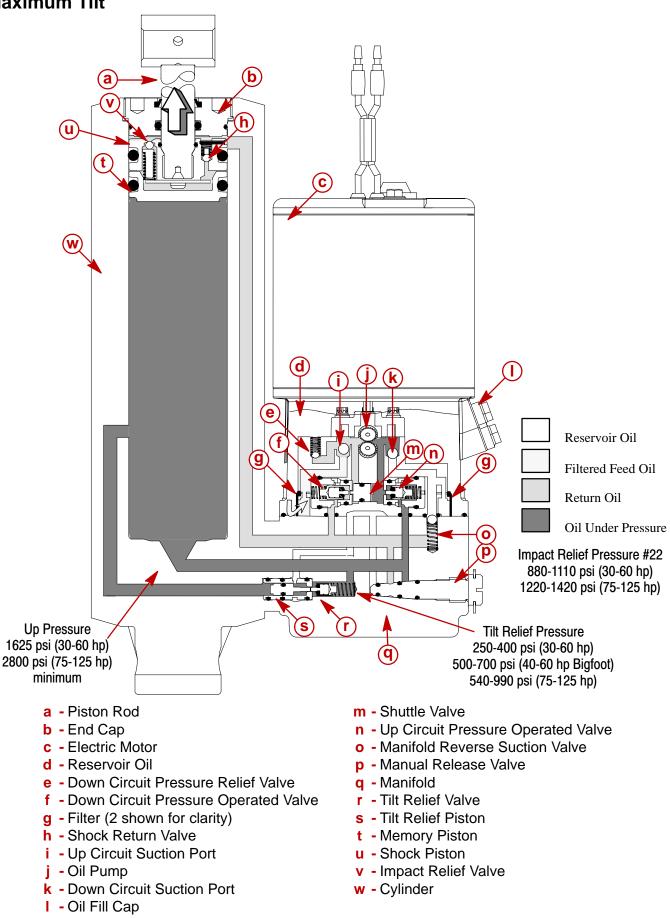




In the up mode, as the piston rod (a) extends from the cylinder (w), the memory piston (t) clears or uncovers the pressure relief passage. Oil from the up cavity will enter this passage and, if required, causes the tilt relief piston (s) to open the tilt pressure relief valve (r). This valve lowers the amount of pressure available to lift the outboard motor. With the engine in forward gear, and at high engine rpm, the oil pressure available will not be able to overcome the propeller thrust, limiting the trim range to below the pressure relief orifice. When the engine rpm falls or if engine is not in forward gear, the oil pressure is available to extend the piston rod (a) up into the tilt range.

#### **Maximum Tilt**



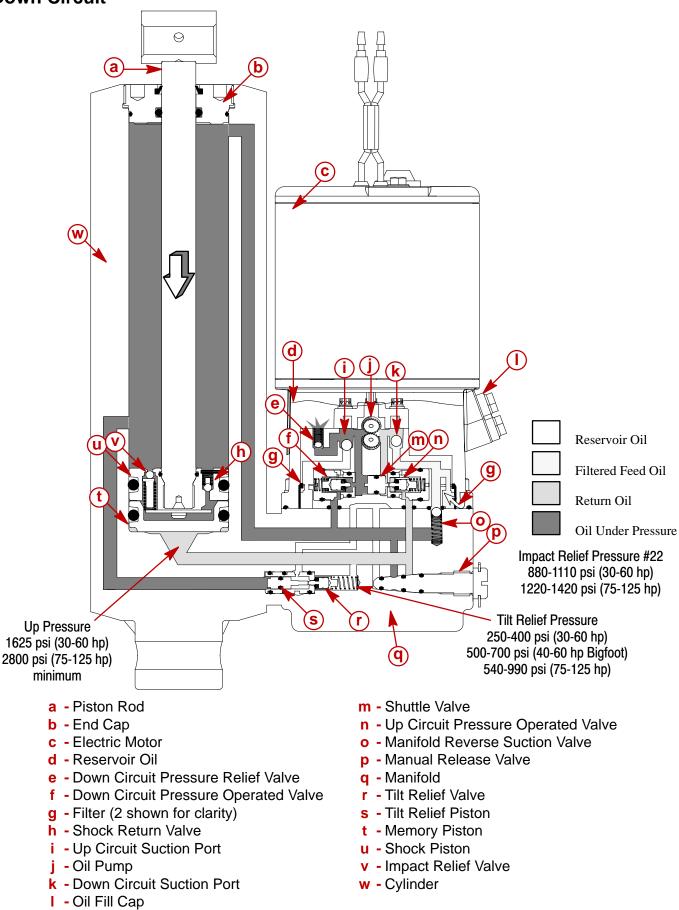




With the piston rod at maximum travel, and due to no rod movement, the pressure inside of the trim cylinder (w) will increase to the pressure required to move the tilt relief piston (s). The tilt relief piston's "pin" opens the tilt relief valve (r). Up pressure flows into the trim relief passage, and returns back into the reservoir.

#### **Down Circuit**

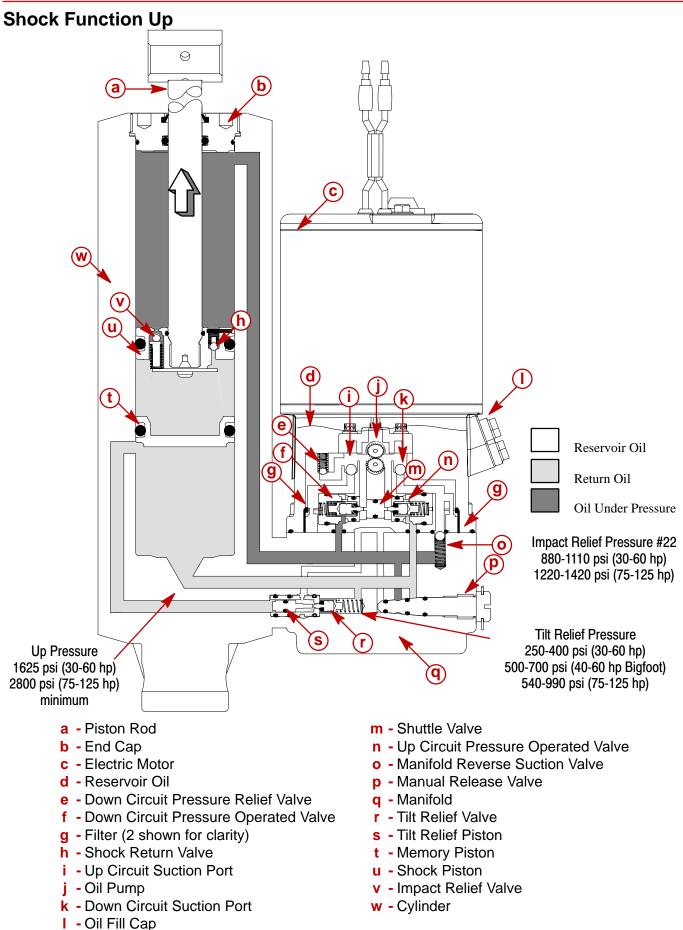






When the trim switch is activated in the down position, the electric motor (c) will rotate the pump (j) in the opposite direction. With the oil pump gears rotating backwards, the flow of oil is reversed. Oil is drawn through the filter (g), through the down circuit suction port (k) and into the oil pump (j). The pump forces pressurized oil into the down passages, oil will slide the shuttle valve (m) into the up circuit pressure operated valve (n). The shuttle valve will mechanically open the up circuit pressure operated valve and allow oil, from the up cavity of the trim cylinder (w), to return into the oil pump. This returning oil, from the up cavity, will supply the oil required for the down circuit. The oil is blocked from returning into the reservoir by the ball (i) inside the up circuit suction port. Oil, under pressure, opens the down circuit pressure operated valve (f) and enters the down passages inside of the manifold (g). The manifold passage connects into the trim cylinder passage leading to the top of the cylinder. The cavity, inside the cylinder, above the shock piston (u) is the down cavity. As the down cavity fills with oil, the piston rod (a) retracts into the cylinder, lowering the outboard motor. Oil from the up cavity exits the cylinder and is drawn back into the pump through the open up circuit pressure operated valve (n). When the piston rod reached full travel, the oil pressure inside the down circuit will rise until the down pressure regulating valve (e) opens, bypassing oil back into the reservoir. When the trim button is released, and the oil pump stops supplying pressure, both of the pressure operated valves (f & n) will close and; if open, the down pressure relief valve (e) will close. The closed valves will lock the fluid on either side of the shock piston (u) & memory piston (t), holding the outboard motor in position.

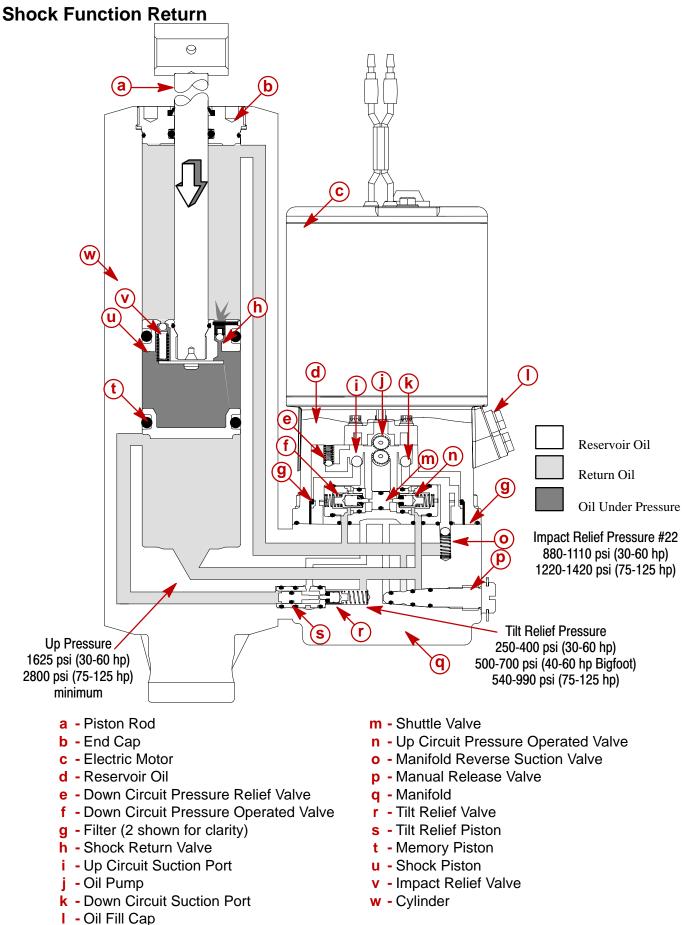




## Shock Function Up

Oil inside the down cavity is locked in a static position by the closed down circuit pressure operated valve (f), the manual release valve (p) and the manifold reverse suction valve (o). If the outboard strikes an underwater object while in forward gear, the piston rod (a) will try to rapidly extend from the cylinder (w), the pressure increases inside the trim cylinder down cavity and connecting passages. When the pressure increases to the level required, the impact relief valves (v), located inside the shock piston (u), will open and allow the fluid to pass through the shock piston. As the fluid passes through the piston, the piston rod (a) will extend from the trim cylinder. The memory piston (t) is held in position by vacuum, created by the oil in the up cavity being locked in a static position. Therefore; oil passing through the shock piston is trapped between the memory piston (t) and shock piston (u).

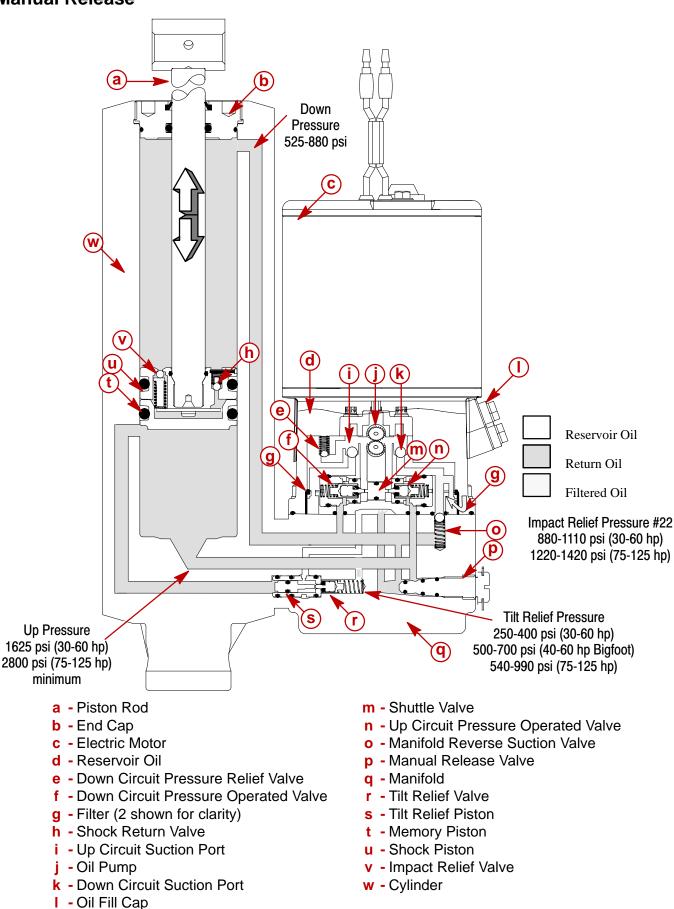




### **Shock Function Return**

After the engine clears the under water object, the weight of the engine will increase the oil pressure between the memory piston (t) and shock piston (u) to the level required to open the shock return valve (h), inside the shock piston, allowing the oil to bleed back through the shock piston into the down cavity. If required, additional oil will enter the down cavity through the manifold reverse suction valve (o). This will return the engine back against the memory piston (t) and into the original running position.

### **Manual Release**





To manually tilt the outboard engine, the owner will need to back out the manual release valve (p) 3-4 turns. With the valve backed out, the internal passages inside the manifold are connected together. These passages connect both the cylinder down and up cavities together, along with the reservoir, allowing the engine to be raised or lowered. Piston rod (a) movement will continue until the manual release valve (p) is closed, locking the fluid inside of the cylinder and manifold.



# Troubleshooting

Support outboard with tilt lock pin when servicing power trim system.

IMPORTANT: After debris or failed components have been found (during troubleshooting procedure), it is recommended that unit be disassembled completely and ALL O-rings be replaced. Check ball valve components and castings must be cleaned using engine cleaner and compressed air or replaced prior to re-assembly.

IMPORTANT: Power trim system is pressurized. Outboard must be in the full "UP" position (trim rod fully extended) prior to fill/drain plug, or manual release valve removal.

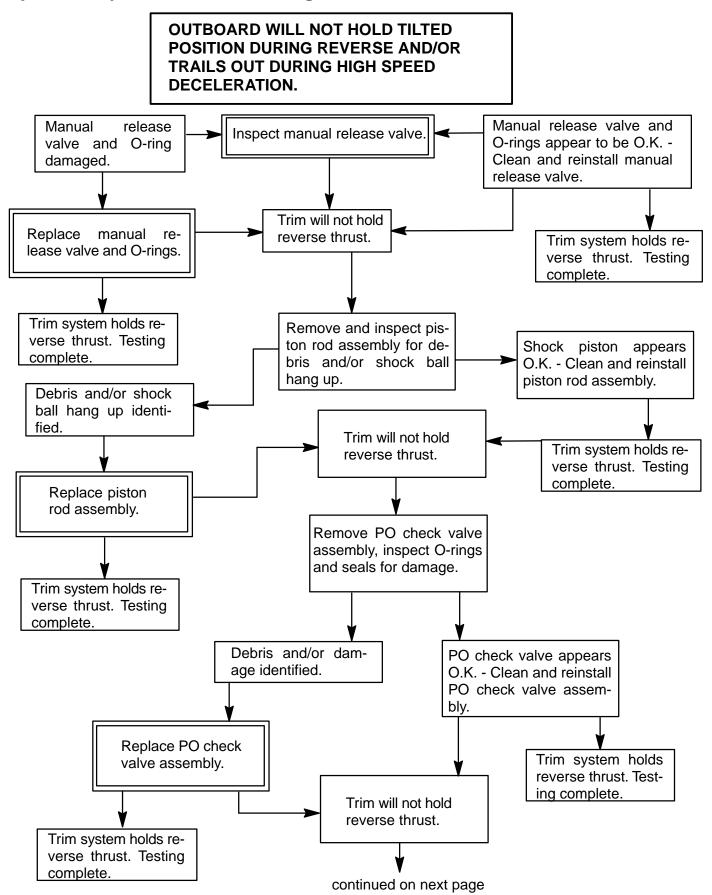
Refer to instructions following if disassembly is required when servicing.

Follow preliminary checks before proceeding to troubleshooting flow diagrams (following).

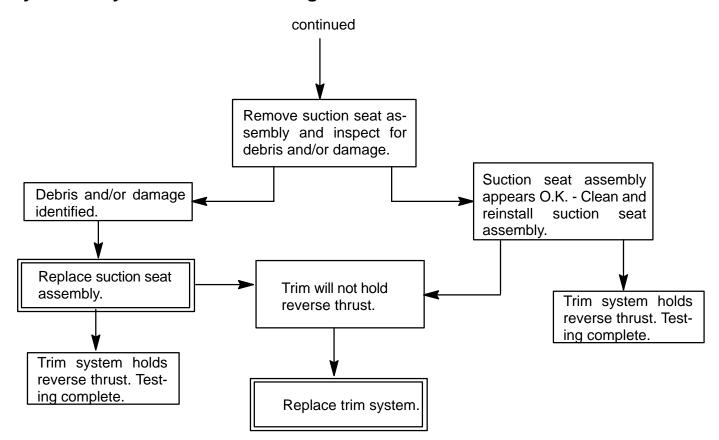
### **Preliminary Checks**

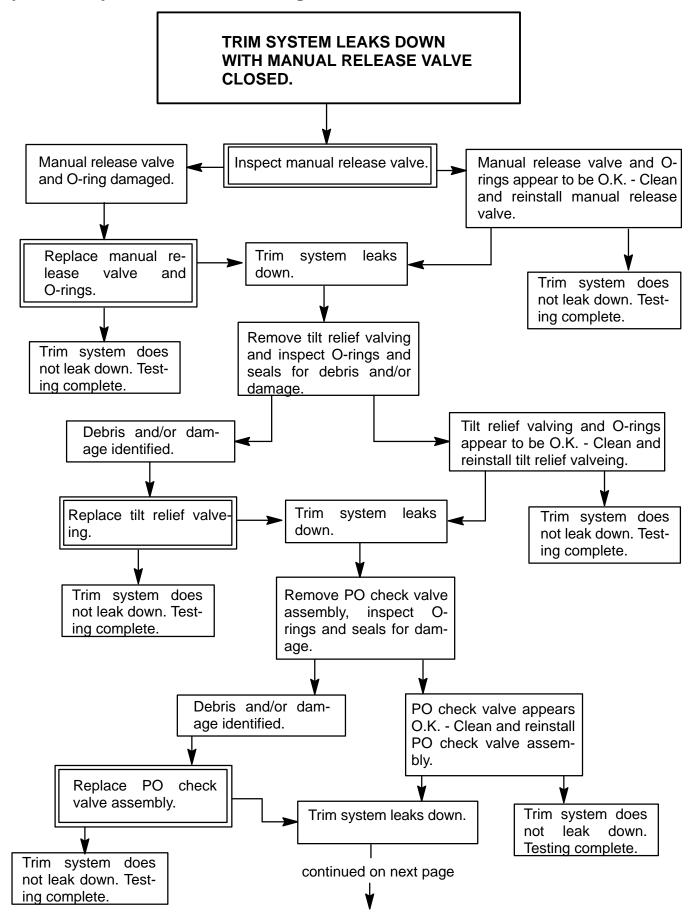
# IMPORTANT: Operate Power Trim system after each check to see if problem has been corrected. If problem has not been corrected proceed to next check.

- 1. Check that manual release valve is tightened to full right (clockwise) position.
- 2. Check trim pump fluid level with outboard in full "UP" position and fill if necessary. Refer to "Bleeding Power Trim Unit".
- 3. Check for external leaks in Power Trim system. Replace defective part(s) if leak is found.
- 4. Outboard not holding tilted position (falls down to trim position) indicates debris or defective components in trim assembly. Clean or replace components as required.

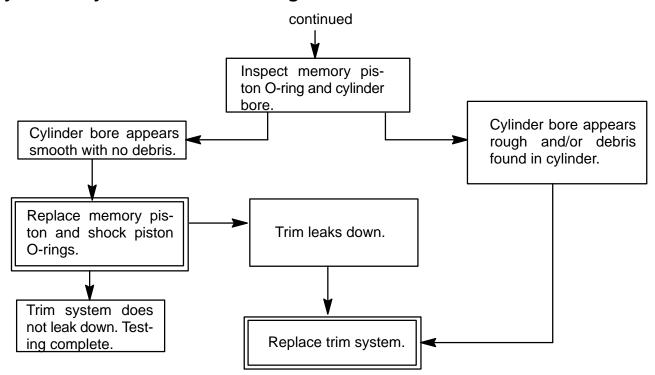




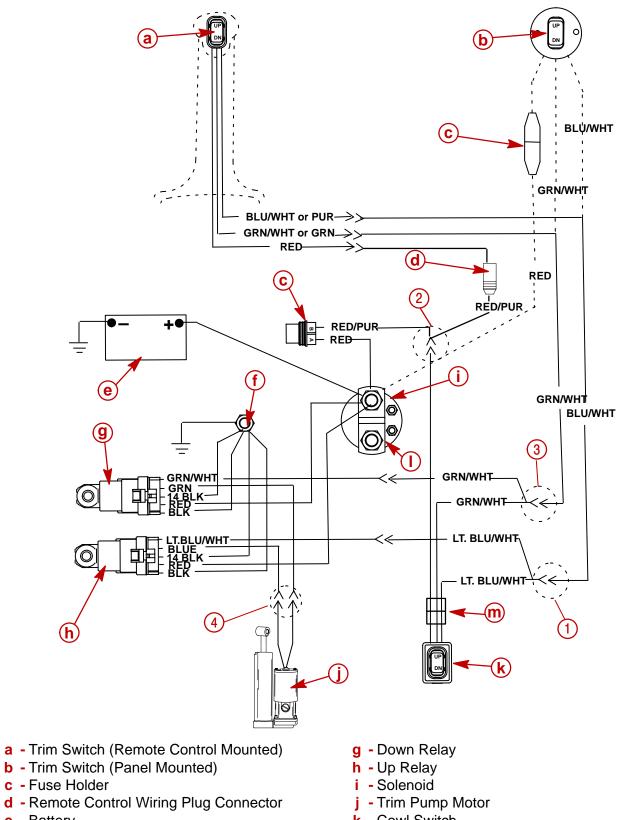








## **Troubleshooting the Power Trim Electrical System**



- e Battery
- f Starter Bolt

- k Cowl Switch
- I Solenoid
- m 3-Pin Connector



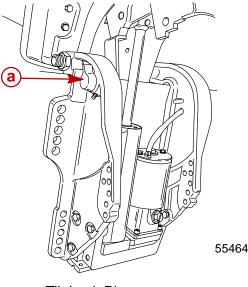
## Troubleshooting the Power Trim Electrical System

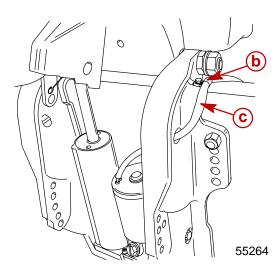
Refer to wiring diagram on preceding page for location of wire connections.

Problem	Possible Cause	Remedy	
Trim Switch "UP" is inopera- tive, but the Cowl Switch "UP" does operate.	<ol> <li>Open wire between Wire Connection (1) and Trim Switch.</li> <li>Faulty Trim Switch.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Check for an open connection or cut wire.</li> <li>Replace.</li> </ol>	
Cowl Switch "UP" is inopera- tive, but the Trim Switch "UP" does operate.	<ol> <li>Open wire between Wire Connection (2) and Solenoid.</li> <li>Faulty Cowl Switch.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Check for an open connection or cut wire.</li> <li>Replace.</li> </ol>	
Trim Switch "UP" and Cowl Switch "UP" are both inop- erative.	<ol> <li>Open wire between Wire Connection (1) and the "Up" Relay.</li> <li>Open BLK wire between ground and "UP" Relay.</li> <li>Open RED wire between Solenoid and "UP" Relay.</li> <li>Faulty "UP" Relay.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Check for an open connection.</li> <li>Check for an open connection.</li> <li>Check for an open connection.</li> <li>Replace.</li> </ol>	
Trim Switch "DOWN" is inop- erative, but the Cowl Switch "DOWN" does operate.	<ol> <li>Open wire between Wire Connection (3) and Trim Switch.</li> <li>Faulty Trim Switch.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Check for an open connection or cut wire.</li> <li>Replace.</li> </ol>	
Cowl Switch "DOWN" is inop- erative, but the Trim Switch "DOWN" does operate.	<ol> <li>Open wire between Wire Connection (2) and Solenoid.</li> <li>Faulty Cowl Switch.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Check for a open connection or cut wire.</li> <li>Replace</li> </ol>	
Trim Switch "DOWN" and Cowl Switch "DOWN" are both inoperative.	<ol> <li>Open wire between Wire Connection (3) and the "UP" Relay.</li> <li>Open BLK wire between ground and "DOWN" Relay.</li> <li>Open RED wire between Solenoid and "DOWN" Relay.</li> <li>Faulty "DOWN" Relay</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Check for an open connection.</li> <li>Check for an open connection.</li> <li>Check for an open connection.</li> <li>Replace.</li> </ol>	
Trim Switch "UP" and "DOWN" are both inopera- tive, but the Cowl Switch does operate.	<ol> <li>20 AMP Fuse blown.</li> <li>Faulty trim switch.</li> <li>Wire is open between fuse holder and solenoid.</li> <li>Wire is open between fuse holder and trim switch.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Replace fuse. Locate the cause of the blown fuse. Check electrical wiring for a shorted circuit.</li> <li>Replace.</li> <li>Check for a open connection or cut wire.</li> <li>Check for a loose or corroded con- nection.</li> </ol>	
Trim Switch and Cowl Switch are both inoperative.	<ol> <li>One of the Trim Pump Motor wires is open between the motor and the Relays.</li> <li>Faulty trim pump motor.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Check wire connections (4) for loose or corroded condition.</li> <li>If voltage is present at connections (4) when the appropriate trim button is pressed, then motor is faulty. Replace motor.</li> </ol>	
Trim system operates (motor runs) without pressing the switches.	1. The Trim or Cowl switch is shorted.	1. Replace.	

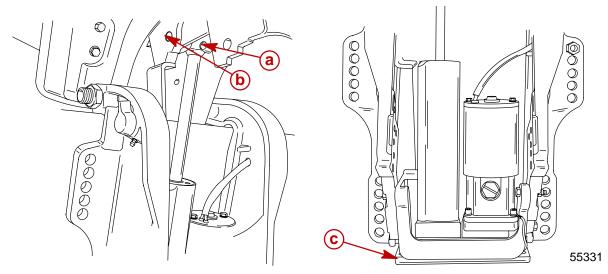
# **Power Trim System Removal**

- 1. Tilt outboard to the full up position and support with tilt lock pin.
- 2. Disconnect the power trim wire harness and remove clamp.





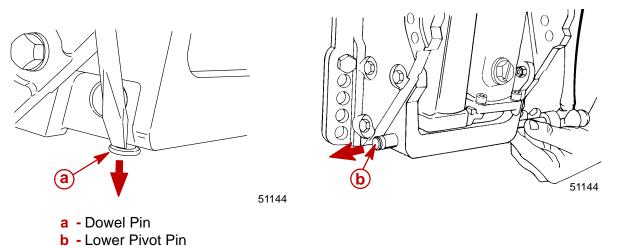
- a Tilt Lock Pin
- **b** Power Trim Wire Harness Clamp
- c Harness
- 3. Remove the trilobe pin.
- 4. Drive out the upper pivot pin.
- 5. Remove the sacrificial anode.



- a Trilobe Pin
  b Upper Pivot Pin
  c Sperificial Apode
- c Sacrificial Anode



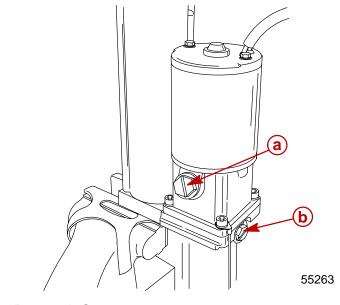
7. Use suitable punch to drive out lower pivot pin.



**Power Trim Disassembly** 

**IMPORTANT:** Power trim system is pressurized. Trim rod must be in the full "UP" position (fully extended) prior to fill/drain plug, or manual release valve removal.

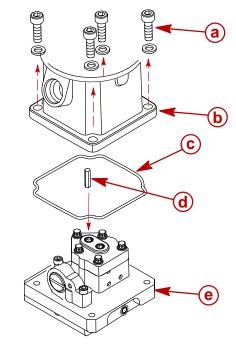
- 1. Remove reservoir cap.
- 2. Remove manual release valve assembly to drain oil.



a - Reservoir Capb - Manual Release Valve

### **Trim Motor Removal**

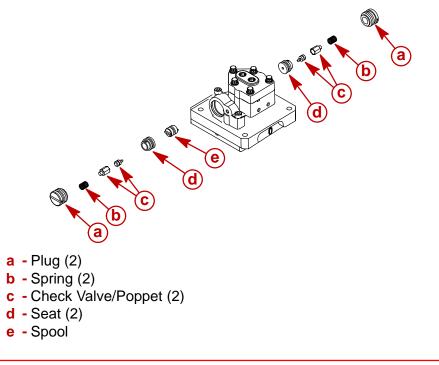
- 1. Secure power trim assembly in a soft jaw vise.
- 2. Remove four (4) screws to remove motor/reservoir. Remove reservoir seal and coupler.



- **a** Screw (4)
- **b** Reservoir
- c Reservoir Seal
- d Coupler
- e Manifold Assembly

### **Pump and Components Removal**

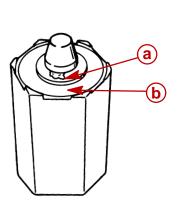
 Remove pressure operated plugs on pump. Remove spring and check valve/poppet (both sides). Use special tool CG 41-11 and special tool CG 41-14 with 5/16" end to remove spool.

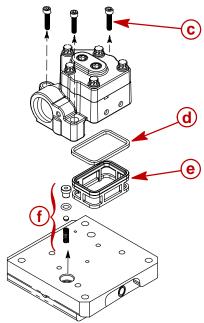




IMPORTANT: Inspect poppet assembly for debris in the area shown. If debris is found on poppet replace poppet.

2. Remove three (3) screws to remove pump. Remove filter and filter seal under pump. Remove suction seat assembly.

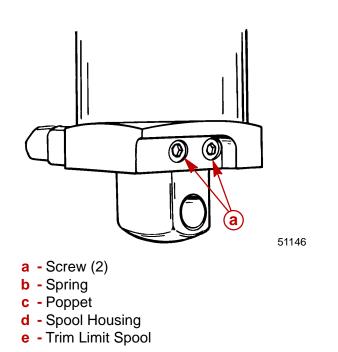


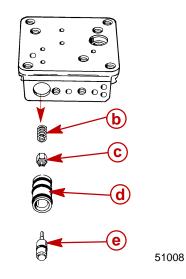


- a Debris Under Valve Tip
- **b** Rubber Seat
- c Screws (3)
- d Filter Seal
- e Filter
- f Suction Seat Assembly

### **Manifold Removal**

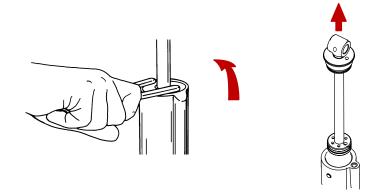
- 1. Remove two (2) screws to remove manifold from cylinder.
- 2. Remove tilt relief components.





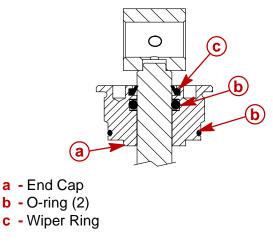
### **Shock Rod Removal**

- 1. Unscrew end cap assembly from cylinder using spanner wrench [1/4 in. x 5/16 in. (6.4mm x 8mm) long pegs].
- 2. Remove shock rod assembly from cylinder.

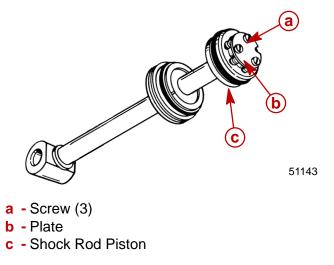


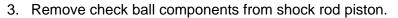
## **Shock Rod Disassembly**

**NOTE:** The only serviceable items on the shock rod assembly are the O-rings and wiper ring. If shock rod requires any other repair, replace shock rod assembly.

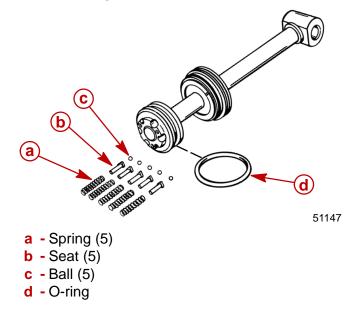


- 1. Place shock rod assembly on clean work surface.
- 2. Remove three (3) screws and remove plate from shock rod piston.





4. Remove o-ring from shock rod piston.

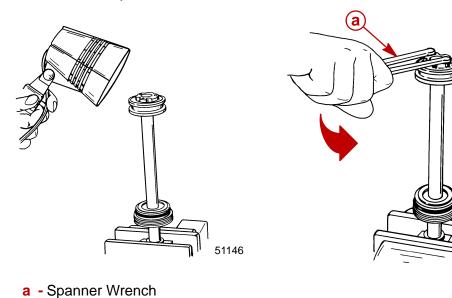


## **ACAUTION**

When removing shock piston, spanner wrench must have 1/4 in. x 5/16 in. long pegs to avoid damage to shock piston.

- Place shock rod into soft jawed vise and apply heat to loosen piston using torch lamp (P/N 91-63209).
- 6. Loosen shock rod piston using spanner wrench [1/4 in. x 5/16 in. (6.4mm x 8mm) long pegs].
- 7. Allow shock rod piston to cool. Remove from shock rod.

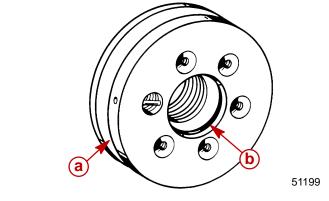
**b** - Shock Rod Piston



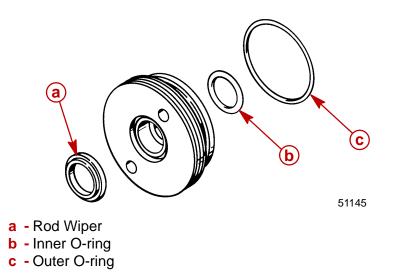
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- 8. Inspect check valve for debris; clean debris from check valve if found. If debris cannot be cleaned from check valve, replace shock piston as an assembly.
- 9. Clean shock and components with compressed air.
- 10. Remove inner o-ring from shock rod piston.



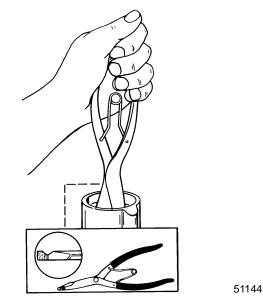
- a Shock Piston
- **b** O-ring
- 11. Remove cylinder end cap assembly from shock rod.
- 12. Inspect shock. If wiper (located in cap) has failed to keep rod clean, replace wiper.
- 13. Place end cap on clean work surface.
- 14. Remove rod wiper, inner o-ring, and outer o-ring.





## **Memory Piston Removal**

- 1. Remove memory piston from cylinder using one of two methods:
  - a. Using lock ring pliers (P/N 91-822778A3) or suitable tool.

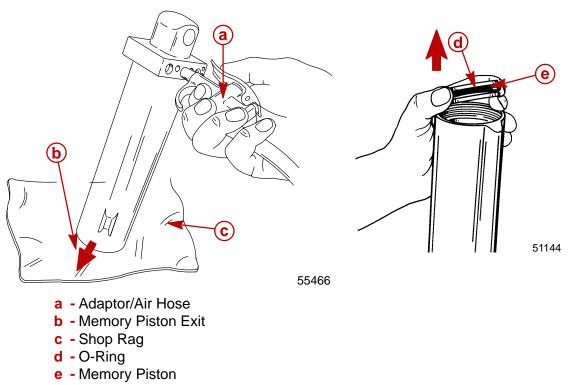


b. Blowing compressed air into manual release valve hole using air nozzle.



**NOTE:** Point cylinder opening down and away. Use a shop rag or towel to avoid damage to the memory piston.

2. Remove o-ring from memory piston.



# **Cleaning/Inspection/Repair**

**IMPORTANT:** Components must be dirt and lint free. Slightest amount of debris in Power Trim system could cause system to malfunction.

Clean shock rod and components with parts cleaner and dry with compressed air.

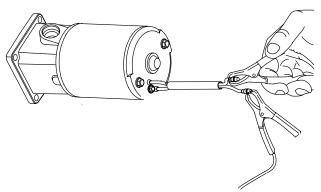
It is recommended that all O-rings in trim system be replaced. Use O-Ring Kit 25-809880A1.

Lubricate all o-rings with Quicksilver Power Trim Fluid (92-90100A12). If not available, use automotive (ATF) automatic transmission fluid.

### **Trim Motor Electrical Tests**

1. Connect a 12 volt supply to motor leads. If motor fails to run, replace pump motor.

IMPORTANT: Trim Motor is not serviceable. If motor fails to run, replace motor assembly.

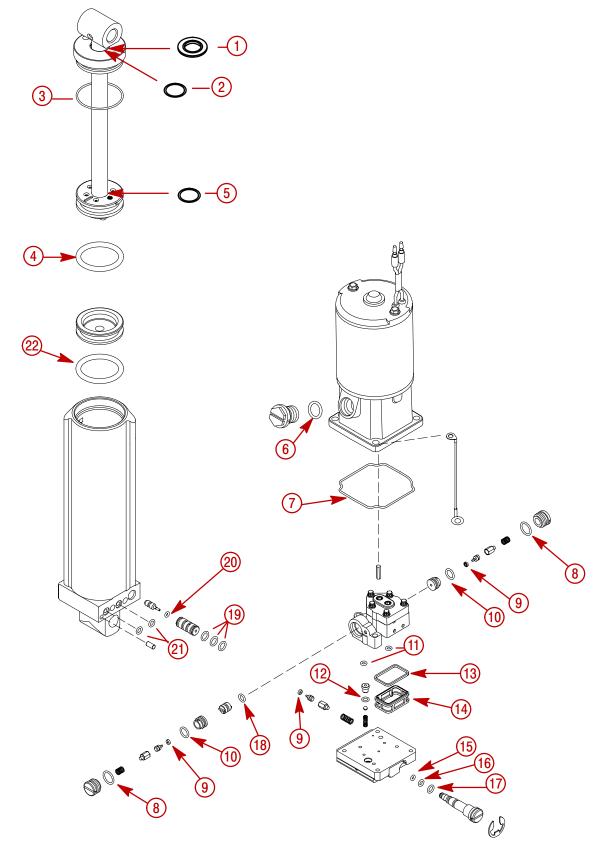


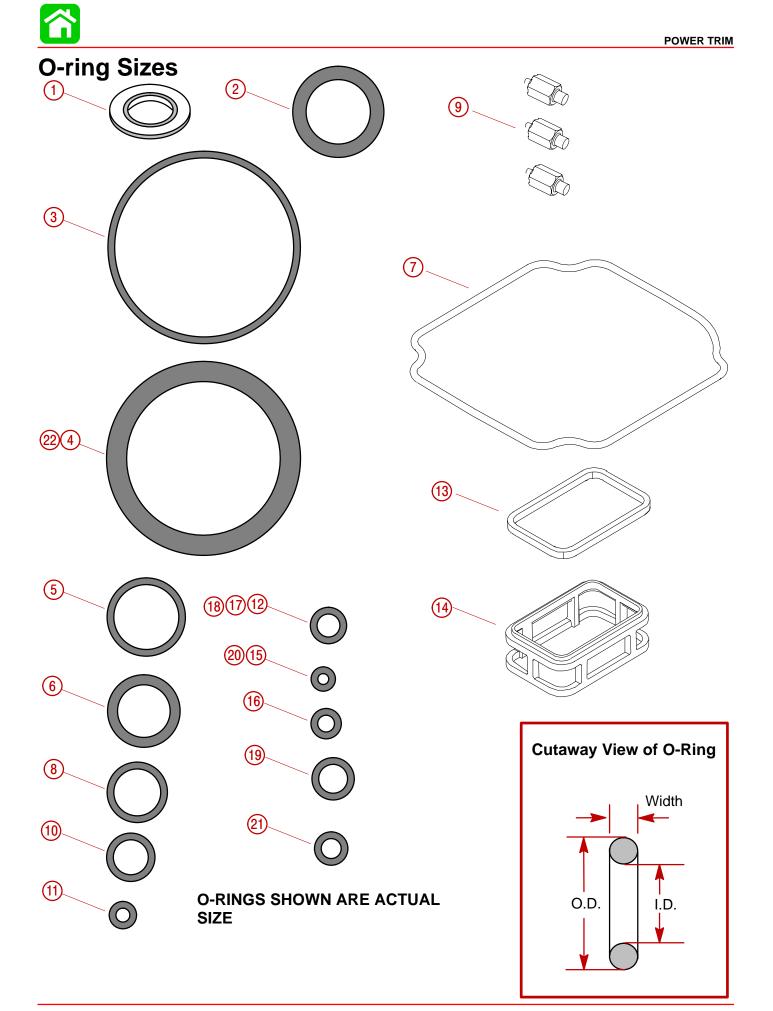


# Reassembly

## **O-Ring and Seal Placement**

O-Rings and Seals are part of O-Ring Kit 25-809880A1







# **O-ring Description and Sizes**

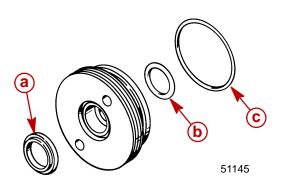
O-Ring	Description	O-Ring I.D.	O-Ring O.D.	O-Ring Width	
1	Wiper Ring				
2	Cyl. Cap, Inner	0.671 in. (17.04 mm)	0.949 in. (24.10 mm)	0.139 in. (3.53 mm)	
3	Cyl. Cap	1.864 in. (47.34 mm)	2.004 in. (50.90 mm)	0.07 in. (1.78 mm)	
4	Shock Piston	1.6 in. (40.64 mm)	2.02 in. (53.086 mm)	0.21 in. (5.334 mm)	
5	Piston Bolt	0.676 in. (17.17 mm)	.816 in. (20.726 mm)	0.07 in. (1.78 mm)	
6	Reservoir Plug	0.549 in. (13.94 mm)	0.755 in. (19.17 mm)	0.103 in. (2.616 mm)	
7	Motor Seal				
8 (2)	P.O. Check Plug	0.489 in. (12.42 mm)	0.629 in. (15.97 mm)	0.07 in. (1.78 mm)	
9 (3)	Poppet Assy.				
10 (2)	P.O. Check Seat	0.364 in. (9.25 mm)	0.504 in. (12.80 mm)	0.07 in. (1.78 mm)	
11 (2)	Pump Port	0.145 in. (3.683 mm)	0.285 in. (7.239 mm)	0.07 in. (1.78 mm)	
12	Suction Seat	0.239 in. (6.07 mm)	0.379 in. (9.626 mm)	0.07 in. (1.78 mm)	
13	Filter Seal				
14	Filter				
15	Manual Release	0.114 in. (2.90 mm)	0.254 in. (6.451 mm)	0.07 in. (1.78 mm)	
16	Manual Release	0.176 in. (4.47 mm)	0.316 in. (8.026 mm)	0.07 in. (1.78 mm)	
17	Manual Release	0.239 in. (6.07 mm)	0.379 in. (9.626 mm)	0.07 in. (1.78 mm)	
18	Spool	0.239 in. (6.07 mm)	0.379 in. (9.626 mm)	0.07 in. (1.78 mm)	
19 (3)	Spool Housing	0.301 in. (7.645 mm)	0.441 in. (11.20 mm)	0.07 in. (1.78 mm)	
20	Trim Limit Spool	0.114 in. (2.895 mm)	0.254 in. (6.451 mm)	0.07 in. (1.78 mm)	
21 (2)	Manifold	0.208 in. (5.283 mm)	0.348 in. (8.839 mm)	0.07 in. (1.78 mm)	
22	Memory Piston	1.6 in. (40.64 mm)	2.02 in. (53.086 mm)	0.21 in. (5.334 mm)	

# **Power Trim Reassembly**

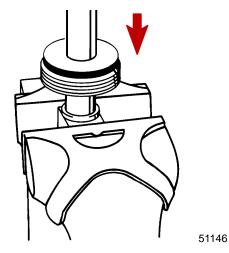
IMPORTANT: Lubricate all o-rings with Quicksilver Power Trim Fluid (92-90100A12). If not available, use automotive (ATF) automatic transmission fluid.

### Shock Rod Reassembly

- 1. Install lubricated o-rings to end cap.
- 2. Install rod wiper.
- 3. Install lubricated o-rings to shock piston.



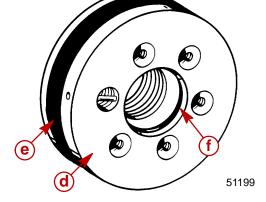
- a Rod Wiper
- **b** Inner O-ring
- **c** Outer O-ring
- d Shock Piston
- e O-ring
- f O-ring
- 4. Clamp shock rod in soft jawed vise.
- 5. Position cylinder end cap onto rod as shown.



### **A**CAUTION

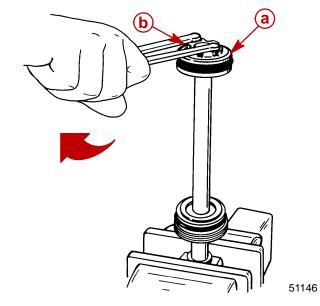
When installing shock rod piston, spanner wrench must have 1/4 in. x 5/16 in. (6.4mm x 8mm) long pegs to avoid damage to shock rod piston.

- 6. Apply Loctite Grade "A" (271) to threads on shock rod.
- 7. Install shock rod piston.

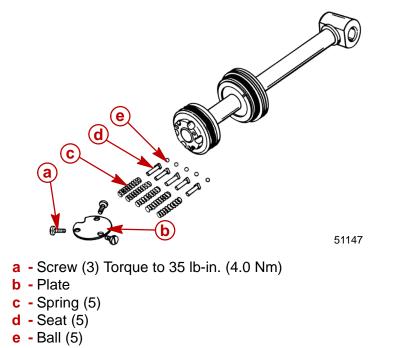




 Tighten shock rod piston securely using spanner wrench (1/4 in. x 5/16 in. long pegs). If a torquing type spanner tool is used to tighten shock piston, then torque to 90 lb-ft (122 Nm).

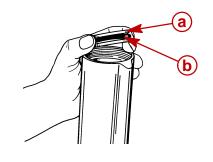


- a Shock Rod Piston Torque to 90 lb-ft (122 Nm)
- **b** Spanner Wrench
- 9. Remove shock rod assembly from vise.
- 10. Install ball, seat, and spring (five sets) to shock rod piston.
- 11. Secure components with plate. Torque screws to 35 lb-in. (4.0 Nm).



### **Shock Rod Installation**

- 1. Place trim cylinder in soft jawed vice.
- 2. Install lubricated o-ring to memory piston and place into cylinder. Push memory piston all the way to bottom.
- 3. Fill cylinder three inches (76.2 mm) from top of cylinder using Quicksilver Power Trim and Steering Fluid. If not available, use automotive (ATF) automatic transmission fluid.
- 4. Install shock rod into cylinder until power trim fluid flows through oil blow off ball passage. Fill remaining cylinder to just below the cylinder threads.



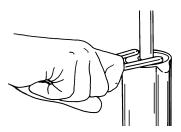


- a Memory Piston
- **b** O-ring
- c Oil Blow Off Ball Passage

## **A**CAUTION

End cap must not make contact with shock rod piston when tightening. Shock rod piston must be positioned in cylinder deep enough to avoid contact.

5. Tighten end cap securely using spanner wrench [1/4 in. x 5/16 in. (6.4mm x 8mm) long pegs]. If a torquing type spanner tool is used to tighten end cap, then torque to 45 lb-ft (61.0 Nm).

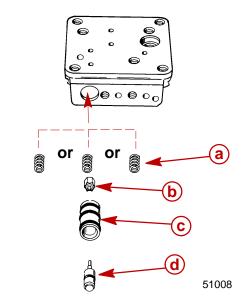




### **Trim Limit Assembly Installation**

1. Lubricate all O-rings. Install spring, poppet, spool housing and trim limit spool into manifold.

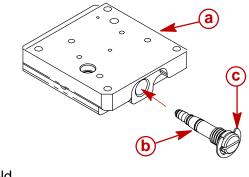
**NOTE:** There are three different size springs used in this manifold. The heavy spring is used on 75-125 hp outboards. The medium spring is used on 40-60 hp Bigfoot outboards. The light spring is used on 30-60 hp outboards.



- a Spring
- **b** Poppet
- c Spool Housing
- d Trim Limit Spool

### **Manual Release Valve Installation**

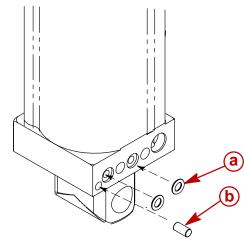
- 1. Install "E" clip (if removed) and lubricate o-rings to manual release valve.
- 2. Install manual release valve assembly into manifold.



- a Manifold
- **b** Manual Release Valve
- c E Clip

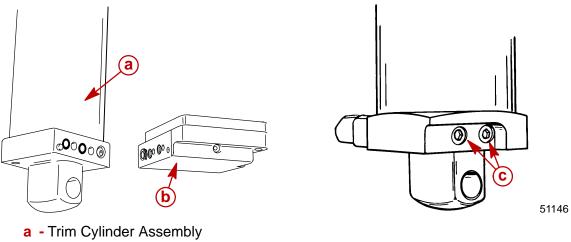
### **Manifold Installation**

1. Install dowel pin and two (2) lubricated o-rings into trim cylinder.



a - O-Ring (2) b - Dowel Pin

- 2. Align the trim cylinder and pump/reservoir assembly together.
- 3. Install the two (2) long screws and torque to 100 lb-in. (11 Nm).

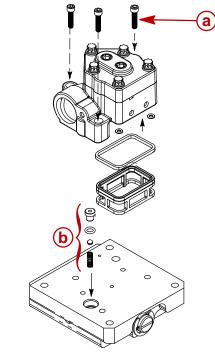


- **b** Reservoir/Manifold Assembly
- c Screw (2) Torque to 100 lb-in. (11 Nm)



### **Oil Pump Installation**

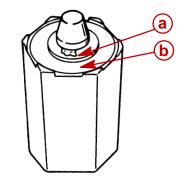
- 1. Install spring, ball, lubricated o-ring and plastic seat to manifold.
- 2. Check to see that o-rings are placed on bottom of pump.
- 3. Install filter and filter seal under pump. Install pump onto manifold. Torque screws to 70 lb-in. (7.7 Nm).



a - Screw (3) Torque to 70 lb-in. (7.7 Nm)b - Suction Seat Assembly

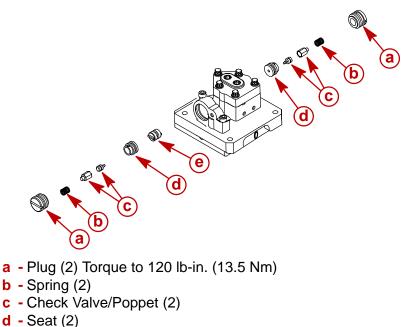
## **Pressure Operated Assembly Installation**

**IMPORTANT:** Inspect poppet assembly for debris in the area shown. If debris is found on poppet, replace poppet.



- a Debris Under Valve Tip
- b Rubber Seat
- 1. Lubricate o-rings.

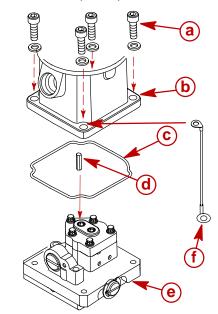
2. Install spool, seat with o-ring, check valve/poppet, spring and plug with o-ring into pump. Repeat for other side. Torque plugs to 120 lb-in. (13.5 Nm).



### **Reservoir/Motor Installation**

e - Spool

 Install coupler into top of pump. Make sure reservoir seal is in the reservoir groove and place reservoir onto pump/manifold assembly. Install ground strap under screw shown Torque screws to 80 lb-in. (9 Nm).

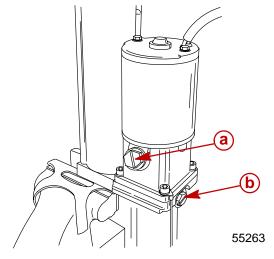


- a Screw (4) Torque to 80 lb-in. (9 Nm)
- **b** Reservoir
- c Reservoir Seal
- d Coupler
- e Manifold Assembly
- f Ground Strap
- 2. Fill reservoir to bottom of fill hole using Quicksilver Power Trim Fluid (92-90100A12). If not available, use automotive (ATF) automatic transmission fluid.



### **Bleeding Power Trim Unit**

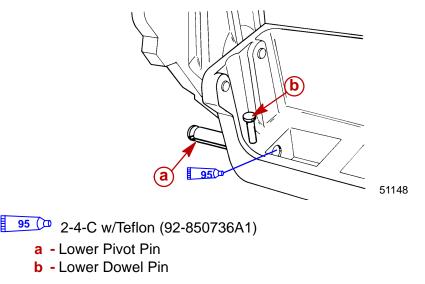
- 1. Secure power trim unit in soft jawed vise.
- 2. Add power trim fluid until it's even with the bottom of the fill hole. Reinstall plug.
- 3. Close the manual release valve. (Turn full clockwise).



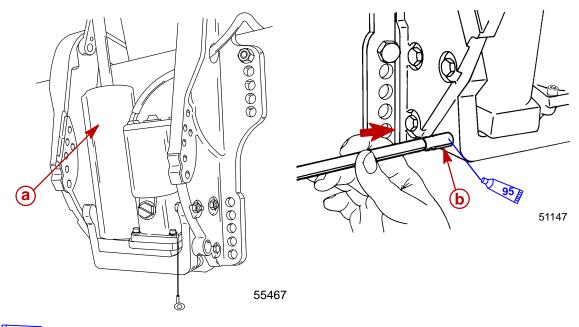
- a Reservoir Plug/Fill Hole
- **b** Manual Release Valve
- 4. Using a 12 volt power supply, connect the positive lead to (blue) trim motor wire and negative lead to (green) trim motor wire and drive shock rod to the up position. Repeat three times.
- 5. Connect the positive lead to the (green) trim motor wire, and the negative lead to the (blue) trim motor wire and drive the shock rod to the down position.
- 6. Recheck fluid level, add fluid if required and repeat cycle until fluid level stays even with the bottom of the fill hole.

# Installation of Power Trim System

- 1. Lubricate lower pivot pin, mounting holes with 2-4-C Marine Lubricant.
- 2. Start lower pivot pin into pivot pin bore and position lower dowel pin (retained) in its respective hole.

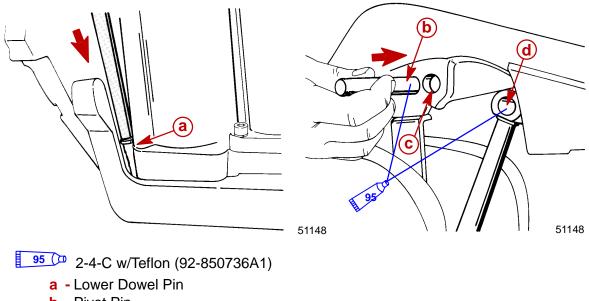


- 3. Position trim cylinder assembly (bottom first) between clamp brackets.
- 4. Apply 2-4-C Marine Lubricant to lower pivot pin. Using a suitable punch, drive lower pivot pin into clamp bracket and trim cylinder assembly until pivot pin is flush with outside surface.



95 🔎 2-4-C w/Teflon (92-850736A1)

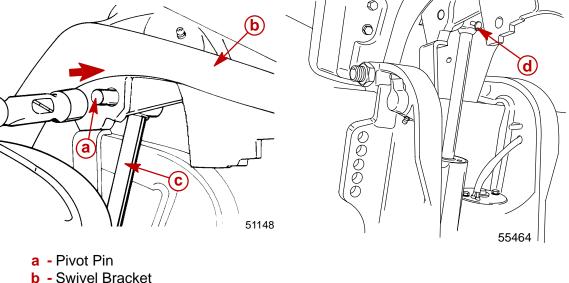
- a Trim Cylinder Assembly
- **b** Lower Pivot Pin
- 5. Using a suitable punch, drive lower dowel pin into its hole until seated.
- 6. Apply 2-4-C Marine Lubricant to surface of upper pivot pin, pivot pin bore and trim ram bore.



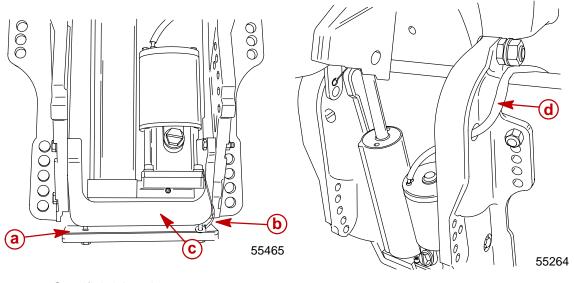
- **b** Pivot Pin
- c Pivot Pin Bore
- d Trim Ram Bore



- 7. Using a suitable mallet, drive upper pivot pin into swivel bracket and through trim ram until pivot pin is flush with swivel bracket.
- 8. Drive pivot pin into its hole until seated.



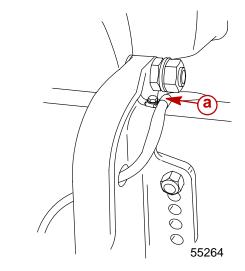
- c Trim Ram
- d Trilobe Pin
- 9. Install sacrificial aluminum anode to reservoir bracket placing ground strap between bracket and anode, as shown.
- 10. Route trim harness through clamp bracket and cowling.



- a Sacrificial Anode
- b Ground Strap
- c Bracket
- d Trim Harness



11. Secure trim harness with clamp, as shown.



a - Clamp

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# MID-SECTION Section 5C - Manual Tilt Assist

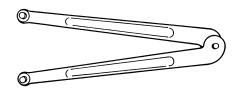
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## **Special Tools**

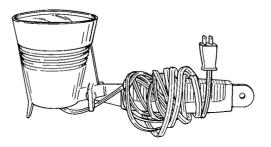
1. Spanner Wrench P/N 91-74951



2. Lock-Ring Pliers P/N 91-822778A3

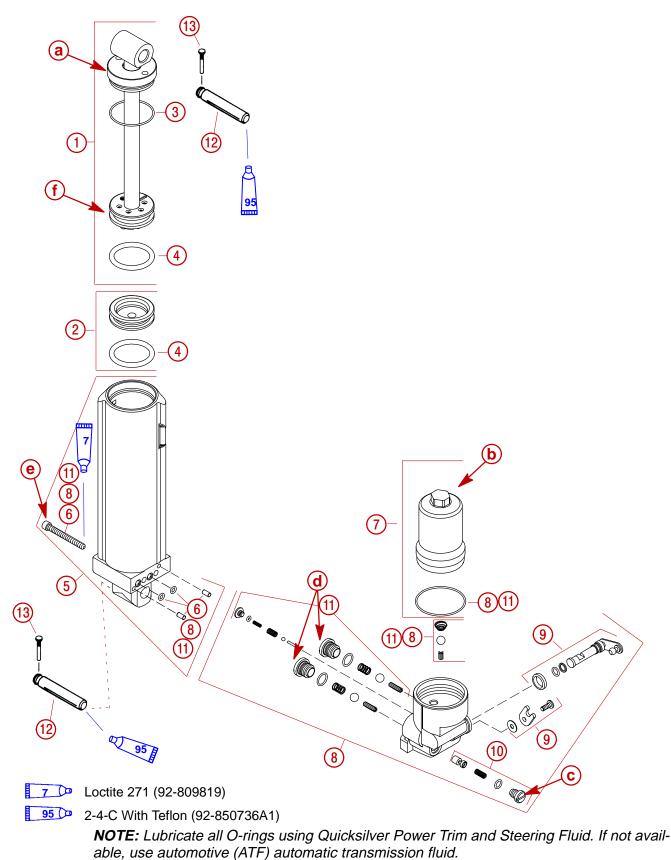


3. Heat Lamp P/N 91-63209





# **Manual Tilt Components**



**NOTE:** It is recommended that all o-rings be replaced when servicing tilt system.



## **Manual Tilt Components**

REF.			TORQUE		
NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	lb-in.	lb-ft	Nm
	1	SHOCK ROD ASSEMBLY		45	61
1	1	SHOCK ROD ASSEMBLY (BEACHING)			
2	1	MEMORY PISTON ASSEMBLY			
3	1	O RING REBUILD KIT-Cylinder			
4	2	O RING			
5	1	CYLINDER ASSEMBLY			
6	1	SCREW AND SEAL KIT			
7	1	ACCUMULATOR ASSEMBLY		35	47
8	1	VALVE BODY ASSEMBLY			
9	1	CAM KIT			
10	1	VELOCITY VALVE KIT	75	6.2	8.5
11	1	CHECK SYSTEM REPAIR KIT	75	6.2	8.5
-	1	O RING KIT			
12	2	PIN			
13	2	GROOVE PIN			

a – Torque cylinder cap to 45 lb-ft (61 Nm)

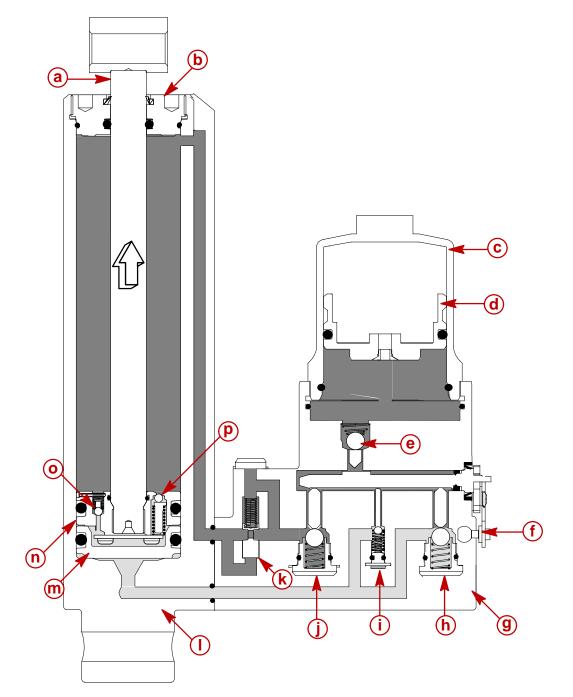
**b** – Torque Accumulator to 35 lb-ft (47 Nm)

- **c** Torque Velocity Valve to 75 lb-in. (8.5 Nm)
- **d** Torque Transfer Valve Plug to 75 lb-in. (8.5 Nm)
- e Torque Screw to 100 lb-in. (11 Nm)
- **(f)** Torque Shock Piston to 90 lb-ft (122 Nm)



# **Manual Trim Flow Diagrams**

### **Up Circuit**



- a Shock Rod
- **b** End Cap
- c Accumulator
- d Accumulator Piston
- e Accumulator Check Valve
- f Camshaft Lever
- g Manifold
- h Down Circuit Fast Transfer Valve

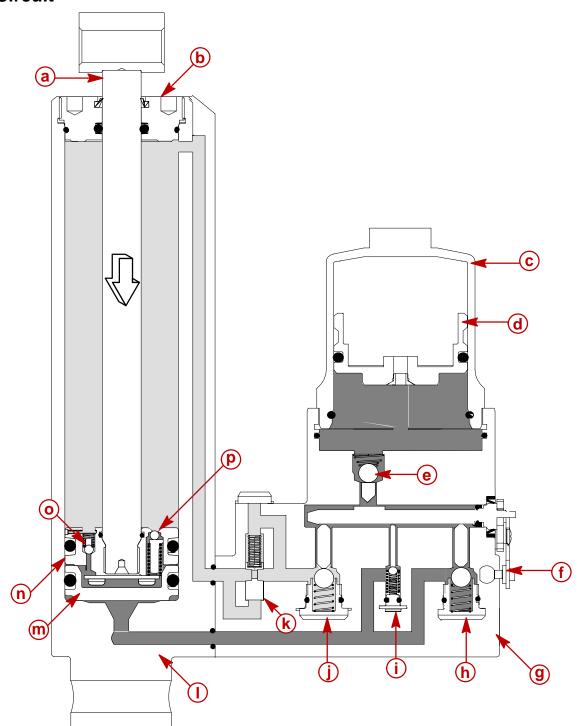
- i Down Circuit Slow Transfer Valve
- j Up Circuit Fast Transfer Valve
- k Surge Valve
- I Cylinder
- m Memory Piston
- n Shock Piston
- o Shock Return Valve
- **p** Impact Relief Valve



With the engine in the down position, the accumulator piston (d) will be at the top of the accumulator (c) with the gas at maximum pressure. To raise the engine, the camshaft lever (f) is rotated all the way down. The internal shaft connected to the camshaft lever will move the push rods, opening the accumulator check valve (e), both fast transfer valves (h & j) and the down circuit slow transfer valve (i). As the operator lifts the engine, oil, under pressure inside the accumulator, will flow around both the slow transfer valve (i) and the down circuit fast transfer valve (h). Oil flows into the bottom of the tilt cylinder forcing the memory piston (m) into the shock piston (n) and then forcing the shock rod up and out. Oil above the shock piston exits the cylinder (l) through an interconnecting passage along side of the cylinder and returns into the manifold (g). Inside the manifold the oil flows past the groove in the surge valve (k), through the up circuit fast transfer valve (j) and mixes with the oil flowing from the accumulator into the up cavity. With the engine in the correct position, the camshaft lever (f) is rotated up and the push rods allow the check valves (e, h, i, & j) to close. The closed check valves prevent the oil from traveling between cavities and locks the engine into position.

### **Down Circuit**





- a Shock Rod
- **b** End Cap
- **c** Accumulator
- **d** Accumulator Piston
- e Accumulator Check Valve
- f Camshaft Lever
- g Manifold
- h Down Circuit Fast Transfer Valve

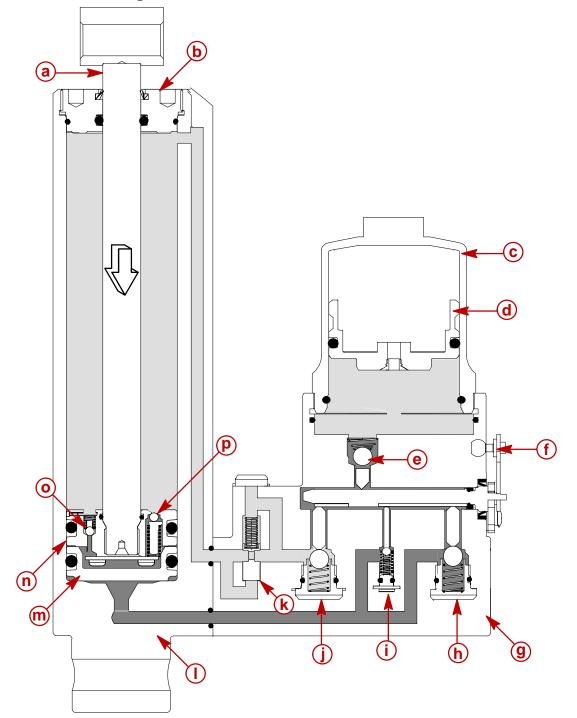
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- k Surge Valve
- I Cylinder
- m Memory Piston
- n Shock Piston
- o Shock Return Valve
- p Impact Relief Valve



With the engine tilted up, the piston inside the accumulator piston (d) will be at the bottom of the accumulator (c) and the gas pressure is low. To lower the engine, the camshaft lever (f) is rotated down, the internal cam will cause the push rods to open the accumulator check valve (e), both fast transfer valves (h & j) and the down circuit slow transfer valve (i). The operator will have to press down on the engine cowl to overcome the pressure inside cylinder. Fluid will flow out of the bottom of the cylinder, past both the down circuit fast transfer valve (h) and down circuit slow transfer valve (i). Fluid will flow past the up circuit fast transfer valve (j), surge valve (k) and through the interconnecting passage into the top of the cylinder (l). Due to the shock rod (a), the tilt cylinder cavities differ in volume, the extra fluid from the up cavity [forced into the accumulator (c)] will cause the internal accumulator piston (d) to compress the gas. With the engine in the correct position, the camshaft lever is rotated up and the push rods allow the check valves (e, h, i, & j) to close.



### Slow Tilt Down Under High Thrust



- a Shock Rod
- **b** End Cap
- c Accumulator
- **d** Accumulator Piston
- e Accumulator Check Valve
- f Camshaft Lever
- g Manifold
- h Down Circuit Fast Transfer Valve

- i Down Circuit Slow Transfer Valve
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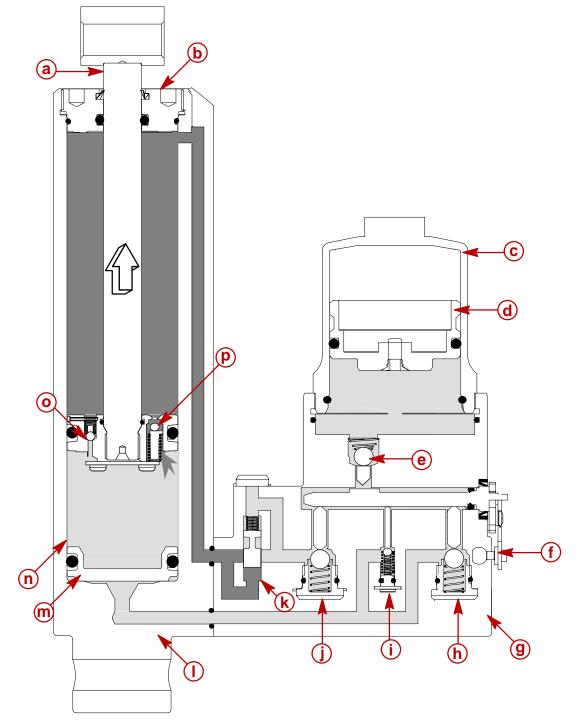


### **Slow Tilt Down Under High Thrust**

To tilt the engine down under high thrust conditions [where the propeller thrust forces the shock rod down, creating higher pressure below the memory piston (m)], the camshaft lever (f) is rotated slightly downward. The internal shaft connected to the lever will open the down circuit slow transfer valve (i) allowing oil under pressure into the cavity around the shaft. The higher oil pressure will open the up circuit fast transfer valve (j) allowing oil from the bottom of the cylinder to flow above the shock piston (n) while lowering the engine. Additional oil will flow into the accumulator (c) as the internal pressure forces the accumulator check valve (e) to open. Oil flowing into the accumulator moves the accumulator piston (d) and compresses the gas.



## Under Water Strike (Valves Open)



- a Shock Rod
- **b** End Cap
- c Accumulator
- d Accumulator Piston
- e Accumulator Check Valve
- f Camshaft Lever
- g Manifold
- h Down Circuit Fast Transfer Valve

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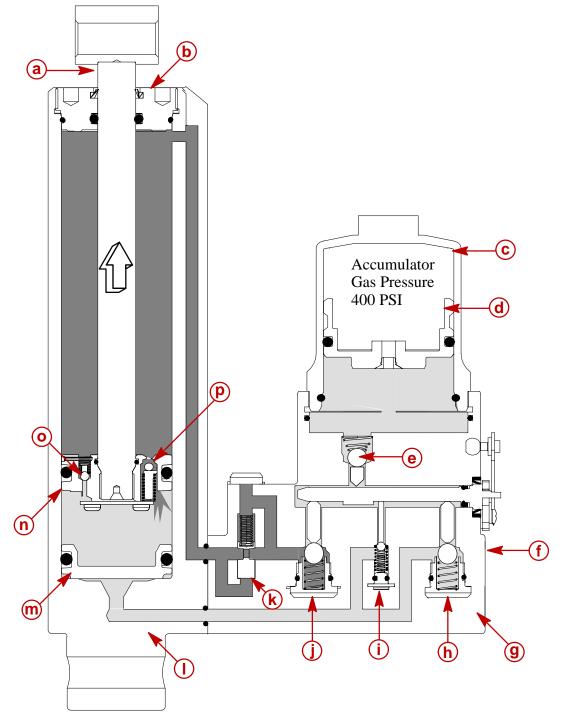


### **Under Water Strike (Valves Open)**

Should the drive unit strike a submerged object while in forward motion, the shock rod (a) will extend from the tilt cylinder (l). Fluid will attempt to exit the cylinder through the interconnecting passage. The rapid fluid flow will increase the pressure below the surge valve (k), causing the valve to move, closing the oil return passage back into the accumulator (c). Oil inside the up cavity is locked in a static position by the closed surge valve. As the shock rod extends outward, the pressure inside the up cavity will reach sufficient pressure to open the shock valve (p) which opens at 880-1110 PSI. Oil will flow into the cavity created as the shock rod & shock piston (a & n) moves away from the memory piston (m).



## Shock Function (Valve Closed)



- a Shock Rod
- **b** End Cap
- **c** Accumulator
- **d** Accumulator Piston
- e Accumulator Check Valve
- f Camshaft Lever
- g Manifold
- h Down Circuit Fast Transfer Valve

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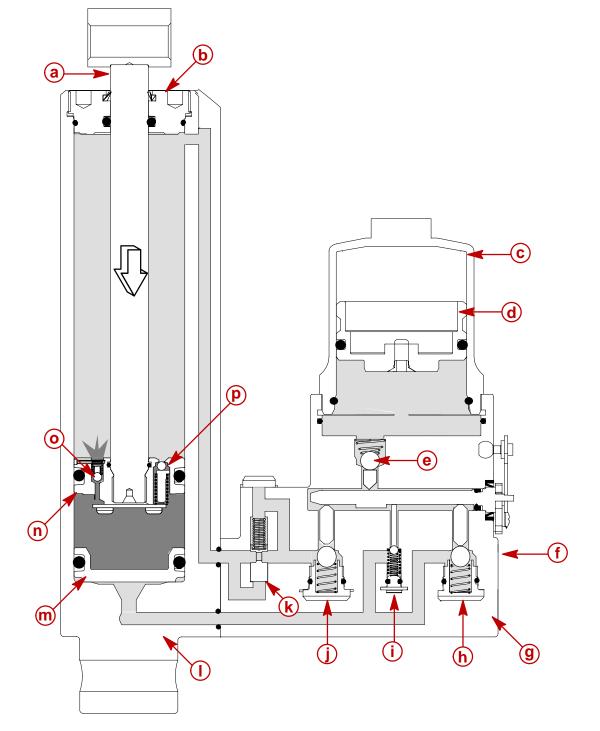


### Shock Function (Valves Closed)

Should the drive unit strike a submerged object while in forward motion, the shock rod (a) will extend from the cylinder (l). Oil inside the up cavity is locked in a static position by the closed up circuit fast transfer valve (j), the closed down circuit slow transfer valve (i) and closed down circuit fast transfer valve (h). Fluid will attempt to exit the cylinder through the interconnecting passage back into the accumulator (c). The closed up circuit fast transfer valve (j) will prevent the fluid return. As the shock rod extends outward, the pressure inside the up cavity will reach sufficient pressure to open the shock valve (p) which opens at 880-1110 PSI. Oil will flow into the cavity created as the shock rod & shock piston (n) moves away from the memory piston (m).



### **Shock Function Return**



- a Shock Rod
- **b** End Cap
- c Accumulator
- **d** Accumulator Piston
- e Accumulator Check Valve
- f Camshaft Lever
- g Manifold
- h Down Circuit Fast Transfer Valve

- i Down Circuit Slow Transfer Valve
- j Up Circuit Fast Transfer Valve
- k Surge Valve
- I Cylinder
- m Memory Piston
- n Shock Piston
- o Shock Return Valve
- p Impact Relief Valve

### **Shock Function Return**

After the drive clears the object, the shock return valve (o) will allow the oil to flow from between the shock piston (n) and memory piston (m) onto the down cavity as the drive returns to its original running position.



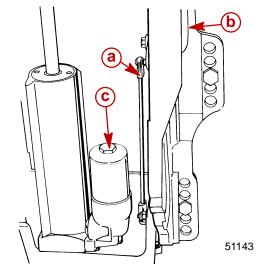
# Hydraulic System Troubleshooting

Refer to disassembly/reassembly instructions (following) if disassembly is required when servicing.

IMPORTANT: After debris or failed components have been found (during troubleshooting procedure), it is recommended that unit be disassembled completely and all o-rings be replaced. Check ball components and castings must be cleaned using engine cleaner and compressed air or replaced prior to reassembly.

Support outboard with tilt lock lever when servicing manual tilt system.

1. Check manual release cam adjustment. Cam must open and close freely. Adjust cam link rod as necessary.



a - Link Rod

**b** - Manual Release Lever

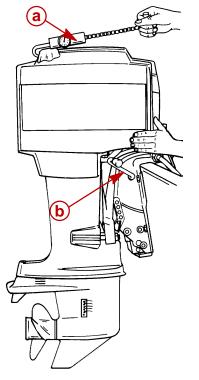
**c** - Accumulator



2. Check for external leaks in the manual tilt system. Replace defective part(s) if leak is found.

# **IMPORTANT:** If cut or damaged o-rings are found, inspect machined surfaces for scoring, burrs or debris.

3. Check for discharged accumulator. 35 to 50 lb-ft (47-68 Nm) of pulling force must be attained when tilting outboard from full "down" to full "up" position. If more than 50 lb-ft (68 Nm) of force is required, replace accumulator.



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a - Weight Scale

**b** - Valve Lever (open position)



# **Manual Tilt System Removal**

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Remove cowling and remove all spark plug leads from spark plugs to prevent accidental starting while servicing outboard.

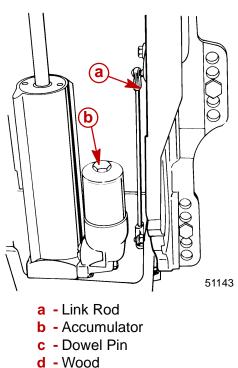
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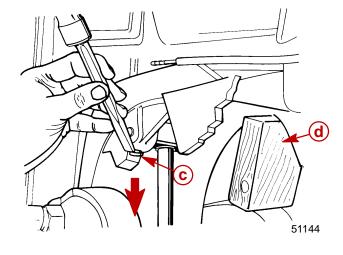
Service or installation of the tilt system may result in loss of pressure in the shock cylinder. If the outboard is not in the full down position, such loss of pressure will cause the engine to fall to the full down position with a potential for damaging engine or causing personal injury. To avoid such injury support outboard in the up position using tilt lock lever.

## **WARNING**

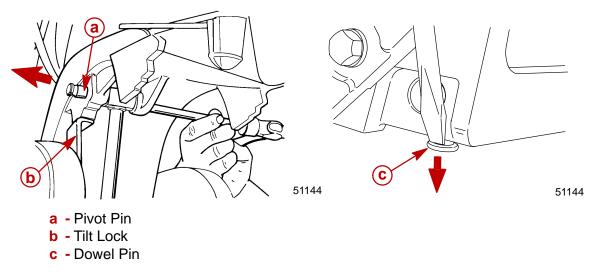
Manual tilt system is pressurized. Accumulator must be removed when shock rod is in the full up position, prior to servicing, otherwise oil spray-back may occur.

- 1. Support outboard in the up position using tilt lock lever.
- 2. Remove link rod.
- 3. Position piece of wood under transom bracket instead of tilt lock for access of removing pin. Use suitable punch to remove (DRIVE DOWN) upper dowel pin. Retain dowel pin.

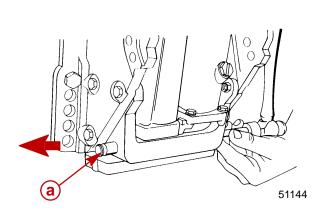


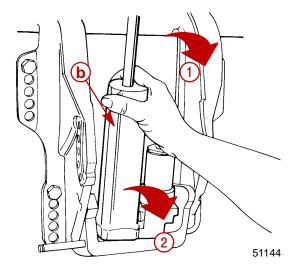


- 4. Position tilt lock and remove piece of wood. Use suitable punch to drive out upper pivot pin.
- 5. Use punch to remove (Drive Down) lower dowel pin. Retain dowel pin.



- 6. Use suitable punch to drive out lower pivot pin.
- 7. Tilt shock absorber assembly (TOP FIRST) out from clamp bracket and remove assembly.





a - Pivot Pinb - Manual Tilt System

## **Manual Tilt System Disassembly**

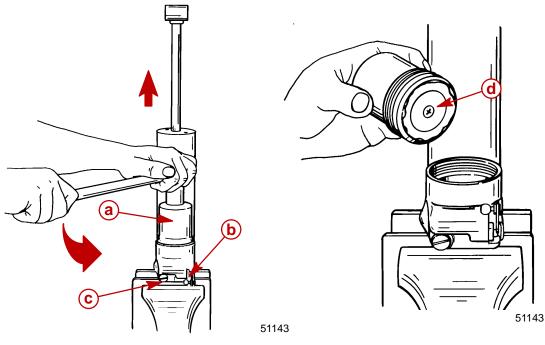
**NOTE:** Accumulator contains a high pressure nitrogen charge and is NOT SERVICEABLE. Replace if necessary.



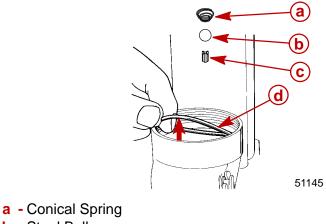
### **Accumulator Removal**



- 1. Place manual tilt system in soft jawed vise.
- 2. Position shock rod to full up position.
- 3. Open cam shaft valve (Down Position).
- 4. Loosen velocity valve enough to drip, wait until dripping stops.
- 5. When fluid stops dripping, loosen and remove accumulator.
- 6. If plunger can be compressed into accumulator by hand, accumulator is defective. Replace accumulator.



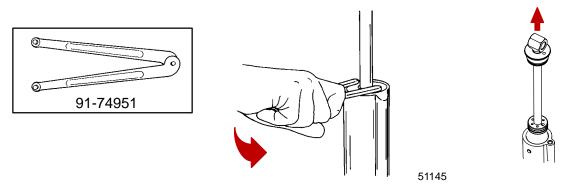
- a Accumulator
- b Cam Lever
- c Velocity Valve
- d Plunger
- 7. Once accumulator is removed, remove o-ring, conical spring, steel ball and plunger.



- **b** Steel Ball
- **c** Plunger
- d O-ring

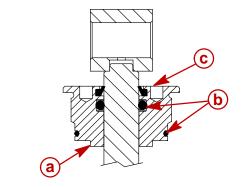
#### **Shock Rod Removal**

- 1. Unscrew cylinder end cap assembly using spanner wrench [1/4 in. x 5/16 in. long pegs].
- 2. Remove shock rod assembly from cylinder.

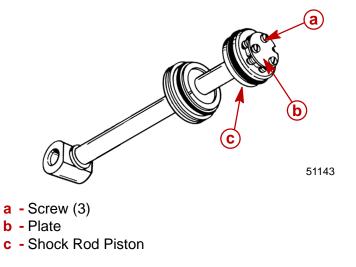


## **Shock Rod Disassembly**

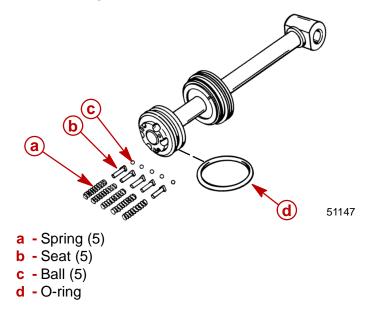
**NOTE:** The only serviceable items on the shock rod assembly are the O-rings and wiper ring. If shock rod requires any other repair, replace shock rod assembly.



- a End Cap
- **b** O-ring (2)
- c Wiper Ring
- 1. Place shock rod assembly on clean work surface.
- 2. Remove three (3) screws and remove plate from shock rod piston.



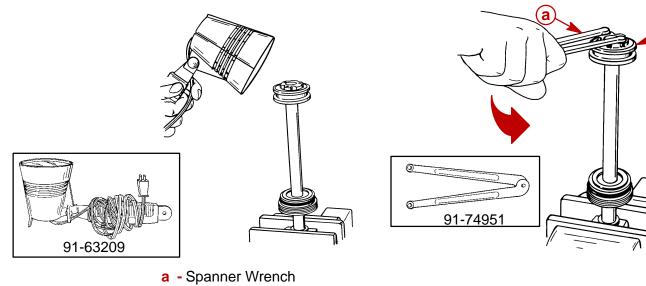
- 3. Remove check ball components from shock rod piston.
- 4. Remove o-ring.



### **ACAUTION**

When removing shock piston, spanner wrench must have 1/4 in. x 5/16 in. long pegs to avoid damage to shock piston.

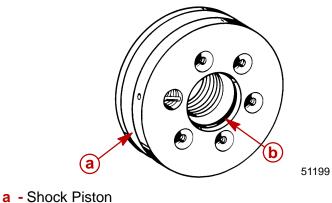
- Place shock rod into soft jawed vise and apply heat to loosen piston using torch lamp (P/N 91-63209).
- 6. Loosen shock rod piston using spanner wrench [1/4 in. x 5/16 in. (6.4mm x 8mm) long pegs].
- 7. Allow shock rod piston to cool. Remove from shock rod.



**b** - Shock Rod Piston



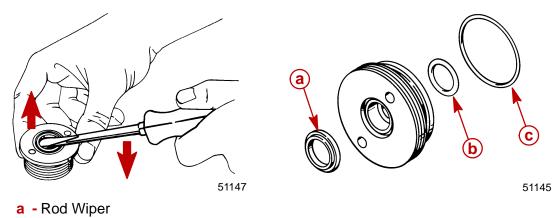
- 8. Inspect check valve for debris; clean debris from check valve if found. If debris cannot be cleaned from check valve, replace shock piston as an assembly.
- 9. Clean shock and components with compressed air.
- 10. Remove inner O-ring.

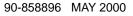


**b** - O-ring

b - Inner O-ringc - Outer O-ring

- 11. Remove cylinder end cap assembly from shock rod.
- 12. Inspect shock. If wiper (located in cap) has failed to keep rod clean, replace wiper.
- 13. Place end cap on clean work surface.
- 14. Remove rod wiper, inner o-ring, and outer o-ring.

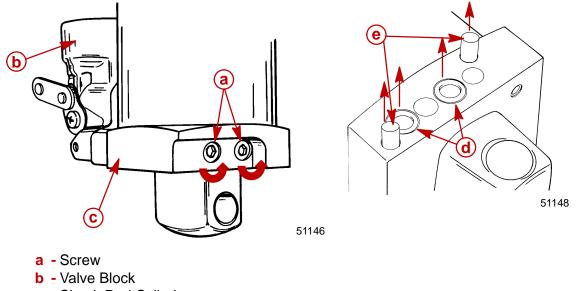






### Valve Block Removal

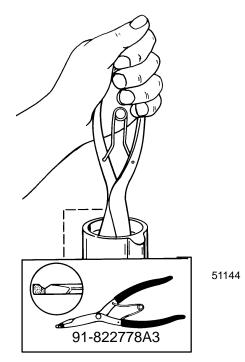
- 1. Remove two screws from the shock rod cylinder to separate the valve block.
- 2. Remove o-rings and dowel pins.



- c Shock Rod Cylinder
- **d** O-ring (2)
- e Dowel Pin (2)

### **Memory Piston Removal**

- 1. Remove memory piston from cylinder using one of two methods:
  - a. Using lock ring pliers.



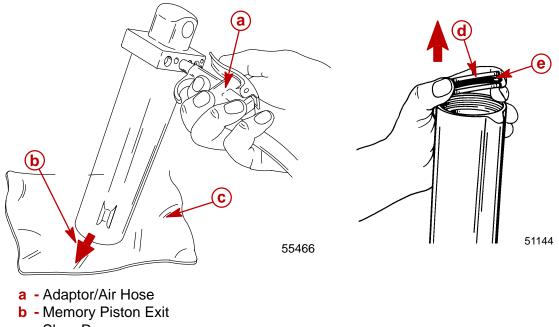
b. Blowing compressed air into center o-ring hole.

### **WARNING**

Memory piston cup may be expelled at a high velocity when air pressure is applied. Failure to place cylinder as shown below could result in personal injury.

**NOTE:** Point cylinder opening down and away. Use a shop rag or towel to avoid damage to the memory piston. Fluid will blow out also.

2. Remove O-ring from memory piston.

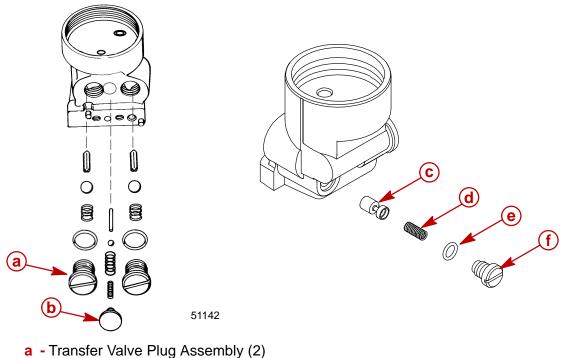


- c Shop Rag
- d O-Ring
- e Memory Piston

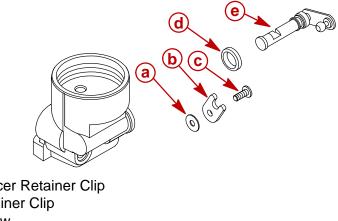


# Valve Block Disassembly

- 1. Remove check retainer plug and components.
- 2. Remove hydraulic oil transfer valve plugs and components.
- 3. Remove surge valve assembly.

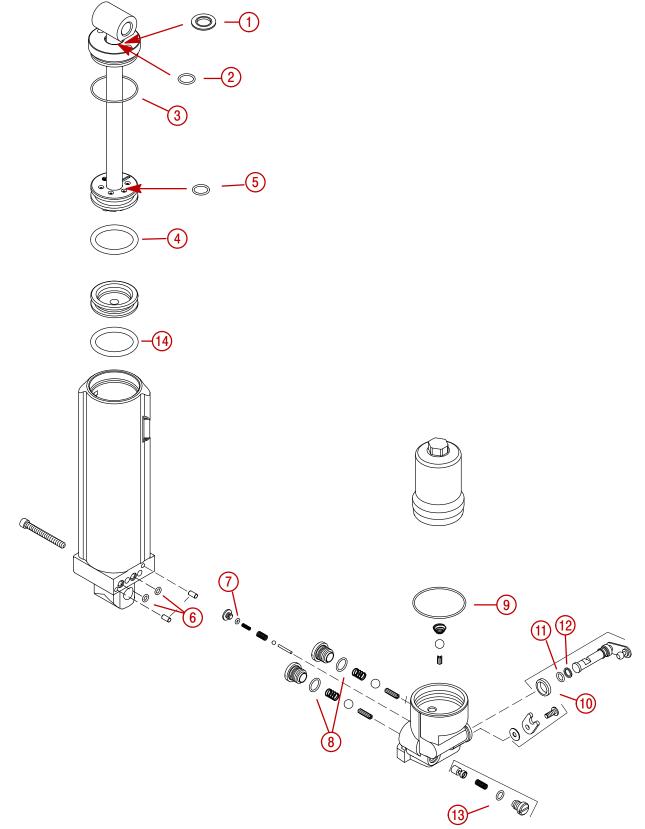


- **b** Check Retainer Plug or Screw Assembly
- c Spool
- d Spring
- e O-ring
- f Velocity Valve
- 4. Remove screw and remove cam assembly.



- a Spacer Retainer Clip
- **b** Retainer Clip
- c Screw
- d Shaft Seal
- e Cam

# **Reassembly - O-Ring and Seal Placement**

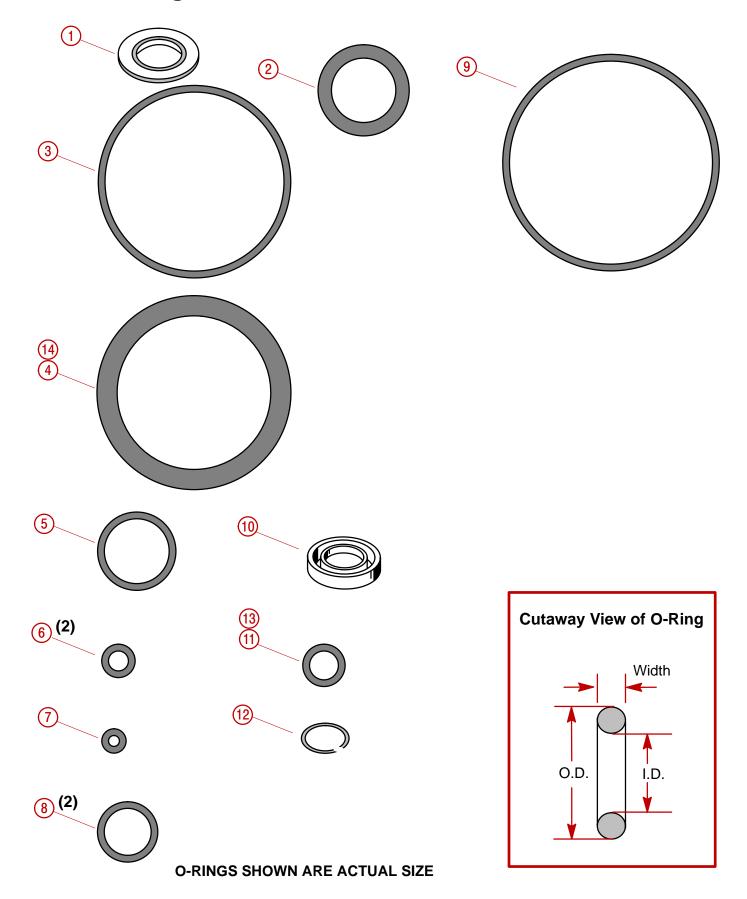


**NOTE:** Lubricate all O-rings using Quicksilver Power Trim and Steering Fluid. If not available, use automotive (ATF) automatic transmission fluid.

**NOTE:** It is recommended that all o-rings be replaced when servicing tilt system.



# **Actual O-Ring Sizes**





## **O-Ring Description and Sizes**

O-Ring	Description	O-Ring I.D.	O-Ring O.D.	O-Ring Width
1	Wiper Ring			
2	Cyl. Cap, Inner	0.671 in. (17.04 mm)	0.949 in. (24.10 mm)	0.139 in. (3.53 mm)
3	Cyl. Cap	1.864 in. (47.34 mm)	2.004 in. (50.90 mm)	0.07 in. (1.78 mm)
4	Shock Piston	1.6 in. (40.64 mm)	2.02 in. (53.086 mm)	0.21 in. (5.334 mm)
5	Piston Bolt	0.676 in. (17.17 mm)	.816 in. (20.726 mm)	0.07 in. (1.78 mm)
6 (2)	Manifold Split Line	0.208 in. (5.283 mm)	0.348 in. (8.839 mm)	0.07 in. (1.78 mm)
7	Slow Valve	0.114 in. (2.90 mm)	0.254 in. (6.451 mm)	0.07 in. (1.78 mm)
8 (2)	Plug	0.489 in. (12.42 mm)	0.629 in. (15.97 mm)	0.07 in. (1.78 mm)
9	Accumulator	2.114 in. (53.69 mm)	2.254 in. (57.25 mm)	0.07 in. (1.78 mm)
10	Lip Seal			
11	Cam Shaft	0.301 in. (7.645 mm)	0.441 in. (11.20 mm)	0.07 in. (1.78 mm)
12	Back Up Ring			
13	Surge Valve	0.301 in. (7.645 mm)	0.441 in. (11.20 mm)	0.07 in. (1.78 mm)
14	Memory Piston	1.6 in. (40.64 mm)	2.02 in. (53.086 mm)	0.21 in. (5.334 mm)

## **Manual Tilt System Cleaning and Inspection**

- 1. It is recommended that all o-rings exposed during disassembly be replaced.
- 2. Clean components, filter, and check valve seats using engine cleaner and compressed air. Do not use cloth rags.
- 3. Inspect all machined surfaces for burrs or scoring to assure o-ring longevity.
- 4. Inspect shock rod. If scraper (located in cap) has failed to keep rod clean, replace scraper.

## Manual Tilt System Reassembly

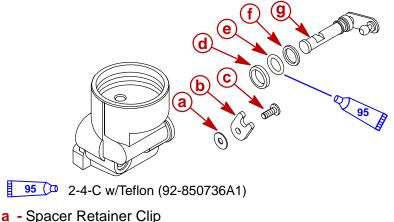
# **IMPORTANT:** Components must be dirt and lint free. Slightest amount of debris in tilt system could cause system to malfunction.

Apply Quicksilver Power Trim and Steering Fluid to all o-rings during reassembly. If not available, use automotive (ATF) automatic transmission fluid.

#### **CAM SHAFT REASSEMBLY**

#### IMPORTANT: Cam shaft O-ring must be lubricated using 2-4-C with Teflon.

- 1. Install lubricated o-ring and back up seal to cam.
- 2. Install shaft seal in valve block with lips facing out.
- 3. Install cam shaft assembly in valve block.
- 4. Secure cam shaft in place using insulator, retainer plate, and screw. Tighten screw securely.



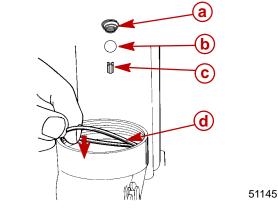
- **b** Retainer Clip
- c Screw

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- d Shaft Seal
- e O-ring
- f Back up Seal
- g Cam

#### VALVE BODY CHECK REASSEMBLY

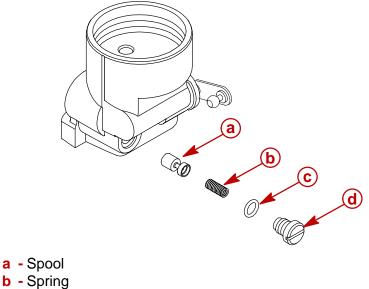
1. Install lubricated o-ring, plunger, steel ball and conical spring to valve block.



- a Conical Spring
- **b** Steel Ball
- c Plunger
- **d** O-ring

#### VELOCITY VALVE REASSEMBLY

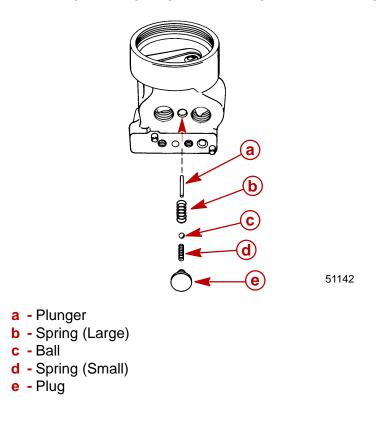
- 1. Install spool, spring, lubricated o-ring and screw plug (surge valve assembly) into valve block.
- 2. Torque velocity valve to 75 lb-in. (8.5 Nm).



- **c** O-ring
- d Velocity Valve Torque to 75 lb-in. (8.5 Nm)

#### CHECK RETAINER REASSEMBLY

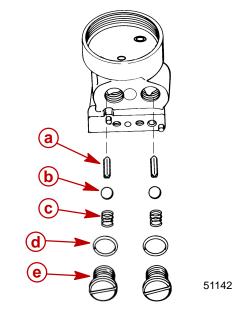
1. Install plunger, spring (large), ball, spring (small), and plug into valve block.





#### VALVE PLUG REASSEMBLY

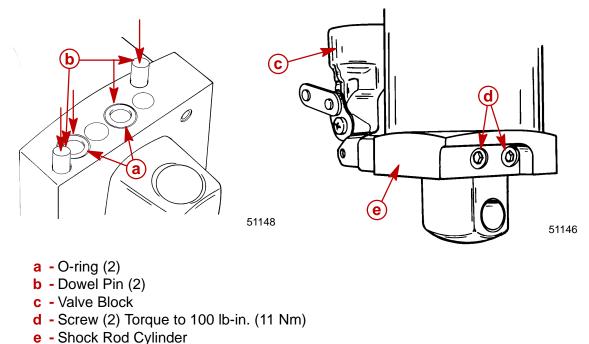
1. Install plunger, steel ball, spring, lubricated o-ring and screw plug. Torque screw plugs to 75 lb-in. (8.5 Nm).



- a Plunger (2)
- b Steel Ball (2)
- c Spring (2)
- **d** O-ring (2)
- e Screw Plug (2) Torque to 75 lb-in. (8.5 Nm)

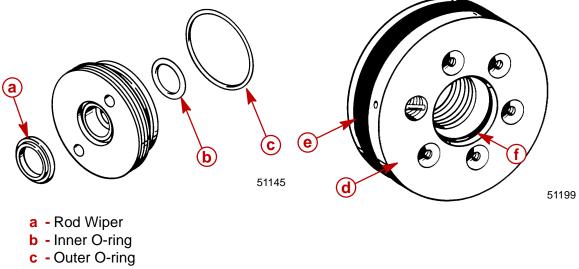
### **Valve Block Installation**

- 1. Install lubricated O-rings and dowel pins.
- 2. Install valve block to shock rod cylinder. Insert screws to shock rod cylinder and torque to 100 lb-in. (11 Nm).

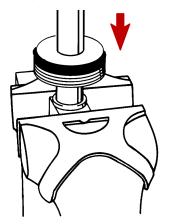


### **Shock Rod Reassembly**

- 1. Install lubricated o-rings to end cap.
- 2. Install rod wiper.
- 3. Install lubricated o-rings to shock piston.



- d Shock Piston
- e O-ring
- f O-ring
- 4. Clamp shock rod in soft jawed vise.
- 5. Position cylinder end cap onto rod, as shown.



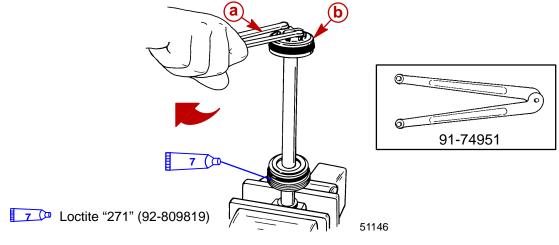
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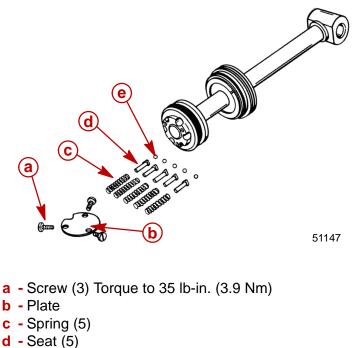
### **ACAUTION**

When installing shock rod piston, spanner wrench must have 1/4 in. x 5/16 in. (6.4mm x8mm) long pegs to avoid damage to shock rod piston.

- 6. Apply Loctite Grade "A" (271) to threads on shock rod.
- 7. Install shock rod piston.
- Tighten shock rod piston securely using spanner wrench [1/4 in. x 5/16 in. (6.4mm x 8mm) long pegs]. If a torquing type spanner tool is used to tighten shock piston, then torque to 90 lb-ft (122 Nm).



- a Spanner Wrench
- **b** Shock Rod Piston Torque to 90 lb-ft (122 Nm)
- 9. Install ball, seat, and spring (five sets) to shock rod piston.
- 10. Secure components with plate. Torque screws to 35 lb-in. (3.9 Nm).
- 11. Remove shock rod assembly from vise.



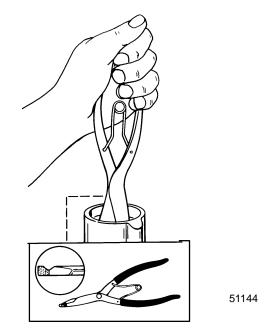
e - Ball (5)

### **Shock Rod Installation and Fluid Filling Procedure**

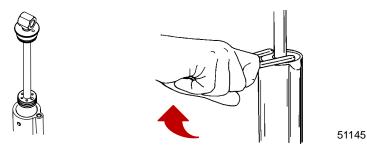
**NOTE:** There are two ways for the filling procedure. The first is the easiest and less time consuming.

#### **Filling Procedure Option One**

- 1. Place trim cylinder in soft jawed vice.
- 2. With manifold cam lever closed (Up Position), fill cylinder and manifold to top with Quicksilver Power trim and steering fluid, or (ATF) automatic transmission fluid. Let bubbles disperse.
- 3. Install lubricated o-ring to memory piston.
- 4. Using lock ring pliers (P/N 91-822778A3). Set memory piston in top of cylinder then open cam lever (Down Position) and push memory piston down just below cylinder treads. Close cam lever (Up Position).

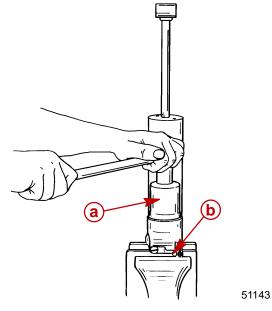


- 5. Fill top of cylinder again with fluid to top and install shock rod assembly on top memory piston. Open cam lever (Down Position) and push shock rod assembly down to 1/8" below cylinder threads. Close cam lever (Up Position).
- 6. Fill top of shock rod assembly with fluid to top of cylinder. Open cam lever (Down Position) and screw cylinder cap down.
- 7. Tighten end cap securely using spanner wrench [1/4 in. x 5/16 in. (6.4mm x 8mm) long pegs]. If a torquing type spanner tool is used to tighten end cap, then torque the end cap to 45 lb-ft (61.0 Nm). Close cam lever (Up Position).





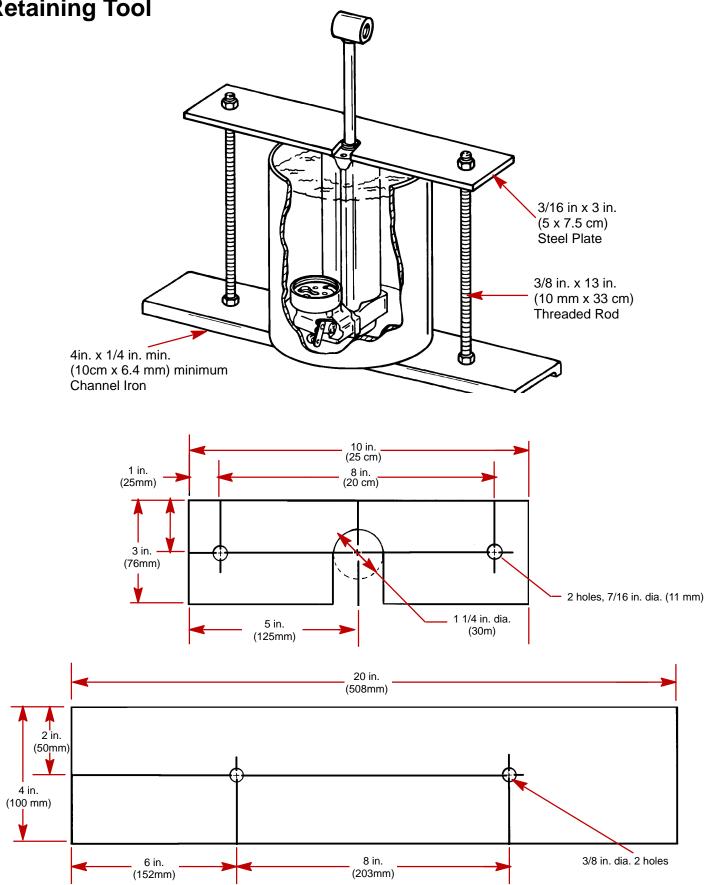
8. Open and close cam lever, watching for bubbles coming from accumulator check ball hole. When bubbles stop, fill accumulator opening to top with fluid. Grease threads on accumulator and opening with 2-4-C with Teflon. Start accumulator in threads and open cam lever (Down Position). Torque accumulator to 35 lb–ft (47 Nm).



- a Accumulator
- **b** Cam Lever (Down Position)

**NOTE:** If filling procedure is done correctly, it should be hard to turn cylinder rod assembly by hand.

# Filling Procedure Option Two Instructions for Making Retaining Tool



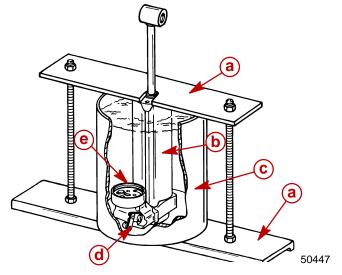


## **Bleeding Manual Tilt System**

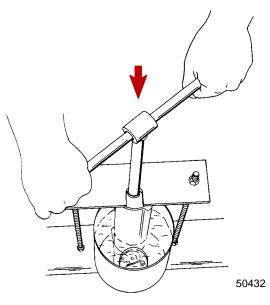
# **IMPORTANT:** While bleeding tilt system, time must be allowed between each stroke to allow air bubbles to dissipate.

- 1. With shock rod in the full up position and manifold cam lever open (facing down), secure tilt system to retaining tool and container. (A No. 10 can or 3 lb coffee can could be used.)
- 2. Fill container to near full level using Quicksilver Power Trim and Steering Fluid. If not available, use automotive (ATF) automatic transmission fluid.

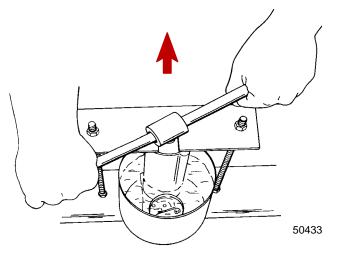
# **IMPORTANT:** Fluid level must remain above accumulator opening during bleeding process.



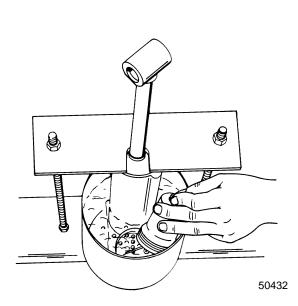
- a Retaining Tool
- b Tilt System
- c Container
- d Cam Lever
- e Accumulator Opening
- 3. Bleed unit by pushing rod down slowly (18-20 seconds per stroke) until stopped at base. Wait until all air bubbles exit accumulator base.

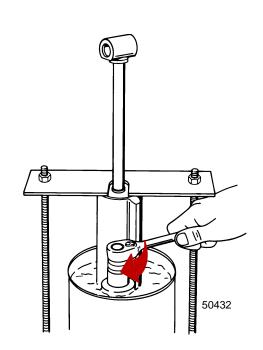


- 4. During up stroke, pull up on rod slowly 3 in. (76 mm) from base.
- 5. Wait until all air bubbles to exit accumulator base.



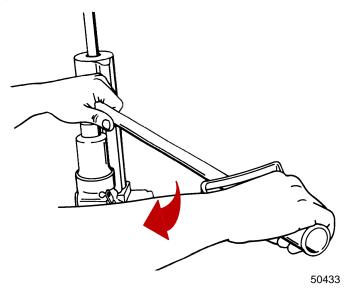
- 6. Slowly cycle unit 5-8 times (round trip per cycle) using short strokes 3 in. (76 mm) from base allowing bubbles to disappear during each stroke.
- 7. Allow unit to stand five minutes, then proceed to cycle unit 2-3 more times using short strokes. No air bubbles should appear from accumulator port at this time.
- 8. With oil level well above accumulator port, slowly pull rod to full up position.
- 9. Install accumulator making sure air bubbles do not enter system.
- 10. Tighten accumulator snugly at this time.





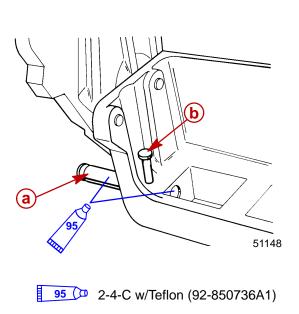


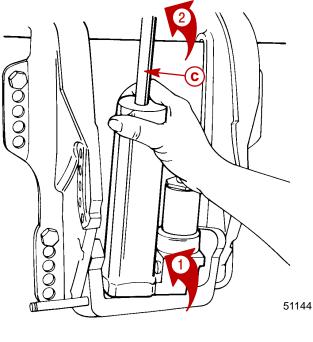
11. With cam lever remaining open (facing down), remove tilt assembly from oil and secure in soft jawed vise. Torque accumulator to 35 lb-ft (47 Nm).



### Manual Tilt System Installation

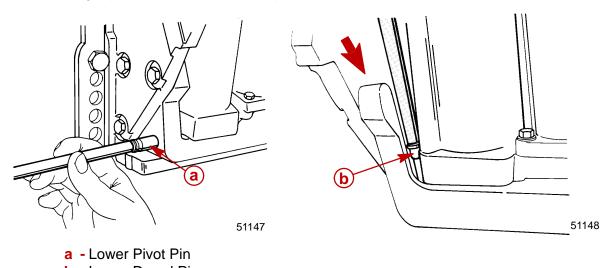
- 1. Apply 2-4-C Marine Lubricant to lower pivot pin hole and pivot pin surface.
- 2. Start lower pivot pin into pivot pin hole and position lower dowel pin (retained) in its hole.
- 3. Reinstall manual tilt system, bottom first. Reconnect release valve link rod.



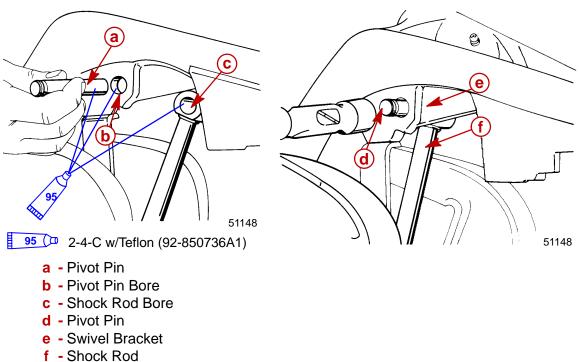


- a Lower Pivot Pin
- **b** Lower Dowel Pin
- c Manual Tilt System

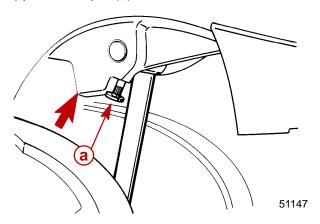
- 4. Using a suitable punch, drive lower pivot pin into clamp bracket and trim cylinder assembly until pivot pin is flush with outside surface.
- 5. Using a punch, drive lower dowel pin in until seated.



- **b** Lower Dowel Pin
- 6. Apply 2-4-C Marine Lubricant to surface of upper pivot pin, pivot pin hole and shock rod hole.
- 7. Using a mallet, drive upper pivot pin into swivel bracket and through shock rod until pivot pin is flush with swivel bracket.



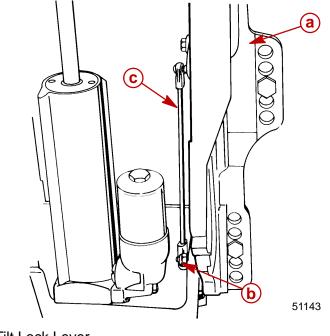
8. Drive upper dowel pin (a) into its hole until seated.



- a Dowel Pin
- 9. Check manual release cam adjustment. Cam must open and close freely. Adjust link rod as necessary.

#### **Manual Release Valve Adjustment**

- 1. With outboard in full up position, place tilt lock lever forward.
- 2. Lift cam lever (with link rod) to full up position.



- a Tilt Lock Lever
- **b** Cam Lever
- **c** Link Rod
- 3. Link rod end must snap onto ball of tilt lock lever without moving tilt lock lever or cam lever.

# LOWER UNIT Section 6A - Non-Bigfoot Gear Housing

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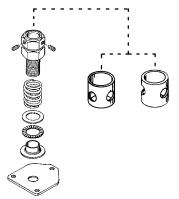
# **Specifications**

	Gear Ratio	1.83:1
	Gearcase Capacity	11.5 fl oz (340 mL)
	Lubricant Type	Quicksilver Gear Lube-Premium Blend
	Forward Gear	
	Number of Teeth	22 Spiral/Bevel
	Pinion Gear	
	Number of Teeth	12 Spiral/Bevel
	Pinion Height	0.025 in. (0.64 mm)
GEAR HOUSING	5	Pinion Gear Locating Tool
(1.83:1)		(91-817008A2)
	Forward Gear Backlash	0.011-0.017 in. (0.28-0.43 mm)
		Backlash Indicator Tool (91-196601)
		MARK #4 or 0.366 in. (9.3 mm)
	Water Pressure (Warm Engine)	
	@ 800 rpm	1–3 psi (7-21 kPa)
	@ 6000 rpm (WOT)	12–25 psi (83-172 kPa)
	Leak Test Pressure	10-12 psi (68-83 kPa)
		for 5 Minutes



## **Special Tools**

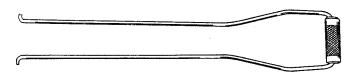
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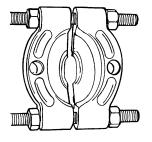
2. Backlash Indicator Tool 91-19660--1



3. Puller 91-27780



4. Universal Puller Plate 91-37241



5. Driver Head 91-37312.

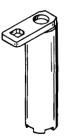


6. Driver Rod (91-37323)

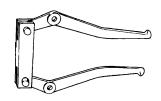




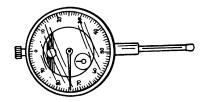
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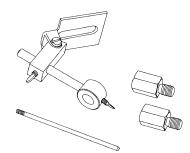
8. Puller Jaws (91-46086A1)



9. Dial Indicator (91-58222A1)



10. Dial Indicator Adaptor Kit (91-83155)

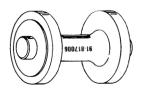


11. Puller Bolt (91-85716)

12. Forward Gear Bearing Installer 91-817005.



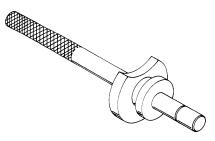
13. Water Pump Base Seal Installer 91-817006.



14. Bearing Carrier Seal Installer 91-817007.



15. Pinion Gear Location Tool 91-817008A2.



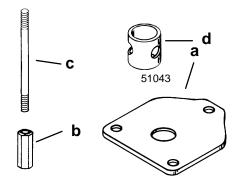
16. Forward Gear Bearing Race Driver Cup 91-817009.



17. Needle Bearing Installer 91-817011.



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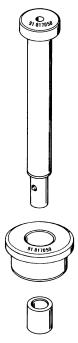


Ref.	Description	Qty.
а	Plate	1
b	Nut	1
С	Stud	1
d	Sleeve	1

91-817057A-1 Update Kit (Converts 91-14311A-1 Bearing Preload Kit Tool to a 91-14311A-2)



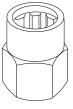
19. Lower Driveshaft Bearing Driver Assembly 91-817058A1.



20. Driveshaft Holding Tool 91-817070 55/60 (2-stroke).



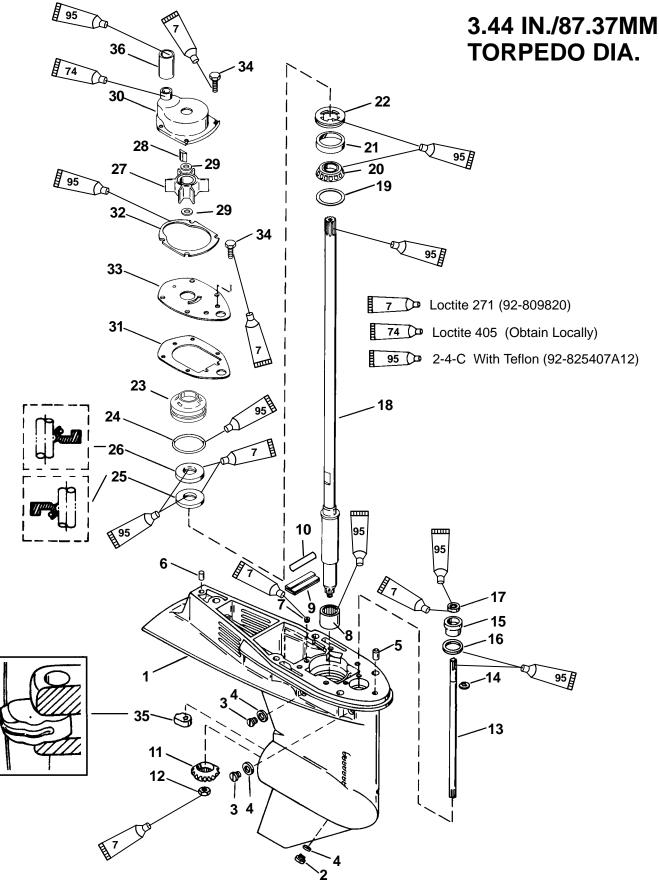
21. Driveshaft Holding Tool 91-877840A1 50/60 (4-stroke).



### **Quicksilver Lubricants and Service Aids**

Part No.	Description
92-809819	Loctite "271"
92-891601-1	RTV Silicone Sealer
92-850737A1	Premium Blend Gear Lubricant
92-850735A1	Anti-Corrosion Grease
92-850736A1	2-4-C w/Teflon







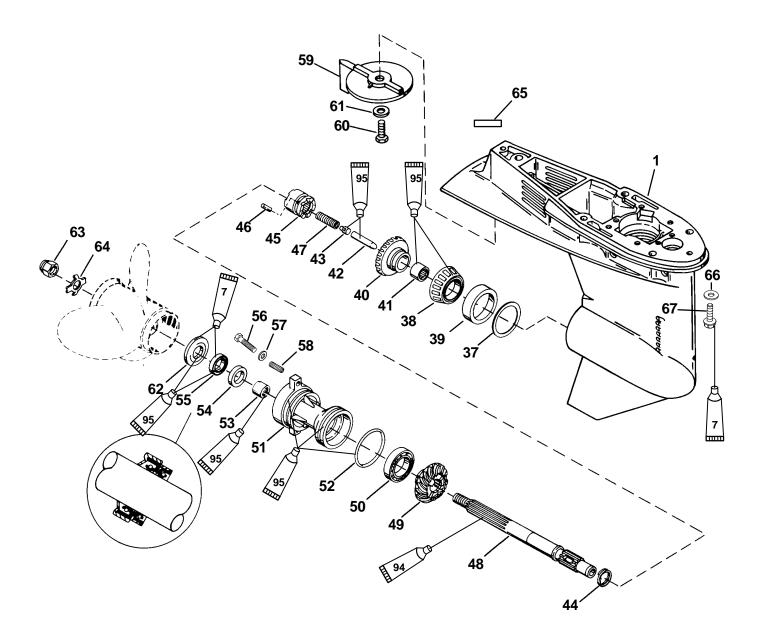
# GEAR HOUSING (DRIVE SHAFT)(1.83:1 GEAR RATIO)

REF.				TORQUE		
NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	lb-in	lb-ft	Nm.	
1	1	GEAR HOUSING				
2	1	DRAIN SCREW 58			6.5	
3	2	SCREW	58		6.5	
4	3	WASHER-sealing				
5	1	DOWEL PIN				
6	1	DOWEL PIN				
7	1	PIPE PLUG				
8	1	ROLLER BEARING				
9	1	SEAL KIT				
10	1	FILLER PLATE				
11	1	PINION GEAR (14 TEETH)				
12	1	NUT		50	67.8	
13	1	SHIFT SHAFT ASSEMBLY				
14	1	RETAINING RING				
15	1	BUSHING ASSEMBLY				
16	1	O-RING				
17	1	OIL SEAL				
18	1	DRIVE SHAFT				
19	AR	SHIM SET (SIZES 006 THRU 038)				
20	1	TAPERED ROLLER BEARING				
21	1	CUP				
22	1	NUT		75	101.7	
23	1	WATER PUMP BASE				
24	1	O-RING				
25	1	OIL SEAL				
26	1	OIL SEAL				
27	1	IMPELLER				
28	1	KEY				
29	2	WASHER				
30	1	WATER PUMP				
31	1	GASKET (LOWER)				
32	1	GASKET (UPPER)				
33	1	FACE PLATE				
34	6	SCREW (M6x16)	60		6.8	
35	1	SHIFT CAM				
36	1	COUPLER				



# **GEAR HOUSING (PROP SHAFT)(1.83:1 GEAR RATIO)**

### 3.44 IN./87.37MM TORPEDO DIA.



7 Loctite 271 (92-809820)
 94 Anti-Corrosion Grease (92-78376A6)
 95 2-4-C With Teflon (92-825407A12)



# **GEAR HOUSING (PROP SHAFT)(1.83:1 GEAR RATIO)**

REF.			1	ORQUI	Ε
NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	lb-in	lb-ft	Nm.
1	1	GEAR HOUSING			
37	AR	SHIM SET (SIZES 006 THRU 048)			
38	1	TAPERED ROLLER BEARING			
39	1	CUP			
40	1	FORWARD GEAR (23 TEETH)			
41	1	ROLLER BEARING			
42	1	CAM FOLLOWER			
43	1	SLIDE			
44	1	SPRING			
45	1	CLUTCH			
46	1	CROSS PIN			
47	1	SPRING			
48	1	PROPELLER SHAFT			
49	1	REVERSE GEAR (23 TEETH)			
50	1	BALL BEARING			
51	1	BEARING CARRIER ASSEMBLY			
52	1	O-RING			
53	1	ROLLER BEARING			
54	1	OIL SEAL			
55	1	OIL SEAL			
56	2	SCREW (M8x30)	225	18.8	25.5
57	2	WASHER			
58	2	THREADED INSERT			
59	1	TRIM TAB			
60	1	SCREW (M10 x 30)	186		21.0
61	1	WASHER			
62	1	THRUST HUB			
63	1	PROPELLER NUT		55	74.6
64	1	TAB WASHER			
65	1	DECAL- Gear Ratio			
66	4	WASHER			
67	4	SCREW (M10 x 45)		40	54



### **General Service Recommendations**

There may be more than one way to "disassemble" or "reassemble" a particular part(s), therefore, it is recommended that the entire procedure be read prior to repair.

#### **IMPORTANT:** Read the following before attempting any repairs.

In many cases, disassembly of a sub-assembly may not be necessary until cleaning and inspection reveals that disassembly is required for replacement of one or more components.

Service procedure order in this section is a normal disassembly-reassembly sequence.

Threaded parts are right hand (RH), unless otherwise indicated.

When holding, pressing or driving is required, use soft metal vise jaw protectors or wood for protection of parts. Use a suitable mandrel (one that will contact only the bearing race) when pressing or driving bearings.

Whenever compressed air is used to dry a part, verify that no water is present in air line.

#### **Bearings**

#### **WARNING**

To avoid personal injury, wear eye protection and regulate air pressure to not more than 25 p.s.i. (172 kPa) when drying bearings with compressed air. Do not spin bearings with compressed air as this may cause bearings to score from lack of lubrication.

All bearings must be cleaned and inspected. Clean bearings with solvent and dry with compressed air. Air should be directed at the bearing so that it passes through the bearing. Do not spin bearing with compressed air (see above warning). After cleaning, lubricate bearings with Quicksilver Gear Lubricant. DO NOT lubricate tapered bearing cups until after inspection.

Inspect all bearings for roughness, catches and bearing race side wear. Work inner bearing race in-and-out, while holding outer race, to check for side wear. When inspecting tapered bearings, determine condition of rollers and inner bearing race by inspecting bearing cup for pitting, scoring, grooves, uneven wear, imbedded particles and/or discoloration from over-heating. Always replace tapered bearing and race as a set.

Inspect gear housing for bearing races that have spun in their respective bores. If race(s) have spun, gear housing must be replaced.

Roller bearing condition is determined by inspecting the surface of the shaft that the roller bearing supports. Check shaft surface for pitting scoring, grooving, imbedded particles, uneven wear and/or discoloration from overheating. The shaft and bearing must be replaced if such a condition exists.

#### Seals

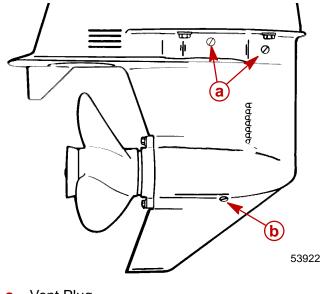
As a normal procedure, all O-rings and oil seals should be replaced without regard to appearance. To prevent leakage around seals, apply Loctite 271 to outer diameter of all seals. When using Loctite on seals or threads, surfaces must be clean and dry. Apply 2-4-C w/Te-flon on all O-rings and on I.D. of oil seals. Apply 2-4-C w/Teflon to external surfaces of bearing carrier.

# **Draining and Inspecting Gear Lubricant**

#### **WARNING**

If gear housing is installed on engine, to avoid accidental starting, disconnect (and isolate) spark plug leads from spark plugs before working near the propeller.

1. With gear housing in normal running position, place a clean pan under housing and remove the two vent screws and one fill/drain screw (with gaskets).



- a Vent Plugb Fill/Drain Plug
- **D** Fill/Drain Plug
- 2. Inspect gear lubricant for metal particles (lubricant will have a "metal flake" appearance). Presence of fine metal particles (resembling powder) in the drain pan indicates normal wear. The presence of metal chips in the drain pan indicates the need for gear housing disassembly and component inspection.
- 3. Note color of gear lubricant. White or cream color MAY indicate presence of water in lubricant. Gear lubricant which has been drained from a gear case recently in operation will have a yellowish color due to lubricant agitation/aeration. Gear lube which is mixed with assembly lubricant (Special Lube 101 or 2-4-C w/Teflon) will also be creamy white in color. This is normal and should not be confused with the presence of water. If water is suspected to be present in gearcase, a pressure check of gearcase should be made (with no lubricant in gearcase). Gearcase should hold 10-12 psi of pressure for 5 minutes without leaking down. Pouring a portion of the gear lubricant into a glass jar and allowing the lubricant to settle will allow any water in the lube to separate and settle to the bottom of the jar.
- 4. Presence of water in gear lubricant indicates the need for disassembly and inspection of oil seals, seal surfaces, O-rings, water pump gaskets, bearings and bearing surfaces, as well as gear housing components. If gearcase is rebuilt, gearcase should be pressure checked before filling with lubricant.

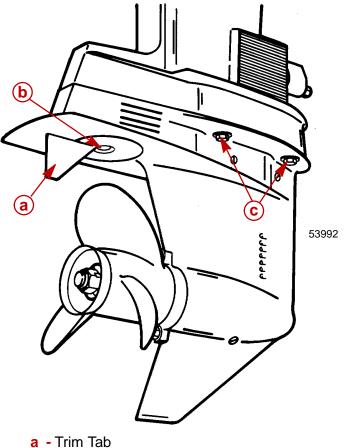


### Removal

### **WARNING**

To prevent accidental engine starting, remove (and isolate) spark plug leads from spark plugs before removing gear housing.

- 1. Remove (and isolate) spark plug leads from spark plugs.
- 2. Shift engine into forward gear.
- 3. Tilt engine to full "Up" position.
- 4. Remove 4 bolts and washers, two from each side
- 5. Remove trim tab.
- 6. Remove locknut and washer in trim tab recess.
- 7. Remove gear housing.



**b** - Locknut and Washer

**c** - Bolts(4) M10 x 45 and Washers(4)

# Disassembly

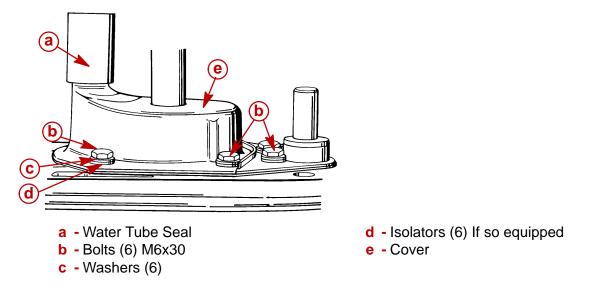
#### Water Pump

**NOTE:** If water tube seal stayed on water tube (inside of drive shaft housing) when gear housing was removed, pull water tube seal from water tube.

- 1. Replace water tube seal, if damaged.
- 2. Remove 6 bolts, washers, and isolators (Design 1).
- 3. Remove cover.

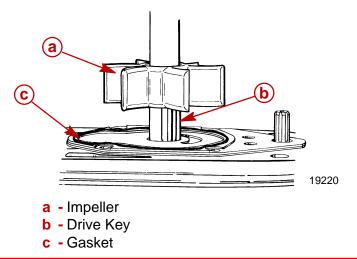
**NOTE:** Isolators from forward 2 screws are shorter than the other isolators. Retain these for proper reassembly (Design 1).

**NOTE:** Design 1 included isolators on the water pump housing bolts. Newer design versions did not use these isolators.



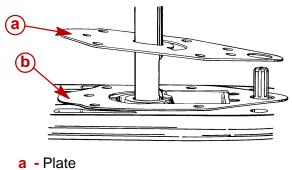
#### IMPORTANT: The circular groove formed by the impeller sealing bead should be disregarded when inspecting cover and plate, as the depth of the groove will not affect water pump output.

- 4. Replace cover if thickness of steel at the discharge slots is 0.060 in. (1.524 mm) or less, or if groove(s) (other than impeller sealing bead groove) in cover roof are more than 0.030 in. (0.762 mm) deep.
- 5. Lift impeller, drive key, and gasket from drive shaft.





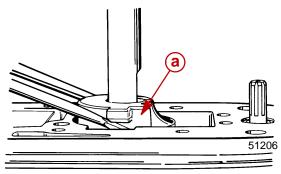
- 6. Inspect impeller. Replace impeller if any of the following conditions exist:
  - Impeller blade(s) are cracked, torn, or worn.
  - Impeller is glazed or melted (caused by operation without sufficient water supply).
  - Rubber portion of impeller is not bonded to impeller hub.
- 7. Remove plate and gasket.
- 8. Replace plate if groove(s) (other than impeller sealing bead groove) in plate are more than 0.030 in. (0.762 mm) deep.



**b** - Gasket

#### **Old Style Base**

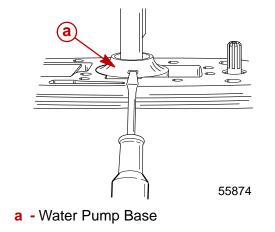
9. Remove water pump base by lifting gently as shown. Inspect carefully for cracks.



a - Water Pump Base

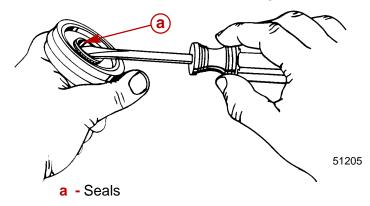
#### New Style Base

10. Remove water pump base by lifting gently as shown. Inspect carefully for cracks.

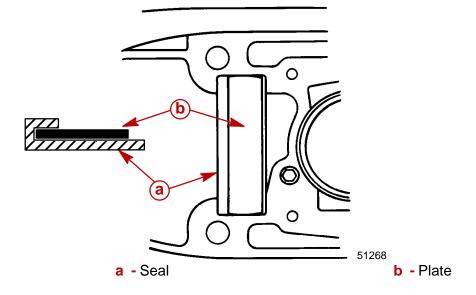




11. Remove (and discard) seals, if damaged. Secure the base to a bench top or **lightly** clamp base in vise when removing seals.

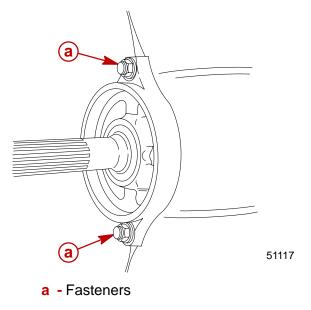


12. Remove seal and plate if damaged or worn.



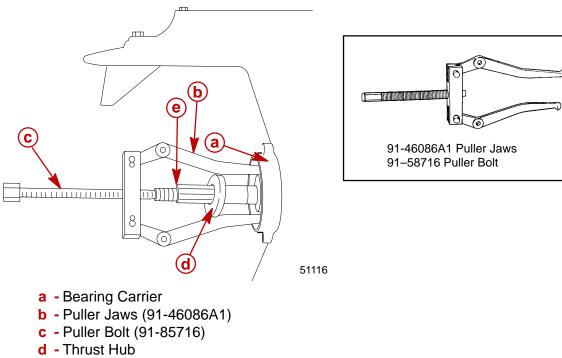
#### **Bearing Carrier and Propeller Shaft**

1. Remove fasteners.

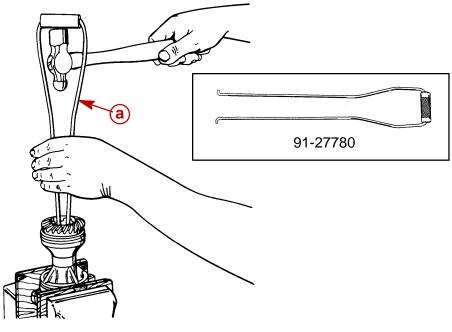




2. With propeller shaft horizontal, use bearing puller to remove carrier from gear housing. Remove propeller shaft components as an assembly, taking care not to lose cam follower.



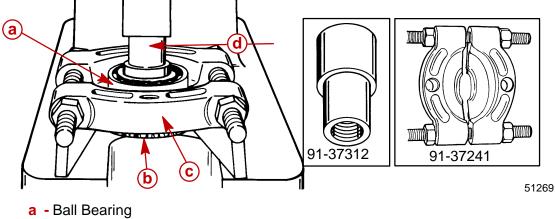
- e Propeller Shaft
- Replace reverse gear if gear teeth or clutch teeth on reverse gear are chipped or worn. If reverse gear must be replaced, pinion and sliding clutch should also be inspected for damage.
- 4. If reverse gear bearing is rusted or does not roll freely, replace bearing. Remove bearing and reverse gear using bearing puller.



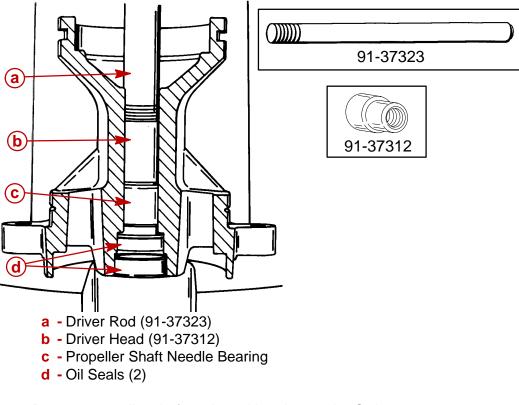
a - Bearing Puller (91-27780)



5. Remove ball bearing from reverse gear using Universal Puller Plate and mandrel.



- **b** Reverse Gear
- **c** Universal Puller Plate (91-37241)
- **d** Driver Head (91-37312)
- 6. If bearing is rusted or does not roll freely, replace bearing. Remove bearing and oil seals. Discard oil seals.



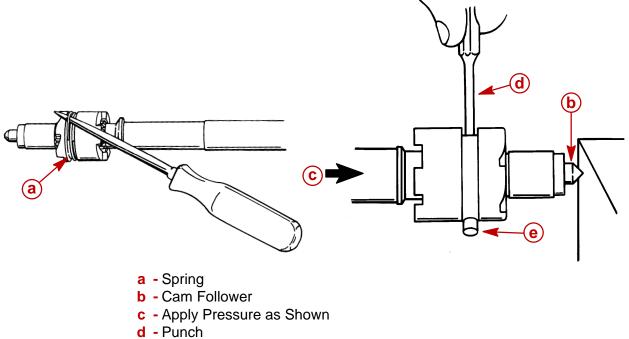
7. Remove propeller shaft seals and bearing carrier O-ring.



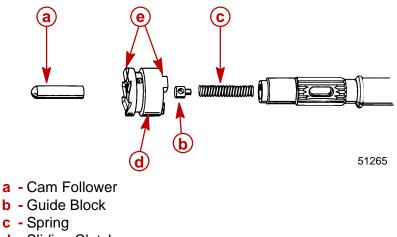


### **Propeller Shaft Disassembly**

1. Remove spring. Push out cross pin.



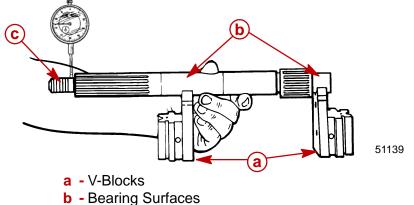
- e Cross Pin
- 2. Replace cam follower if worn or pitted on either end.
- 3. Replace sliding clutch if jaws are rounded or chipped. Rounded jaws indicate the following:
  - Improper shift cable adjustment.
  - Engine idle speed too high while shifting.
  - Shifting too slowly.



- d Sliding Clutch
- e Jaws



- 4. Check bearing surfaces of propeller shaft. If shaft is worn/pitted, replace shaft and corresponding bearing.
- 5. Replace propeller shaft if:
  - a. Splines are twisted or worn.
  - b. Bearing surfaces of propeller shaft are pitted or worn.
  - c. Oil seal surface is grooved in excess of 0.005 in. (0.12mm).
  - d. Shaft has a noticeable "wobble" or is bent more than 0.006 in. (.152 mm). Check with a dial indicator and V-blocks.



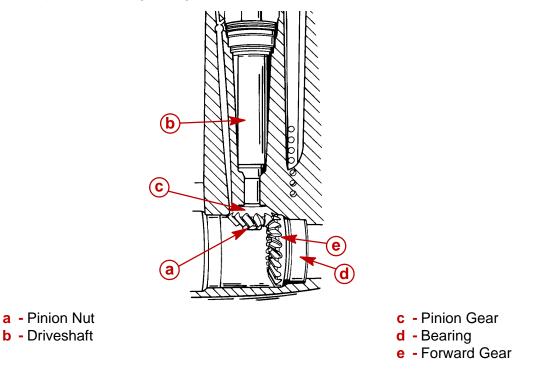
**c** - Check with Dial Indicator Here



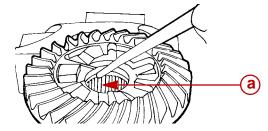
1. Hold driveshaft using Driveshaft Holding Tool. Remove (and discard) pinion nut.

Model	Drive Shaft Holding Tool
50/60 (4-Stroke)	91-877840A1
55/60 Bigfoot (2–Stroke)	91-817070

- 2. Remove driveshaft, pinion gear, and forward gear.
- 3. Replace pinion gear if chipped or worn.
- 4. Replace lower driveshaft bearing if rusted or damaged; or does not roll freely. To remove, refer to "Lower Driveshaft Bearing", following.
- 5. Replace forward gear if gear teeth are chipped or worn.

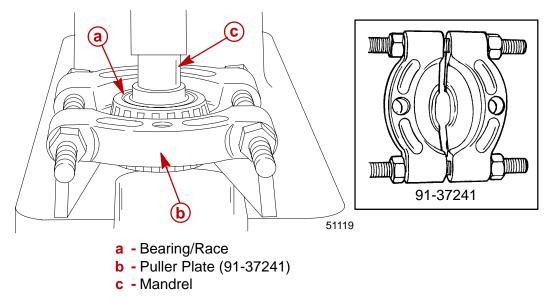


6. Replace forward gear needle bearing if rusted or does not roll freely after cleaning in solvent. Remove as shown.



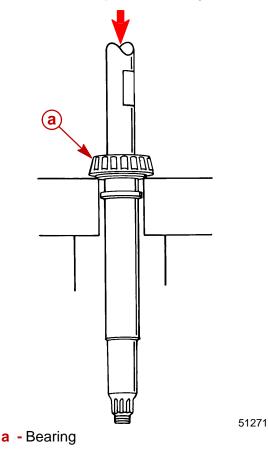
a - Needle Bearing

7. Replace forward gear tapered roller bearing and race if either bearing or race are rusted or damaged; or if bearing does not roll freely after cleaning in solvent. Remove bearing from gear using Universal Puller Plate and Mandrel. To remove race, refer to "Forward Gear Bearing Race", following.



### **Upper Driveshaft Bearing**

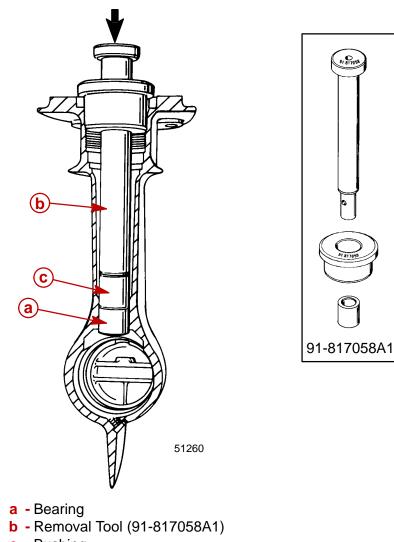
1. Replace bearing and race if either bearing or race are rusted or damaged; or if bearing does not roll freely after cleaning in solvent.





#### Lower Driveshaft Bearing

1. Remove lower driveshaft bearing using tool (91-817058A1) with bushing installed.

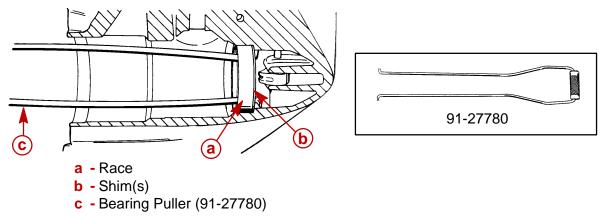


**c** - Bushing

### Forward Gear Bearing Race

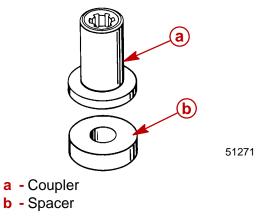
#### IMPORTANT: Retain shim(s) for re-assembly.

1. Remove race and shim(s) using bearing puller.

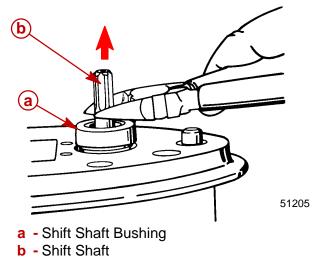




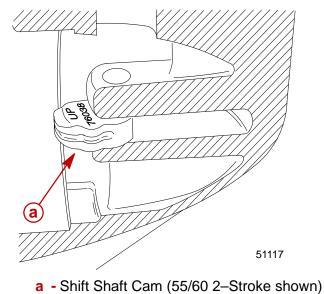
1. Remove shift shaft coupler and spacer.



2. Remove shift shaft bushing and shift shaft. Protect shift shaft to prevent spline damage.

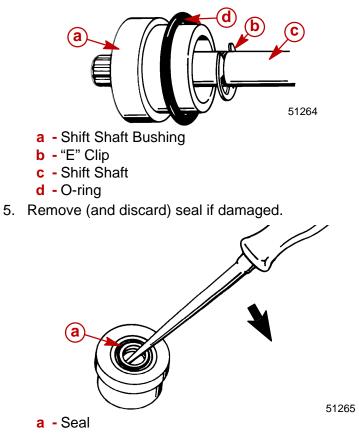


3. Remove shift shaft cam, replace if worn.



**NOTE:** Remove any burrs or sharp edges on the shift shaft splines before removing the shift shaft bushing.

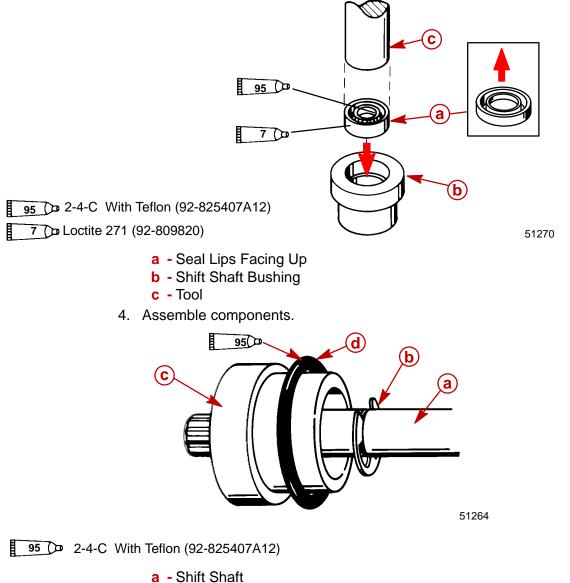
4. Remove shift shaft bushing and "E" clip from shift shaft. Replace shift shaft if splines are twisted or damaged on either end of shaft. Remove (and discard) O-ring if damaged.



# **Gear Housing Reassembly**

#### Shift Shaft

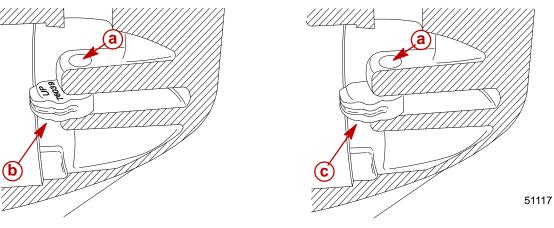
- 1. Apply Loctite 271 on O.D. of new seal. Install with seal lip up, as shown.
- 2. Press seal into shift shaft bushing until seal bottoms. Use a suitable tool.
- 3. Apply 2-4-C w/Teflon on O-ring and I.D. of seal.



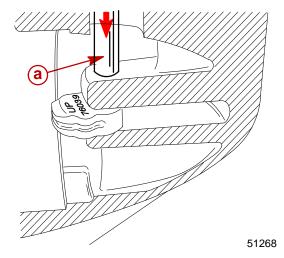
- **b** "E" Clip
- c Bushing
- d O-ring



5. Install shift cam; align hole in shift cam with shift shaft pilot bore.



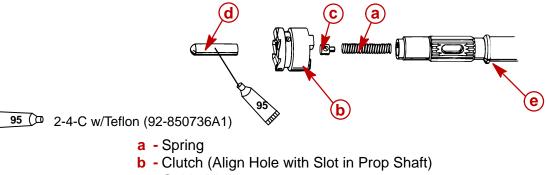
- a Shift Shaft Pilot Bore
- **b** Shift Cam numbers up (2–Stroke)
- c Shift Shaft numbers down (4–Stroke)
- 6. Install shift shaft assembly; insert splines into shift cam.



a - Shift Shaft Assembly

#### **Propeller Shaft**

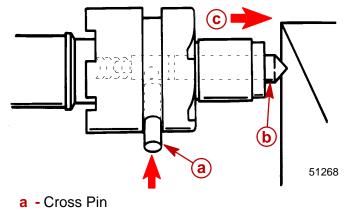
1. Install components. Clutch should be installed with long end (non-ratcheting) toward propshaft reverse shoulder.



- **c** Guide Block
- d Cam Follower (Hold in Place with 2-4-C w/Teflon)
- e Propshaft Shoulder

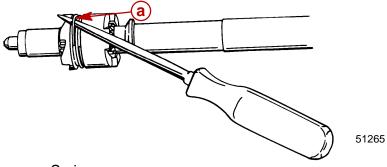


2. Install cross pin.



- **b** Cam Follower
- c Apply Pressure in This Direction
- 3. Install spring.

**NOTE:** Spring windings must lay flat in clutch groove. DO NOT allow spring coils to overlap each other.

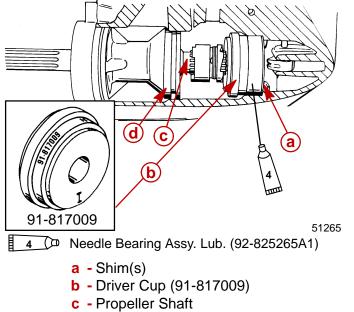


a - Spring



### **Forward Gear Bearing Race**

- 1. Place shim(s), retained from disassembly, into housing. If shim(s) were lost or damaged, or a new gearcase is being assembled, start with a .010 in. (.254mm) shim.
- 2. Drive bearing race into housing. Use a lead hammer to avoid damage to propshaft.

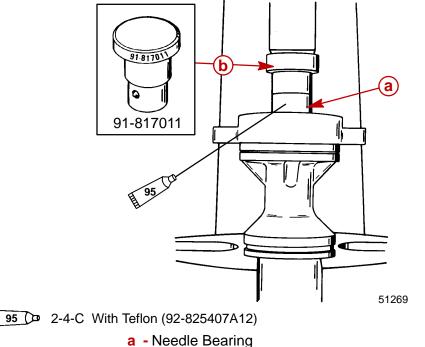


d - Assembled Bearing Carrier

#### **Bearing Carrier**

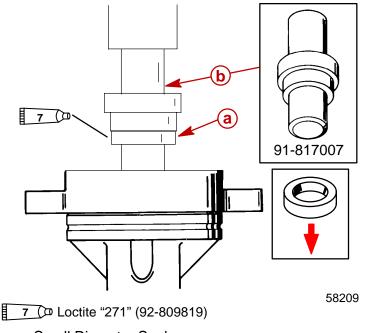
- 1. Lubricate O.D. of needle bearing with 2-4-C w/Teflon.
- 2. Install needle bearing.

Installation Note: Push against numbered end of bearing.

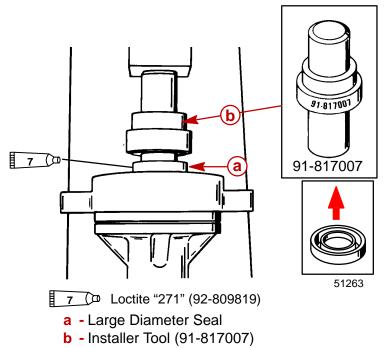


**b** - Installer (91-817011)

3. Apply Loctite 271 on O.D. of small diameter oil seal. Seal lip should face away from shoulder on Installation Tool. Press seal in until Installer Tool bottoms out.

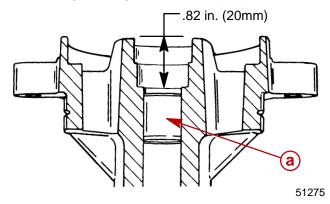


- a Small Diameter Seal
- **b** Installer Tool (91-817007)
- 4. Apply Loctite 271 on O.D. of larger diameter oil seal. Seal lip should face towards shoulder on installation tool. Press in until Installer tool bottoms out.

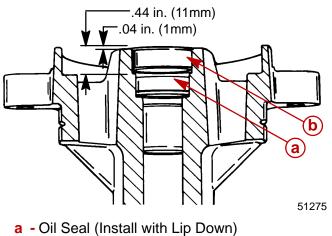




**Installation Note:** If service tools are not available, the following reference dimensions apply for installing bearing and seals to proper depths.



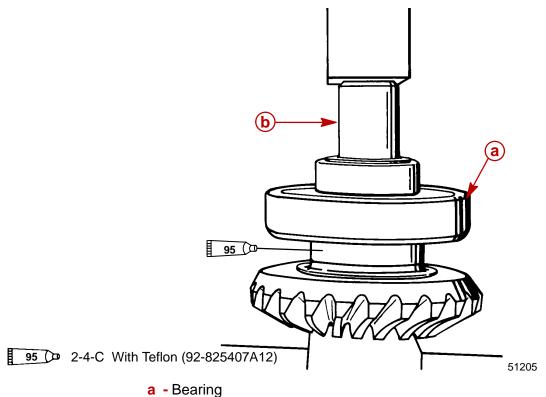
a - Bearing



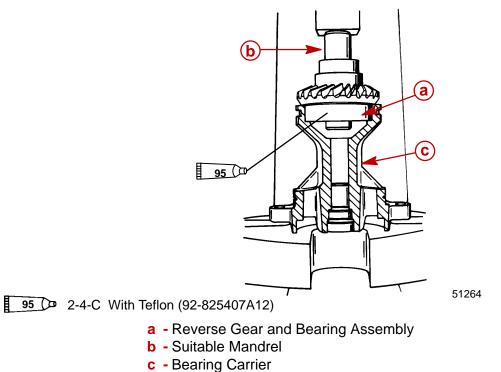
**b** - Oil Seal (Install With Lip Up)

### **Reverse Gear**

1. Lubricate I.D. of bearing with 2-4-C w/Teflon. Use suitable mandrel and press onto gear until bearing bottoms.



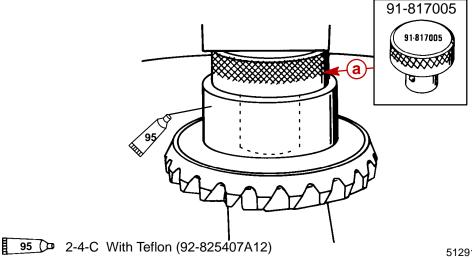
- **b** Suitable Mandrel
- 2. Lubricate O.D. of bearing with 2-4-c w/Teflon. Use suitable mandrel and press reverse gear/bearing assembly into bearing carrier until bearing bottoms out.



#### **Forward Gear**

1. Lubricate O.D. of bearing with 2-4-C w/Teflon. Press new propshaft bearing into gear until Installer Tool bottoms.

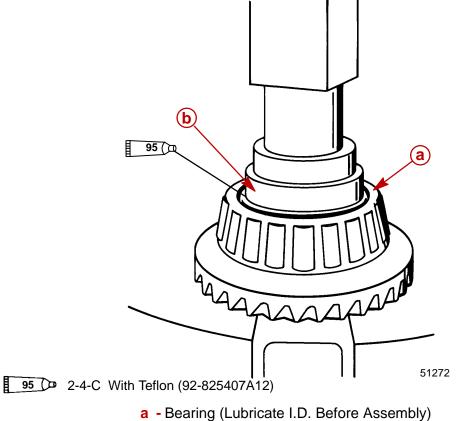
Installation Note: Push against numbered end of bearing.



a - Installer Tool (91-817005)

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2. Lubricate I.D. of bearing with 2-4-C w/Teflon. Use suitable mandrel and press tapered roller bearing onto gear until bearing bottoms on gear.



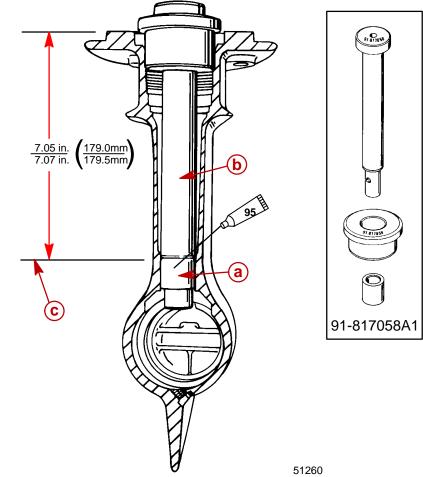
**b** - Suitable Mandrel



### Lower Driveshaft Bearing Installation

- 1. Lubricate O.D. of bearing with 2-4-C w/Teflon.
- 2. Install bearing into housing. Press until Installer Tool bottoms out.

Installation Note: Push against numbered end of bearing.



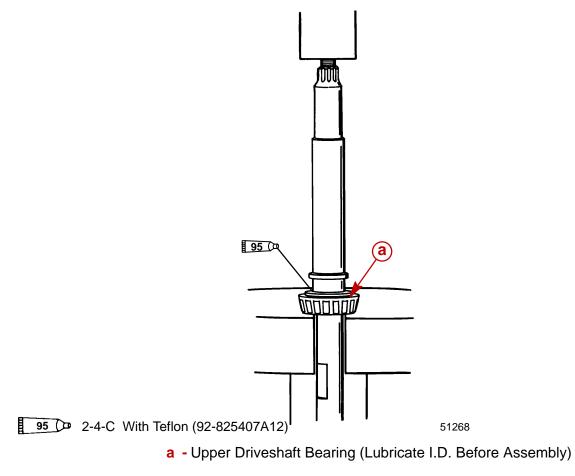
95 0 2-4-C With Teflon (92-825407A12)

- a Needle Bearing (Lubricate O.D. Before Assembly)
- **b** Bearing Installer Tool (91-817058A1)
- c Reference (Bearing Depth)



### **Upper Driveshaft Bearing Installation**

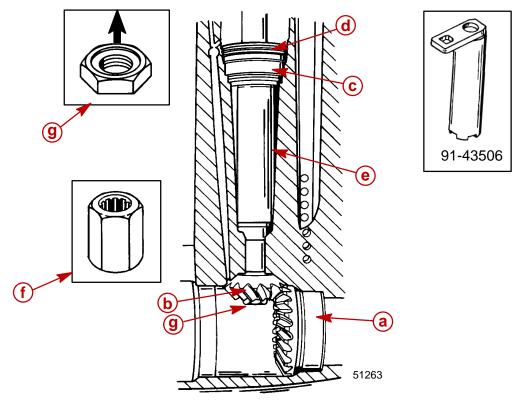
1. Lubricate I.D. of bearing with 2-4-C w/Teflon. Using suitable mandrel press upper driveshaft bearing onto driveshaft until bearing contacts driveshaft shoulder.



# Forward Gear, Pinion Gear, Upper Driveshaft Bearing Race, Retainer and Driveshaft Installation

**NOTE:** If shim(s) were lost or are not reusable (damaged), start with approximately .015 in. (0.361mm).

Install components in sequence shown.



#### ASSEMBLY SEQUENCE

- a Forward Gear/Bearing: Apply Premium Blend Gear Lube to Bearing Rollers Before Installation
- **b** Pinion Gear
- **c** Driveshaft
- **d** Upper Driveshaft Bearing Race and Shim(s)
- e Upper Driveshaft Bearing Retainer. Tighten to Specified Torque using Tool (91-43506)
- f Driveshaft Holding Tool
- **g** Pinion Nut (New) (See Note at "Pinion Gear Depth", Following.) Recess in Nut is Installed Toward Pinion Gear (See Inset).

Model	Drive Shaft Holding Tool
50/60 (4-Stroke)	91–877840A1
55/60 (2–Stroke)	91-817070

Upper Driveshaft Bearing Retainer Torque	
75 lb-ft (101.7 Nm)	

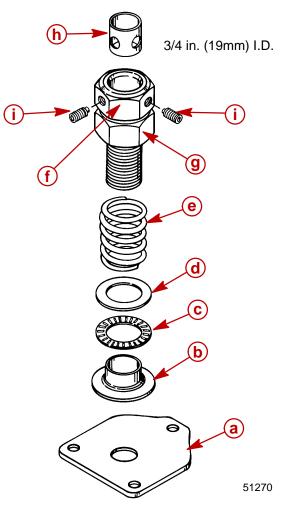


### Pinion Gear Location and Forward Gear Backlash DETERMINING PINION GEAR LOCATION

NOTE: Read entire procedure before attempting any change in shim thickness.

IMPORTANT: Forward gear assembly pilots the end of the pinion gage and must be installed in gear housing when checking pinion gear depth. Without it an inaccurate measurement will be obtained.

- 1. Clean the gear housing bearing carrier shoulder and diameter.
- 2. Position gear housing upright (driveshaft vertical). Install Bearing Preload Tool (91–14311A2) in sequence shown.

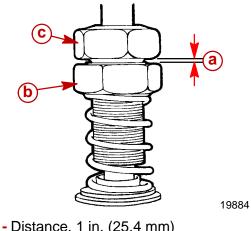


#### INSTALLATION SEQUENCE: Bearing Preload Tool (91–14311A2)

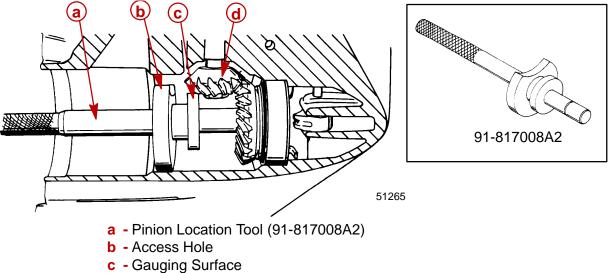
- a Plate
- **b** Adaptor: Bearing surfaces clean and free of nicks
- c Thrust Bearing: Oiled and able to move freely
- d Thrust Washer: Clean and free of nicks and bends
- e Spring
- f Nut: Threaded all the way onto bolt
- g Bolt: Held snug against spring
- h Sleeve: Holes in sleeve must align with set screws
- i Set Screw (2): Tighten against drive shaft, bolt should not slide on driveshaft



- 3. Measure distance between top of nut and bottom of bolt head.
- 4. Increase distance by 1 in. (25.4mm).
- 5. Rotate driveshaft 10 revolutions. This properly seats upper driveshaft tapered roller bearing.



- a Distance, 1 in. (25.4 mm)
- **b** Nut
- c Bolt
- 6. Insert Pinion Location Tool. Position access hole as shown. Insert feeler gauge between gauging surface and pinion gear.

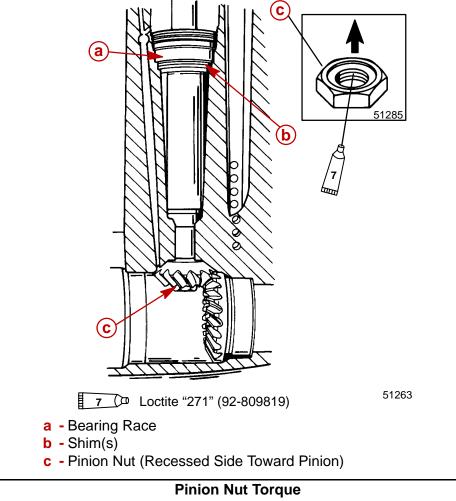


d - Pinion Gear



- 7. The correct clearance between the gauging surface and the pinion gear is .025 in. (0.64mm).
- 8. If clearance is more than .025 in. (0.64mm) remove shims from under the upper bearing cup. If clearance is less than 0.25add shims under the upper bearing race.
- 9. After final adjustment to pinion height, <u>and forward gear backlash has been estab-</u><u>lished</u>, apply Loctite 271 to threads and torque new pinion nut to specified torque.

**NOTE:** Clean driveshaft and pinion nut threads with Loctite Primer of suitable de-greaser before applying Loctite.

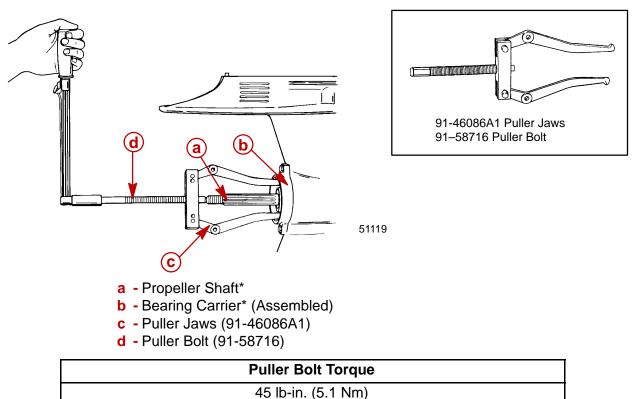


Pinion Nut Torque	
50 lb-ft (67 Nm)	

### **Determining Forward Gear Backlash**

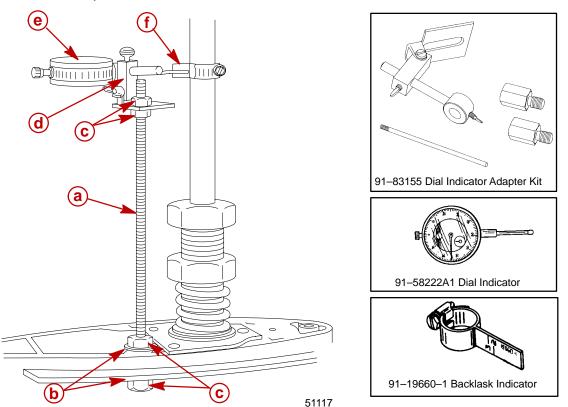
NOTE: Read entire procedure before attempting any change in shim thickness.

- 1. Obtain correct pinion gear location; refer to "Determining Pinion Gear Location", preceding.
- 2. Install Bearing Preload Tool on driveshaft; refer to "Determining Pinion Gear Location", preceding.
- 3. Install components as shown.
- 4. While holding the driveshaft, torque the puller bolt to 45in-lb.
- 5. Rotate driveshaft 5-10 revolutions. This should properly seat the forward gear tapered roller bearing. **Repeat step 4.**



• \*Refer to "Bearing Carrier and Propeller Shaft Installation", following.





- a Threaded Rod (Obtain Locally)
- **b** Washers

c - Nuts

- d Dial Indicator Adaptor Kit (91-83155)
- e Dial Indicator (91-58222A1)
  - f Backlash Indicator Tool (91-19660-1)
- 7. Position Dial Indicator on appropriate line (from chart) marked on Backlash Indicator Tool.

MODEL	BACKLASH INDICATOR TOOL	ALIGN POINTER OF DIAL INDI- CATOR WITH MARK
50/60 (4-Stroke)	91–19660–1	4 OR 0.366 in. (9.3 mm)
55/60 (2-Stroke)	91–19660–1	3

- 8. Turn driveshaft back-and-forth (check for no rotation at the propeller shaft).
- 9. Dial Indicator registers amount of backlash, which must be between specifications shown in chart.

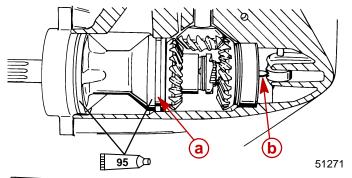
MODEL	DIAL INDICATOR MINIMUM	DIAL INDICATOR MAXIMUM
50/60 (4-Stroke)	0.011 in. (0.28 mm)	0.017 in. (.43 mm)
55/60 (2-Stroke)	0.013 in. (0.33 mm)	0.019 in. (.48 mm)

10. If backlash is less than the minimum reading, remove shim(s) from in front of the forward gear bearing race. If backlash is more than the maximum reading, add shim(s) in front of the forward gear bearing race. When final measurement has been made, apply Loc-tite 271 to threads of pinion nut.

*NOTE:* By adding or subtracting .001 in. (0.025mm) shim, the backlash will change 0.001 in. (0.032mm).

### **Bearing Carrier and Propeller Shaft Installation**

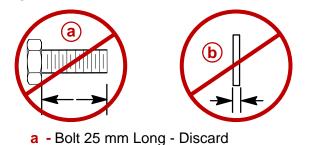
- 1. Lubricate O-ring, bearing carrier and related gearcase housing bores, in areas shown, with Quicksilver 2-4-C w/Teflon.
- 2. Insert propeller shaft assembly into bearing carrier.
- 3. Install bearing carrier and propeller shaft assembly into gear housing. Use care not to displace cam follower.



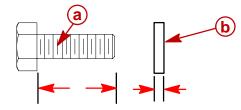
**95** 2-4-C w/Teflon (92-850736A1)

- a O-ring
- **b** Cam Follower
- 4. Discard the thin 0.063 in. (1.60 mm) flat washers and the 25 mm long bolts on models listed. Install thicker flat washers and longer bolts.

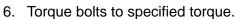
55/60 (3 Cylinder - 2 Stroke) Non Big FootUSA0G662097 and belowBelgiumNA



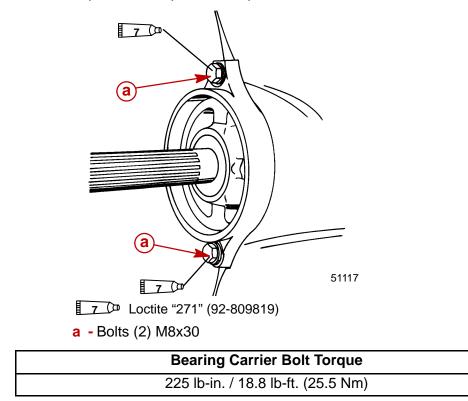
- b Thin Flat Washer 0.063 in. (1.60 mm) thick Discard
- 5. Install thicker flat washers and longer bolts.



- a Bolt (10-855940-30) 1.18 in. (30 mm) Long
- **b** Washer (12-855941) 0.090 in. (2.29 mm)

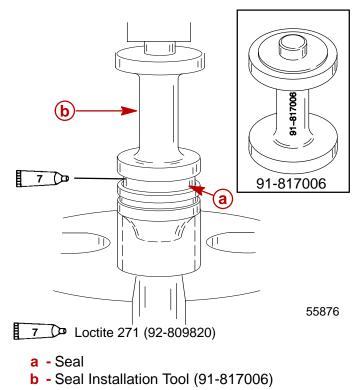






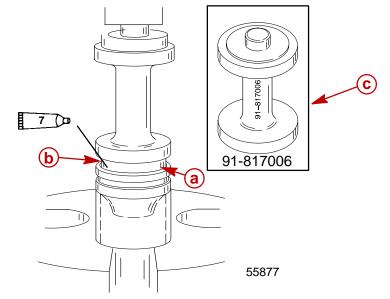
#### Water Pump Re-assembly and Installation

- 1. Place seal on longer shoulder side of tool. Seal spring should face the shoulder of the tool during installation. Apply Loctite 271 to O.D. of seal.
- 2. Press into water pump base until tool bottoms.





- 3. Place seal on shorter shoulder side of tool. Seal spring should face the shoulder of the tool during installation. Apply Loctite 271 to O.D. of seal.
- 4. Press into water pump base until tool bottoms.

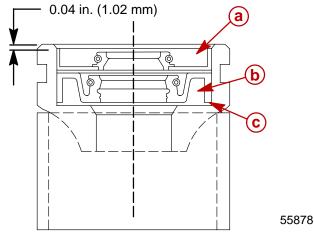


7 De Loctite 271 (92-809820)

a - Seal

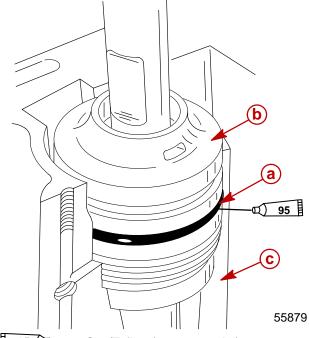
- **b** Shorter Side of Tool
- c Seal Installation Tool (91-817006)

**NOTE:** If installation tool is not available, press seals in as shown to depths indicated.



- a Seal (Install with spring visible when installed.)
- **b** Seal (Install with spring visible when installed.)
- c Seal Bottom
- 5. Install O-ring. Apply Quicksilver 2-4-C w/Teflon to o-ring, seal lips and gear housing bore.

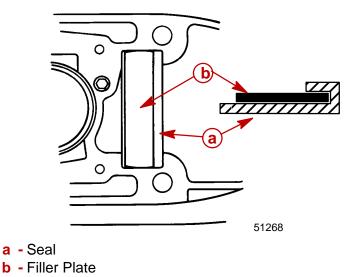
6. Install water pump base into gear case.



95 0 2-4-C w/Teflon (92-850736A1)

a - O-ring

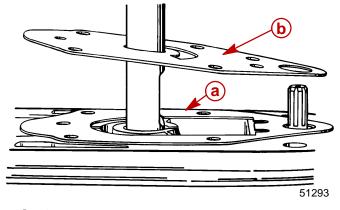
- **b** Water Pump Base
- c Gear Case
- 7. If removed previously, re-install seal and filler plate.







8. Install gasket and face plate.

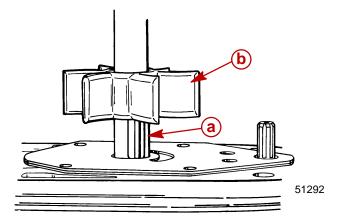


a - Gasket

**b** - Face Plate

## **IMPORTANT:** If the old impeller is re-used, install in the original (clockwise) direction of rotation.

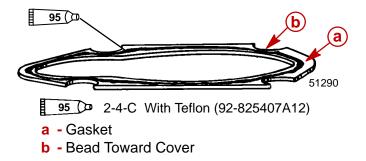
9. Install drive key and impeller.



a - Drive Key

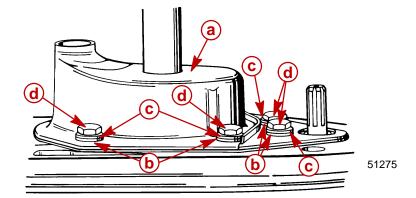
**b** - Impeller

10. Lubricate I.D. of cover with Quicksilver 2-4-C w/Teflon. Install gasket with bead facing up.



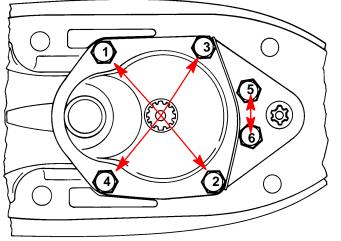


11. Rotate driveshaft clockwise and push water pump housing down. Secure cover.



- a Water Pump Housing Assembly
- b Isolators, (Design 1) Note: 2 isolators for forward screws are different from remaining 4 isolators
- **c** Washers (6)
- d Bolts (6) M6x16; Apply Loctite 271 on threads and torque to specified torque

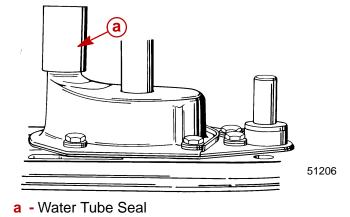
NOTE: Torque cover screws as shown.



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Cover Bolt Torque
60 lb-in. (6.8 Nm)

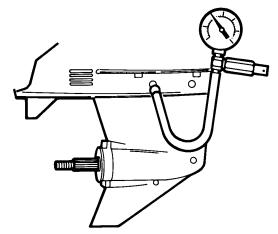
12. If water tube seal stayed on water tube (in driveshaft housing), pull seal from water tube.



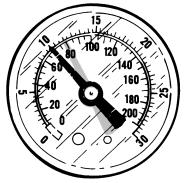
13. Lubricate I.D. of water tube seal with Quicksilver 2-4-C w/Teflon and install.

### **Gear Housing Pressure Test**

1. Remove vent plug and install pressure test gauge. Tighten securely.



- 2. Pressurize housing to 10-12 PSI (69-83 kPa) and observe gauge for 5 minutes.
- 3. Rotate driveshaft, prop shaft and move shift rod while housing is pressurized to check for leaks.



- 4. If pressure drop is noted, immerse housing in water.
- 5. Re-pressurize to 10-12 PSI (69-83 kPa) and check for air bubbles.
- 6. Replace leaking seals as necessary. Retest housing.

**NOTE:** Gearcase assembly should hold 10-12 PSI (69-83 kPa) for 5 minutes.

7. Remove tester from housing. Install vent plug and new sealing washers.



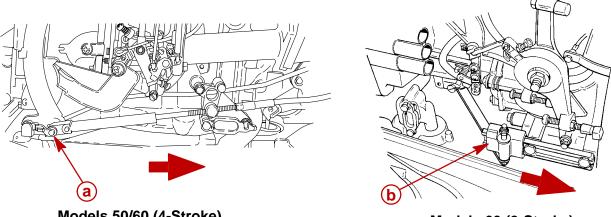
## **Gear Housing Installation**

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### **WARNING**

Disconnect (and isolate) spark plug leads before installing gear housing onto driveshaft housing.

1. Position shift linkage into forward gear position.

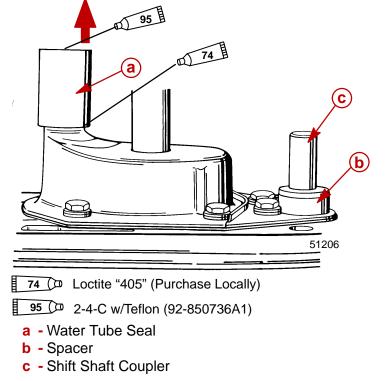


Models 50/60 (4-Stroke)

Models 60 (2-Stroke)

#### Remote Control Model Shown (50/60 4-Stroke)

- a Shift Lever
- **b** Shift Block
- 2. Tilt engine to full "Up" position. Engage tilt lock lever.
- 3. Shift gear housing into neutral. Propeller shaft will rotate freely in either direction.
- 4. Install water tube seal, spacer and shift shaft coupler.





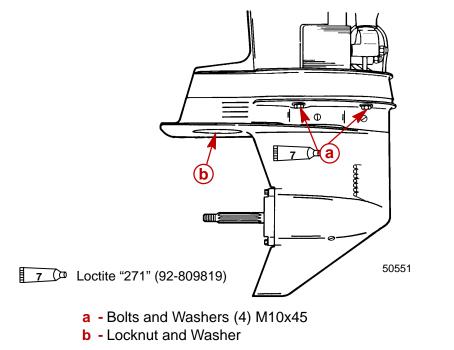
### **ACAUTION**

Do not lubricate top of driveshaft. Excess lubricant will not allow driveshaft to fully engage crankshaft. Tightening the gear housing fasteners (if excess lubricant is on top of driveshaft) will load the driveshaft/crankshaft and may damage either or both powerhead and gear housing. Wipe the top of driveshaft free of lubricant.

- 5. Lightly apply Quicksilver 2-4-C w/Teflon onto the driveshaft splines.
- 6. Shift gear housing into forward gear. Gear housing will not engage when propeller shaft is turned clockwise.
- 7. Position driveshaft into driveshaft housing. Move gear housing towards driveshaft housing while aligning shift shaft coupler, water tube seal and driveshaft splines.

**NOTE:** If the driveshaft splines will not align with the crankshaft splines, install a propeller and turn the propeller shaft counterclockwise while pushing gear housing onto driveshaft housing. It may also be necessary to move the shift block (on the powerhead) to align the shift shaft splines for proper re-assembly.

- 8. Install 4 bolts and washers, (two each side). Apply Loctite 271 on bottom half of bolt threads prior to installation.
- 9. Install locknut and washer.
- 10. Torque bolts and locknut to specified torque.



Bolts and Locknut Torque
40 lb-ft (54 Nm)

- 11. Check shift operation.
  - a. Propeller shaft will not rotate in counterclockwise direction when in forward gear. Clutch will ratchet (clicking noise) when rotated clockwise.
  - b. Propeller shaft will rotate freely in either direction when gearcase is in neutral.
  - c. Propeller shaft will not rotate in either direction when gearcase is in reverse.

## **IMPORTANT:** If shift operation is not as described, remove the gear housing and correct the shift operation.



### Filling Gear Housing with Lubricant

NOTE: Gear housing lubricant capacity is approximately 11.5 fl. oz. (340 ml).



If gear housing is installed on outboard, disconnect (and isolate) spark plug leads from spark plugs before working near the propeller.

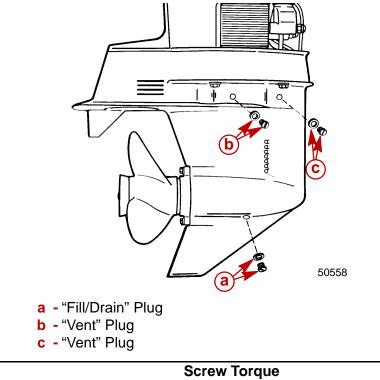
**ACAUTION** 

Do not use automotive grease in the gear housing. Use only Quicksilver Gear Lube.

1. Remove any gasket material from "Fill/Drain" and "Vent" plugs and gear housing. Install new sealing washers on "Fill/Drain" and "Vent" plugs.

IMPORTANT: Never add lubricant without removing "Vent" plugs. Gear housing cannot be filled because of trapped air. Fill gear housing when driveshaft is in a vertical position.

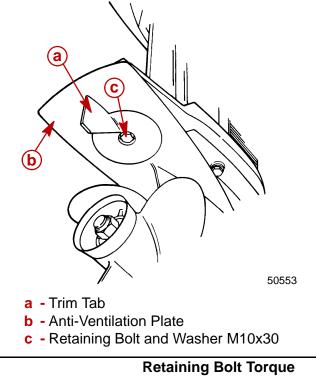
- 2. Remove "Fill/Drain" plug and sealing washer.
- 3. Insert lubricant tube in "Fill/Drain" hole, then remove "Vent" plugs and sealing washer.
- 4. Fill until excess lubricant flows out of left "Vent" hole.
- 5. Replace left "Vent" plug and sealing washer and continue to fill until lubricant flows from right "Vent" hole.
- 6. Replace right "Vent" plug and sealing washer.
- 7. Install "Fill/Drain" plug and sealing washer.
- 8. Torque screws to specified torque.



### **Trim Tab Adjustment and Replacement**

IMPORTANT: The trim tab is made of a special alloy to aid in protecting the drive shaft housing and gear housing from galvanic corrosion (corrosion and pitting of metal surfaces). Do not paint or place protective coating on the trim tab, or trim tab corrosion protection function will be lost.

- 1. Replace trim tab if 50% (or more) corroded. Mark location of old trim tab on anti-ventilation plate before removal; install new trim tab in same location.
- 2. The trim tab will offset (balance) some of the "steering load" that is caused by "propeller torque" at higher speeds. If at higher speeds the boat turns more easily to the left, loosen bolt, move the trim tab (trailing edge) to the left (when viewed from behind); re-tighten bolt. Turn trim tab (trailing edge) to the right if the boat turns more easily to the right.



Retaining Bolt Torque	
22 lb-ft (29.8 Nm)	

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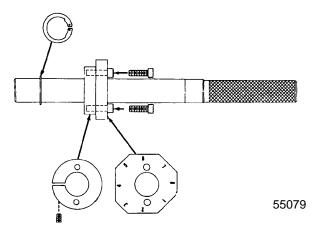
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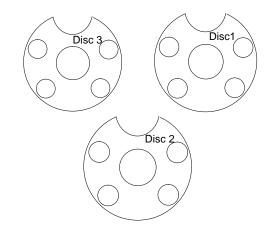
	Gear Ratio	2.31:1
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	Gearcase Capacity	24 fl oz (710 mL)
	Lubricant Type	Quicksilver Gear Lube-Premium Blend
	Forward Gear	
	Number of Teeth	30 Spiral/Bevel
	Pinion Gear	·
	Number of Teeth	13 Spiral/Bevel
	Pinion Height	0.025 in. (0.64 mm)
GEAR HOUSING	Pinion Gear Locating Tool	91-12349A2
BIGFOOT	Flat Number	#8
(2.3:1)	Disc Number	#3
	Forward Gear Backlash	0.012-0.019 in. (0.30-0.48 mm)
	Backlash Indicating Tool	91-78473
	Mark Number	#4
	Water Pressure	
	@ 800 rpm (Idle)	2–6 psi (14-41 kPa)
	@ 6000 rpm (WÓT)	12–25 psi (83-172 kPa)
	Leak Test Pressure	10-12 psi (69-83 kPa)
		for 5 Minutes



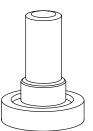
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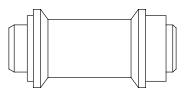




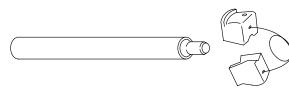
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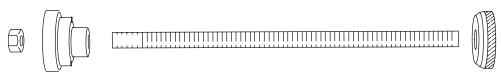
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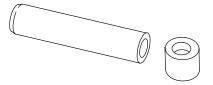
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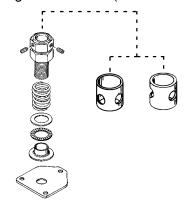


6. Wear Sleeve Installation Tool (91-14310A1)





7. Bearing Preload Tool (91-14311A2)



8. Mandrel (91-15755)\*



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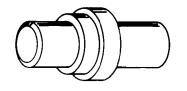
9. Backlash Indicator Tool (91-19660--1) 2.07:1 Gear Ratio (14/29)



10. Mandrel (91-31106)

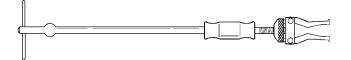


11. Oil Seal Driver (91-31108)



12. Treaded Rod (91-31229) and Nut (91-24156)\*

13. Slide Hammer (91-34569A1)

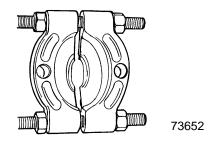




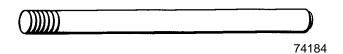
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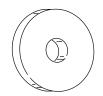
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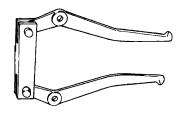
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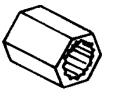
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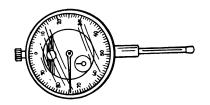
18. Puller Jaws (91-46086A1)



19. Driver Shaft Holding Tool (91-56775, 2-Stroke), (91-817070, 40/50 4-Stroke), (91-817070A1, 50/60 4- Stroke), (91-804776A1, 75/90 4-Stroke)



20. Dial Indicator (91-58222A1)

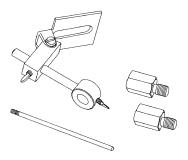


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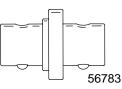
23. Dial Indicator Adaptor Kit (91-83155)



24. Bearing Puller Assembly (91-83165M)



25. Bearing Installation Tool (91-856875A1)



26. Bearing Installation Tool (91-877321A1)

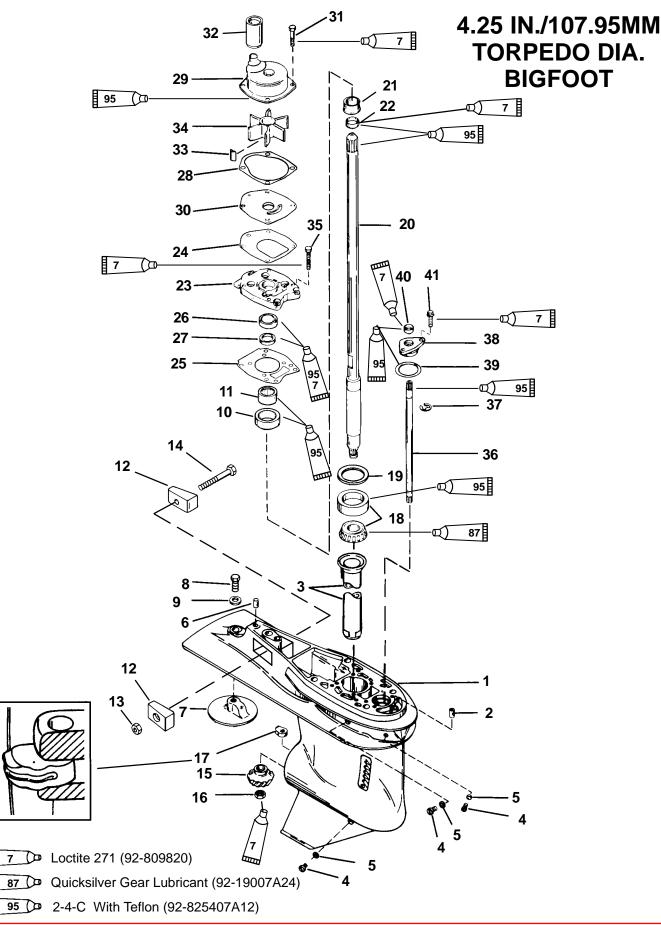


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### **Quicksilver Lubricants and Service Aids**

Part No.	Description
92-809819	Loctite "271"
92-891601-1	RTV Silicone Sealer
92-850737A1	Premium Blend Gear Lube
92-850735A1	Anti-Corrosion Grease
92-850736A1	2-4-C w/Teflon

**GEAR HOUSING (DRIVE SHAFT)(2.31:1 GEAR RATIO)** 



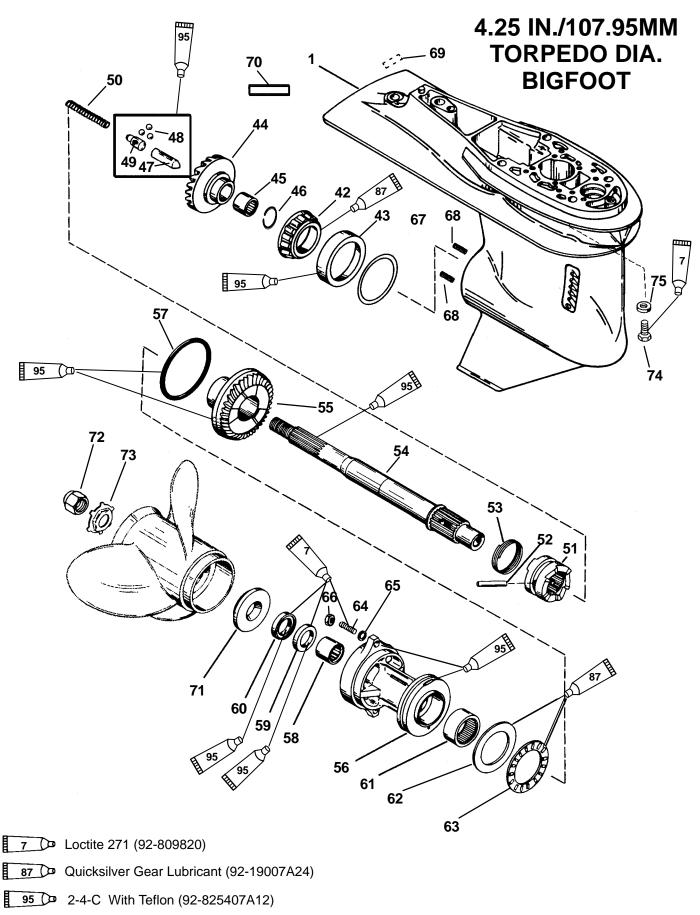
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## GEAR HOUSING (DRIVE SHAFT)(2.31:1 GEAR RATIO)

REF. NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	TORQUE		
			lb-in	lb-ft	Nm.
_	1	GEAR HOUSING			
1	1	GEAR HOUSING ASSEMBLY			
2	1	DOWEL PIN (FRONT)			
3	1	OILER TUBE			
4	3	DRAIN SCREW	60		6.8
5	3	WASHER-Sealing			
6	1	DOWEL PIN (REAR)			
7	1	TRIM TAB			
8	1	SCREW (.437-14 x 1.25)		22	29.8
9	1	WASHER			
10	1	CARRIER			
11	1	NEEDLE BEARING			
12	2	ANODE			
13	1	NUT			
14	1	SCREW (M6 x 40)	60		6.8
15	1	PINION GEAR (13 TEETH)			
16	1	NUT		70	95
17	1	SHIFT CAM			
18	1	TAPERED ROLLER BEARING			
19	AR	SHIM ASSEMBLY (SIZES 006 THRU 048)			
20	1	DRIVE SHAFT ASSEMBLY			
21	1	WEAR SLEEVE ASSEMBLY			
22	1	RING SEAL			
23	1	COVER ASSEMBLY			
24	1	GASKET			
25	1	GASKET			
26	1	OIL SEAL (LOWER)			
27	1	OIL SEAL <b>(UPPER)</b>			
28	1	GASKET			
29	1	WATER PUMP ASSEMBLY			
30	1	FACE PLATE			
31	4	SCREW (M6x30)	60		6.8
32	1	SEAL			
33	1	KEY			
34	1	IMPELLER			
35	6	SCREW	60		6.8
36	1	SHIFT SHAFT ASSEMBLY			
37	1	E-RING			
38	1	BUSHING ASSEMBLY			
39	1	O-RING			
40	1	OIL SEAL			
41	2	SCREW (M6 x 1)	60		6.8







## GEAR HOUSING (PROP SHAFT)(2.31:1 GEAR RATIO)

REF. NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	TORQUE		
			lb-in	lb-ft	Nm.
1	1	GEAR HOUSING ASSEMBLY			
42	1	TAPERED ROLLER BEARING ASSEMBLY			
43	1	CUP			
44	1	FORWARD GEAR (30 TEETH)			
45	1	ROLLER BEARING			
46	1	RETAINING RING			
47	1	CAM FOLLOWER ASSEMBLY			
48	3	BALL			
49	1	SLIDE			
50	1	SPRING			
51	1	CLUTCH			
52	1	CROSS PIN			
53	1	SPRING			
54	1	PROPELLER SHAFT			
55	1	REVERSE GEAR (30 TEETH)			
56	1	BEARING CARRIER ASSEMBLY			
57	1	O-RING			
58	1	ROLLER BEARING			
59	1	OIL SEAL (INNER)			
60	1	OIL SEAL (OUTER)			
61	1	ROLLER BEARING			
62	1	THRUST WASHER			
63	1	THRUST BEARING			
64	2	STUD		100	135
65	2	WASHER			
66	2	NUT		22	29.8
67	AR	SHIM ASSEMBLY (SIZES 006 THRU 038)			
68	2	THREAD INSERT			
69	1	DECAL			
70	1	DECAL-PROP OPERATION			
71	1	THRUST HUB ASSEMBLY			
72	1	PROPELLER NUT ASSEMBLY SERVICE ITEMS			
73	1	TAB WASHER			
74	4	SCREW		40	54.2
75	4	WASHER			



### **General Service Recommendations**

There may be more than one way to "disassemble" or "reassemble" a particular part(s), therefore, it is recommended that the entire procedure be read prior to repair.

#### **IMPORTANT:** Read the following before attempting any repairs.

In many cases, disassembly of a sub-assembly may not be necessary until cleaning and inspection reveals that disassembly is required for replacement of one or more components.

Service procedure order in this section is a normal disassembly-reassembly sequence.

Threaded parts are right hand (RH), unless otherwise indicated.

When holding, pressing or driving is required, use soft metal vise jaw protectors or wood for protection of parts. Use a suitable mandrel (one that will contact only the bearing race) when pressing or driving bearings.

When compressed air is used to dry a part, verify that no water is present in air line.

#### **Bearings**

All bearings must be cleaned and inspected. Clean bearings with solvent and dry with compressed air. Air should be directed at the bearing so that it passes through the bearing. DO NOT spin bearing with compressed air, as this may cause bearing to score from lack of lubrication. After cleaning, lubricate bearings with Premium Blend Gear Lubricant. DO NOT lubricate tapered bearing cups until after inspection.

Inspect all bearings for roughness, catches and bearing race side wear. Work inner bearing race in-and-out, while holding outer race, to check for side wear. When inspecting tapered bearings, determine condition of rollers and inner bearing race by inspecting bearing cup for pitting, scoring, grooves, uneven wear, imbedded particles and/or discoloration from over-heating. Always replace tapered bearing and race as a set.

Inspect gear housing for bearing races that have spun in their respective bores. If race(s) have spun, gear housing must be replaced.

Roller bearing condition is determined by inspecting the surface of the shaft that the roller bearing supports. Check shaft surface for pitting scoring, grooving, imbedded particles, uneven wear and/or discoloration from overheating. The shaft and bearing must be replaced if such a condition exists.

### Seals

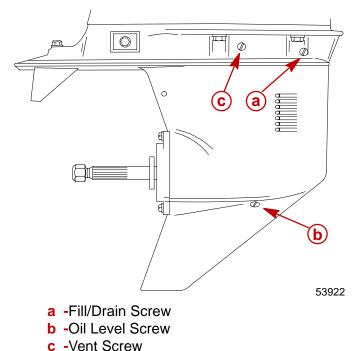
As a normal procedure, all O-rings and oil seals should be replaced without regard to appearance. To prevent leakage around seals, apply Loctite 271 to outer diameter of all metal case seals. When using Loctite on seals or threads, surfaces must be clean and dry. Apply 2-4-C w/Teflon on all O-rings and on I.D. of oil seals. Apply 2-4-C w/Teflon to external surfaces of bearing carrier.

## **Draining and Inspecting Gear Lubricant**

### **WARNING**

If gear housing is installed on engine, to avoid accidental starting, disconnect (and isolate) spark plug leads from spark plugs before working near the propeller.

1. With gear housing in normal running position, place a clean pan under housing and remove the two vent screws and one fill/drain screw (with gaskets).



- 2. Inspect gear lubricant for metal particles (lubricant will have a "metal flake" appearance). Drain lube into a clean pan/container. Presence of fine metal particles (resembling powder) in the gear lube indicates normal wear. The presence of metal chips in the gear lube indicates the need for gear housing disassembly and component inspection.
- 3. Note color of gear lubricant. White or cream color MAY indicate presence of water in lubricant. Gear lubricant which has been drained from a gear case recently in operation will have a yellowish color due to lubricant agitation/aeration. Gear lube which is mixed with assembly lubricant (Special Lube 101 or 2-4-C w/Teflon) will also be creamy white in color. This is normal and should not be confused with the presence of water. If water is suspected to be present in gearcase, a pressure check of gearcase should be made (with no lubricant in gearcase). Gearcase should hold 10 to 12 psi of pressure for 5 minutes without leaking down. Pouring a portion of the gear lubricant into a glass jar and allowing the lubricant to settle will allow any water in the lube to separate and settle to the bottom of the jar.
- 4. Presence of water in gear lubricant indicates the need for disassembly and inspection of oil seals, seal surfaces, O-rings, water pump gaskets as well as gear housing components for damage. If gearcase is rebuilt, gearcase should be pressure checked before filling with lubricant.



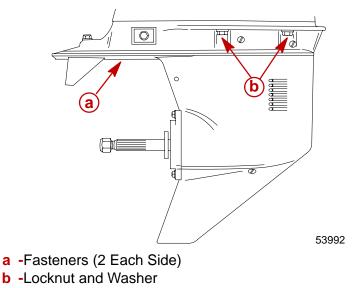
### Removal

### **WARNING**

To prevent accidental engine starting, remove (and isolate) spark plug leads from spark plugs before removing gear housing.

IMPORTANT: 90 hp (4-Stroke) models, when removing or installing gearcase carefully guide driveshaft through drive shaft bushing to avoid scoring bushing surface.

- 1. Remove (and isolate) spark plug leads from spark plugs.
- 2. Shift engine into forward gear.
- 3. Tilt engine to full "Up" position.
- 4. Remove 4 fasteners.
- 5. Remove locknut and washer.
- 6. Remove gear housing.

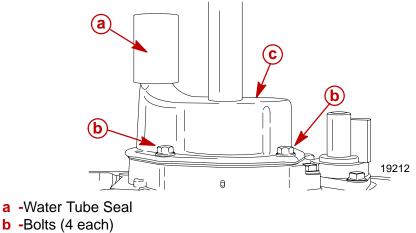


# Disassembly

#### Water Pump

**NOTE:** If water tube seal stayed on water tube (inside of drive shaft housing) when gear housing was removed, pull water tube seal from water tube.

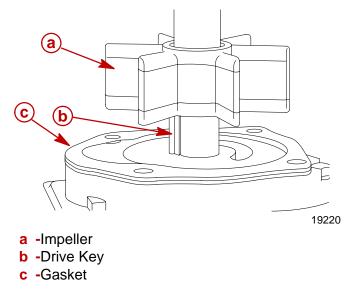
- 1. Replace water tube seal, if damaged.
- 2. Remove 4 bolts, washers, and isolators.
- 3. Remove cover.



c -Cover

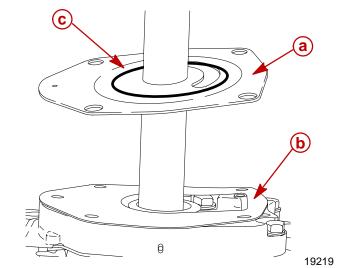
IMPORTANT: The circular groove formed by the impeller sealing bead should be disregarded when inspecting cover (Step 5) and plate (Step 9), as the depth of the groove will not affect water pump output.

- 4. Replace cover if thickness of steel at the discharge slots is 0.060 in. or less, or if groove(s) (other than impeller sealing bead groove) in cover roof are more than 0.030 in. (0.762 mm) deep.
- 5. Lift impeller, drive key, and gasket from drive shaft.

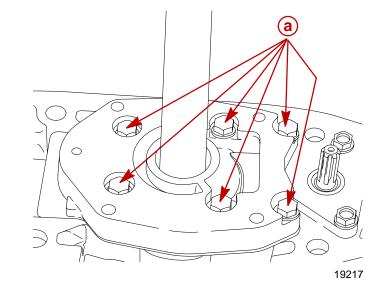




- 6. Inspect impeller. Replace impeller if any of the following conditions exist:
  - Impeller blade(s) are cracked, torn, or worn.
  - Impeller is glazed or melted (caused by operation without sufficient water supply).
  - Rubber portion of impeller is not bonded to impeller hub.
- 7. Remove plate and gasket.
- 8. Replace plate if groove(s) (other than impeller sealing bead groove) in plate are more than 0.030 in. (0.762 mm) deep.



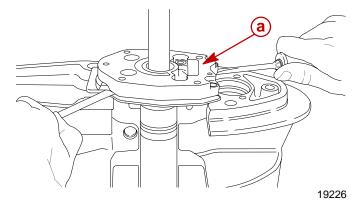
- a -Plate
- **b** -Gasket
- c -Impeller Sealing Groove
- 9. Remove bolts and washers.



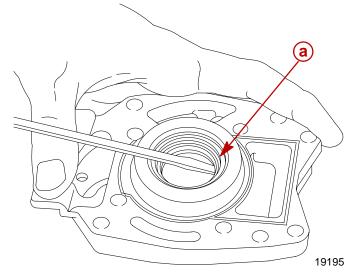
a -Bolts and Washers (6 each)



10. Remove water pump base using flat screwdrivers to lightly pry up on base.

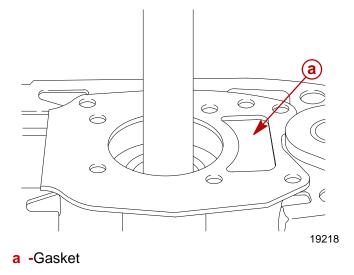


- a -Water Pump Base
- 11. Remove (and discard) seals (IT MAY BE BENEFICIAL TO CLAMP THE WATER PUMP BASE IN A VISE WHILE REMOVING SEALS)



a -Seals

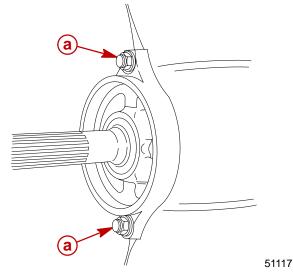
12. Remove gasket.





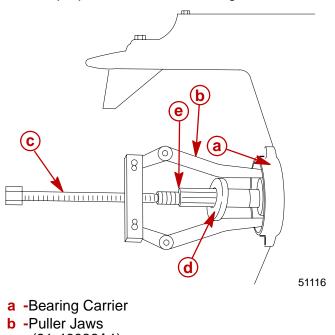
### **Bearing Carrier and Propeller Shaft**

1. Remove fasteners.



a -Fasteners

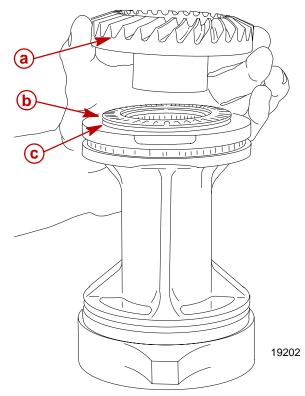
- 2. With propeller shaft horizontal, pull carrier to break seal with gear housing. Remove bearing carrier/propeller shaft components as an assembly, taking care not to lose cam follower or 3 metal balls in end of propeller shaft.
- 3. Remove propeller shaft from bearing carrier.



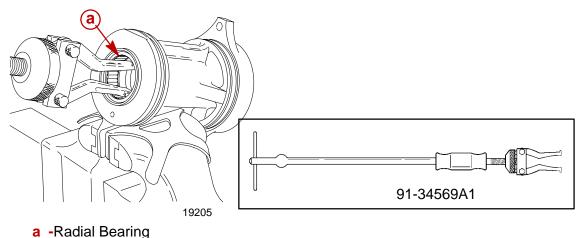
- (91-46086A1)
- **c** -Puller Bolt (91-85716)
- d -Thrust Hub
- e -Propeller Shaft



- 4. Lift reverse gear, thrust bearing and thrust washer from bearing carrier. Replace thrust bearing and thrust washer if rusted or damaged.
- 5. Replace reverse gear if gear teeth or clutch teeth on reverse gear are rounded or chipped. If reverse gear must be replaced, pinion gear and sliding clutch should be inspected for damage.



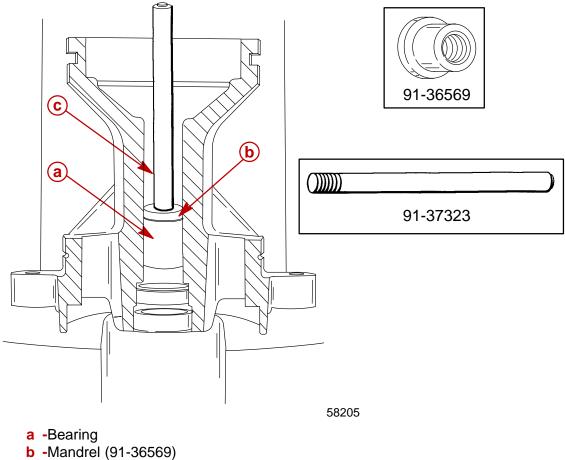
- a -Reverse Gear
- **b** -Thrust Bearing
- c -Thrust Washer
- 6. If reverse gear radial bearing is rusted or does not roll freely, replace bearing. If necessary, remove bearing using Slide Hammer (91-34569A1).



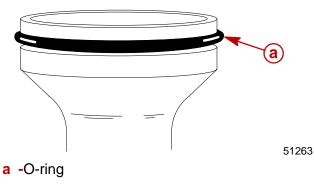


7. If bearing is rusted or does not roll freely, replace bearing. If necessary, remove bearing and oil seals using Mandrel\* (91-36569) and Driver Rod\* (91-37323). Discard oil seals.

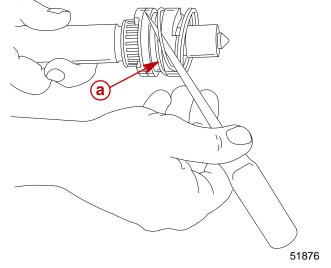
**NOTE:** \*From Bearing Removal and Installation Kit (91-31229A7).



- **c** -Driver Rod (91-37323)
- 8. Remove (if not removed with bearing in Step 9) propeller shaft seals and bearing carrier O-ring.

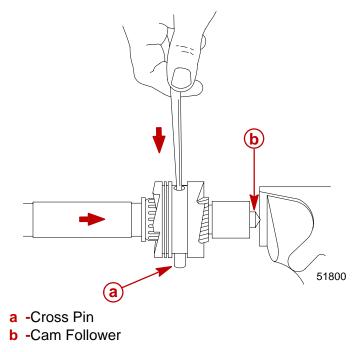


- 9. Remove spring.



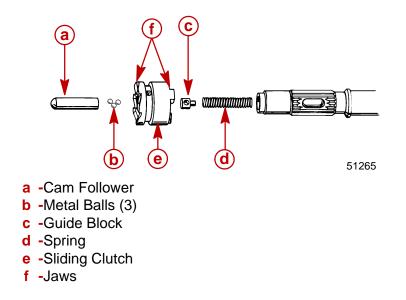
a -Spring

10. Apply constant pressure to cam follower in order to prevent it and internal components from ejecting out of the propeller shaft during removal of the cross pin from the clutch.



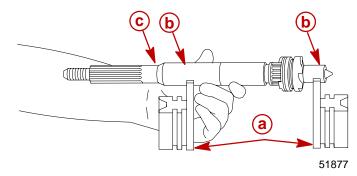


- 11. Remove components from propeller shaft.
- 12. Replace cam follower if worn or pitted.
- 13. Replace sliding clutch if jaws are rounded or chipped. Rounded jaws indicate one or more of the following:
  - Improper shift cable adjustment.
  - Engine idle speed too high while shifting.
  - Shifting from neutral to reverse (or forward) too slowly.



14. Replace propeller shaft if any of the following exist:

- Splines are twisted or worn.
- Bearing surfaces of propeller shaft are pitted or worn.
- Oil seal surface is grooved.
- Shaft has a noticeable "wobble" or is bent more than 0.009 in. (0.228 mm). Prop shaft trueness should be measured with a dial indicator with prop shaft on V-blocks.



- a -V-Blocks
- **b** -Bearing Surfaces
- c -Measure with Dial Indicator at This Point

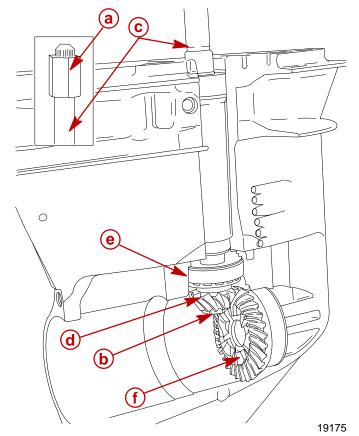


### Pinion Gear, Drive Shaft, and Forward Gear

1. Hold drive shaft using Drive Shaft Holding Tool; remove (and discard) pinion nut.

Model	Drive Shaft Holding Tool	
40/50 Bigfoot (4-Stroke)	91-56775	
50/60 Bigfoot (4-Stroke)	91-817070A1	
75/90 (4-Stroke)	91-804776A1	
60 Bigfoot (2-Stroke)	91-56775	
75/90/100/115/125 (2-Stroke)	91-56775	

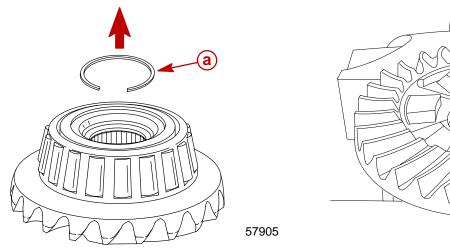
- 2. Remove drive shaft, pinion gear, pinion bearing and forward gear.
- 3. Replace pinion gear if it is chipped or worn.
- 4. Replace pinion bearing and race if either are rusted, pitted or damaged; or if bearing does not roll freely. To remove race, refer to "Lower Drive Shaft Bearing Race," following.
- 5. Replace forward gear if gear teeth or clutch teeth are chipped or worn.

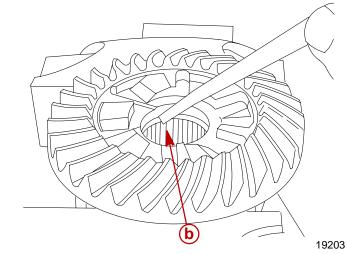


- a -Drive Shaft Holding Tool
- **b** -Pinion Nut
- **c** -Drive Shaft
- d -Pinion Gear
- e -Pinion Bearing
- f -Forward Gear

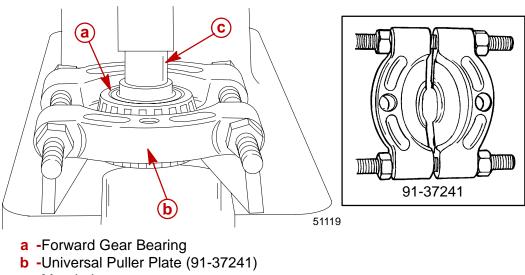


- 6. Replace forward gear needle bearing if it is rusted or does not roll freely.
- 7. Use suitable tools (screwdriver and awl) to remove retaining ring. Use a punch and hammer to remove bearing.





- a -Retaining RIng
- **b** -Forward Gear Needle Bearing
- Replace forward gear bearing and race if either are rusted, pitted or damaged; or if bearing does not roll freely. Remove bearing from gear using Universal Puller Plate (91-37241) and mandrel. To remove race, refer to "Forward Gear Bearing Race," following.



c -Mandrel

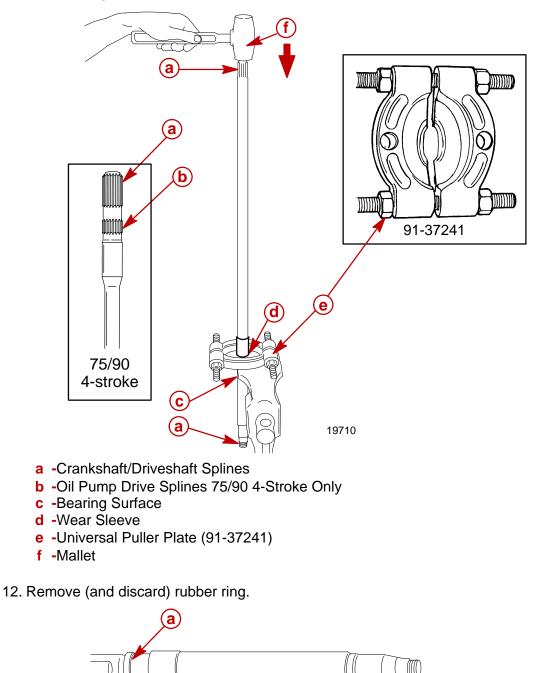


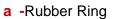
9. Replace drive shaft if splines are worn or twisted.

10. If bearing surface is damaged, replace drive shaft and corresponding bearing.

#### **IMPORTANT:** Do not tighten vise against drive shaft.

11. If wear sleeve is deeply grooved allowing water to enter gear case, remove (and discard) sleeve using Universal Puller Plate (91-37241) and mallet.



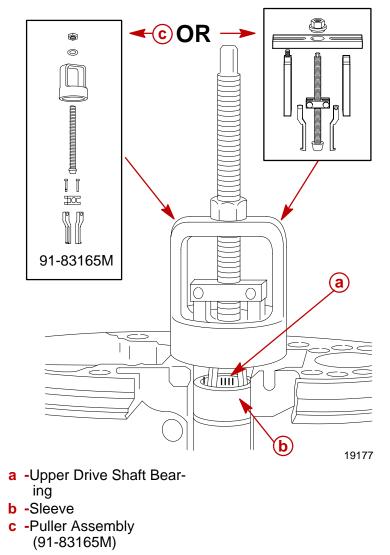


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## **Upper Drive Shaft Bearing**

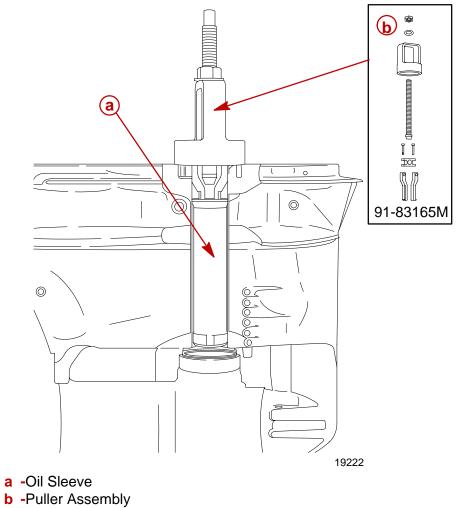
1. Replace upper drive shaft bearing and sleeve if either are rust stained, or if bearing will not roll freely. Remove bearing and then sleeve using Puller Assembly (91-83165M) with suitable jaws.



**IMPORTANT:** Upper drive shaft bearing/sleeve must be removed prior to oil sleeve removal. Refer to "Upper Drive Shaft Bearing," preceding.



1. Remove oil sleeve (if necessary) using Puller Assembly (91-83165M) with suitable jaws.



(91-83165M)

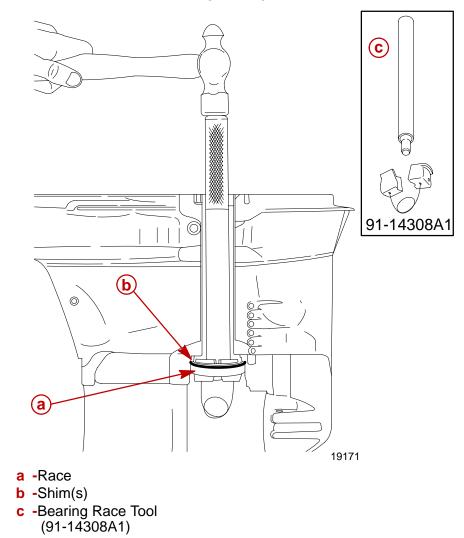


### Lower Drive Shaft Bearing Race

**IMPORTANT:** Upper drive shaft bearing/sleeve and oil sleeve do not have to be removed for lower drive shaft bearing race removal.

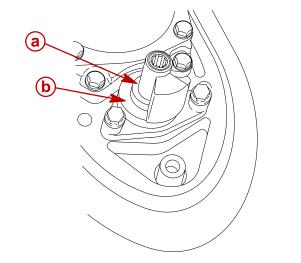
#### IMPORTANT: Retain shim(s) for reassembly.

1. Remove race and shim(s) using bearing race tool (91-14308A1).



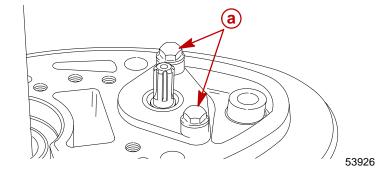


1. Remove shift shaft coupler and nylon spacer.



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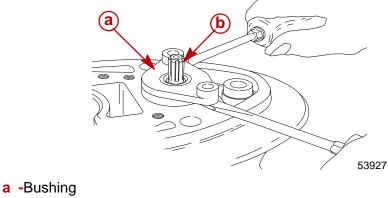
- 75 (2-Stroke) Tiller Model Shown
  - a -Shift Shaft Coupler
  - **b** -Spacer
- 2. Remove bolts.



a -Bolts

**NOTE:** Remove rough edges from shift shaft splines before removing shift shaft bushing.

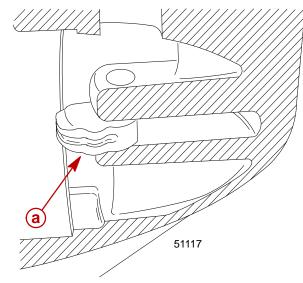
3. Remove shift shaft bushing and shift shaft.





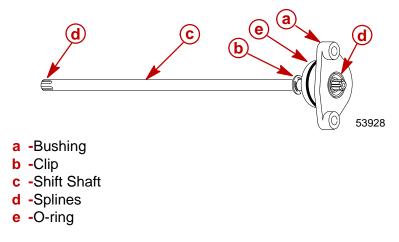
- 4. Remove shift cam from housing.
- 5. Replace shift cam if worn.

#### 60 (2-Stroke) Bigfoot Shown

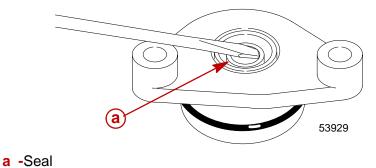


a -Shift Cam

- 6. Remove shift shaft bushing and clip from shift shaft.
- 7. Replace shift shaft if splines are worn or shaft is twisted.
- 8. Remove (and discard) O-ring.



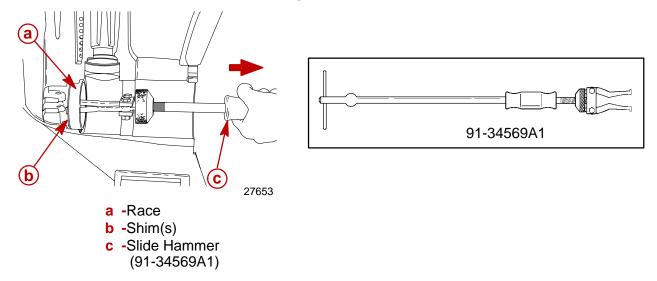
9. Remove (and discard) seal. (Lightly clamp the bushing in a vise when removing seal)



#### **Forward Gear Bearing Race**

IMPORTANT: Retain shim(s) for reassembly. If shims are damaged, replace with new shims of equal thickness.

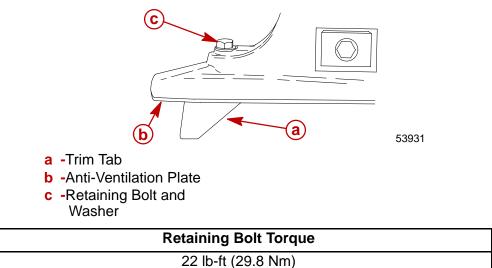
1. Remove race and shim(s) using Slide Hammer (91-34569A1).



#### **Trim Tab Adjustment and Replacement**

IMPORTANT: The trim tab is now painted and does NOT aid in protecting the drive shaft housing and gear housing from galvanic corrosion (corrosion and pitting of metal surfaces). Side anodes now provide protection. Do not paint or place protective coating on the side anodes, or corrosion protection function will be lost.

- 1. Replace trim tab if damaged. Mark location of old trim tab on anti-ventilation plate before removal; install new trim tab in same location.
- 2. The trim tab provides a means to offset (balance) some of the steering load that is caused by propeller torque at higher operating speeds. If at higher speeds the boat turns more easily to the left, loosen bolt, move the trim tab (trailing edge) to the left (when viewed from behind); retighten bolt. Turn trim tab (trailing edge) to the right if the boat turns more easily to the right. Torque retaining bolt to specified torque.





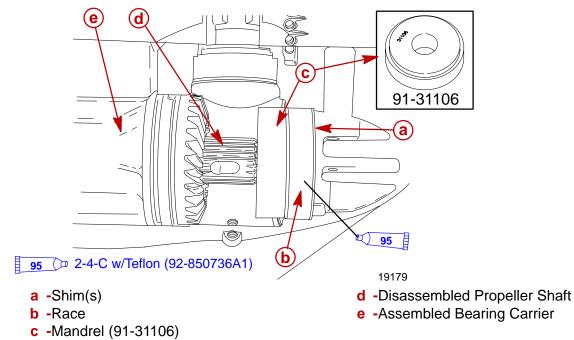
# Reassembly

### Forward Gear Bearing Race

**NOTE:** Propshaft should be vertical when installing bearing race.

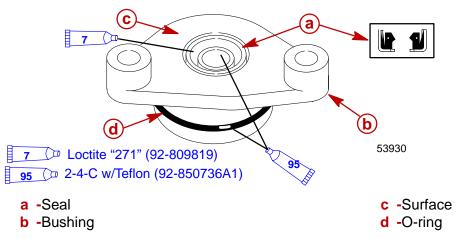
- 1. Place shim(s) (retained from disassembly) into housing. If shim(s) were lost, or a new gear housing is being assembled, start with 0.010 in. (0.254 mm) shim(s).
- 2. Assemble components as shown using mandrel (91-31106); Apply 2-4-C w/Teflon to O.D. of race. Drive race into housing by striking propeller shaft end with lead hammer.

**NOTE:** Install a nut on the end of the propshaft to prevent damage to the propshaft threads while performing step 2.

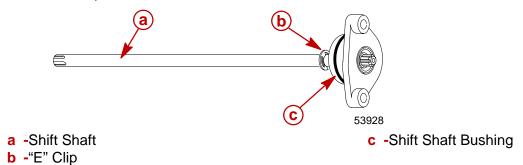


### Shift Shaft

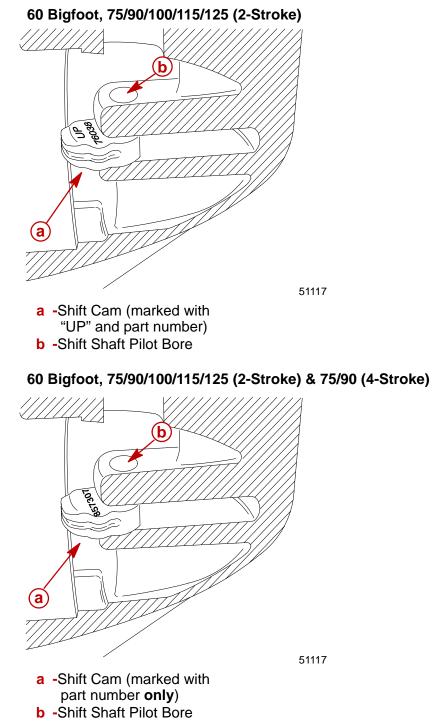
- 1. Apply Loctite 271 on O.D. of new seal.
- 2. Press seal into shift shaft bushing until seal is seated against shoulder.
- 3. Install new O-ring.
- 4. Apply 2-4-C with Teflon on O-ring and I.D. of seal.



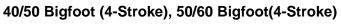
- 5. Assemble components as shown.

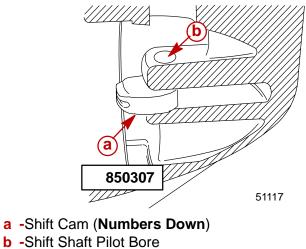


6. Install shift cam; align hole in shift cam with shift shaft pilot bore in gear housing.

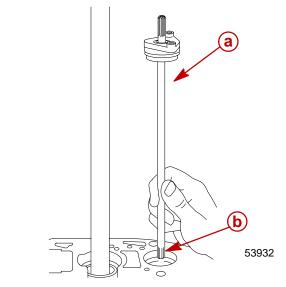




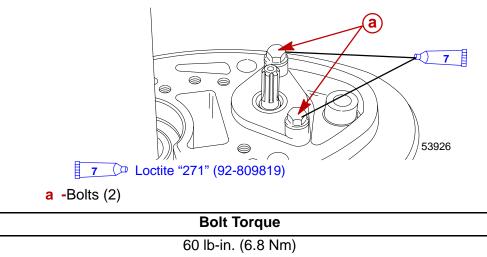




7. Install shift shaft assembly; insert splines into shift cam.

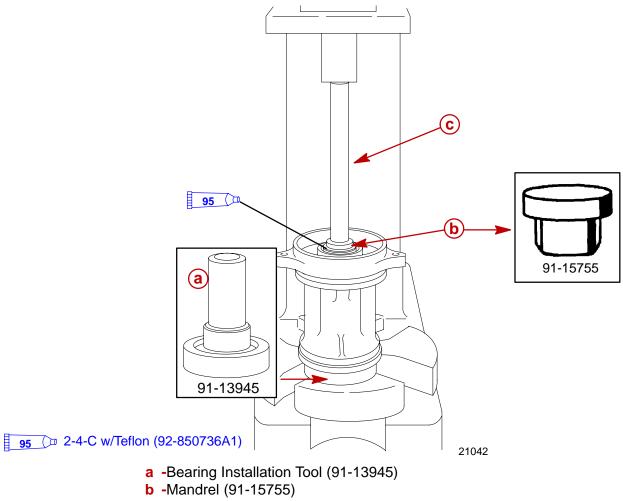


- a -Shift Shaft Assembly
- **b** -Splines
- 8. Apply Loctite 271 to bottom half of threads on each bolt. Install bolts and torque to specified torque.



### **Bearing Carrier Reassembly**

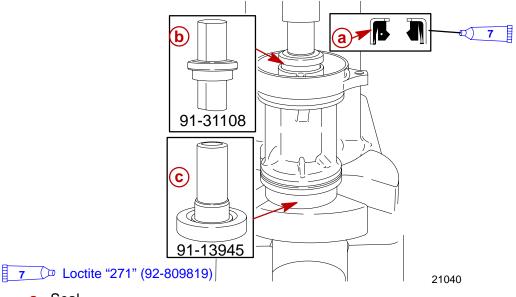
- 1. Lubricate O.D. of bearing and bearing carrier bore with Quicksilver 2-4-C w/Teflon.
- 2. Protect lip on forward side of bearing carrier, using bearing installation tool (91-13945).
- 3. Press propeller shaft needle bearing (number side toward mandrel 91-15755) into carrier, until bearing bottoms out.



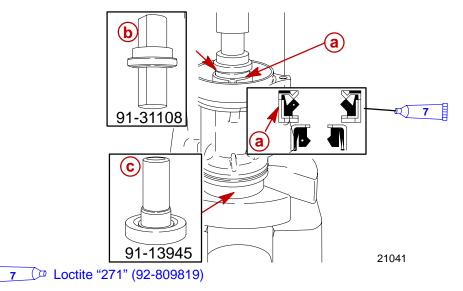
c -Suitable Driver Rod



- 4. Place smaller diameter seal on longer shoulder of Oil Seal Driver (91-31108) with seal lip away from shoulder.
- 5. Protect lip on front side of bearing carrier using Bearing Installation Tool (91-13945). Apply Loctite 271 on O.D. of seal. Press seal into carrier until tool bottoms.



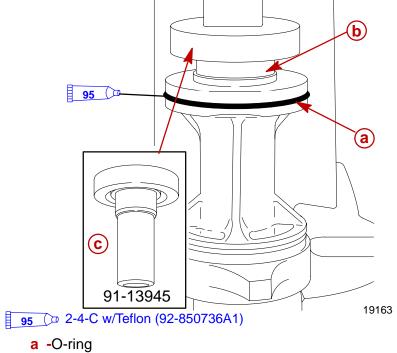
- a -Seal
- **b** -Oil Seal Driver (91-31108)
- c -Bearing Installation Tool (91-13945)
- 6. Place larger diameter seal on shorter shoulder of Oil Seal Driver (91-31108) with seal lip toward shoulder.
- 7. Protect lip on front side of bearing carrier using Bearing Installation Tool (91-13945). Apply Loctite 271 on O.D. of new seal. Press seal into carrier until tool bottoms.



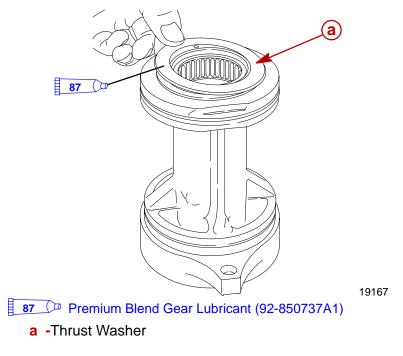
- a -Seal
- **b** -Oil Seal Driver (91-31108)
- **c** -Bearing Installation Tool (91-13945)



- 8. Install O-ring. Lubricate O-ring with 2-4-C w/Teflon. Lubricate seal lips with 2-4-C w/Teflon.
- 9. Lubricate outside diameter of reverse gear bearing and bearing carrier bore with a light coating of 2-4-C w/Teflon.
- 10. Press bearing into carrier until tool bottoms.

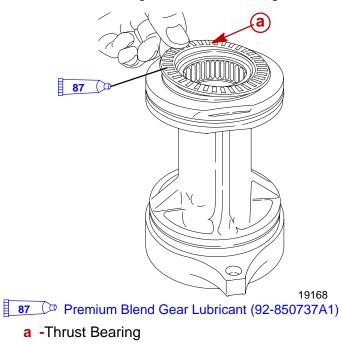


- **b** -Bearing, Numbered Side Toward Tool
- **c** -Bearing Installation Tool (91-13945)
- 11. Install thrust washer. Coat thrust washer with Premium Blend Gear Lubricant.

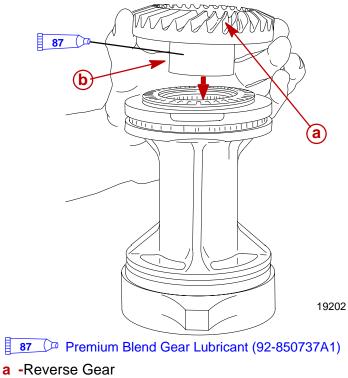




12. Install thrust bearing. Coat thrust bearing with Premium Blend Gear Lubricant.



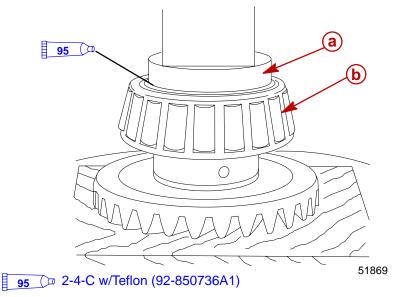
13. Apply Premium Blend Gear Lubricant to bearing surface of reverse gear and install reverse gear.



**b** -Bearing Surface

### **Forward Gear Reassembly**

1. Apply Quicksilver 2-4-C w/Teflon grease to the I.D. of the bearing. Press bearing onto gear using suitable mandrel (press only on inner race of bearing). Because the gear hub is longer than the bearing, a tube type mandrel should be used to install the bearing. This will allow the bearing to bottom out on the gear.

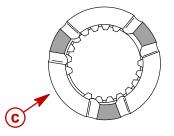


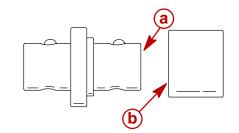
- a -Mandrel (91-37350)
- **b** -Bearing; Lubricate I.D. with Quicksilver 2-4-C w/Teflon
- 2. Inspect reverse gear end of clutch to determine the number of jaws. Refer to chart, following, for tool end selection.

Model	Installation Tool	End Stamped	Bearing Position
3 Jaw Reverse Clutch	91-856875A 1	3	0.155 in. (3.94mm) below surface
6 Jaw Reverse Clutch	91-856875A 1	6	Flush with surface

#### FORWARD GEAR NEEDLE BEARING INSTALLATION

#### **3 Jaw Reverse Clutch**



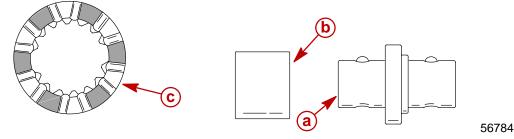


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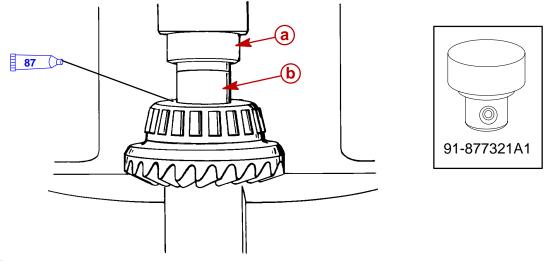
- a -Stamped "3"
- **b** -Numbered end of Needle Bearing
- **c** -3 Jaw Reverse Clutch



#### **6 Jaw Reverse Clutch**

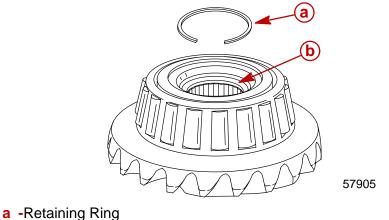


- a -Stamped "6"
- **b** -Numbered end of Needle Bearing
- **c** -6 Jaw Reverse Clutch
- 3. Apply Premium Blend Gear Lubricant to I.D. of forward gear, and O.D. of needle bearing. Press needle bearing into forward gear (using forward gear bearing installer tool) until tool bottoms out on gear.



**87** Premium Blend Gear Lubricant (92-850737A1)

- a -Forward Gear Bearing Installer (91-877321A1)
- **b** -Needle Bearing, Numbered Side Toward Installer Tool
- 4. Install retaining ring into groove of forward gear by starting at one end of retaining ring and working it around until seated in groove.

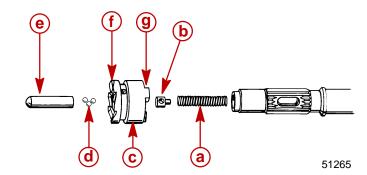


**b** -Groove in Forward Gear

#### **Propeller Shaft Reassembly**

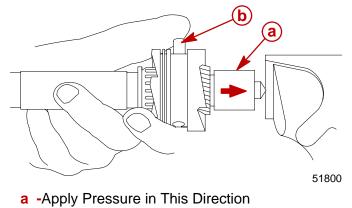
1. Install components into propeller shaft in sequence shown.

**NOTE:** When installing the clutch make sure the ratcheting clutch teeth (angled) are toward forward gear and non-ratcheting (square on both sides) are toward reverse gear.



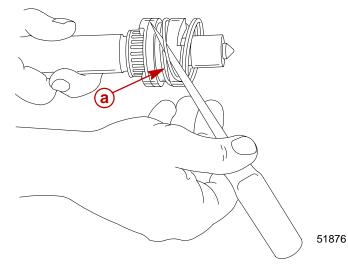
#### **Assembly Sequence**

- a -Spring
- **b** -Guide Block
- c -Clutch
- d -3 Metal Balls
- e -Cam Follower
- f -Forward Clutch Teeth
- g -Reverse Clutch Teeth
- 2. Align the hole in the clutch with the hole in the guide block, install cross pin.



**b** -Cross Pin

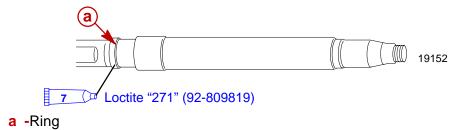
3. Install spring. DO NOT allow spring coils to overlap each other.



a -Spring

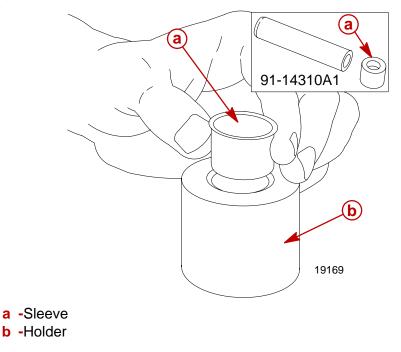
### **Drive Shaft Wear Sleeve Installation**

- 1. Install new rubber ring.
- 2. Apply a light coat of Loctite 271 on outside diameter of rubber ring.



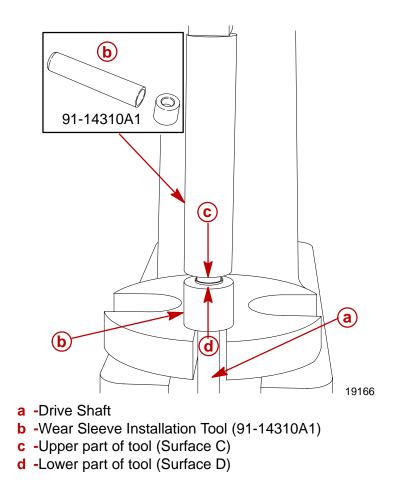
3. Insert sleeve into holder\*.

\*Component of Wear Sleeve Installation Tool (91-14310A1).





4. Press sleeve onto drive shaft using Wear Sleeve Installation Tool (91-14310A1); continue pressing until the upper and lower part of the tool make surface to surface contact.



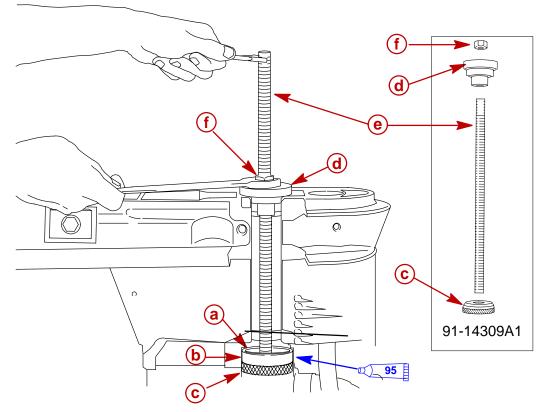
5. Remove excess Loctite from assembled shaft.



### Lower Drive Shaft Bearing Race Installation

- 1. Lubricate O.D. of bearing race with Quicksilver 2-4-C w/Teflon.
- 2. Install shim(s) and bearing race into housing.

**NOTE:** Verify shim(s) are not cocked when drawing up race. Once shims and bearing cup are in place, position gearcase assembly so the driveshaft is vertical. This will aid in preventing the bearing cup from becoming cocked in the bore.



95 2-4-C w/Teflon (92-850736A1)

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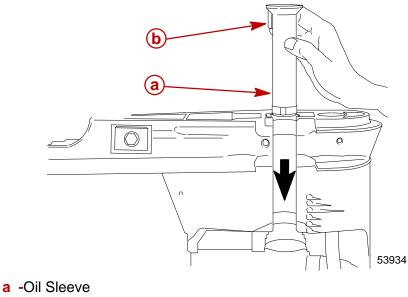
- a -Shim(s); Retained From Disassembly. If Shim(s) Were Lost or a New Gear Housing is Being Assembled, Start With 0.025 in. (0.635 mm) Shim(s)
- **b** -Bearing Race
- **c** -Mandrel\* (13780)
- d -Mandrel\* (13781)
- e -Threaded Rod\*\* (91-31229)
- **f** -Nut\*\* (11-24156)

\*From Bearing Installation Tool (91-14309A1)

\*\*From Bearing Removal and Installation Kit (91-31229A7)

#### **Oil Sleeve Installation**

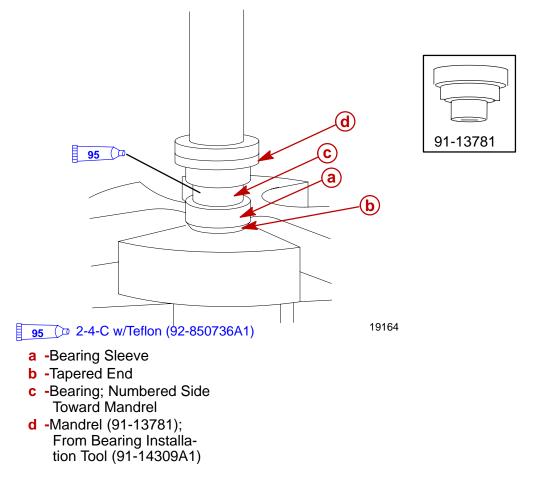
1. Install oil sleeve with tab positioned as shown.



**b** -Tab

#### **Upper Drive Shaft Bearing Installation**

- 1. Lubricate I.D. of bearing sleeve and O.D. of bearing with 2-4-C w/Teflon.
- 2. Press bearing into sleeve using mandrel from bearing installation tool (91-14309A1).

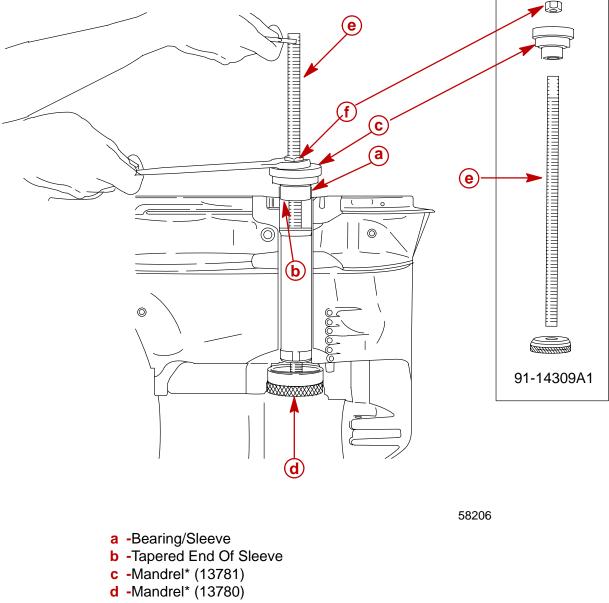




3. Install bearing/sleeve into housing.

IMPORTANT: Oil sleeve must be installed prior to upper driveshaft bearing installation.

**IMPORTANT:** Lower driveshaft bearing cup pilots the mandrel (13780) during installation of the upper driveshaft bearing/sleeve. Lower bearing cup must be installed prior to installing upper bearing/sleeve.



- e -Threaded Rod\*\* (91-31229)
- **f** -Nut\*\* (11-24156)

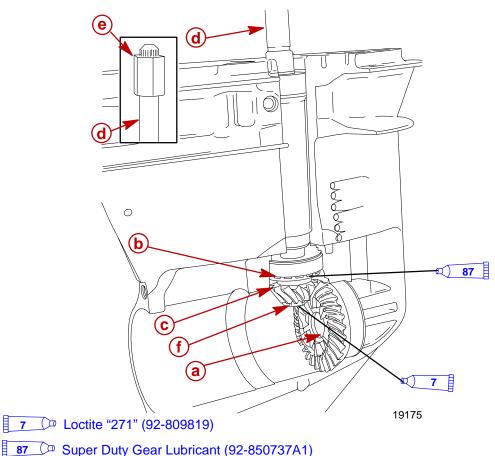
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#### Forward Gear, Lower Drive Shaft Bearing, Pinion Gear, and Drive Shaft Installation

1. Install components per assembly sequence shown.



#### **Assembly Sequence:**

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- a -Forward Gear/Bearing: Work Premium Blend gear lube into bearing rollers.
- **b** -Lower Drive Shaft Tapered Roller Bearing: Work Premium Blend Gear Lube into bearing rollers.
- **c** -Pinion Gear
- **d** -Drive Shaft
- e -Drive Shaft Holding Tool
- f -Pinion Nut (New): Clean nut and driveshaft threads with Loctite Primer or suitable de-greaser. Apply Loctite 271 to threads (not necessary if using a new nut with drylock patch on threads) during final assembly (after pinion gear depth and forward gear backlash have been set), tighten to specified torque.

Model	Drive Shaft Holding Tool	
40/50 Bigfoot (4-Stroke)	91-56775	
50/60 Bigfoot (4-Stroke)	91-817070A1	
75/90 (4-Stroke)	91-804776A1	
60 Bigfoot/75/90/100/115/125 (2-Stroke)	91-56775	

Pinion Nut Torque	
70 lb-ft (95 Nm)	

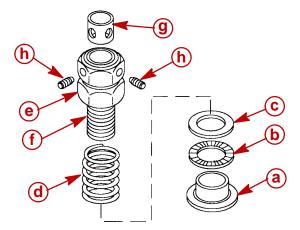


### Pinion Gear Depth and Forward Gear Backlash DETERMINING PINION GEAR DEPTH

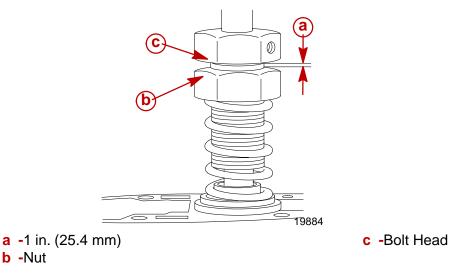
NOTE: Read entire procedure before attempting any change in shim thickness.

IMPORTANT: Forward gear assembly pilots the end of the pinion gage and must be installed in gear housing when checking pinion gear depth. Without it an inaccurate measurement will be obtained.

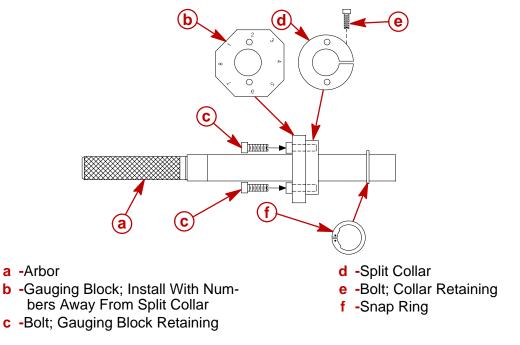
- 1. Clean the gear housing bearing carrier shoulder and diameter.
- 2. With gear housing positioned up right (drive shaft vertical), install Bearing Preload Tool (91-14311A2) over drive shaft in sequence shown.



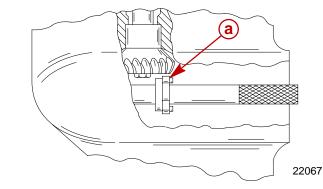
- a -Adaptor: Bearing surfaces clean and free of nicks
- **b** -Thrust Bearing: Oiled and able to move freely
- c -Thrust Washer: Clean and free of nicks and bends
- d -Spring
- e -Nut: Threaded all-the-way onto bolt
- **f** -Bolt: Held snug against spring
- g -Sleeve: Holes in sleeve must align with set screws
- h -Set Screw (2): Tightened against drive shaft, bolt should not slide on drive shaft.
- 3. Measure distance between top of nut and bottom of bolt head.
- 4. Increase distance by 1 in. (25.4 mm).
- 5. Rotate drive shaft 5 to 10 revolutions. This should properly seat drive shaft tapered roller bearing.



6. Assemble Pinion Gear Locating Tool (91-12349A2) as shown; do not tighten collar retaining bolt at this time.



7. Insert tool into forward gear assembly; position gauging block under pinion gear as shown.

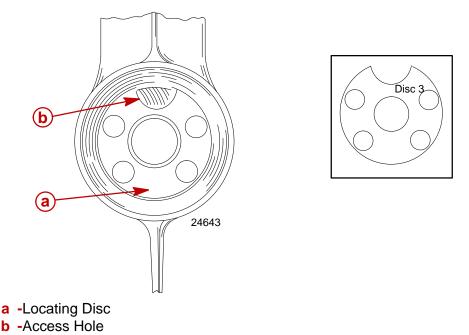


- a -Gauging Block
- 8. Remove tool, taking care not to change gauging block position, and tighten collar retaining bolt.
- 9. Insert tool into forward gear assembly; position proper numbered flat (from chart) of gauging block under pinion gear.

MODEL	GEAR RATIO (PINION GEAR TEETH/REVERSE GEAR TEETH)	USE FLAT NO.	LOCATING DISC NO.
40/50 Bigfoot (4-stroke)	2.31:1 (13/30)	8	3
50/60 Bigfoot (4-stroke)	2.31:1 (13/30)	8	3
75/90 (4-stroke)	2.07:1 (14/29)	2	3
60 Bigfoot/60 Seapro 60 Marathon	2.31:1 (13/30)	8	3
75-thru-90 (3 Cylinder)	2.31:1 (13/30)	8	3
100/115/125 (4 Cylinder)	2.07:1 (14/29)	2	3

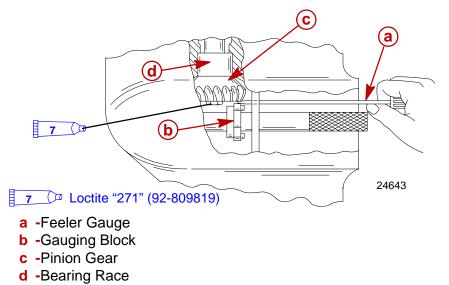


11. Position access hole as shown.



- 12. Determine pinion gear depth by inserting a feeler gauge thru access hole in locating disc.
- 13. The correct clearance between gauging block and pinion gear is 0.025 in. (0.64 mm).
- 14. If clearance is correct, leave Bearing Preload Tool on drive shaft and proceed to "Determining Forward Gear Backlash," following.
- 15. If clearance is more than 0.025in. (.064mm) add shims behind the bearing race. If clearance is less than 0.025in. (.064mm) remove shims from behind the bearing race. When reinstalling pinion nut, apply Loctite 271 on threads of nut.

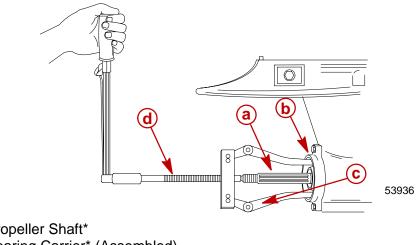
**NOTE:** Clean driveshaft and pinion nut threads with Loctite Primer or suitable de-greaser before applying Loctite.



### DETERMINING FORWARD GEAR BACKLASH

**NOTE:** Read entire procedure before attempting any change in shim thickness.

- 1. Obtain correct pinion gear depth; refer to "Determining Pinion Gear Depth," preceding.
- 2. Install Bearing Preload Tool (91-14311A2) on drive shaft; refer to "Determining Pinion Gear Depth," preceding.
- 3. Install components as shown.
- 4. While holding the driveshaft, torque the puller bolt to 45 lb-in.
- 5. Rotate driveshaft 5-10 revolutions. This should properly seat the forward gear tapered roller bearing. Repeat step 4.



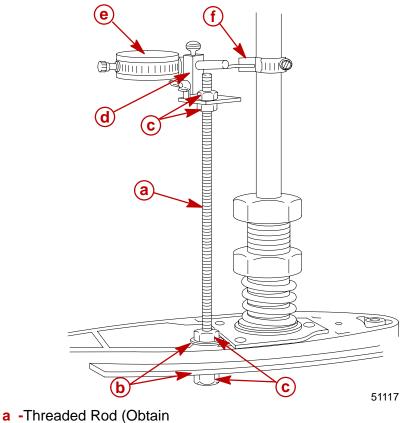
- a -Propeller Shaft\*
- **b** -Bearing Carrier\* (Assembled)
- **c** -Puller Jaws (91-46086A1)
- **d** -Puller Bolt (91-85716)

Puller Bolt Torque	
45 lb-in. (5 Nm)	

\*Refer to "Bearing Carrier and Propeller Shaft Installation," following.



6. Install components as shown.



- a -Threaded Rod (Obta Locally)
- **b** -Washers
- c -Nuts
- d -Dial Indicator Adaptor Kit (91-83155)
- e -Dial Indicator (91-58222A1)
- f -Backlash Indicator Tool
- 7. Position Dial Indicator on appropriate line (from chart below) marked on Backlash Indicator Tool. Make sure the dial indicator is perpendicular  $(\perp)$  to the indicator tool or an inaccurate reading will be obtained.

MODEL	BACKLASH INDICATOR TOOL	ALIGN POINTER OF DIAL INDICATOR WITH MARK
40/50 Bigfoot (4-stroke)	91-78473	4
50/60 Bigfoot (4-stroke)	91-78473	4
75/90 (4-Stroke)	91-196601	1
60 Seapro/60 Marathon 60 Bigfoot	91-78473	4
75-thru-90 (3 Cylinder)	91-78473	4
100/115/125 (4 Cylinder)	91-196601	1



- 8. Grasp the driveshaft pre-load tool bolt head and lightly turn drive shaft back-and-forth (no movement should be noticed at propeller shaft).
- 9. Dial Indicator registers amount of backlash, which must be between specification shown in chart.

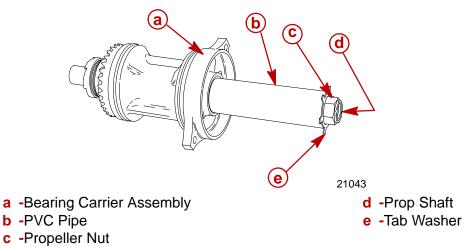
MODEL	DIAL INDICATOR MINIMUM	READING MAXIMUM
40/50 Bigfoot	0.012 in.	0.019 in.
(4-Stroke)	(0.30 mm)	(.48 mm)
50/60 Bigfoot	0.012 in.	0.019 in.
(4-Stroke)	(0.30 mm)	(.48 mm)
75/90 (4-Stroke)	0.013 in. (0.38 mm)	0.019 in. (.55 mm)
60 Bigfoot	0.012 in. (0.30 mm)	0.019 in. (.48 mm)
75-thru-90	0.012 in.	0.019 in.
(3 Cylinder)	(0.30 mm)	(.48 mm)
100/115/125	0.013 in.	0.019 in.
(4 Cylinder)	(0.38 mm)	(0.55 mm)

10. If backlash is less than the minimum specification, remove shim(s) from in front of forward gear bearing race. If backlash is more than the maximum specification, add shim(s) in front of forward gear bearing race. When reinstalling pinion nut, apply Loctite 271 on threads of nut.

**NOTE:** By adding or subtracting 0.001 in. (0.025 mm) shim, the backlash will change approximately 0.001 in.

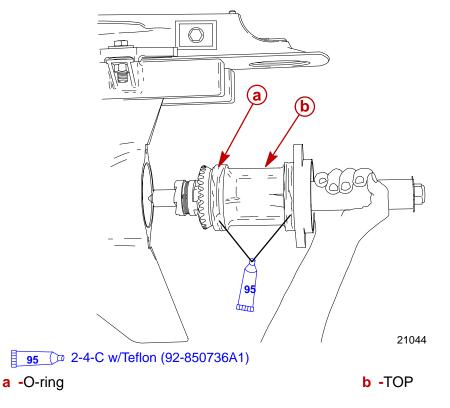
### **Bearing Carrier and Propeller Shaft Installation**

- 1. Insert propeller shaft assembly into bearing carrier.
- 2. Before installing bearing carrier assembly into gear housing, obtain locally a 6 in. (152.4 mm) long by 1-1/4 in. 1-1/2 in. (31.7 38.1 mm) diameter piece of PVC pipe. Install the PVC pipe over the prop shaft and secure the pipe against the bearing carrier assembly with the propeller nut and tab washer. This holds the reverse gear and thrust bearing tight against the bearing carrier preventing possible bearing damage during installation.



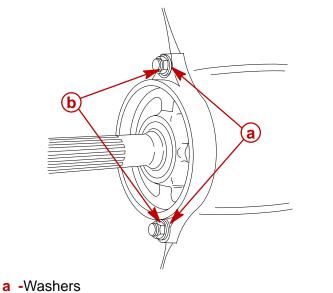


- 3. Generously lubricate O-ring, bearing carrier, and gear housing mating surfaces with 2-4-C w/Teflon.
- 4. Install bearing carrier and propeller shaft into housing with the word "**TOP**" (located on flange) toward top of housing.



**NOTE:** Use thick 0.090 in. (2.29mm) washers (12-855941) under fasteners if not previously installed.

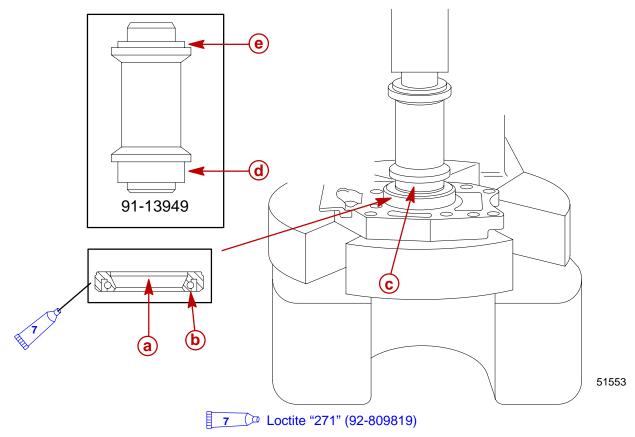
Washer Thickness	Fastener Torque
0.090 in. (2.29mm)	22 lb-ft (29.8 Nm)
0.060 in. (1.53mm)	25 lb-ft (33.9 Nm)



**b** -Fasteners (If using Bolts - Apply Loctite 271 on Threads)

## Water Pump Reassembly and Installation

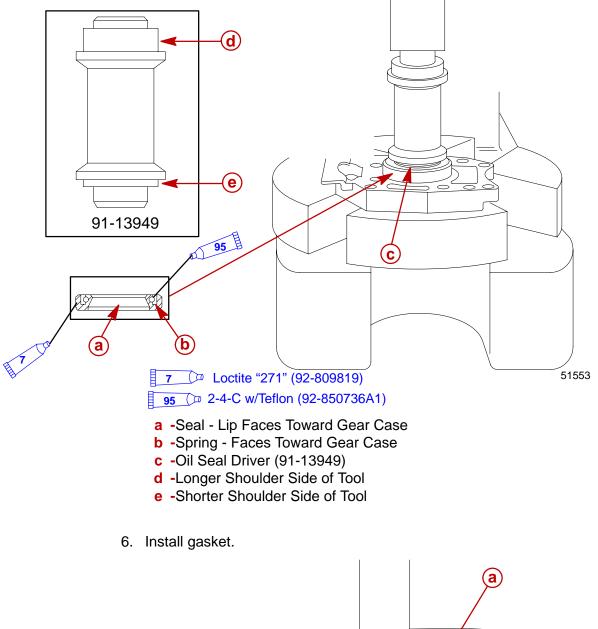
- 1. Place water pump base upper seal on longer shoulder side of Oil Seal Driver (91-13949) with seal lip away from shoulder.
- 2. Apply Loctite 271 on O.D. of seal; press seal into water pump base until tool bottoms.

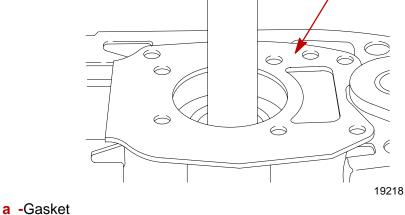


- a -Seal Lip Faces Toward Power Head
- **b** -Spring Faces Toward Power Head (when base is installed on gearcase)
- **c** -Oil Seal Driver (91-13949)
- d -Longer Shoulder Side of Tool
- e -Shorter Shoulder Side of Tool



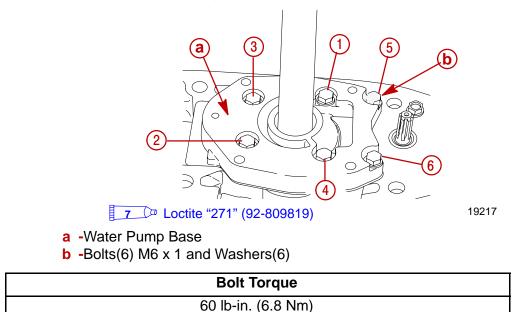
- 3. Place water pump base lower seal on shorter shoulder side of Oil Seal Driver (91-13949) with seal lip toward shoulder.
- 4. Apply Loctite 271 on O.D. of seal; press seal into water pump base until tool bottoms.
- 5. Lubricate lip of each seal with Quicksilver 2-4-C w/Teflon (92-825407A12).



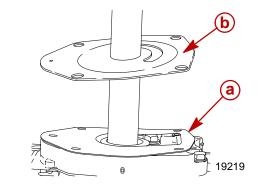


**IMPORTANT:** To prevent cutting the seal lips remove any burrs or sharp edges from the driveshaft splines before installing water pump base assembly.

7. Install components as shown. Apply Loctite 271 on bottom half of threads and tighten to specified torque in sequence shown.



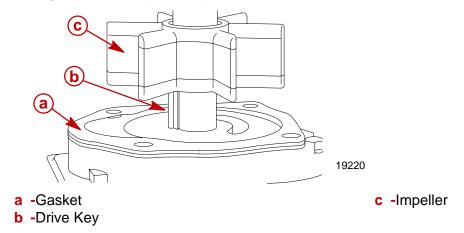
8. Install gasket and plate.

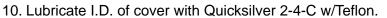


a -Gasket b -Plate

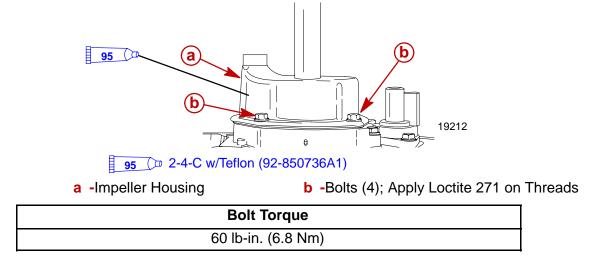
**IMPORTANT:** If the old impeller is re-used it must be installed in original (clockwise) direction of rotation.

9. Install gasket, drive key and impeller.





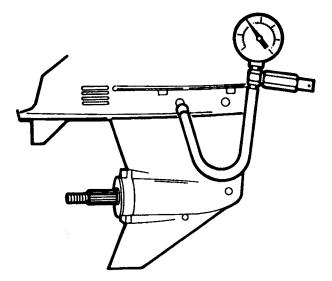
- 11. Rotate drive shaft clockwise and push impeller housing down (over impeller) until it contacts water pump base.
- 12. Install cover bolts and torque to specified torque.



**NOTE:** It is recommended that the gearcase be pressure tested for leaks after reassembly and **BEFORE** gear lube is added. Gearcase should hold 10-12 psi (69-83 kPa) for 5 minutes.

### **Gear Housing Pressure Test**

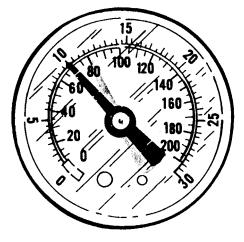
1. Remove vent plug and install pressure test gauge.



- 2. Pressurize housing to 10-12 psi (69-83 kPa) and observe gauge for 5 minutes.
- 3. Rotate drive shaft, prop shaft and move shift shaft while housing is pressurized to check for leaks.







- 4. If pressure drop is noted, immerse housing in water.
- 5. Re-pressurize to 10-12 psi (69-83 kPa) and check for air bubbles.
- 6. Replace leaking seals as necessary. Retest housing.

NOTE: Gearcase should hold 10-12 psi (69-83 kPa) for 5 minutes.

7. Remove tester from housing and install vent plug and sealing washer.

## **Filling Gear Housing With Lubricant**

NOTE: Gear housing lubricant capacity is 24 fl oz (710 mL).

**WARNING** 

If gear housing is installed on engine, to avoid accidental starting, disconnect (and isolate) spark plug leads from spark plugs before working near the propeller.

## **ACAUTION**

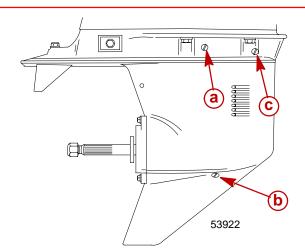
Do not use automotive grease in the gear housing. Use only Quicksilver Premium Blend Gear Lube.

- 1. Remove any gasket material from "Fill/Drain" and "Vent" screws and gear housing.
- 2. Install new sealing washer on "Fill/Drain" and "Vent" screws.

IMPORTANT: Never apply lubricant to gear housing without first removing "Vent" screws or gear housing cannot be filled because of trapped air. Fill gear housing only when driveshaft is in a vertical position.

- 3. Remove lubricant "Fill/Drain" screw and sealing washer from gear housing.
- 4. Insert lubricant tube into "Fill" hole, then remove "Vent" screws and sealing washer.
- 5. Fill gear housing with lubricant until excess starts to flow out of one (first) "Vent" screw hole.
- 6. Install this "Vent" screw and sealing washer only and continue filling until excess starts to flow out of second "Vent" screw hole.
- 7. Rotate driveshaft clockwise approximately 10 revolutions. Let gearcase sit for at least one minute to allow any trapped air to settle out, then top off lubricant level.





- a -Vent Screw Torque to 60 lb-in. (6.8 Nm)
- **b** -Fill/Drain Screw Torque to 60 lb-in. (6.8 Nm)
- c -Oil Level Vent Screw Torque to 60 lb-in. (6.8 Nm)
- 8. Replace second lubricant "Vent" screw and sealing washer.

IMPORTANT: Do not lose more than one fluid ounce (30cc) of gear lubricant while reinstalling "FILL/DRAIN" screw.

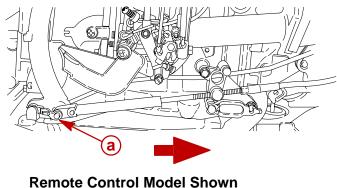
9. Remove lubricant tube from Fill/Drain hole; install Fill/Drain screw and sealing washer.

## **Gearcase Installation**

## **WARNING**

Disconnect (and isolate) spark plug leads from spark plugs before installing gear housing onto drive shaft housing. Failure to follow this warning could result in accidental engine starting and possible injury.

1. Position outboard shift linkage into forward gear position.

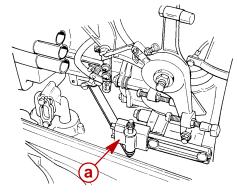


### Models 40-60 Bigfoot (4-Stroke)

a -Shift Lever

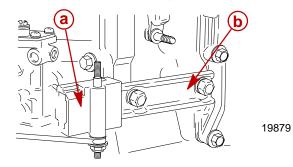


### Models 60 Bigfoot (2-Stroke)



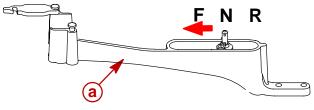
a -Shift Block

### Models 75/90/100/115/125 (2-Stroke)



a -Shift Block; Front of Block MUST Extend 1/8 in. (3.2 mm) Past Front of Rail.b -Rail

## Models 75/90 (4-Stroke)

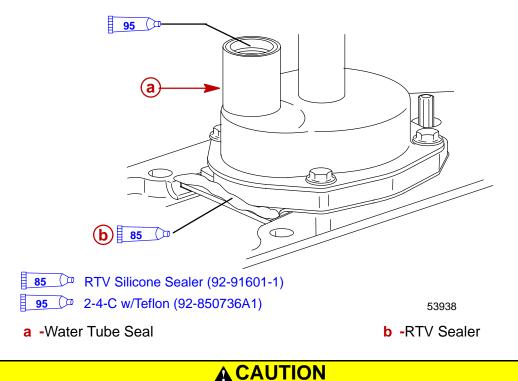


- a -Shift Block
- 2. Tilt engine to full up position and engage tilt lock lever.
- 3. Shift gear housing into neutral position. Propeller shaft will rotate freely in either direction.



- 4. Install water tube seal; apply 2-4-C w/Teflon to I.D. of seal.
- 5. Apply a bead of RTV Sealer as shown.

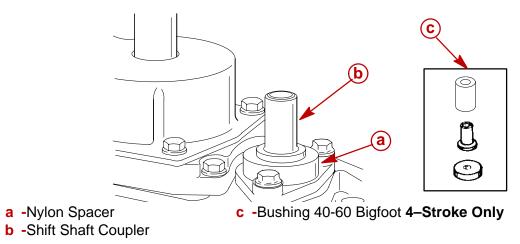
**NOTE:** For ease of gear housing installation, install water tube seal (labyrinth end) onto water tube in drive shaft housing. Tapered end of water tube seal goes onto water pump.



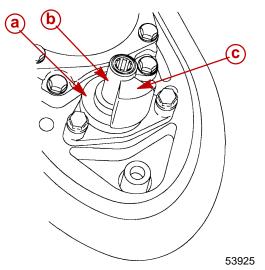
Do not use lubricant on top of drive shaft. Excess lubricant, that is trapped in clearance space, will not allow drive shaft to fully engage with crankshaft. Subsequently, tightening the gear housing fasteners (while lubricant is on top of drive shaft) will load the drive shaft/crankshaft and damage either or both the power head and gear housing. Top of drive shaft is to be wiped free of lubricant.

- 6. Apply a light coat of Quicksilver 2-4-C w/Teflon onto drive shaft splines.
- 7. Apply a light coat of Quicksilver 2-4-C w/Teflon on gear case shift shaft splines and upper shift shaft splines. Do not use lubricant on ends of shift shafts.
- 8. Install components as shown in appropriate photo.

#### ALL MODELS EXCEPT 75 (2-STROKE) W/MECHANICAL REVERSE LOCK







- a -Nylon Spacer
- **b** -Shift Shaft Coupler
- c -Flat; MUST BE Positioned Toward Front of Gear Housing
- 9. Shift gear housing into forward gear position. In forward gear the gear housing will ratchet when propeller shaft is turned clockwise. Resistance will be felt when propeller shaft is rotated counterclockwise.
- 10. Apply Loctite Grade 271 on threads of gear housing retaining bolts.

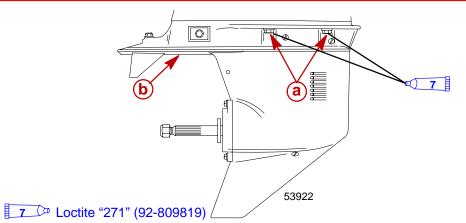
**NOTE:** During installation of gear housing, it may be necessary to move the shift block (located under cowl) slightly to align upper shift shaft splines with shift shaft coupler splines.

**NOTE: On 75/90 hp (4-Stroke)** models. If, while performing Step 11, the drive shaft splines will not align with the oil pump splines, place a propeller onto propeller shaft and turn it counterclockwise as the gear housing is being pushed toward drive shaft housing. Continue rotating the propshaft until the driveshaft splines align with the crankshaft splines.

IMPORTANT: 75/90 hp (4-Stroke)models, when removing or installing gearcase, carefully guide driveshaft through driveshaft bushing to avoid scoring bushing surface.

- 11. Position gear housing so that the driveshaft is protruding into driveshaft housing.
- 12. Move gear housing up toward driveshaft housing, while aligning upper shift shaft splines with shift shaft coupler splines, water tube with water tube seal, and crankshaft splines with driveshaft splines.
- 13. Install 4 fasteners and washers (two each side).
- 14. Install locknut and washer.
- 15. Torque bolts and locknut (or nuts only if applicable) to specified torque.





- **a** -Fasteners and Washers (2 Each Side)
- **b** -Locknut and Washer

Bolt or Nut Torque	
40 lb-ft (54 Nm)	

- 16. Check shift operation as follows:
  - Place shift lever in forward gear. Gear housing should ratchet when propeller shaft is turned clockwise. Resistance should be felt when propeller shaft is turned counterclockwise.
  - Place shift lever in neutral. Propeller shaft should rotate freely in either direction.
  - While rotating propeller shaft, place shift lever in reverse gear. Resistance should be felt when propeller shaft is rotated in either direction.

**IMPORTANT:** If shift operation is not as described, preceding, the gear housing must be removed and the cause corrected.

### **Trim Tab Adjustment**

- 1. Check trim tab position as follows:
  - Operate boat at the speed at which it normally would be operated.
  - If the boat pulls to the right (STARBOARD), the trailing edge of trim tab must be moved to the right. If the boat pulls to the left (PORT), the trailing edge of trim tab must be moved to the left.
- 2. If necessary, adjust trim tab as follows:
  - Shift engine control into NEUTRAL and turn ignition key to "OFF" position.

**NOTE:** Loosen trim tab bolt sufficiently to allow trim tab to disengage from locking ridges in gear case before attempting to move tab. DO NOT strike trim tab with a hard object to make adjustments.

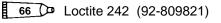
- If boat pulls to the left, adjust trailing edge of trim tab to the left. If boat pulls to the right, adjust trailing edge of trim tab to the right.
- 3. Tighten trim tab retaining bolt and washer to 22 lb-ft (29.8 Nm).



# ATTACHMENTS/CONTROL LINKAGE Section 7A - Throttle/Shift Linkage

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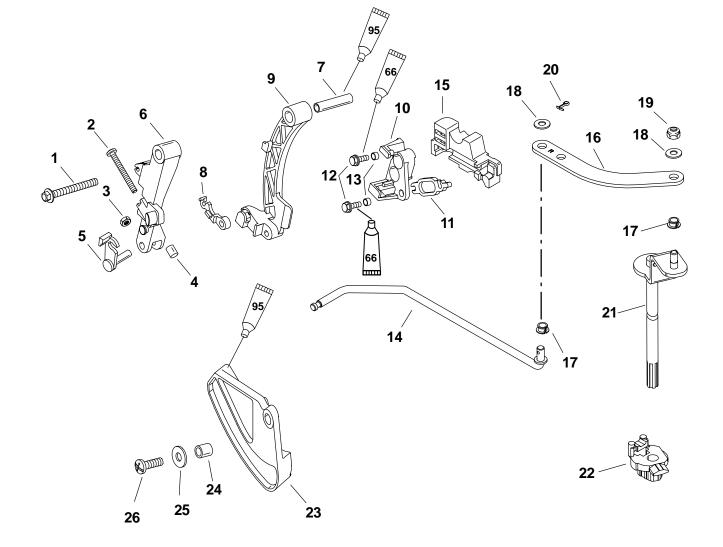


95 2-4-C With Teflon (92-825407A12)

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# LINKAGE (REMOTE)





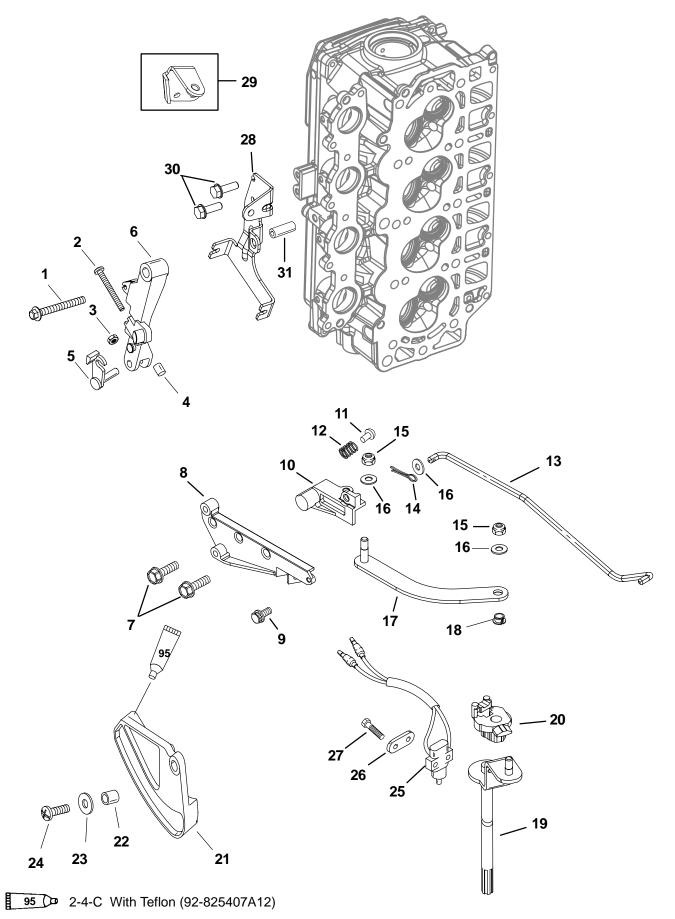




	LINKAGE (REMOTE)					
REF.		TORQUE			Ξ	
NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	lb-in	lb-ft	Nm.	
1	1	SCREW (M8 x 70)	100		11.3	
2	1	SCREW (M6 x 55)				
3	1	NUT				
4	1	CAP				
5	1	RETAINER				
6	1	THROTTLE LEVER				
7	1	BUSHING				
8	1	RETAINER				
9	1	SHIFT LEVER				
10	1	BRACKET				
11	1	LATCH				
12	2	SCREW (M6 x 16)	75		8.5	
13	2	SLEEVE				
14	1	SHIFT ROD				
15	1	GUIDE-Shift Rod				
16	1	SHIFT LINK				
17	2	NYLINER				
18	2	WASHER				
19	1	NUT				
20	1	COTTER PIN				
21	1	SHIFT SHAFT LEVER				
22	1	BUSHING				
23	1	THROTTLE CAM				
24	1	SPACER				
25	1	WASHER				
26	1	SCREW (M5 x 16)	75		8.5	



# LINKAGE (HANDLE)





# LINKAGE (HANDLE)

REF.			TORQUE		Ε
NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	lb-in	lb-ft	Nm.
1	1	SCREW (M8 x 70)	100		11.3
2	1	SCREW (M6 x 55)			
3	1	NUT			
4	1	CAP			
5	1	RETAINER			
6	1	THROTTLE LEVER			
7	2	SCREW (M6 x 25)	70		7.9
8	1	SHIFT GUIDE			
9	1	SCREW (M5 x 12)	45		5.1
10	1	SHIFT SLIDE			
11	1	SHIFT DETENT			
12	1	SPRING			
13	1	SHIFT ROD			
14	1	COTTER PIN			
15	2	NUT	75		8.5
16	3	WASHER			
17	1	SHIFT LINK			
18	1	NYLINER			
19	1	SHIFT SHAFT LEVER			
20	1	BUSHING			
21	1	THROTTLE CAM			
22	1	SPACER			
23	1	WASHER			
24	1	SCREW (M5 x 16)	75		8.5
25	1	SWITCH			
26	1	PLATE-Switch			
27	2	SCREW (M3 x 20)	20		2.3
28	1	BRACKET (HANDLE)			
29	1	DASHPOT (NON-HANDLE)			
30	2	SCREW (M6 x 13)	70		8
31	1	BUSHING			



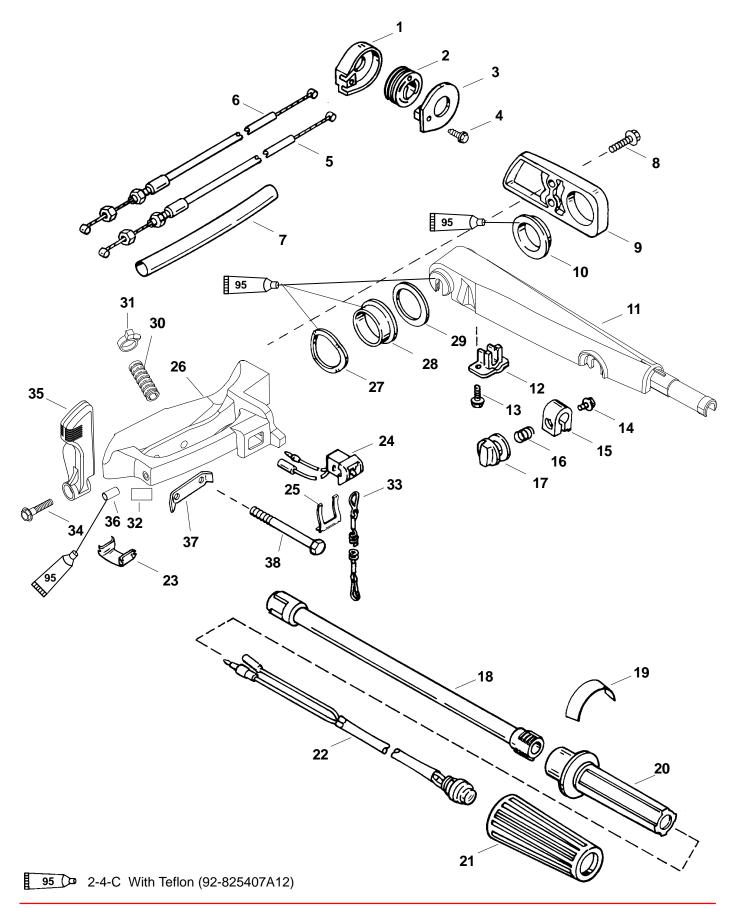
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# TILLER HANDLE





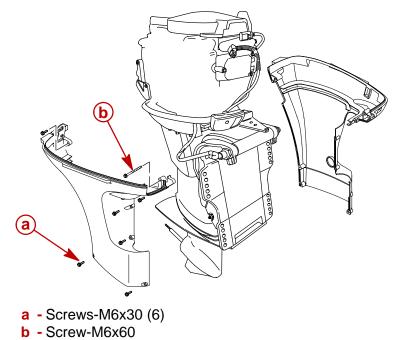
# **TILLER HANDLE**

REF.		TO		ORQU	RQUE
NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	lb-in	lb-ft	Nm.
1	1	COVER KIT			
2	1	PULLEY			
3	1	CASE			
4	1	SCREW (10-16 x 1/2 IN. Self Tapping)	20		2.3
5	1	THROTTLE CABLE (30-1/2 IN.)			
6	1	THROTTLE CABLE (41-1/2 IN.)			
7	1	SLEEVE			
8	2	SCREW (M8 x 25)	135		15.3
9	1	COVER			
10	1	BUSHING			
11	1	ARM–Steering Handle			
12	1	RETAINER			
13	1	SCREW (M5 x 16)	35		3.9
14	1	SCREW (M6 x 25)			
15	1	LOCK–Throttle			
16	1	SPRING			
17	1	KNOB–Throttle			
18	1	TILLER TUBE			
19	1	DECAL			
20	1	HANDLE-Throttle			
21	1	GRIP			
22	1	SWITCH (STOP)			
23	2	CLIP			
24	1	SWITCH (STOP)			
25	1	RETAINER			
26	1	BRACKET-Tiller			
27	1	WAVE WASHER			
28	1	BUSHING			
29	1	WASHER			
30	1	CONDUIT			
31	1	CABLE TIE			
32	1	DECAL-Shift (F-N-R)			
33	1	LANYARD SWITCH			
34	1	SCREW (M8 x 35)	100		11.3
35	1	SHIFT HANDLE			
36	1	BUSHING			
37	1	TAB WASHER			
38	2	SCREW (M10 x 90)		35	47.5

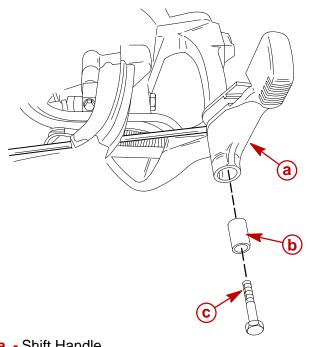


# **Tiller Handle Assembly Removal**

1. Remove lower cowl.

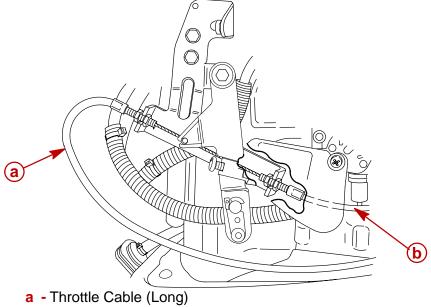


2. Remove shift handle.

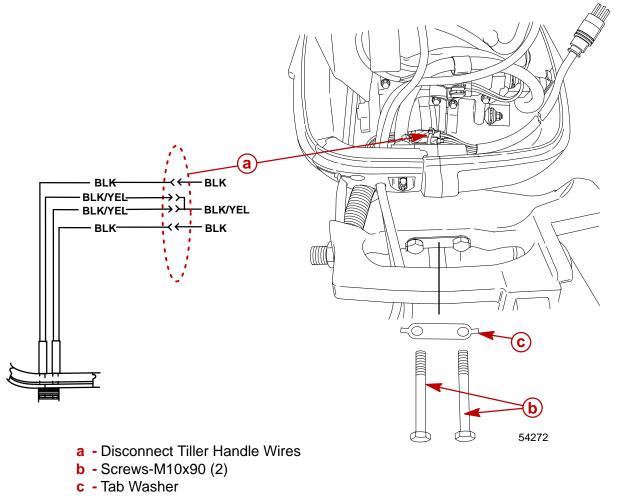


- a Shift Handle **b** - Bushing
- c Screw-M8x35

3. Loosen the jam nuts and disconnect the throttle cables from the throttle lever.



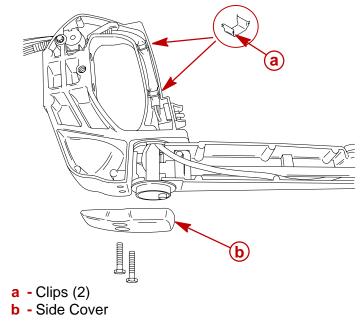
- **b** Throttle Cable (Short)
- 4. Disconnect the tiller handle wiring.
- 5. Remove two screws (b) securing the tiller handle. Remove the tiller handle assembly from the outboard.



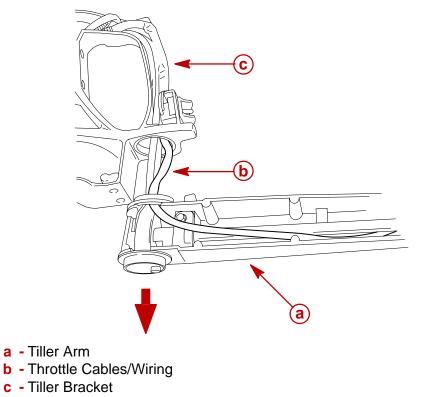


# **Tiller Handle Disassembly**

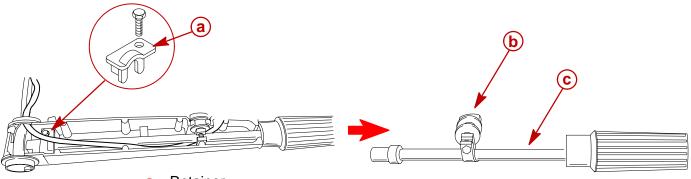
- 1. Pry the two clips out of the hand grip.
- 2. Remove the side cover.



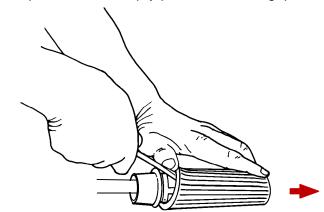
3. Pull the tiller arm, along with the throttle cables and wiring, from the tiller bracket.



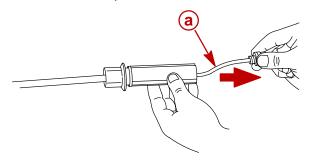
- 4. Remove retainer and slide out the tiller tube assembly.
- 5. Remove the throttle friction knob assembly.



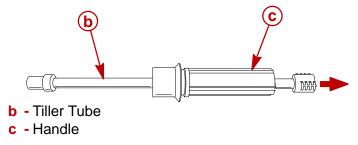
- a Retainer
- **b** Throttle Friction Knob Assembly
- c Tiller Tube Assembly
- 6. Use a flat tip screwdriver to pry/push the rubber grip off the handle.



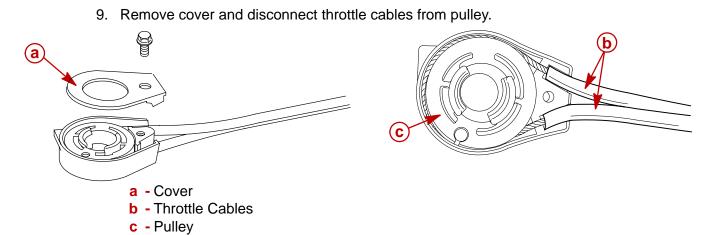
7. Pull out the stop switch harness.



- a Stop Switch Harness
- 8. Push the tiller tube out of the handle.

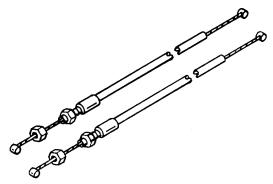




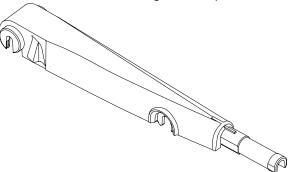


# **Cleaning/Inspection/Repair**

1. Inspect throttle cables for bending/damage and replace if necessary.

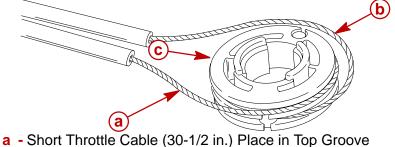


2. Inspect steering handle arm for cracks/damage and replace if necessary.

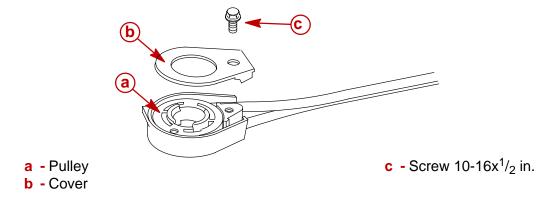


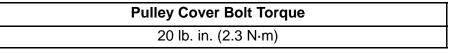
## **Tiller Handle Reassembly**

1. Wrap cables around pulley as shown.

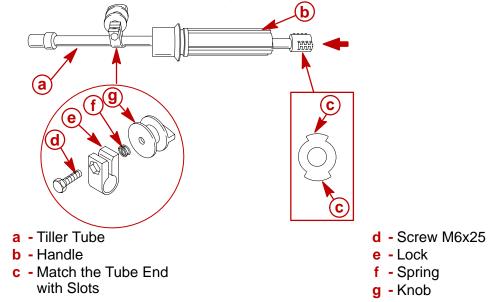


- **b** Long Throttle Cable (40-1/2 in.) Place in Bottom Groove
- c Pulley
- 2. Place pulley and cables into case.
- 3. Install cover with screw.

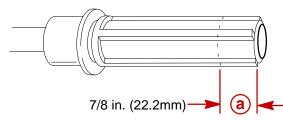




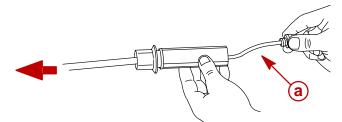
- 4. Match tiller tube end with slots in the handle. Pull the tube end into the handle until it bottoms out.
- 5. Install the throttle friction knob components on tiller tube.



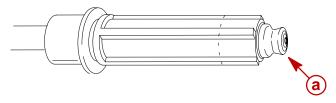
6. Check to make sure tiller tube is recessed in the end of the handle 7/8 in. (22.2mm).



- a 7/8 in. (22.2 mm)
- 7. Insert the engine stop switch harness through the tiller tube.

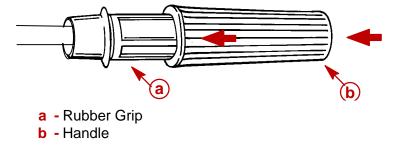


- a Engine Stop Switch Harness
- 8. Place the stop switch into end on handle.



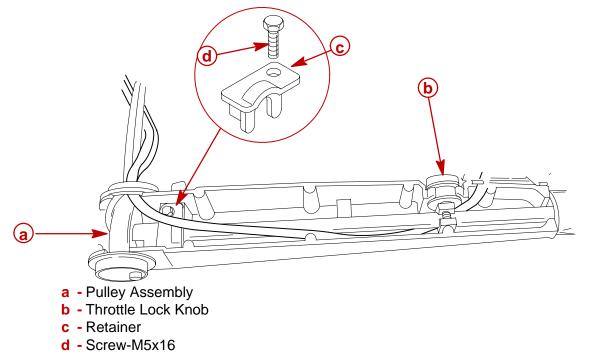
- a Stop Switch
- 9. Align the grooves inside the rubber grip with the ridges on the handle. Push the rubber grip onto the handle.

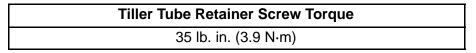
**NOTE:** Applying a soapy/water solution to the inside of the rubber grip will ease installation.



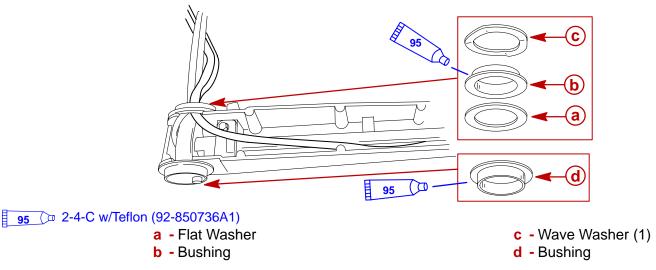


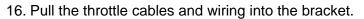
- 10. Place pulley assembly into arm.
- 11. Slide the tiller tube into the arm. Position the throttle friction knob into its slot.
- 12. Match the end of the tiller tube with the slots in the pulley assembly. Insert the tiller tube end into the pulley assembly.
- 13. Secure tiller tube with retainer.
- 14. Snap the engine start switch on the tiller tube.

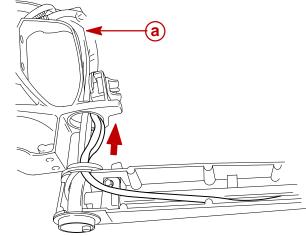




15. Place bushing components on the arm mounts.

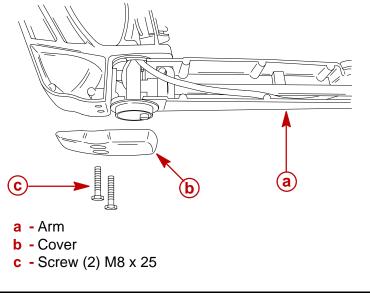






#### a - Tiller Bracket

17. Push the arm into the tiller bracket. Secure the arm by installing the cover and bolts (2). Tighten bolts to specified torque.



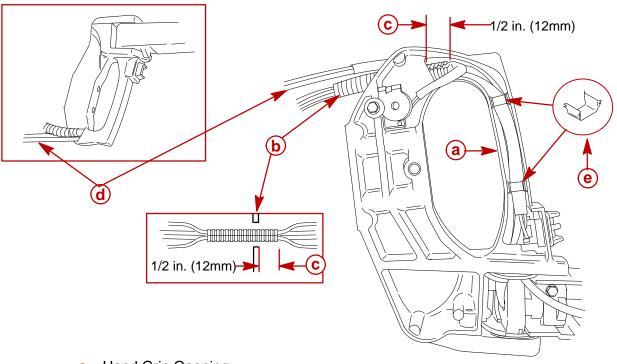
Arm Cover Bolt Torque
135 lb. in. (15.3 N⋅m)



## **A**CAUTION

Wiring passing through the hand grip opening must be protected from chaffing or being cut, by using the wiring conduit described in the following steps. Failure to protect wiring as described could result in electrical system failure.

- 18. Place the throttle cables through the hand grip opening as shown.
- 19. Place <u>all wiring inside the wiring conduit</u>.
- 20. Route the wiring through the hand grip opening and position the wiring conduit inside the opening so that at least 1/2 in. (12.7mm) extends past each end of the opening.
- 21. Push the wiring and throttle cables down into the handle grip and hold in place with two clips.

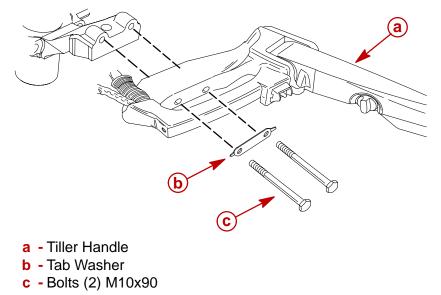


- a Hand Grip Opening
- **b** Wiring Conduit (Place all Wiring Inside See CAUTION above)
- c Wiring Conduit 1/2 in extending past opening
- d Throttle Cables (Position toward outer side)
- e Clips (2)



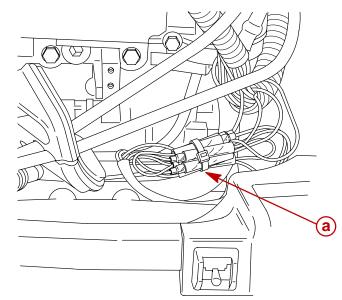
# **Tiller Handle Installation**

- 1. Install tiller handle, new tab washer, and bolts. Tighten bolts to specified torque.
- 2. Bend tabs onto flats of bolts.



Tiller Handle Mounting Bolt Torque	
35 lb. ft. (47.5 N⋅m)	

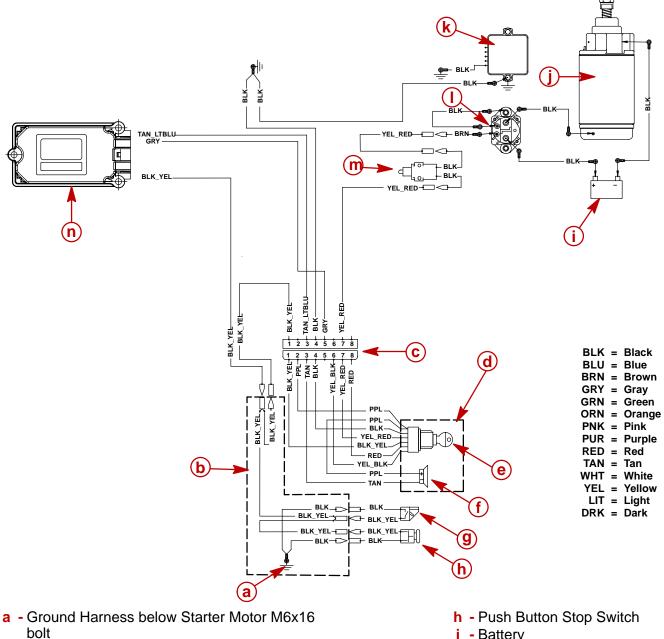
- 3. Connect wires as shown in wiring diagram (on next page).
- 4. Secure wires at connectors with cable tie as shown.



a - Cable Tie



### ELECTRIC START TILLER HANDLE WIRING DIAGRAM-50/60 (4-STROKE)

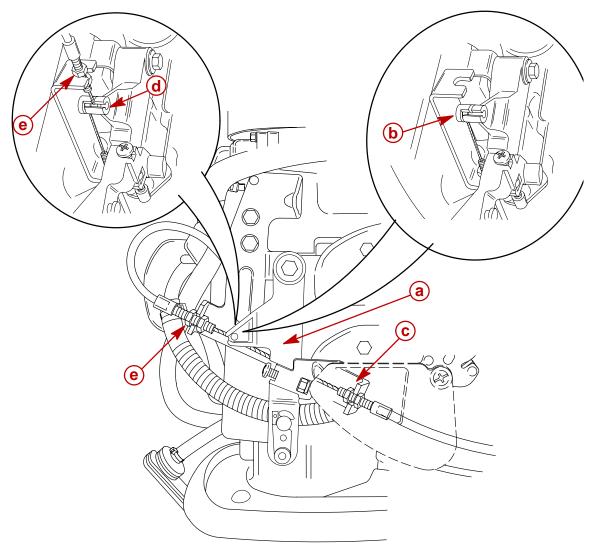


- **b** Harness Extension
- c Harness Connection
- d Key Switch Assembly Transom Mount
- e Key Switch
- f Horn
- g Lanyard Stop Switch

- i Battery
- j Starter Motor
- k Voltage Regulator
- Start Solenoid
- m Neutral Start Switch
- n ECM



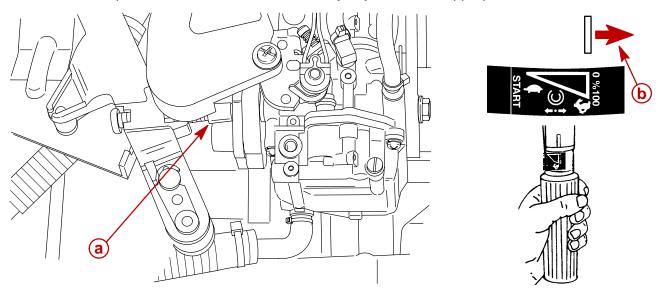
- 5. Rotate throttle grip to idle position.
- 6. Insert the anchor on the shorter throttle cable into the anchor slot on the throttle lever.
- 7. Secure cable in position by tightening jam nuts onto bracket (finger tighten only).
- 8. Insert anchor on remaining cable into the anchor slot on the throttle lever.
- 9. Secure cable in position by tightening jam nuts onto bracket (finger tighten only).



- a Throttle Lever
- **b** Anchor of Shorter Throttle Cable
- c Jam Nut
- d Anchor of Longer Throttle Cable
- e Jam Nut

10. Rotate throttle grip to the wide open throttle position. The throttle stop screw should be contacting the plate. If there is a gap between the throttle stop screw and plate, loosen the jam nut on the shorter throttle cable, turn the adjustment nut clockwise. Tighten the jam nut finger tight, rotate the throttle grip to full throttle. Keep adjusting until the throttle stop screw lightly contacts the plate.

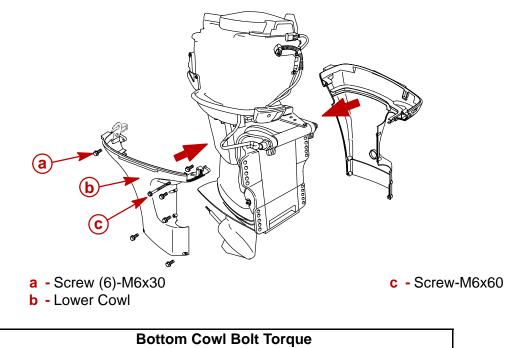
**NOTE:** No free-play should exist in throttle grip handle once the throttle stop screw has hit the plate. If this condition exists, re-adjust jam nuts on appropriate throttle cable.



- a Throttle Stop Screw Hitting Plate
- b No Free play should exist in throttle grip handle past full throttle once throttle stop screw has hit plate. If this condition exists re-adjust jam nuts.

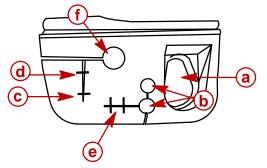
IMPORTANT: After installation, cycle the throttle grip a few times from the idle position to the wide-open-throttle position. Make sure the throttle stop is still contacting the plate. If it is not, re-adjust the jam nuts.

11. Install lower cowl.





12. Cables, wires, and shift rod should be routed through grommet as shown. Seat grommet between cowl halves.

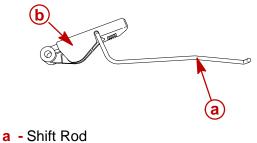


- a Fuel Connector
- **b** Battery Cables
- c Throttle Cables

- d Shift Rod
- e Tiller Handle Harness Wires

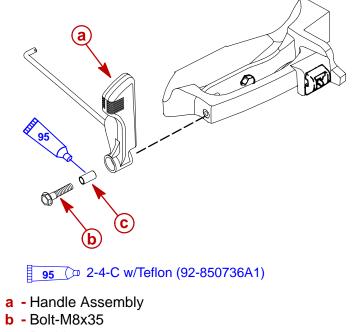
**f** - Remote Key Harness

13. Assemble the shift rod into the shift handle by sliding the rod into the hole.



**b** - Shift Handle

14. Install shift handle assembly, bushing, and bolt. Tighten bolt to specified torque.



c - Bushing

#### Shift Handle Bolt Torque

100 lb. in. (11.3 N·m)



# **COLOR DIAGRAMS**

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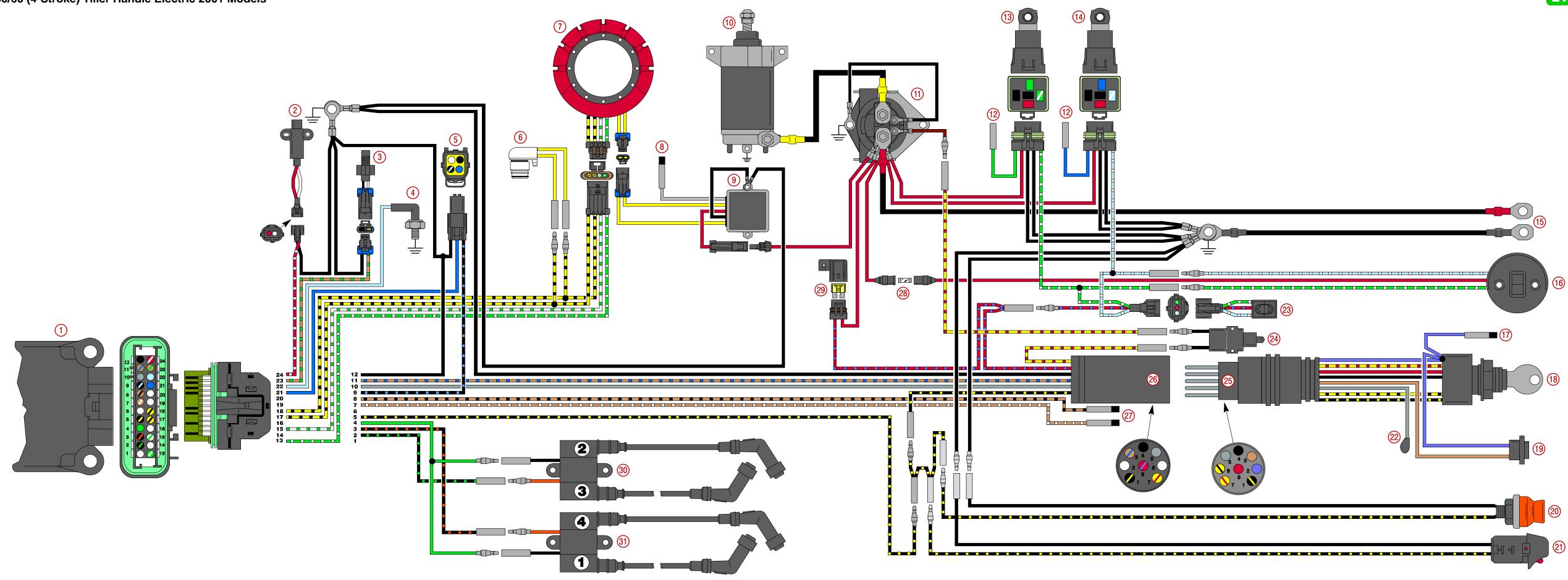




## 50/60 (4-STROKE) TILLER HANDLE ELECTRIC COLOR WIRING DIAGRAM 2001 MODELS



- 1. ECM
- 2. Crank Position Sensor
- 3. Temperature Sensor
- 4. Oil Switch
- 5. DDT Connection
- 6. Auto Enrichener
- 7. Stator
- 8. Tachometer Signal
- 9. Voltage Regulator
- 10. Starter
- 11. Start Solenoid
- 12. To Trim Motor
- 13. Trim Down Relay
- 14. Trim Up Relay
- 15. To 12 Volt Battery
- 16. Panel Mounted Trim Switch
- 17. 12 Volt Switched Auxiliary Power Source
- 18. Key Switch
- 19. Warning Horn
- 20. Push Button Stop Switch
- 21. Lanyard Stop Switch
- 22. Tachometer Signal
- 23. Cowl Mounted Trim Switch
- 24. Neutral Start Switch
- 25. Tiller Handle Harness Connection
- 26. Engine Harness Connection
- 27. To Warning Lamps
- 28. 20 Amp. Fuse
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- 30. Ignition Coil #2 & #3
- 31. Ignition Coil #1 & #4



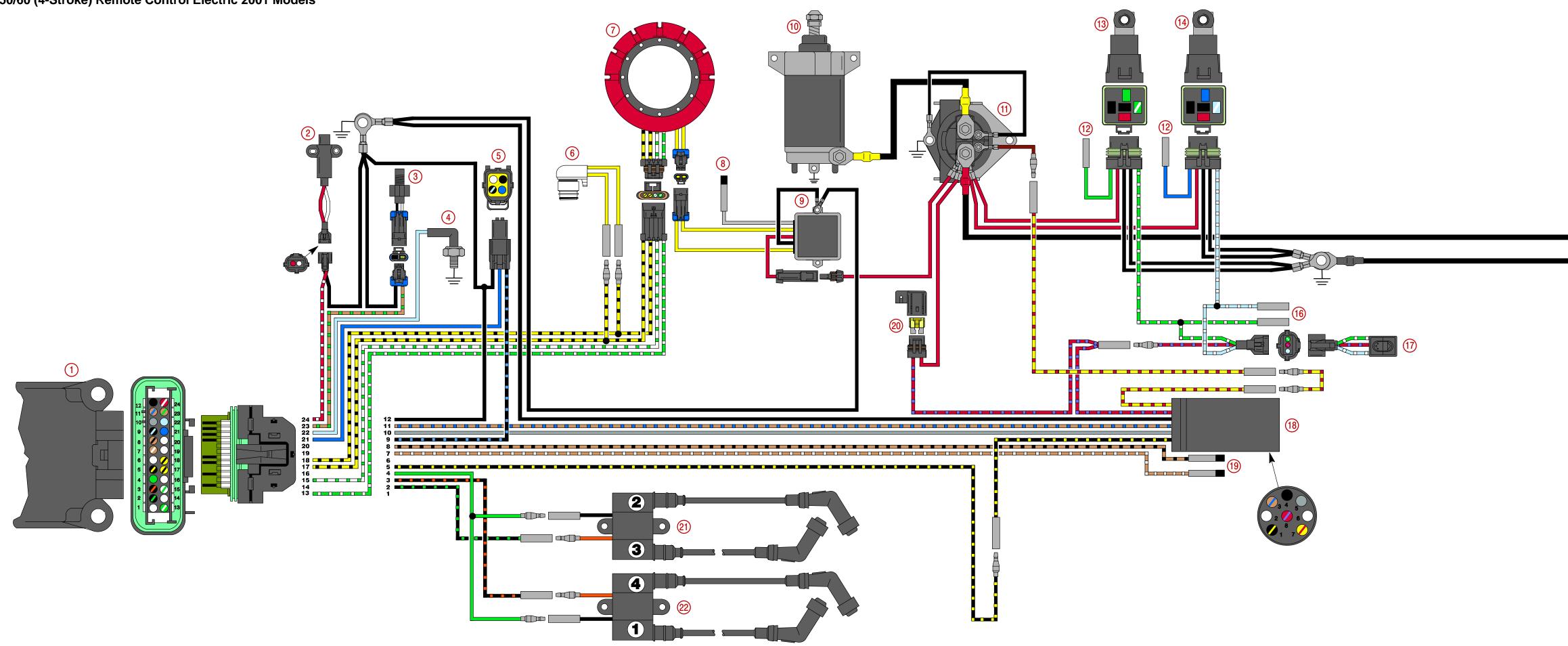




### 50/60 (4-STROKE) REMOTE CONTROL ELECTRIC COLOR WIRING DIAGRAM 2001 MODELS



- 1. ECM
- 2. Crank Position Sensor
- 3. Temperature Sensor
- 4. Oil Switch
- 5. DDT Connection
- 6. Auto Enrichener
- 7. Stator
- 8. Tachometer Signal
- 9. Voltage Regulator
- 10. Starter
- 11. Start Solenoid
- 12. To Trim Motor
- 13. Trim Down Relay
- 14. Trim Up Relay
- 15. To 12 Volt Battery
- 16. To Trim Connection on Remote Control Harness
- 17. Cowl Mounted Trim Switch
- 18. Engine Harness Connection
- 19. To Warning Lamps
- 20. 20 Amp. Fuse
- 21. Ignition Coil #2 & #3
- 22. Ignition Coil #1 & #4









# MPC 4000 MECHANICAL PANEL CONTROL COLOR WIRING DIAGRAM



- 1. MPC 4000
- 2. Neutral Lock Button
- 3. Trim Switch
- 4. Throttle Only Button
- 5. Lanyard Stop Switch
- 6. Lanyard stop switch leads must be soldered and covered with shrink tube for a water proof connection. If alternate method of connection is made, (use of electrical butt connector) verify connection is secure and sealed for moisture proof connection.
- 7. Trim Harness Connection
- 8. Connect wires together with screw and hex nut (2 places); apply Quicksilver Liquid Neoprene to connections and slide heat shrink tubing over each connection.
- 9. Remote Control Harness Connection
- 10. To Trim Sender (If Equipped)
- 11. GRN/WHT and BLU/WHT Leads to Engine Harness Trim Connections
- 12. To Temperature Sensor (If Equipped)
- 13. To Temperature Gauge (If Equipped)
- 14. Warning Horn
- 15. 5-Pin Tachometer Harness Connector
- 16. Key Switch

