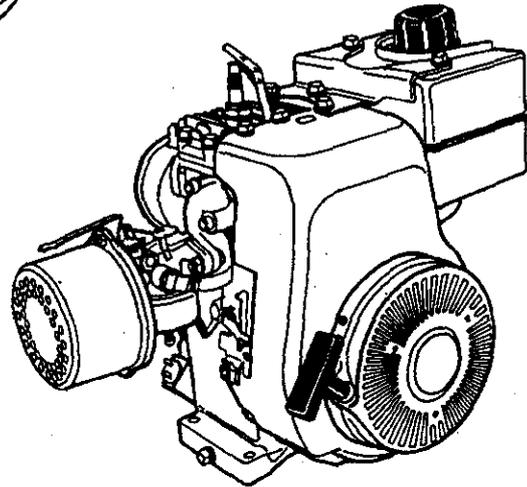
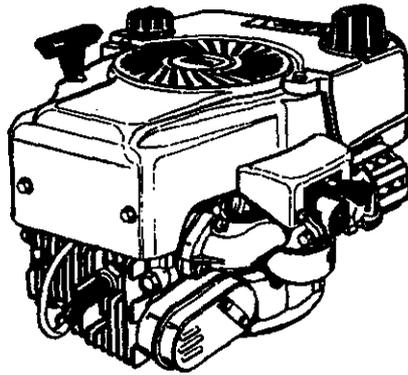


SEARS

operator's manual

MODEL NO. 143.998003

SOLID STATE IGNITION



ENGINE

CAUTION:
Read RULES for
Safe OPERATION
and INSTRUCTIONS
Carefully

- Operating
- Maintenance
- Repair Parts



California Proposition 65 **WARNING:** The engine exhaust from this product contains chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm.

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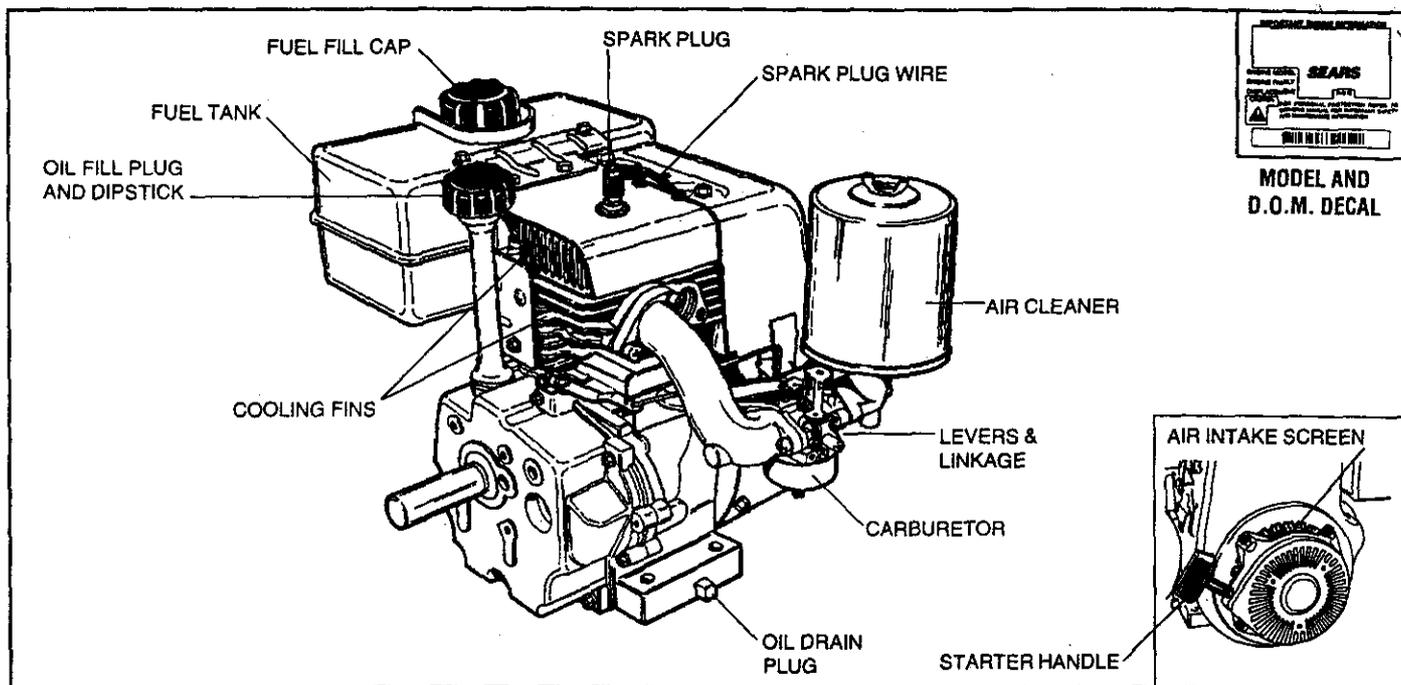


Figure 1



THIS SYMBOL POINTS OUT IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS WHICH IF NOT FOLLOWED COULD ENDANGER THE PERSONAL SAFETY AND/OR PROPERTY OF YOURSELF AND OTHERS. READ AND FOLLOW ALL INSTRUCTIONS IN THIS MANUAL AND ANY PROVIDED WITH THE EQUIPMENT ON WHICH THIS ENGINE IS USED BEFORE ATTEMPTING TO OPERATING.



THESE SYMBOLS MAY APPEAR ON THE ENGINE:



FAST



SLOW



STOP



OFF



CHOKE



FULL

ENGINES WHICH ARE CERTIFIED TO COMPLY WITH CALIFORNIA AND US EPA EMISSION REGULATIONS FOR ULGE ENGINES: Are certified to operate on regular unleaded gasoline. Include the following emission control system(s): EM, TWC (if so equipped); Do not include any user adjustable features - therefore no other adjustments are needed.

OIL & FUEL RECOMMENDATIONS

TO OPERATE ENGINE, YOU WILL NEED THE FOLLOWING:

① A CLEAN, HIGH QUALITY, DETERGENT OIL.

Be sure original container is marked:

A.P.I. service "SJ" or "SF".

FOR SUMMER (ABOVE 32°F; 0°C) USE SAE 30 OIL.

Using multigrade oil will increase oil consumption.

FOR WINTER (BELOW 32°F; 0°C) USE SAE 5W30 OIL.

(SAE 10W is an acceptable substitute.)

DO NOT USE SAE 10W40 OIL.

OIL SUMP CAPACITY: 26 ounces (1-5/8 U.S. pints).

.77 liter

② A FRESH, CLEAN, UNLEADED REGULAR, UNLEADED PREMIUM, OR REFORMULATED AUTOMOTIVE GASOLINE ONLY. DO NOT USE LEADED GASOLINE.

NOTE: DO NOT USE GASOLINE CONTAINING METHANOL (WOOD ALCOHOL). Gasoline containing up to 10% ethanol or grain alcohol ("Gasohol"), or up to 15% MTBE (Methyl Tertiary Butyl Ether), may be used but requires special care when engine is unused for extended periods.

See "STORAGE" instructions on page 5.

NOTE: Use clean oil and fuel and store in approved, clean coverer containers. Use clean fill funnels

Never use "stale" gasoline left over from last season or stored for long periods.

IMPORTANT

KEEP THIS MANUAL HANDY AT ALL TIMES FOR FUTURE REFERENCE. READ IT CAREFULLY AND FAMILIARIZE YOURSELF WITH THE OPERATING, MAINTENANCE AND SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS. THIS MANUAL ALSO CONTAINS A COMPLETE PARTS LISTING.

BEFORE STARTING

① READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS PROVIDED WITH THE EQUIPMENT ON WHICH THIS ENGINE IS USED.

② CHECK OIL LEVEL:

IMPORTANT: NEVER RUN ENGINE UNLESS OIL LEVEL IS BETWEEN "FULL" AND "ADD" MARKS ON DIPSTICK.

CHECK OIL LEVEL OFTEN DURING ENGINE BREAK-IN.

NEVER RUN ENGINE UNLESS OIL FILL PLUG IS TIGHTENED SECURELY INTO OIL FILL HOLE.

A. POSITION EQUIPMENT SO ENGINE IS LEVEL.

B. Clean area around oil fill plug (see Figure 1).

C. Remove oil fill plug and dipstick.

BEFORE STARTING (Continued)

- D. Wipe dipstick clean, insert it into oil fill hole and tighten securely.
- E. Remove oil fill plug and check oil level. If level is not up to "FULL" mark on dipstick, add recommended oil, until it is POUR SLOWLY.

Wipe dipstick clean each time oil level is checked.

DO NOT FILL ABOVE "FULL" MARK ON DIPSTICK.

- F. Replace oil fill plug and tighten securely.

See "MAINTENANCE" section for any future oil level and oil change instructions (see Page 2).

③ FILL FUEL TANK

with gasoline as specified in the preceding "OIL & FUEL RECOMMENDATIONS" item 2.

NEVER MIX OIL WITH GASOLINE

Never use "stale" gasoline left over from last season or stored for long periods.

NEVER FILL FUEL TANK INDOORS. NEVER FILL FUEL TANK WHEN ENGINE IS RUNNING OR HOT. DO NOT SMOKE WHEN FILLING FUEL TANK.

NEVER FILL FUEL TANK COMPLETELY. FILL TANK TO 1/2" BELOW BOTTOM OF FILLER NECK TO PROVIDE SPACE FOR FUEL EXPANSION. WIPE ANY FUEL SPILLAGE FROM ENGINE AND EQUIPMENT BEFORE STARTING ENGINE.

ANY LIQUIFIED PETROLEUM (LPG) OR NATURAL GAS FUEL SYSTEM MUST BE LEAKPROOF AND MEET ALL APPLICABLE CODES AND REGULATIONS.

④ CHECK THE FOLLOWING:

A. BE SURE EQUIPMENT IS IN NEUTRAL GEAR WITH CLUTCHES, BELTS, CHAINS AND SAFETY SWITCHES DISENGAGED. (FOLLOW EQUIPMENT MANUFACTURER'S INSTRUCTIONS.) THIS SHOULD PLACE ANY SAFETY SWITCHES IN SAFE STARTING POSITION.

- B. Be sure spark plug wire is attached to spark plug (see Figure 1).

- C. Be sure any ignition switch on engine or equipment is in ON, RUN or START position.

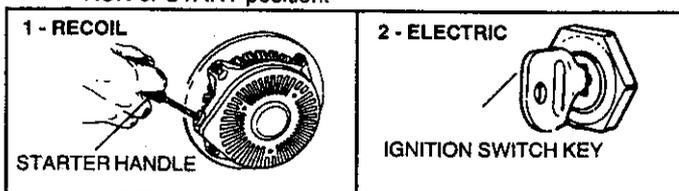


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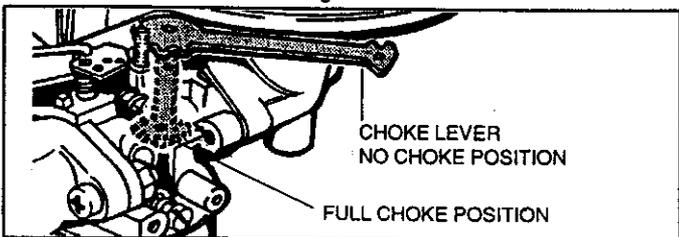


Figure 3

STARTING

NEVER RUN ENGINE INDOORS OR IN ENCLOSED, POORLY VENTILATED AREAS. ENGINE EXHAUST CONTAINS CARBON MONOXIDE, AN ODORLESS AND DEADLY GAS (CARBON MONOXIDE IS ALSO PRESENT IN ENGINE EXHAUST FROM LIQUID PETROLEUM (LPG) AND NATURAL GAS FUEL SYSTEMS).

STARTING (Continued)

KEEP HANDS, FEET, HAIR AND LOOSE CLOTHING AWAY FROM ANY MOVING PARTS ON ENGINE AND EQUIPMENT.

WARNING: TEMPERATURE OF MUFFLER AND NEARBY AREAS MAY EXCEED 150°F (65°C). AVOID THESE AREAS.

① REWIND STARTER:

- A. Move choke lever to FULL CHOKE POSITION.

NOTE: IF RESTARTING A WARM ENGINE AFTER A SHORT SHUTDOWN, MOVE CHOKE LEVER TO "NO CHOKE POSITION."

- B. Move equipment control to START (see equipment manufacturer's instructions).
- C. Grasp starter handle (see Figure 2) and pull rope out, slowly, until it pulls slightly harder. Let rope rewind slowly. Then pull rope with a rapid full arm stroke. Let rope rewind SLOWLY. Do not let starter handle snap back against starter.

- D. Repeat instruction C until engine fires. When engine starts, move choke lever to 1/2 CHOKE until engine runs smoothly and then to NO CHOKE POSITION.

NOTE: If engine fires, but does not continue to run, move choke lever to NO CHOKE POSITION and repeat instruction C until engine starts.

If engine again fires, but does not continue to run, move choke lever to FULL CHOKE POSITION and repeat instructions C and D until engine starts.

② ELECTRIC STARTER (see Figures 2 and 3):

- A. Move choke lever to FULL CHOKE POSITION.

NOTE: IF RESTARTING A WARM ENGINE AFTER A SHORT SHUTDOWN, MOVE CHOKE LEVER TO "NO CHOKE POSITION."

- B. Move equipment control to START (see equipment manufacturer's instructions).
- C. Push starter button of turn ignition switch key (see equipment manufacturer's instructions) to crank engine.
- D. Crank engine until it fires. When it starts, release starter button or ignition switch key and move choke lever to 1/2 CHOKE until engine runs smoothly and then to NO CHOKE POSITION.

If engine falters, move choke lever to 1/2 CHOKE until engine runs smoothly and then to NO CHOKE POSITION.

NOTE: If engine fires, but does not continue to run, move choke lever to NO CHOKE POSITION and repeat instruction C and D until engine starts.

STOPPING

- ① Move equipment control or any ignition stop switch on engine STOP or OFF (see equipment manufacturer's instructions).

② AFTER ENGINE IS STOPPED:

A. DISCONNECT SPARK PLUG WIRE FROM SPARK PLUG AND KEEP IT AWAY FROM SPARK PLUG.

B. TURN IGNITION SWITCH KEY (IF SO EQUIPPED) TO "OFF" POSITION AND REMOVE KEY FROM SWITCH. THIS WILL REDUCE THE POSSIBILITY OF UNAUTHORIZED STARTING OF ENGINE WHILE EQUIPMENT IS NOT IN USE.

NEVER STORE ENGINE WITH FUEL IN TANK INDOORS OR IN ENCLOSED, POORLY VENTILATED AREAS, WHERE FUEL FUMES MAY REACH AN OPEN FLAME, SPARK OR PILOT LIGHT AS ON A FURNACE, WATER HEATER, CLOTHES DRYER OR OTHER GAS APPLIANCE.

MAINTENANCE

⚠ WARNING: TEMPERATURE OF MUFFLER AND NEARBY AREAS MAY EXCEED 150°F (65°C). AVOID THESE AREAS.

① CHECK OIL LEVEL:

Check oil level every five (5) operating hours or each time engine is used. See "2 CHECK OIL LEVEL" in "BEFORE STARTING" on Page 1.

② CHANGE OIL:

Change oil after first two (2) operating hours and every 25 operating hours thereafter, more often if operated in extremely dusty or dirty conditions.

Change oil while engine is still warm from recent running.

⚠ A. DISCONNECT SPARK PLUG WIRE FROM SPARK PLUG AND KEEP IT AWAY FROM SPARK PLUG.

- B. Clean area around drain plug (see Figure 1).
- C. Position equipment so engine oil drain plug is lowest point on engine.
- D. Remove oil drain plug and oil fill plug to drain oil.
- E. Replace oil drain plug and tighten securely.
- F. Fill oil sump with recommended oil. See "OIL & FUEL RECOMMENDATIONS" and "CHECK OIL LEVEL" on Page 1.
- G. Replace oil fill plug and tighten securely.
- H. Wipe up any spilled oil.

③ AIR CLEANER

IMPORTANT: NEVER RUN ENGINE WITHOUT COMPLETE AIR CLEANER INSTALLED ON ENGINE.

A. **TO SERVICE FILTER(S)** (see Figure 4):

1. FOAM FILTER:

Clean and re-oil every 3 months or every 25 operating hours. Clean and re-oil daily if used in extremely dusty or dirty conditions.

- a. Wash in water and detergent solution and squeeze (don't twist) until all dirt is removed.
- b. Rinse thoroughly in clear water.
- c. Wrap in a clean cloth and squeeze (don't twist) until completely dry.
- d. Saturate with engine oil and squeeze (don't twist) to distribute oil and remove excess oil.

2. PAPER FILTER:

DO NOT ATTEMPT TO CLEAN OR OIL FILTER.

Replace once a year or every 100 operating hours, more often if used in extremely dusty conditions.

Replacement filters are available at any Sears Roebuck and Co. (or Sears Canada, Inc.) Service Center.

B. TO REMOVE AND INSTALL FILTER:

1. Remove wing nut and cover.
2. Slide foam filter off paper filter..
3. Inspect filters for discoloration or dirt accumulation. If either is present, service per preceding "TO SERVICE FILTER(S)" instructions.
4. Remove nut and paper filter (if service is necessary).
5. Clean topside of base and inside of cover thoroughly.
6. Install paper filter and nut. Tighten nut finger tight and then turn it one (1) more complete turn.
7. Slide foam filter over paper filter.
8. Install cover and wing nut. Tighten wing nut.

MAINTENANCE (Continued)

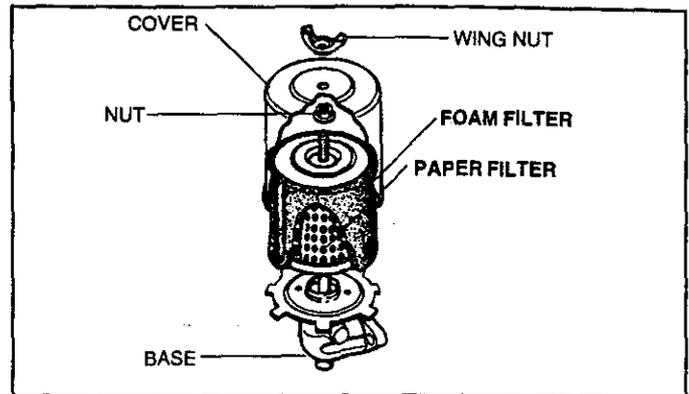


Figure 4

④ SPARK PLUG (see Figure 5):

This spark ignition system meets all requirements of the Canadian Interference-Causing Equipment Regulations. This engine complies with all current Australian and New Zealand limitations regarding electromagnetic interference. Check spark plug yearly or every 100 operating hours.

- A. Clean area around spark plug.
- B. Remove and inspect spark plug.
- C. Replace spark plug if electrodes are pitted, burned or porcelain is cracked. For replacement use Champion RJ17LM or equivalent.

NOTE: A resistor spark plug must be used for replacement.

- D. Check electrode gap with wire feeler gauge and set gap at .030 if necessary.

- E. Install spark plug, tighten securely.

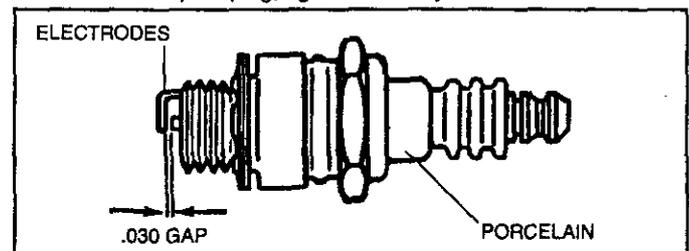


Figure 5

⑤ COOLING SYSTEM (see Figure 1):

IMPORTANT: Frequently remove grass clippings, dirt and debris from cooling fins, air intake screen and levers and linkage. This will help ensure adequate cooling and correct engine speed.

⚠ ⑥ CHECK ENGINE AND EQUIPMENT OFTEN FOR LOOSE NUTS, BOLTS AND ATTACHMENTS, AND KEEP THESE ITEMS TIGHTENED.

ADJUSTMENTS

DO NOT MAKE UNNECESSARY ADJUSTMENTS. FACTORY SETTINGS ARE SATISFACTORY FOR MOST APPLICATIONS AND CONDITIONS. IF ADJUSTMENTS ARE NEEDED, PROCEED AS FOLLOWS:

① CARBURETOR (see Figure 6):

If you think your carburetor needs adjusting, see your nearest SEARS, ROEBUCK AND CO. (OR SEARS CANADA, INC.) SERVICE CENTER. Engine performance should not be affected at altitudes up to 7,000 feet. For operation at higher elevation, contact your nearest SEARS, ROEBUCK AND CO. (OR SEARS CANADA, INC.) SERVICE CENTER.

ADJUSTMENTS (Continued)

② REMOTE CONTROL (see Figure 7):

For satisfactory engine performance, engine and remote equipment controls must be adjusted properly. To check engine control adjustments, proceed as follows:

- A. Set remote equipment control at FAST or HIGH SPEED and keep in this position.

In this position, engine CONTROL LEVER should touch HIGH SPEED STOP. If it does, the controls are adjusted correctly and no further adjustment should be necessary.

NOTE: If engine CONTROL LEVER does not touch HIGH SPEED STOP, proceed to instruction B.

- B. Loosen CLAMP SCREW so REMOTE CONTROL CABLE can be moved in CABLE CLAMP (do not remove CABLE CLAMP from CONTROL BRACKET or disconnect REMOTE CONTROL CABLE from CONTROL LEVER.)
- C. Move engine CONTROL LEVER so it is touching HIGH SPEED STOP and hold it in this position.
- D. Tighten CLAMP SCREW securely so CABLE CLAMP will hold REMOTE CONTROL CABLE in place when equipment control is used.

The engine controls should now be adjusted correctly.

If additional control adjustments are necessary, contact your nearby Sears Roebuck and Co. (Sears Canada, Inc.) Service Center.

③ ENGINE SPEED:

NEVER TAMPER WITH ENGINE GOVERNOR WHICH IS FACTORY SET FOR PROPER ENGINE SPEED. OVERSPEEDING ENGINE ABOVE FACTORY HIGH SPEED SETTING CAN BE DANGEROUS.

CHANGING OF ENGINE-GOVERNED SPEED WILL VOID ENGINE WARRANTY.

FOR ANY MAJOR ADJUSTMENTS OR REPAIRS, CONTACT YOUR NEARBY SEARS ROEBUCK AND CO. (OR SEARS CANADA, INC.) SERVICE CENTER.

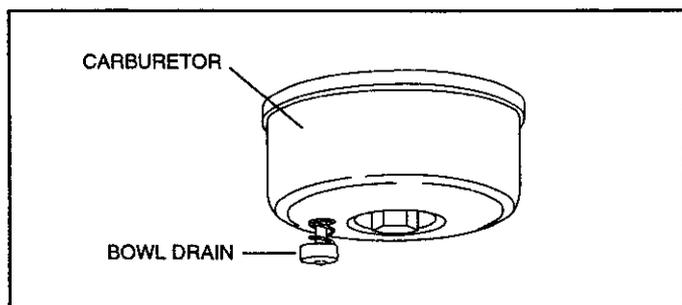


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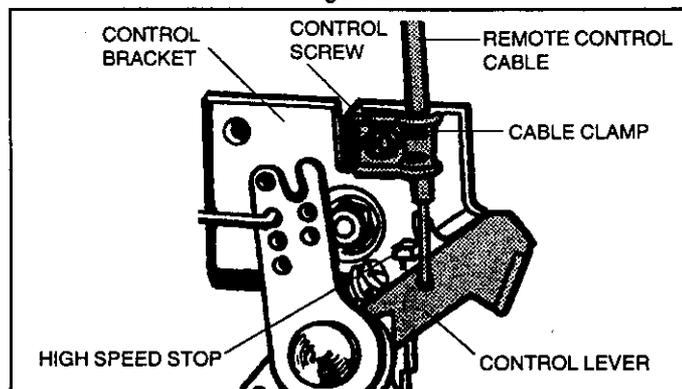


Figure 7

STORAGE

NEVER STORE ENGINE WITH FUEL IN TANK INDOORS OR IN ENCLOSED, POORLY VENTILATED AREAS, WHERE FUEL FUMES MAY REACH AN OPEN FLAME, SPARK OR PILOT LIGHT AS ON A FURNACE, WATER HEATER, CLOTHES DRYER OR OTHER GAS APPLIANCE.

IF ENGINE IS TO BE UNUSED FOR 30 DAYS OR MORE, PREPARE AS FOLLOWS:

① DRAIN FUEL SYSTEM:

- A. Remove all gasoline from carburetor and fuel tank to prevent gum deposits from forming on these parts and causing possible malfunction of engine.

DRAIN FUEL INTO APPROVED CONTAINER OUTDOORS, AWAY FROM OPEN FLAME. BE SURE ENGINE IS COOL. DO NOT SMOKE.

- B. Run engine until fuel tank is empty and engine stops due to lack of fuel.

NOTE: Fuel stabilizer (such as STA-BIL) is an acceptable alternative in minimizing the formation of fuel gum deposits during storage. Add stabilizer to gasoline in fuel tank or storage container. Always follow mix ratio found on stabilizer container. Run engine at least 10 minutes after adding stabilizer to allow it to reach carburetor.

② CHANGE OIL:

Change oil if it has not been changed in the last three (3) months. See "CHANGE OIL" instructions in "MAINTENANCE" section on Page 3.

③ OIL CYLINDER BORE:

- A. Remove spark plug. Squirt one (1) oz. (30 ml) of clean engine oil into spark plug hole.
- B. Crank engine over, slowly, several times.

AVOID SPRAY FROM SPARK PLUG HOLE WHEN CRANKING ENGINE OVER SLOWLY.

- C. Replace spark plug.

④ CLEAN ENGINE:

Remove any clippings, dirt, or chaff from exterior of engine.

GENERAL

Just as your automobile needs professional mechanical maintenance from time to time, so does your Craftsman engine. Replacement of the spark plug and air cleaner is made necessary by NORMAL use. Professional Air-Cooled Engine Service is as close as your nearest Sears Roebuck and Co. (or Sears Canada, Inc.) Service Center.

A yearly check-up or tune-up by Sears is a good idea to avoid breakdowns or delay . . . do it at the end of the season, then you're ready for the next. We even prepare it for storage for you.

TROUBLESHOOTING

**THE FOLLOWING MAY HELP AVOID A DELAY IN YOUR WORK OR
SAVE THE EXPENSE OF A SERVICE CALL.**

ENGINE FAILS TO START OR STARTS WITH DIFFICULTY	
CAUSE	REMEDY
Controls not in start position.	Move ENGINE CONTROL or equipment control to "HI" or START position. See "STARTING" instructions in this manual.
Spark plug wire disconnected from spark plug.	Connect SPARK PLUG WIRE to SPARK PLUG.
Spark plug fouled.	Remove SPARK PLUG and clean it. See "SPARK PLUG" instructions in "MAINTENANCE" section in this manual.
Spark plug porcelain cracked.	Install new spark plug.
Insufficient fuel.	Fill FUEL TANK per "BEFORE STARTING" instructions.
Water or dirt in fuel.	Drain FUEL TANK and re-fill with clean, fresh gasoline. See "BEFORE STARTING" instructions in this manual.
Improper carburetor adjustment	Adjust carburetor (if applicable). See "ADJUSTMENTS" section in this manual.
ENGINE LACKS POWER	
CAUSE	REMEDY
Dirty air cleaner.	Replace or clean air cleaner per "AIR CLEANER" instructions in "MAINTENANCE" section in this manual.
Improper carburetor adjustment.	Adjust carburetor (if applicable). See "ADJUSTMENTS" section in this manual.
Lack of lubricaiton.	Fill oil sump to proper level. See "BEFORE STARTING" instructions section in this manual.
ENGINE MISSES UNDER LOAD	
CAUSE	REMEDY
Spark plug fouled.	Remove SPARK PLUG and clean it. See "SPARK PLUG" instructions in "MAINTENANCE" section in this manual.
Spark plug porcelain cracked.	Install new SPARK PLUG.
Improper spark plug gap.	Regap SPARK PLUG electrodes. See "SPARK PLUG" instructions in "MAINTENANCE" section in this manual.
Improper carburetor adjustment	Adjust carburetor (if applicable). See "ADJUSTMENTS" section in this manual.

SEARS, ROEBUCK AND CO.

Federal and California Emission Control Systems Limited Warranty
Utility and Lawn and Garden Engines

CALIFORNIA & US EPA EMISSION CONTROL
WARRANTY STATEMENT

The U. S. Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA"), the California Air Resources Board ("CARB") and Sears, Roebuck and Co. are pleased to explain the Federal and California Emission Control Systems Warranty on your new utility or lawn and garden equipment engine. In California, new 1995 and later utility and lawn and garden equipment engines must be designed, built and equipped to meet the State's stringent anti-smog standards. In other states, new 1997 and later model year engines must be designed, built and equipped, at the time of sale, to meet the U.S. EPA regulations for small non-road engines. Sears, Roebuck and Co. will warrant the emission control system on your utility or lawn and garden equipment engine for the periods of time listed below, provided there has been no abuse, neglect, unapproved modification, or improper maintenance of your utility or lawn and garden equipment engine.

Your emission control system may include parts such as the carburetor, ignition system and exhaust system. Also included may be the compression release system and other emission-related assemblies.

Where a warrantable condition exists, Sears, Roebuck and Co. will repair your utility or lawn and garden equipment engine at no cost to you for diagnosis, parts and labor.

MANUFACTURER'S EMISSION CONTROL SYSTEM
WARRANTY COVERAGE

Emission control systems on 1995 and later model year California utility and lawn and garden equipment engines are warranted for two years as hereinafter noted. In other states, 1997 and later model year engines are also warranted for two years. If, during such warranty period, any emission-related part on your engine is defective in materials or workmanship, the part will be repaired or replaced by Sears, Roebuck and Co.

OWNER'S WARRANTY RESPONSIBILITIES

As the utility or lawn and garden equipment engine owner, you are responsible for the performance of the required maintenance listed in your Owner's Manual, but Sears, Roebuck and Co. will not deny warranty solely due to the lack of receipts or for your failure to provide written evidence of the performance of all scheduled maintenance.

As the utility or lawn and garden equipment engine owner, you should, however, be aware that Sears, Roebuck and Co. may deny you warranty coverage if your utility or lawn and garden equipment or a part thereof has failed due to abuse, neglect, improper maintenance or unapproved modifications.

You are responsible for presenting your utility or lawn and garden equipment engine to a Sears, Roebuck and Co. Authorized Service Outlet as soon as a problem exists. The warranty repairs should be completed in a reasonable amount of time, not to exceed 30 days.

Warranty service can be arranged by contacting either a Sears, Roebuck and Co. Authorized Service Outlet, or by contacting Sears, Roebuck and Co. at 1-800-473-7247.

IMPORTANT NOTE

This warranty statement explains your rights and obligations under the Emission Control System Warranty ("ECS Warranty") which is provided to you by Sears, Roebuck and Co. pursuant to California law. See also the Sears, Roebuck and Co. Limited Warranties for Sears, Roebuck and Co. which is enclosed therewith on a separate sheet and also is provided to you by Sears, Roebuck and Co. The ECS Warranty applies only to the emission control system of your new engine. To the extent that there is any conflict in terms between the ECS Warranty and the Sears, Roebuck and Co. Warranty, the ECS Warranty shall apply except in any circumstances in which the Sears, Roebuck and Co. Warranty may provide a longer warranty period. Both the ECS Warranty and the Sears, Roebuck and Co. Warranty describe important rights and obligations with respect to your new engine.

Warranty service can only be performed by a Sears, Roebuck and Co. Authorized Service Outlet. At the time of requesting warranty service, evidence must be presented of the date of sale to the original purchaser. The purchaser shall pay any charges for making service calls and/or for transporting the products to and from the place where the inspection and/or warranty work is performed. The purchaser shall be responsible for any damage or loss incurred in connection with the transportation of any engine or any part(s) thereof submitted for inspection and/or warranty work.

If you have any questions regarding your warranty rights and responsibilities, you should contact Sears, Roebuck and Co. at 1-800-473-7247.

EMISSION CONTROL SYSTEM WARRANTY

Emission Control System Warranty ("ECS Warranty") for 1995 and later model year California utility and lawn and garden equipment engines (for other states, 1997 and later model year engines):

A. APPLICABILITY: This warranty shall apply to 1995 and later model year California utility and lawn and garden equipment engines (for other states, 1997 and later model year engines). The ECS Warranty Period shall begin on the date the new engine or equipment is delivered to its original, end-use purchaser, and shall continue for 24 consecutive months thereafter.

B. GENERAL EMISSIONS WARRANTY COVERAGE: Sears, Roebuck and Co. warrants to the original, end-use purchaser of the new engine or equipment and to each subsequent purchaser that each of its utility and lawn and garden equipment engines is:

1. Designed, built and equipped so as to conform with all applicable regulations adopted by the Air Resources Board pursuant to its authority in Chapters 1 and 2, Part 5, Division 26 of the Health and Safety Code, and
2. Free from defects in materials and workmanship which, at any time during the ECS Warranty Period, will cause a warranted emissions-related part to fail to be identical in all material respects to the part as described in the engine manufacturer's application for certification.

C. The ECS Warranty only pertains to emissions-related parts on your engine, as follows:

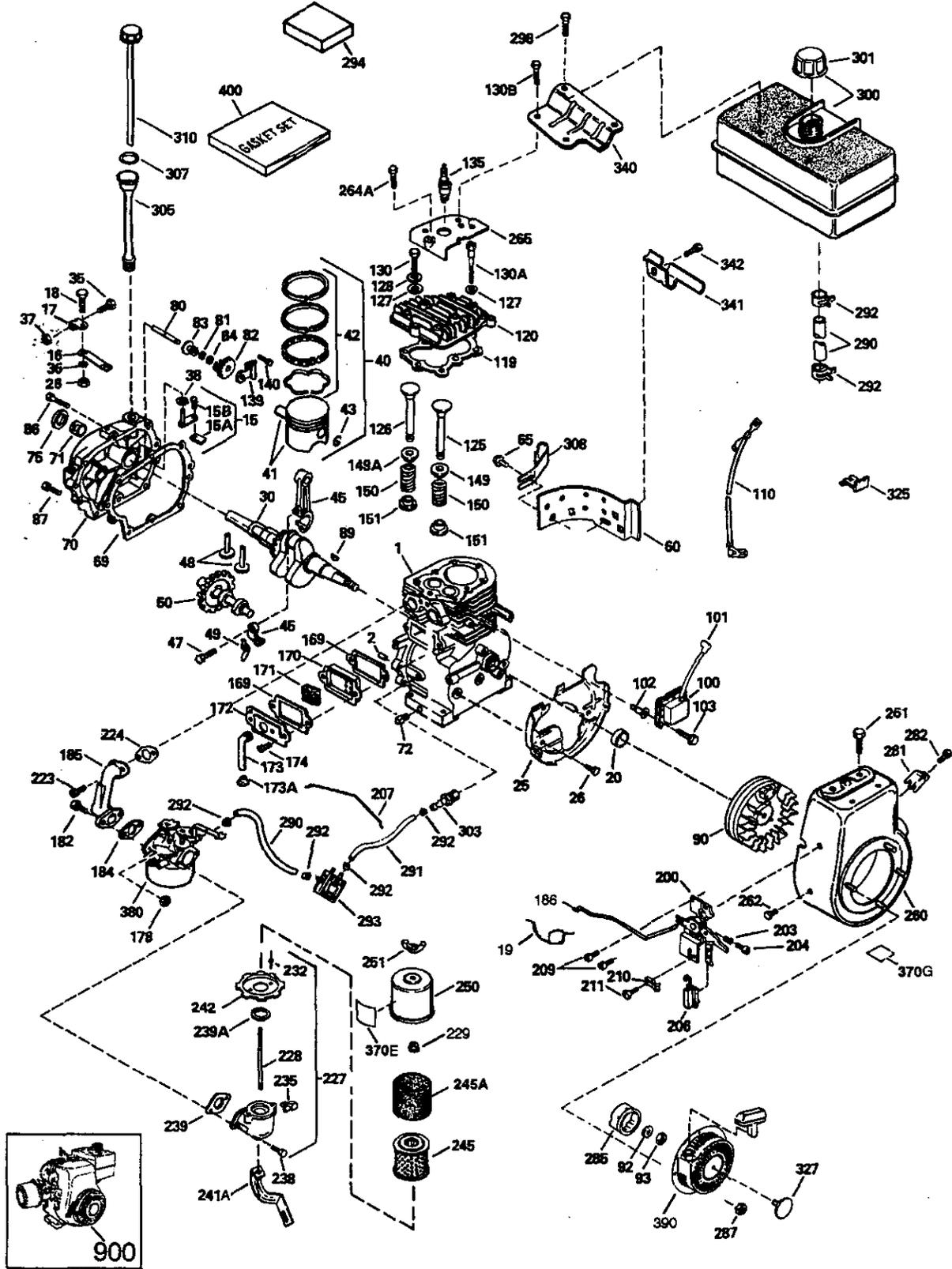
1. Any warranted, emissions-related parts which are not scheduled for replacement as required maintenance in the Owner's Manual shall be warranted for the ECS Warranty Period. If any such part fails during the ECS Warranty Period, it shall be repaired or replaced by Sears, Roebuck and Co. according to Subsection 4 below. Any such part repaired or replaced under the ECS Warranty shall be warranted for any remainder of the ECS Warranty Period.
2. Any warranted, emissions-related part which is scheduled only for regular inspection as specified in the Owner's Manual shall be warranted for the ECS Warranty Period. A statement in such written instructions to the effect of "repair or replace as necessary", shall not reduce the ECS Warranty Period. Any such part repaired or replaced under the ECS Warranty shall be warranted for the remainder of the ECS Warranty Period.
3. Any warranted, emissions-related part which is scheduled for replacement as required maintenance in the Owner's Manual, shall be warranted for the period of time prior to the first scheduled replacement point for that part. If the part fails prior to the first scheduled replacement, the part shall be repaired or replaced by Sears, Roebuck and Co. according to Subsection 4 below. Any such emissions-related part repaired or replaced under the ECS Warranty, shall be warranted for the remainder of the ECS Warranty Period prior to the first scheduled replacement point for such emissions-related part.
4. Repair or replacement of any warranted, emissions-related part under this ECS Warranty shall be performed at no charge to the owner at a Sears, Roebuck and Co. Authorized Service Outlet.
5. The owner shall not be charged for diagnostic labor which leads to the determination that a part covered by the ECS Warranty is in fact defective, provided that such diagnostic work is performed at a Sears, Roebuck and Co. Authorized Service Outlet.
6. Sears, Roebuck and Co. shall be liable for damages to other original engine components or approved modifications proximately caused by a failure under warranty of an emission-related part covered by the ECS Warranty.
7. Throughout the ECS Warranty Period, Sears, Roebuck and Co. shall maintain a supply of warranted emission-related parts sufficient to meet the expected demand for such emission-related parts.
8. Any Sears, Roebuck and Co. authorized and approved emission-related replacement part may be used in the performance of any ECS Warranty maintenance or repair and will be provided without charge to the owner. Such use shall not reduce Sears, Roebuck and Co. ECS Warranty obligations.
9. Unapproved add-on or modified parts may not be used to modify or repair a Sears, Roebuck and Co. engine. Such use voids this ECS Warranty and shall be sufficient grounds for disallowing an ECS Warranty claim. Sears, Roebuck and Co. shall not be liable hereunder for failures of any warranted parts of a Sears, Roebuck and Co. engine caused by the use of such an unapproved add-on or modified part.

EMISSION-RELATED PARTS INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

1. Carburetor Assembly and its Internal Components
 - a) Fuel filter
 - b) Carburetor gaskets
 - c) Intake pipe
2. Air Cleaner Assembly
 - a) Air filter element
3. Ignition System, including:
 - a) Spark plug
 - b) Ignition module
 - c) Flywheel assembly
4. Catalytic Muffler (if so equipped)
 - a) Muffler gasket (if so equipped)
 - b) Exhaust manifold (if so equipped)
5. Crankcase Breather Assembly and its Components
 - a) Breather connection tube

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Ref. No.	Part No.	Part Name	Ref. No.	Part No.	Part Name
1	35385	Cylinder (Incl. 2, 20 & 72)	135	33636	Resistor Spark Plug (RJ17LM)
2	27652	Dowel Pin	139	33369	Governor Gear Bracket
15	30699C	Governor Rod (Incl. 15A & 15B)	140	650836	Screw, 10-24 x 1/2"
15A	30700	Governor Yoke	149	27882	Valve Spring Cap
15B	650494	Screw, 6-40 x 5/16"	149A	35862	Valve Spring Cap
16	33454	Governor Lever	150	27881	Valve Spring
17	29916	Governor Lever Clamp	151	32581	Valve Spring Keeper
18	651028	Screw, Torx T-15, 8-32 x 3/8"	169	*27896A	Breather Gasket
19	34663	Speed Control Spring	170	28423	Breather Body
20	35319	Oil Seal	171	28424	Breather Element
25	36460	Blower Housing Baffle	172	28425	Valve Cover
26	650561	Screw, 1/4-20 x 5/8"	173	34696	Breather Tube
28	30322	Lock Nut, 8-32	173A	32446	Breather Tube Grommet
30	35372A	Crankshaft	174	650128	Screw, 10-24 x 1/2"
35	29826	Screw, 10-32 x 3/4"	178	29752	Nut & Lock Washer, 1/4-28
36	29918	Lock Washer	182	30088A	Screw, 1/4-28 x 1"
37	29216	Lock Nut, 10-32	184	*33263	Carburetor To Intake Pipe Gasket
38	29642	Retaining Ring	185	34707	Intake Pipe
40	40011	Piston, Pin & Ring Set (Std.)	186	34667	Governor Link
40	40012	Piston, Pin & Ring Set (.010" OS)	200	34664	Control Bracket (Incl. 19, 203, 204 & 209)
41	40009	Piston & Pin Ass'y. (Std.) (Incl. 43)	203	31342	Compression Spring
41	40010	Piston & Pin Ass'y. (.010" OS) (Incl. 43)	204	651029	Screw, Torx T-10, 5-40 x 7/16"
42	40013	Ring Set (Std.)	206	610973	Terminal
42	40014	Ring Set (.010" OS)	207	33878	Throttle Link
43	27888	Piston Pin Retaining Ring	209	650821	Screw, 10-32 x 1/2"
45	36897	Connecting Rod Ass'y. (Incl. 47 & 49)	210	27793	Conduit Clip
47	651033	Connecting Rod Bolt	211	28942	Screw, 10-32 x 3/8"
48	34034	Valve Lifter	223	650378	Screw, Torx T-30, 5/16-18 x 1-1/8"
49	36896	Oil Dipper	224	*27915A	Intake Pipe Gasket
50	35375	Camshaft (MCR)	227	35044	Air Cleaner Elbow (Incl. 228, 229, 234, 239 & 242)
60	33273A	Blower Housing Extension	228	650851	Stud, 1/4-20 x 8.1
65	650128	Screw, 10-24 x 1/2"	229	650852	Nut, 1/4-20
69	*35262A	Cylinder Cover Gasket	232		Pop Rivet (1/8" Dia.)(Purchase Locally)
70	35376	Cylinder Cover (Incl. 71, 75 & 80)	235	30675	Air Cleaner Elbow Fitting
71	35377	Crankshaft Bushing	238	650163	Screw, 10-32 x 7/8"
72	27642	Oil Drain Plug	239	*27272A	Air Cleaner Gasket
75	35319	Oil Seal	239A	*34698A	Air Cleaner Gasket
80	31845	Governor Shaft	241A	37279	Air Cleaner Collar
81	30590A	Washer	242	34699	Air Cleaner Bracket
82	35378	Governor Gear Ass'y. (Incl. 81)	245	34700A	Air Cleaner Filter
83	30588A	Governor Spool	245A	34703	Air Cleaner Filter
84	29193	Retaining Ring	250	34702	Air Cleaner Cover
86	650833	Screw, 1/4-20 x 1-3/16"	251	650886	Wing Nut, 1/4-20
87	650832	Screw, 1/4-20 x 1-11/16"	260	34833B	Blower Housing
89	32589	Flywheel Key	261	650788	Screw, 5/16-18 x 3/4"
90	611091	Flywheel	262	29747B	Screw, Torx T-40, 5/16-24 x 21/32"
92	650880	Lock Washer	264A	650802	Screw, 1/4-20 x 5/8"
93	650881	Flywheel Nut	265	33272B	Cylinder Head Cover
100	35135	Solid State Ignition	281	33013	Starter Bubble Cover
101	610118	Spark Plug Cover	282	650760	Screw, 8-32 x 3/8"
102	651024	Solid State Mounting Stud	285	35985B	Starter Cup
103	651007	Screw, Torx T-15, 10-24 x 15/16"	287	29752	Nut & Lock Washer, 1/4-28
110	35187	Ground Wire	290	29774	Fuel Line
119	*36448	Cylinder Head Gasket	291	30962	Fuel Line
120	36449	Cylinder Head	292	26460	Fuel Line Clamp
125	27878A	Exhaust Valve (Std.) (Incl. 151)			
125	27880A	Exhaust Valve (1/32" OS) (Incl. 151)			
126	34035	Intake Valve (Std.) (Incl. 151)			
126	34036	Intake Valve (1/32" OS) (Incl. 151)			
127	650691	Washer			
128	650690	Belleville Washer			
130	650694A	Screw, 5/16-18 x 2"			
130A	650727	Screw, 5/16-18 x 1-3/4"			
130B	651055	Screw, 5/16-18 x 5/8"			

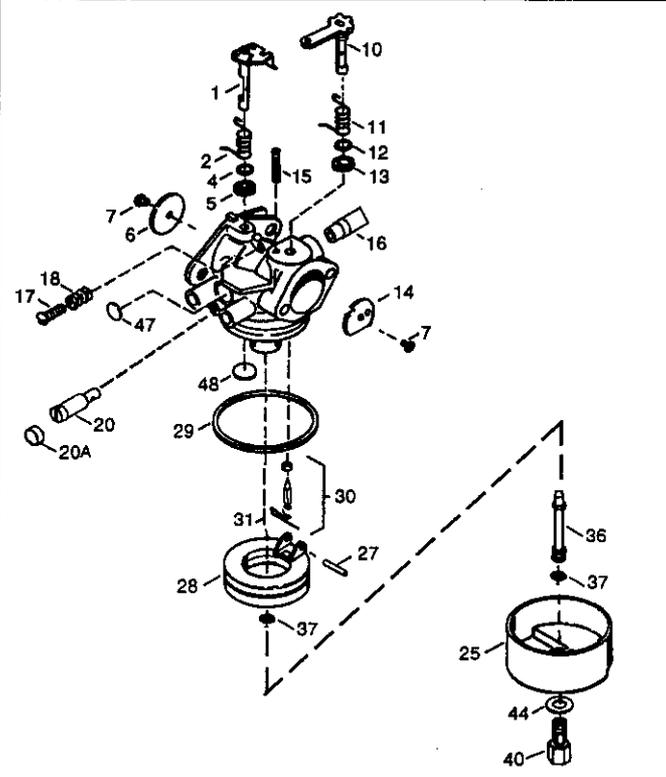
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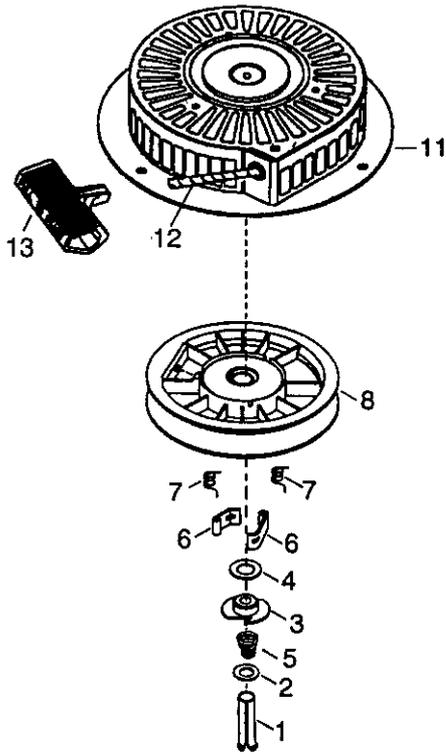
Ref. No.	Part No.	Part Name	Ref. No.	Part No.	Part Name
293	35807	Pulse Pump	380	640153	Carburetor (Incl. 184)
294	35791	Pulse Pump Repair Kit	390	590746	Rewind Starter
298	650665	Screw, 1/4-15 x 3/4"			(NOTE: This engine could have been built with 590704 starter.)
300	34156A	Fuel Tank (Incl. 292 & 301)			Gasket Set (Incl. Items Marked *)
301	36246	Fuel Cap	400	36450B	Replacement Engine 756335, Order From 71-999
303	32958	Fuel Fitting	900		Replacement Short Block, 756316A
305	35554	Oil Fill Tube			Order From 71-999
307	35499	"O" Ring	900		Operator's Manual
308	35540	Fill Tube Clip			
310	36205	Dipstick		181-1202-11	
325	29443	Wire Clip			
327	35392	Starter Plug			*Indicates Parts included in Gasket Set, Ref. No. 400.
340	34154	Fuel Tank Bracket			
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342	650561	Screw, 1/4-20 x 5/8"			RPM High 3450 to 3750
370E	37089	Air Cleaner Decal			RRM Low 1700
370G	35274	Oil Instruction Decal			

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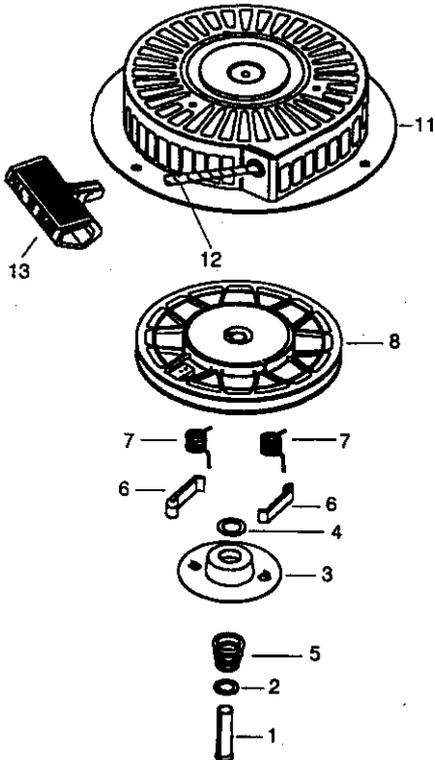
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	640153	Carburetor (Incl. 184 of Engine Parts List)
1	631776A	Throttle Shaft & Lever Assembly
2	631970	Throttle Return Spring
4	631184	Dust Seal Washer
5	631183	Dust Seal (Throttle)
6	640109	Throttle Shutter
7	650506	Shutter Screw
10	632177	Choke Shaft & Lever Assembly
11	632043	Choke Return Spring
12	631184	Dust Seal Washer
13	631183	Dust Seal (Choke)
14	631753	Choke Shutter
15	630735	Choke Positioning Spring
16	631807	Fuel Fitting
17	651025	Throttle Crack Screw/Idle Speed Screw
18	630766	Tension Spring
20	640027	Idle Restrictor Screw
20A	640053	Idle Restrictor Screw Cap
25	631867	Float Bowl
27	631024	Float Shaft
28	632019	Float
29	631028	Float Bowl "O" Ring
30	631021	Inlet Needle, Seat & Clip (Incl. 31)
31	631022	Spring Clip
36	640113	Main Nozzle Tube
37	632547	Main Nozzle Tube "O" Ring
40	640114	High Speed Bowl Nut
44	27110	Bowl Nut Washer
47	630748	Welch Plug, Idle Mixture Well
48	631027	Welch Plug, Atmospheric Vent

REWIND STARTER NO. 590746



Ref. No.	Part No.	Part Name
	590746	Recoil Starter
1	590599A	Spring Pin (Incl. 4)
2	590600	Washer
3	590679	Retainer
4	590601	Washer
5	590678	Brake Spring
6	590680	Starter Dog
7	590412	Dog Spring
8	590681	Pulley & Rewind Spring Ass'y.
11	590747	Starter Housing Ass'y.
12	590535	Starter Rope (98" X 9/64" dia.)
13	590701	Starter Handle

STARTER NO. 590704



Ref. No.	Part No.	Part Name
	590704	Recoil Starter
1	590599A	Spring Pin (Incl. 4)
2	590600	Washer
3	590696	Retainer
4	590601	Washer
5	590697	Brake Spring
6	590698	Starter Dog
7	590699	Dog Spring
8	590700	Pulley & Rewind Spring Ass'y.
11	590705	Starter Housing Ass'y.
12	590535	Starter Rope (98" x 9/64" dia.)
13	590701	Starter Handle

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