OWNER'S MANUAL

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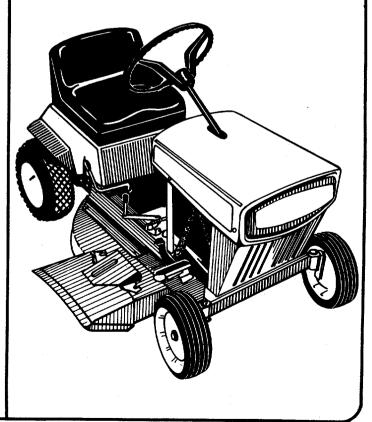
Model Nos. 137-360A 137-360-300

• PARTS LIST 514P 4 cycle B& S Rewind START Single Speed forward & Reverse
WHEELS - TIRES F 10,25" X 3.25" RIB TREAD SEMI PINESMATIC
R 12,50" X 400 PRESENTELL
BRAKE - BAND

Important:

Read Safety Rules and Instructions Carefully

25" RIDING MOWER





It is suggested that this manual be read in its entirety before attempting to assemble or operate. Keep this manual in a safe place for future reference and for ordering replacement parts.

This unit is shipped WITHOUT GASOLINE or OIL. After assembly, see operating section of this manual for proper fuel and amount.

Your rotary mower is a precision piece of power equipment, not a plaything. Therefore exercise extreme caution at all times.

SAFE OPERATION PRACTICES FOR RIDING VEHICLES

- Know the controls and how to stop quickly— READ THE OWNER'S MANUAL.
- Do not allow children to operate vehicle. Do not allow adults to operate it without proper instruction. Only persons well acquainted with these rules of safe operation should be allowed to use your mower.
- 3. Do not carry passengers.
- 4. Keep the area of operation clear of all persons, particularly small children and pets. Stop engine when they are in the vicinity of your mower. Although the area of operation should be completely cleared of foreign objects, a small object may have been overlooked and could be accidently thrown by the mower in any direction.
- Clear work area of objects which might be picked up and thrown by the mower in any direction.
- 6. Disengage all attachment clutches and shift into neutral before attempting to start engine.
- 7. Disengage power to attachment(s) and stop engine before leaving operator position.
- Disengage power to attachment(s) and stop engine before making any repairs or adjustments. Disconnect the spark plug wire and keep the wire away from the plug to prevent accidental starting.
- Before attempting to unclog the mower or discharge chute, stop the engine and be sure the blade(s) have stopped completely. Disconnect the spark plug wire and keep the wire away from the plug to prevent accidental starting.
- 10. Disengage power to attachment(s) when transporting or not in use.
- 11. Take all possible precautions when leaving vehicle unattended such as disengaging power-take-off, lowering attachments, shifting into neutral, setting parking brake, stopping engine and removing key.
- 12. Do not stop or start suddenly when going uphill or downhill. Mow up and down face of steep slopes; never across the face.
- Reduce speed on slopes and in sharp turns to prevent tipping or loss of control. Exercise extreme caution when changing direction on slopes.
- 14. Stay alert for holes in terrain and other hidden hazards.
- 15. Use care when pulling loads or using heavy equipment.
 - A. Use only approved drawbar hitch points.
 - B. Limit loads to those you can safely control.
 - C. Do not turn sharply. Use care when backing.

- D. Use counterweight(s) or wheel weights when suggested in owner's manual.
- Watch out for traffic when crossing or near roadways.
- 17. When using any attachments never direct discharge of material toward bystanders nor allow anyone near vehicle while in operation.
- 18. Handle gasoline with care—it is highly flammable.
 - A. Use approved gasoline container.
 - B. Never remove cap or add gasoline to a running or hot engine or fill fuel tank indoors. Wipe up spilled gasoline.
 - C. Open doors if engine is run in garage exhaust fumes are dangerous. Do not run engine indoors.
- Keep the vehicle and attachments in good operating condition, and keep safety devices in place. Use guards as instructed in owner's manual.
- Keep all nuts, bolts, and screws tight to be sure the equipment is in safe working condition.
- 21. Never store the equipment with gasoline in the tank inside a building where fumes may reach an open flame or spark. Allow engine to cool before storing in any enclosure.
- 22. To reduce fire hazard keep engine free of grass, leaves or excessive grease.
- 23. The vehicle and attachments should be stopped and inspected for damage after striking a foreign object, and the damage should be repaired before restarting and operating the equipment.
- 24. Do not change the engine governor settings or overspeed the engine.
- 25. When using the vehicle with mower, proceed as follows:
 - (1) Mow only in daylight or in good artificial light.
 - (2) Never make a cutting height adjustment while engine is running if operator must dismount to do so.
 - (3) Shut the engine off and wait until the blade comes to a complete stop before removing the grass catcher.
 - (4) Check blade mounting bolts for proper tightness at frequent intervals.
- 26. Check grass catcher bags frequently for wear or deterioration. For safety protection replace only with new bag meeting original equipment specifications.
- 27. Look behind to make sure the area is clear before placing the transmission in reverse and backing up.

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ASSEMBLY

GRASS CATCHER Model No. 197-015A is available as optional equipment for the mowers shown in this manual.



The mower should not be operated without the entire grass catcher or chute deflector in place.



NOTE

Under normal usage bag material is subject to wear, and should be checked periodically. Be sure any replacement bag complies with the mower manufacturer's recommendations.

For replacement bags, use only factory authorized replacement bag No. 764-0121.

The manufacturer DOES NOT recommend the use of any accessory on these riding mowers other than those manufactured by MTD Products Inc.

Your mower is shipped assembled except for the steering wheel assembly and hood. These parts, with the necessary hardware, are easily assembled to the machine, as outlined.



NOTE

Reference to right-hand or left-hand side of machine is from the driver's seat facing forward.

TIRE PRESSURE

FOR SHIPPING PURPOSES, THE TIRES ON YOUR UNIT MAY BE OVER-INFLATED. TIRE PRESSURE SHOULD BE REDUCED BEFORE UNIT IS PUT INTO OPERATION. PRESSURE SHOULD BE APPROXIMATELY 15 P.S.I. EQUAL TIRE PRESSURE SHOULD BE MAINTAINED. MAXIMUM TIRE PRESSURE 30 P.S.I.



Installation of tire to rim:

- 1. Lubricate tire beads and rim flanges.
- 2. Do not exceed 30 P.S.I. when seating beads.
- 3. Adjust to recommended pressure after beads are sealed.

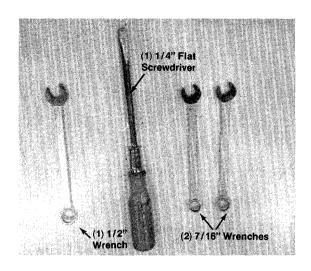


FIGURE 1. TOOLS REQUIRED FOR ASSEMBLY

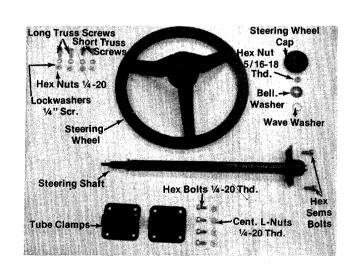


FIGURE 2. PARTS IN CARTON AND HARDWARE PACK



CAUTION

Do not use rear plastic cover to lift unit.

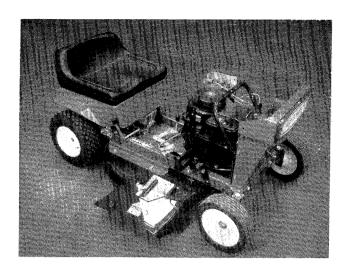


FIGURE 3.

1. Place steering shaft pinion in steering gear and fasten with two hex sems bolts. A ½" wrench is required. See figure 4.

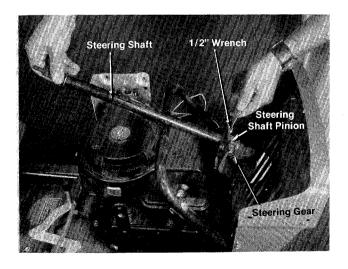


FIGURE 4.

2. Place one tube clamp under steering frame. See figure 5.

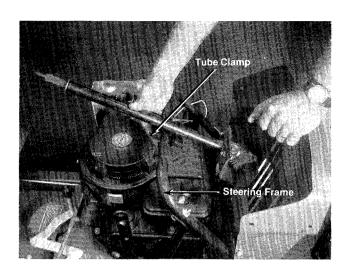


FIGURE 5.

 Place the other tube clamp on top of steering shaft and secure with four hex screws and hex locknuts. Two 7/16" wrenches are required. See figure 6.

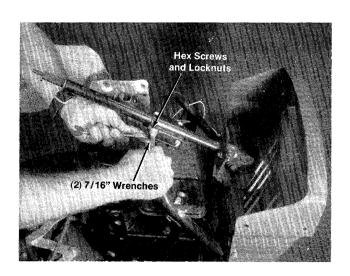


FIGURE 6.

4. Assemble the hood with long truss screws to the rear of hood, and the short truss screws to the front of hood. Fasten with lockwashers and hex nuts to the inside. See figure 7.

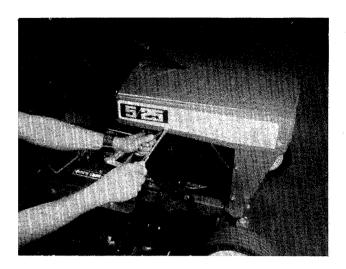


FIGURE 7.

5. Place wave washer, steering wheel, belleville washer over end of steering shaft and secure with hex nut, using a ½" wrench. See figures 8 and 9.



It may be necessary to reach inside the hood and push up on steering shaft to get the steering wheel on.

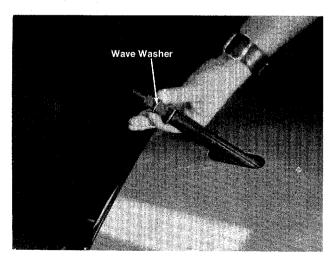


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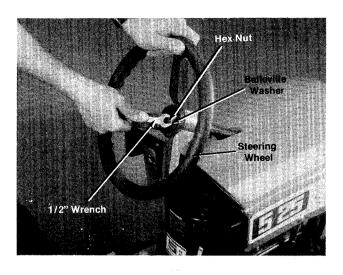


FIGURE 9.

- 6. Place steering wheel cap in position and press by hand.
- 7. Position the trailer hitch on the center of the rear frame section and fasten with bolts A and nuts B. See figure 10.
- 8. Check ALL nuts and bolts for correct tightness.

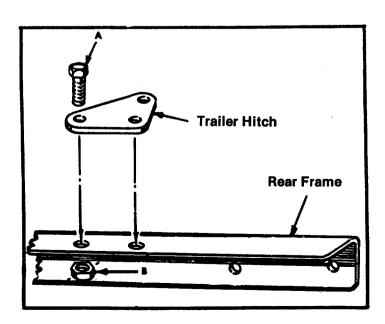


FIGURE 10. TRAILER HITCH

CONTROLS

The controls on your mower may be considered as the Throttle Control, Recoil Starter Handle, Ignition Key, Blade Engagement Lever, Brake Pedal, Clutch Pedal and the Gear Shift Lever.

A. Throttle Control actuates the butterfly in the carburetor and may be set at CHOKE, FAST or SLOW. See figure 11.

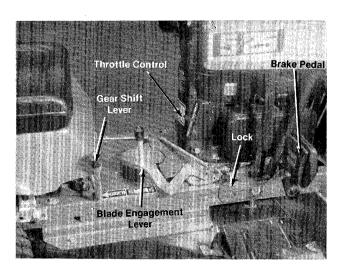


FIGURE 11.

B. The Recoil Starter Handle is located on the left hand side of the hood. To operate the recoil starter handle, twist it until it is in the horizontal position and pull to start the engine. After the engine starts, return the Recoil Starter Handle to the mounting bracket and turn it to the vertical position as shown in figure 12.



The clutch must be disengaged, the blade must be disengaged and the ignition key must be on before the engine will start.

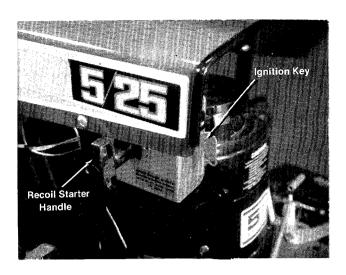


FIGURE 12

- C. The Ignition Key must be turned to the right to the ON position before the Recoil Starter Handle is pulled to start the engine. Turn the Ignition Key to the left to the OFF position to stop the engine. See figures 12 and 13.
- D. The Blade Engagement Lever engages and disengages the blade. Pull the Blade Engagement Lever back to stop the blade. Move the Blade Engagement Lever forward to engage the blade. See figure 11.



Engage the Blade Engagement Lever slowly.

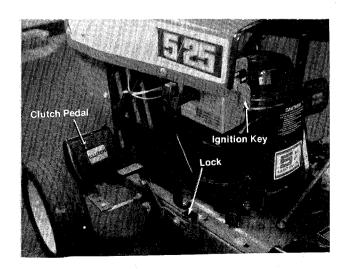


FIGURE 13.

E. The Gear Shift Lever is used to select either forward or reverse. See figure 11.



Do not shift gears while in motion.

- F. The Clutch Pedal is operated with your left foot. The Clutch Pedal, when depressed, disengages the engine from the transmission so you can stop the movement of the rider mower to shift gears. The Clutch Pedal can be locked in the DISENGAGED position by depressing the Clutch Pedal and lifting the clutch lock with your left hand. To release the Clutch Pedal, depress it with your foot. See figure 13.
- G. The Brake Pedal is operated with your right foot and is used to stop the forward or reverse motion of the rider. To engage the brake, depress the Brade Pedal with your right foot. To set the parking brake, depress the brake and lift the lock. To release, depress the brake pedal. See figure 11.



Parking brake **must** be disengaged before unit is put into motion.



Unit is equipped with separate brake and clutch pedals. To efficiently stop, it is necessary to disengage clutch when applying brakes.

H. The height adjustment for the cutting blade is made by removing the front axle bolts and moving the front wheels to one of the four cutting positions. See figure 14.

The height adjustment on the rear wheels is made by removing the bolt on the height adjustment on each side of the rear axle and selecting one of the four positions. See figure 15.

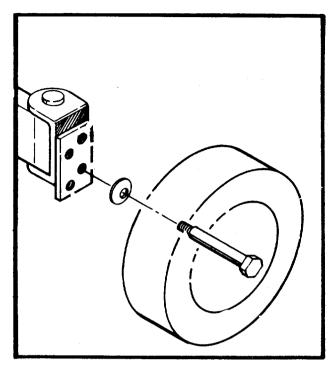


FIGURE 14. FRONT WHEEL ADJUSTMENT

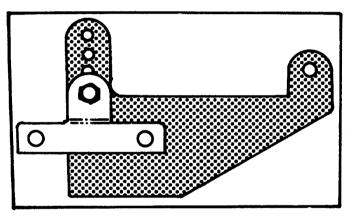


FIGURE 15. REAR WHEEL ADJUSTMENT



- 1. Keep all shields and guards in place.
- 2. Before leaving operator's position:
 - Shift transmission to neutral
 - Set the parking brake
 Disengage the blade engagement lever
 - Shut off the engine
 - Remove the ignition key
- Wait for all movement to stop before servicing machine.
- 4. Keep people and pets a safe distance away from machine.

MAINTENANCE

CRANKCASE OIL



Remove the spark plug lead before performing any maintenance on the machine.

a. Oil Check

Check the oil level in the crankcase before each use of the machine and after every two hours of operation. Keep the oil level to the overflowing point. See figure 16.

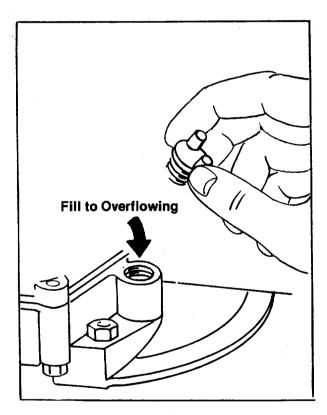


FIGURE 16. OIL FILL

b. Oil Change

After the first two hours of operating a new engine, drain the oil from the crankcase while the engine is still hot and refill the crankcase with new oil; thereafter, change the oil after every 25 hours of operation. This procedure ensures for minimum wear of engine parts and provides for virtually trouble-free operation. To change the oil, proceed as follows:

- Step 1. With the machine on level ground, place a suitable metal container under the oil drain plug located on the front of the engine. See figure 17.
- Step 2. After the oil has been drained completely from the crankcase, replace the drain plug and tighten.
- Step 3. With the machine on level ground, remove the oil filler plug. See figure 16. Fill the crankcase until the oil overflows from the oil fill hole. Fill slowly to avoid air locks. The crankcase holds approximately 13/4 pints of good quality SAE 30 type MS engine oil. Replace the oil filler plug.

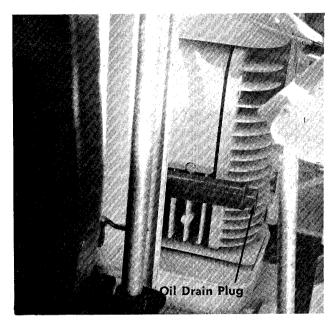


FIGURE 17. OIL DRAIN

- a. Steering Gears. Lubricate with multi-purpose automotive type grease once a season.
- b. Front Wheel Bearings. Remove the front axle bolts and coat the axle with a multi-purpose automotive type grease and reassemble once a season. See figure 18.
- c. King Pins. Lubricate the king pins after every 25 hours of operation with SAE 30 oil. Wipe up excessive oil with a rag. See figure 18.
- d. Rear Axle Bearings. Lubricate the rear axle bearings after every 25 hours of operation with SAE 30 oil. Wipe up excessive oil with a rag. See figure 19.
- e. Chain. Remove the chain once each season, clean in kerosene, dry and lubricate with a rag saturated in SAE 30 oil. See figure 19.
- f. Transmission. The transmission has been lubricated at the factory and does not need to be checked.

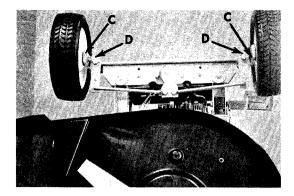


FIGURE 18. LUBRICATION

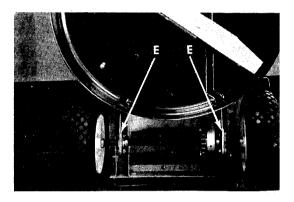


FIGURE 19. LUBRICATION

BRAKE ADJUSTMENT

The brake adjustment is made by tightening the hex nut on the brake band to compensate for wear. Turn the hex nut one half turn and test the brakes. Repeat until the brake is adjusted. See figure 20.

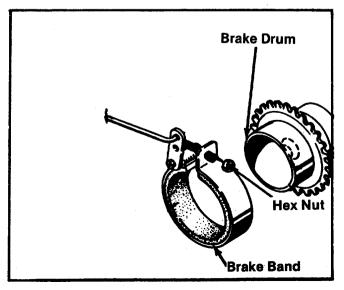


FIGURE 20. BRAKE ASSEMBLY

CHAIN ADJUSTMENT

The chain may require adjustment after a period of use. Chain adjustment may also be necessary when the height adjustment is changed. The chain is adjusted as follows:

- Step 1. Loosen elastic lock nuts on two rear adjustment wheel hanger supports.
- Step 2. Move rear axle assembly forward or backward as needed to make the proper adjustment.
- Step 3. Tighten elastic lock nuts securely. See figure 21.

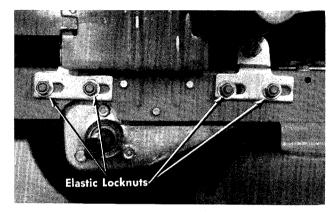


FIGURE 21. CHAIN ADJUSTMENT

BELT REPLACEMENT



If there is gasoline in the gasoline tank, place a piece of thin plastic under the gas cap and tighten the gas cap securely.

TRANSMISSION BELT REPLACEMENT

Step 1. Lift the front end of the rider up so it rests on the rear wheels and seat.



Disconnect the spark plug wire and ground it against the engine block.

Step 2. Remove the blade by removing the hex head cap screw in the center of the blade. Hold the blade with one hand and using a ½" open end, box or adjustable wrench, remove the bolt. See figure 22.



Wrap a rag around the blade to protect your hand.

Step 3. Take off the deck by removing the six hex nuts and lockwashers as shown in figure 23.

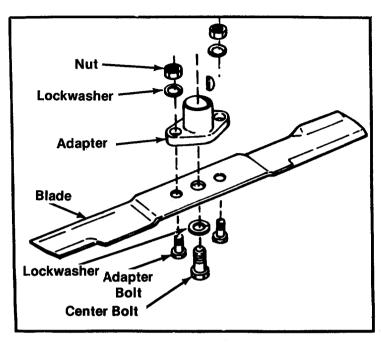


FIGURE 22. BLADE REMOVAL

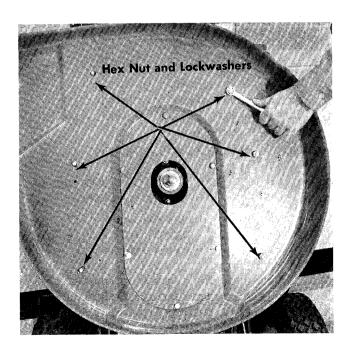


FIGURE 23. REMOVING THE DECK

Step 4. Remove the transmission belt from the engine pulley. It may be necessary to spring the belt guard out of the way. When installing the new belt be sure to put the belt guard back in the original position. See figure 24.

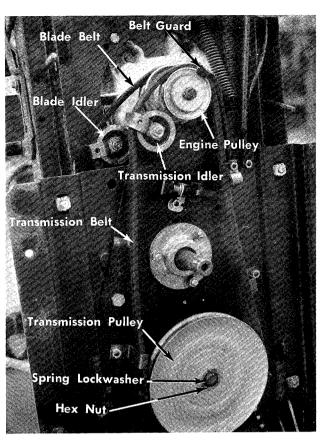


FIGURE 24. BELT SYSTEM

- Step 5. Remove the belt from the transmission idler. See figure 25.
- Step 6. Remove hex nut and spring lockwasher on the transmission pulley and slide the pulley out until the belt can be removed. See figure 24.
- Step 7. Replace belt and reassemble.

BLADE BELT REPLACEMENT

- Step 1. Lift the front end of the rider up so it rests on the rear wheels and seat. Block the mower under the steering wheel to help support the mower.
- Step 2. Remove the blade by removing the hex head cap screw in the center of the blade. Hold the blade with one hand and using a ½" open end, box or adjustable wrench, remove the nut. See figure 22.



Wrap a rag around the blade to protect your hand.

Step 3. Take off the deck by removing the six hex nuts and lockwashers as shown in figure 23.

- Step 4. Remove the transmission belt from the engine pulley. See figure 24.
- Step 5. Place the blade engagement lever in the engaged position (See figure 25.) and loosen the center locknut on the blade idler. See figure 26.

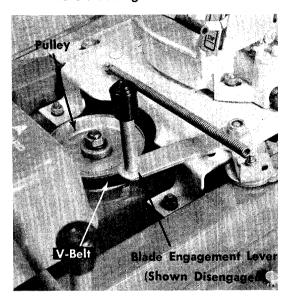


FIGURE 25. BLADE ENGAGEMENT LEVER



It may be necessary to spring the belt guard out of the way. When installing the new belt be sure to put the belt guard back in the original position. See figure 24.

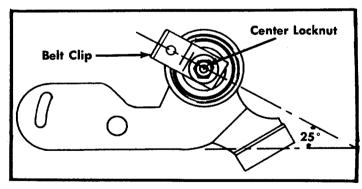


FIGURE 26. BELT IDLER



NOTE

Use a ½" open end wrench. When installing the new belt be sure the belt clip is in the same position as shown in figure 26.

Step 6. With the blade engagement lever in the disengaged position, remove the blade belt from the engine pulley.

- Step 7. Remove the belt guard on the blade spindle pulley. Unhook the belt from the pulley.
- Step 8. Pull the belt through from the bottom side. Move the blade engagement lever between the engaged position and the disengaged position as you remove the belt.

Step 9. Install the new belt and reassemble.

BELT TROUBLE SHOOTING

CREEPING OR BELT WEAR. See figure 24.

The position of the belt clip on the idler bracket assembly is important for proper operation of your mower. Improper position of the belt clip can cause damage to the belt or it can allow the mower to "creep" when the clutch pedal is not depressed. Proper positioning will not allow the belt clip to touch the belt when the belt is tightened. It also "traps" the belt away from the engine pulley when the belt is loose. The drawing at left shows the correct position for the belt clip. Adjustment is made by loosening the hex nut, adjusting belt clip to position shown and retightening hex nut securely.

BELT WEAR—Pulleys

For proper belt wear, all pulleys, including the idler pulley, must be on the same plane. Improper alignment will cause rapid belt wear.

DRIVE PULLEYS. See figure 24.

Alignment may be made by removing the deck. Check alignment with a straight edge. The transmission pulley is held in place with a hex nut and lockwasher. It should not need adjustment. The engine pulley is held in position by a hex head bolt and washers. The idler bracket assembly is held in position by a shoulder bolt. If realignment is needed, it is necessary to bend bracket up or down as alignment requires. Care must be taken not to damage the belt clip.

BLADE PULLEYS

Raise front of mower approximately a foot off the ground and support it with blocks, sight down blade belt from front of mower. Note if blade idler pulley is in line with blade spindle pulley and top section of engine pulley. If alignment is necessary, bend idler bracket assembly up or down as needed. Do not damage or bend belt clip on idler bracket assembly.

BELT WEAR—Belt Guards and Clips. See figure 24.

Belt guards and clips if improperly positioned will cause premature belt wear. All belt guards and clips must completely clear the belt when the belt is tightened. They should also assist in freeing the belt from the engine pulley when the belt is loose. The belt clip on the blade idler bracket assembly may be checked by removing the top belt guard. Observe belt and pulley action while operating the blade disengage lever. The belt clip on the drive idler bracket assembly may be checked by removing the inspection plate under the deck. Observe belt and pulley action while operating the clutch pedal.

CREEPING. See figure 24.

"Creeping" may be caused if the idler bracket assembly does not move all the way back when the clutch pedal is released. This may be caused by insufficient spring pressure, a bent clutch control rod or a binding idler bracket. Check by removing the inspection plate under deck. Observe idler pulley action while operating the clutch pedal. If idler bracket binds, lubricate with an all purpose grease.



To insure safe operation of your unit, ALL nuts and bolts must be checked periodically for correct tightness.

OFF-SEASON STORAGE

If the machine is to be inoperative for a period longer than 30 days, the following precautions are recommended:

Step 1. Working outdoors, run the engine until all the fuel is consumed. Use a clean dry cloth to absorb the small amount of fuel remaining in the tank.



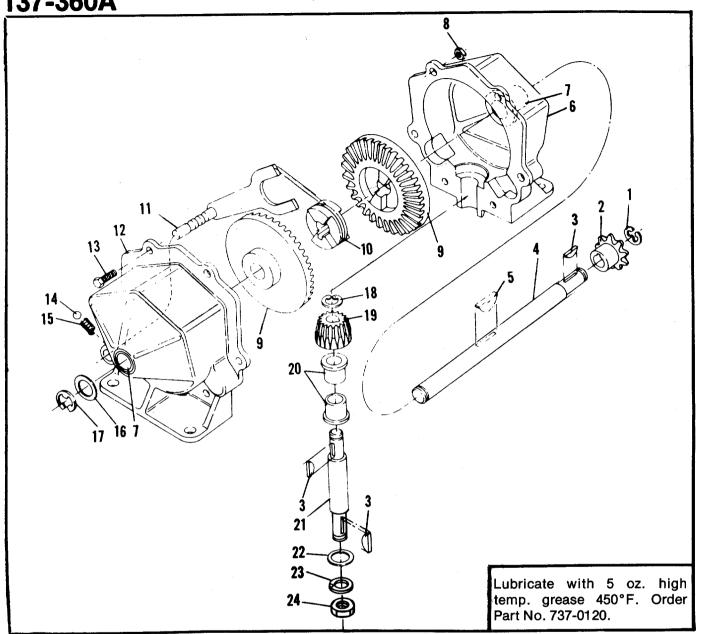
Do not drain fuel while smoking or if near an open fire.

- Step 2. Drain all the oil from the crankcase (this should be done after the engine has been operated and is still warm) and refill the crankcase with clean new oil.
- Step 3. Disconnect the spark plug wire and remove the spark plug from the cylinder. Pour about six drops of engine oil into the cylinder, and then pull the recoil starter several times to spread the oil on the cylinder wall. Replace the spark plug, but DO NOT connect the wire.
- Step 4. Clean the engine and the entire mower thoroughly.
- Step 5. Lubricate all lubrication points indicated in figure 19; then wipe the entire machine with an oiled rag in order to protect the surfaces.

TROUBLE SHOOTING CHART

CAUTION: ALWAYS DISCONNECT SPARK PLUG BEFORE ATTEMPTING ANY REMEDY.

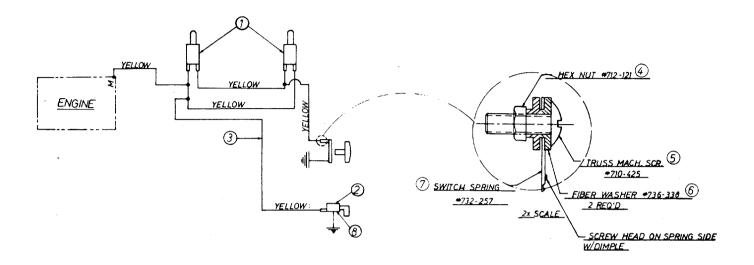
TROUBLE	LOOK FOR	REMEDY
Engine fails to start.	Safety System	If the engine will not start be sure the clutch control is disengaged; blade controls disengaged, the throttle control is set and the key is turned on.
		A. Disconnect the yellow wire from the engine. This comes from the ignition switch.
		B. If the engine fails to start the problem is with the engine, not the safety system.
		C. If the engine starts, the problem is with the safety system. Check the yellow wire for a ground.
		D. Check the operation of the switch behind the recoil starter handle.
		E. If the engine stops when the clutch or blade is engaged, the recoil handle is not pushed into the receptacle and twisted a quarter turn.
	Blocked fuel line or empty gas tank.	Clean fuel line; check fuel supply. Also check fuel shut-off valve.
	Defective spark	Spark plug lead wire disconnected.
	plug.	Faulty spark plug—spark should jump gap between control electrode and side electrode. If spark does not jump, replace spark plug.
		NOTE: Use insulated pliers to hold the spark plug wire.
	Throtile setting.	Throttle control lever not in the starting position.
	Loose connections	Spark plug wire loose.
Hard starting or loss of power.	Dirty air cleaner.	Remove air cleaner and clean as outlined in Engine Manual.
	Carburetor improperly adjusted.	Review paragraph Carburetor Adjustment.
Excessive vibration.	Bent or damaged blade spindle.	Stop engine immediately; tighten all bolts and make all necessary repairs. If vibration continues, have the unit serviced by a competent repairman.
Unit fails to discharge grass.	Discharge chute clogged.	Clean discharge chute and inside of deck.
	Foreign object lodged in deck.	Remove object from deck. See CAUTION following step 1 in paragraph Operation.
Engine overheats.	Obstructions in air passages.	Remove any obstruction from air passages in shroud.
	Grass and dirt in engine shroud.	Clean cooling fins.
	Oil level.	Fill crankcase to proper oil level.
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SINGLE SPEED TRANSMISSION PART NO. 717-0223

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*For faster service, obtain standard nuts, bolts and washers locally. If these items cannot be obtained locally, order by part number and size, as shown on parts list.

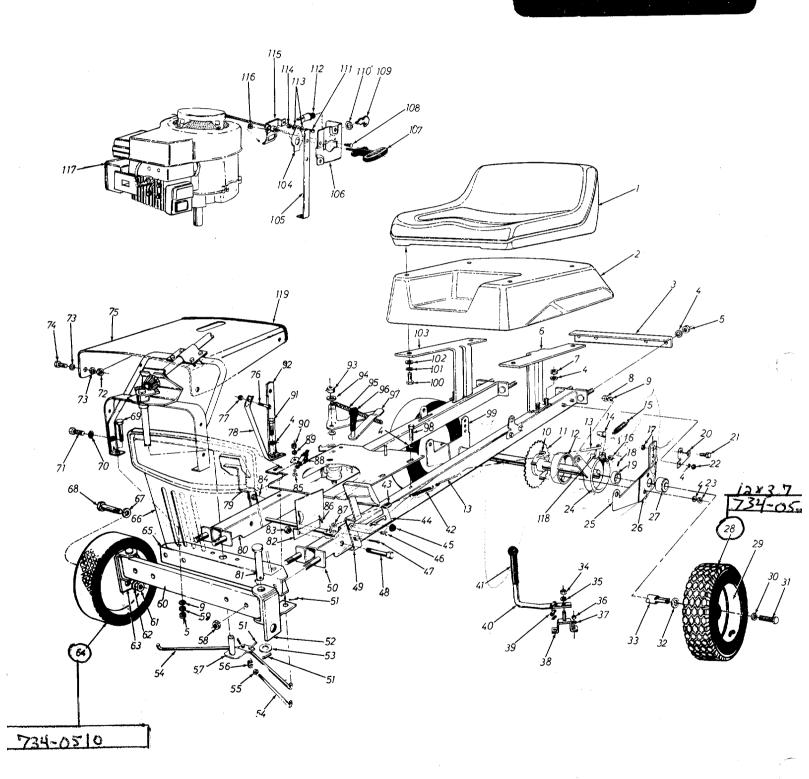


RECOIL WIRING

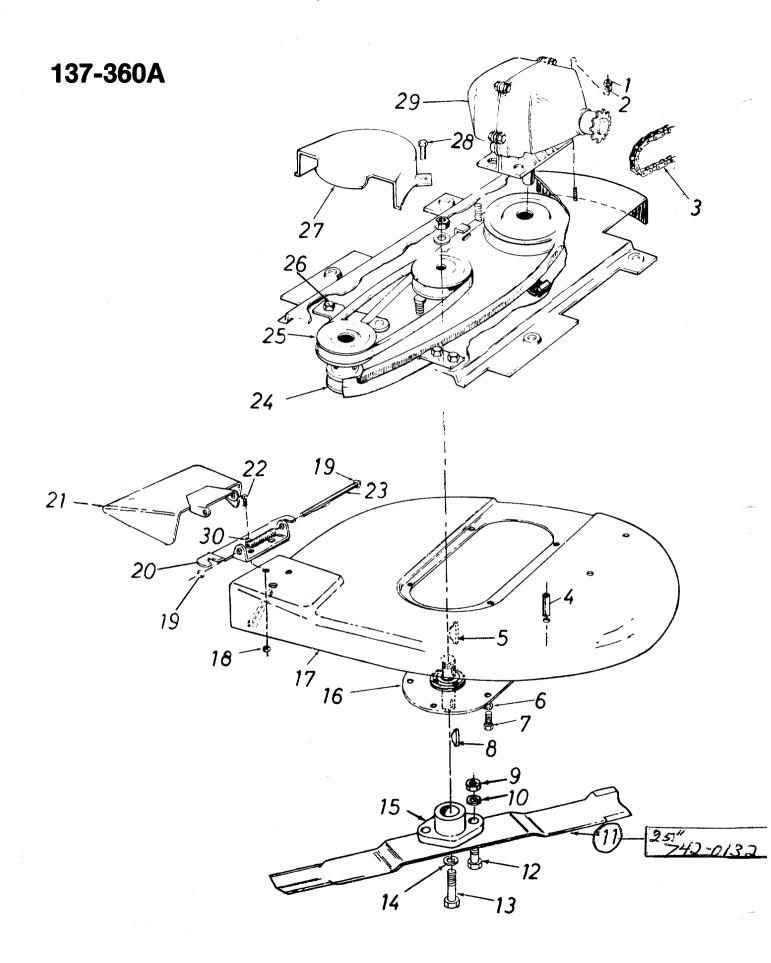
PARTS LIST FOR WIRING

REF.	1	DESCRIPTION	NEW PART
1	725-0269	Safety Switch—Red (2 Req'd.)	
2	725-0464	Magneto Ignition Switch w/Nut	
	725-0201	Ignition Key	
3	725-0273	Wire Harness	
	712-0121	Hex Nut #10-24	
5	710-0425	Truss Mach. Scr. #10-24 x .62	
6	736-0338	Fiber Washer (2 Reg'd.)	
7	732-0257	Switch Spring	
8	736-0225	Internal Lockwasher % 1.D.	

IF YOU WRITE TO US ABOUT THIS ARTICLE OR IF YOU ORDER REPLACEMENT PARTS AL-WAYS MENTION THIS MODEL & SERIAL NO M O D E L



PARTS LIST FOR MODEL 137-360A REF. PART COLOR NEW PART REF. PART COLOR NEW **DESCRIPTION** DESCRIPTION NO. NO. CODE NO. NO. PART CODE 757-0265 Seat 60 07865 -462 Support Bar Ass'y. - Front 2 731-0348 Rear Cover 61 712-0137 L-Nut 7/16-20 Thd. 3 07800 —462 Frame—Rear 62 736-0156 FI-Wash. .635" I.D. x 1.20"O.D. 736-0119 L-Wash. 5/16" Scr. * 4 63 -462∫Wneeı Brkt. Ass'y.—R.H. 09336 -5 712-0267 Hex Nut 5/16-18 Thd.* 64 734-0510 Front Wheel Ass'y. - Comp. 6 12829 -462Seat Support Brkt. Ass'v. - L.H. 65 08487 -462 Front Channel Ass'y. 7 712-0267 Hex Nut 5/16-18 Thd. 08718 -462 Grille 66 8 712-0429 Hex Ins. L-Nut 5/16-18 Thd. 67 736-0116 FI-Wash. .635 I.D. x .93 O.D. 9 736-0264 FI-Wash. .344 I.D. x .62 O.D. 68 738-0186 Shld. Bolt .625" Dia. x 2.75 10 710-0198 Hex Scr. 5/16-18 x .75" Lg.* 69 710-0190 Hex Scr. 5/16-18 x 4.00" La. 11 717-0273 Rear Axle Ass'v. 70 736-0142 FI-Wash. .281 I.D. x .50" O.D 12 09055 **Brake Cup** 71 Hex F-Tapp Scr. 1/4-20 x .50" Lg. * Hex Nut 1/4-20 Thd. * 710-0179 13 747-0110 **Brake Rod** 72 712-0287 14 711-0152 Adjustment Link (Brake Band) L-Wash. 1/4" Scr. 73 736-0329 15 732-0118 Ext. Spring (Brake Return) Hex Scr. 1/4-20 x .62" Lg.* 74 710-0258 16 712-0107 Hex Cent. L-Nut 1/4-20 Thd. **75** Front Hood 12832 - 46217 712-0116 Hex Ins. L-Nut 3/8-24 Thd. Hex Scr. 1/4-20 x 1.50" Lg.* 76 710-0606 18 710-0938 Set Scr. 1/4-28 x .25" Lg. Hex Cent. L-Nut 1/4-20 Thd. 77 712-0107 (Cup Point) 78 Steering Frame Support 08715 19 711-0139 Collar 34" I.D. 79 Brake Pedal Axle Ass'y. 11553 Support Adj. Wheel Hanger Hex Scr. 3/8-24 x 1.00" Lg.* 20 11590 - 46280 -462 Side Channel Ass'y.—R.H. 11582 21 710-0152 Clevis Pin 5/8" Dia. x 3.06" Lg. 81 711-0577 Hex Nut 5/16-18 Thd. 22 712-0267 82 08164 Heat Shield 23 712-0267 Hex Nut 5/16-18 Thd.* 83 712-0130 Hex Ins. L-Nut 3/8-16 Thd. 24 08551 Brake Band Ass'y.—Comp. 84 11564 Brake Lever-R.H. 25 07794 -462Wheel Adjustment Hanger 85 710-0258 Hex Scr. 1/4-20 x .62" Lg.* 26 07792 -462**Bearing Plate** 86 715-0249 Spring Pin Spirol 5/32" Dia. 27 748-0391 Spherical Bearing .753 I.D. x 1.12" La. Rear Wheel Ass'y. - Comp. 28 734-0522 87 11558 Brake Lever Brkt. Ass'y. 12.2 x 3.7 88 725-0269 Safety Switch 29 734-0517 Rear Wheel Rim Ass'y. 89 736-0329 L-Wash. 1/4" Scr.* (Includes Hub) 90 712-0287 Hex Nut 1/4-20 Thd.* 734-0301 Rear Wheel Tire Only 12.2 x 3.7 91 710-0176 Hex Scr. 5/16-18 x 2.75" La.* Belleville Wash. .343 I.D. x 30 736-0242 92 08865 Hood Support Brkt. — Front .875 O.D. 93 712-0130 Hex Ins. L-Nut 3/8-16 Thd. 31 710-0627 Hex Scr. W/Lock 5/16-24 x 94 736-0300 FI-Wash. .385 I.D. x .87 O.D. .75" Lg. 95 732-0158 **Blade Tension Spring** 32 736-0134 FI-Wash. 96 720-0143 Grip (For Blade Lever) 33 Rear Axle Ass'y. 717-0273 97 07898 Blade Tension Brkt. Ass'y. 34 712-0429 Hex Ins. L-Nut 5/16-18 Thd. 98 710-0176 Hex Scr. 5/16-18 x 2.75" Lg. 35 FI-Wash. .385 I.D. x .87 O.D. 736-0300 07792 -462 Bearing Plate 99 36 712-0107 Hex Cent. L-Nut 1/4-20 Thd. 100 710-0258 Hex Scr. 1/4-20 x .62" Lg.* 37 736-0329 L-Wash. 1/4" Scr.1 736-0329 101 L-Wash. 1/4" Scr. * Shift Lever Brkt. Ass'y. 38 07364 102 736-0142 FI-Wash. .281 I.D. x .50 39 713-0723 #41 Master Link O.D. x .063 40 08720 Transmission Shift Lever Seat Support Brkt. Ass'y. -103 12828 -462 41 720-0143 Grip R.H. 42 732-0260 **Brake Tension Spring** 104 732-0257 **Switch Spring** 43 11249 Knob 105 08865 Hood Support Brkt. - Front 44 11563 ---462 Clutch Lever-L.H. 106 11561 Starter Brkt. 45 726-0121 Push Cap 1/4" Dia. - Black 107 11263 Plastic Handle (Starter 46 738-0140 Shld. Scr. .437 Dia. x .180 Rope) 47 714-0507 Cotter Pin 3/32" Dia. x .75" Lg.* 108 710-0351 Truss Mach. Scr. #10 x .50" 48 710-0427 Hex Scr. 3/8-16 x 2.00" Lg. 1 Lg. 49 11556 Clutch Pedal Ass'y. 109 725-0128 Ignition Key 50 11581 -462Side Channel Ass'y.—L.H. 110 736-0225 Internal L-Wash. 5/8" I.D. 51 Cotter Pin 1/8" Dia. x 1.00"Lg. 714-0115 111 710-0425 Truss Mach. Scr. #10-24 x 52 09335 —462 Wheel Brkt. Ass'y. -L.H. 62" Lg. 53 736-0116 FI-Wash. .635 I.D. x .93 O.D. 725-0464 112 Ignition Switch 54 711-0197 Tie Rod 113 736-0338 Fiber Washer 55 712-0711 Hex Jam Nut 3/8-24 Thd. 114 712-0121 Hex Nut #10-24 Thd.* 56 711-0198 Pivot Bushing (Tie Rod End) 115 11053 Switch Brkt. Ass'y. 57 08712 Steering Post Ass'y. 116 712-0147 Speed Nut #10-24 U-Type Hex Nut 5/16-18 Thd. * 58 712-0267 117 Engine 59 FI-Wash. .390 I.D. x 1.75" 07386 118 08109 **Pivot Lever** O.D. 119 731-0130 Ext. U-Channel Vinyl 22.5" Lg.



PARTS LIST FOR MODEL 137-360A

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Ref. No.	Part No.	Color Code	Description	New Part
1	712-026	67	Hex Nut 5/16-18 Thd.*	
2	736-011		Spring L-Washer 5/16" Scr. *	
3	713-035		#41 Chain 1/2" Pitch x 67 Links	
4	07956		Spacer (Between Deck and Frame)	
5	714-036	65	#6 Hi-Pro-Key 5/32 x 5/8" Dia.	
6	736-060	07	External L-Washer 5/16" Scr.*	
7	710-010	07	Hex Scr. 5/16-24 x .50" Lg.*	
8	714-036		#6 Hi-Pro-Key 5/32 x 5/8" Dia.	
9	712-012	23	Hex Nut 5/16-24 Thd.*	
10	736-01		Spring L-Washer 5/16" Scr.*	
11	742-013	32	Blade	
12	710-01	17	Hex Scr. 5/16-24 x 1.00" Lg.—H.T.	
13	710-04	59	Hex Scr. 3/8-24 x 1.50" Lg.— H.T.	
14	736-02 ⁻	17	Spring Lockwasher 3/8" Scr.—H.D.	
15	10769		Blade Adapter Kit	
16	09387		Inspection Plate	
	11595	452	Deck Ass'y.—Comp.	
			Hex Center L-Nut 1/4-20 Thd.	
19	712-010 726-010	06	Push Nut 1/4" Rod	
20	11399	-462	Adapter Plate Ass'y.	
21	11633		Chute Deflector Ass'y.— Comp.	
22	710-023	30	Hex Scr. 1/4-28 x .50" Lg.*	
23	711-05		Pivot Pin	
24	754-093		"V"-Belt ½" x 47" Lg.	
	756-018		Two-Step Engine Pulley	
26	712-013		Hex Inserted L-Nut 3/8-16 Thd.	
27	07397	462	Belt Cover	
28	710-01:		Hex F-Tapp. Scr. #10-32 x .50" Lg.*	
29	717-02	23	Transmission Ass'y.—Comp.	
30	732-020		Torsion Spring	

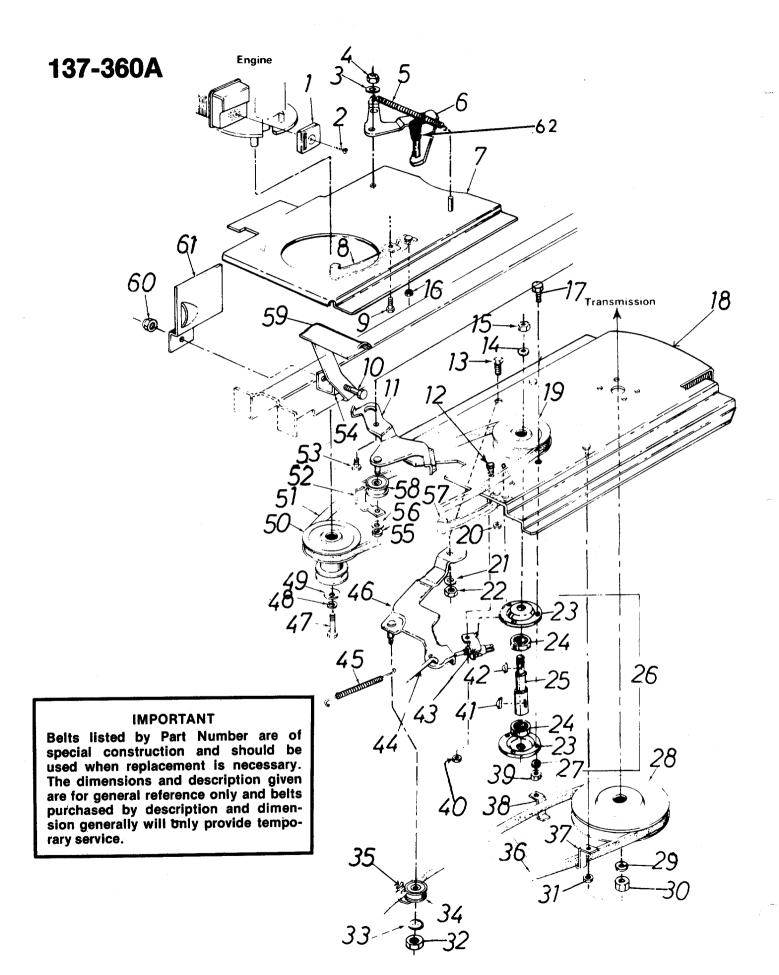
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(462-Red Flake)

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PARTS LIST FOR MODEL 137-360A

	Ref. No.	Part No.	Color Code	Description	New Part	Ref. No.	Part No.	Color Code	Description	New Part
	1	09296		Exhaust Deflector		32	712-0116	6	Hex Ins. Locknut 3/8-24 Thd.	
	2	69338		Screw		33	736-0160		Flat Washer	
	3	736-030		FI. Wash385 I.D. x .87 O.D.		34	756-0370)	Idler Bearing Ass'y.	
	4	712-013		Hex Ins. Locknut 3/8-16 Thd.		35	07353		Belt Clip	
	- 5	732-015	8	Blade Tension Spring		36	754-0936	} .	"V"-Belt 1/2" x 47" Lg.	
	6	07898		Blade Tension Brkt. Ass'y.		37	07437		Belt Clip	
	7	11584		Engine Mtg. Plate Ass'y.		38	07437		Belt Clip	
}	8	07401-1		Belt Guard		39	712-0267	,	Hex Nut 5/16-18 Thd.*	
	9	710-025	8	Hex Hd. Cap Scr. 1/4-20 x		40	712-0287		Hex Nut 1/4-20 Thd.*	
				.62" Lg.*		41	714-0365	j	#6 Hi-Pro Key 5/32 x 5/8"	
	10	710-042	27	Hex Hd. Cap Scr. 3/8-16 x					Dia.	
				2.00" Lg.*		42	714-0365	,	#6 Hi-Pro Key 5/32 x 5/8"	
i	11	11588		Blade Idler Brkt. Ass'y.					Dia.	
	12	710-025	8	Hex Hd. Cap Scr. 1/4-20 x		43	725-0269)	Safety Switch	
				.62" Lg.*		44	11562		Transmission Link	
- 1	13	738-014		Shld. Scr437" Dia. x .180		45	732-0121		Idler Extension Spring	
Ì	14	736-092		Spring Lockwasher 1/2" Scr. *		46	11551		Transmission Idler Brkt.	
		712-020		Hex Ins. Locknut 1/2-20 Thd.					Ass'y.	
		712-028		Hex Nut 1/4-20 Thd.*		47	710-0152	2	Hex Hd. Cap Scr. 3/8-24 x	
	17	710-032	.2	Hex Sems Scr. 5/16-18 x					1.00" Lg.*	
		44500		1.00" Lg.*		48	736-0217	,	Spring Lockwasher 3/8"	
	18	11586		Blade Mtg. Plate Ass'y.					Scr. H.D.	
	19	09925		Pulley 4" Dia. (For Blade		49	736-0219)	Belleville Washer .400 I.D. x	
		740 000		Spindle)					1.120 O.D.	
	20	712-028		Hex Nut 1/4-20 Thd.*		50	756-0181		Two Step Engine Pulley	
	21	736-030	U	Fl. Wash406 I.D. x .734		51	754-0107		"V"-Belt 1/2" x 30" Lg.	
-	00	740 045	^	O.D.		52	07353		Belt Clip	
	22	712-015	8	Hex Center Locknut 5/16-18		53	738-0143	•	Shld. Scr498 Dia. x .340	
	22	00050		Thd.		54	07787		Spacer Bracket	
ŀ		08253	^	Bearing Housing		55	712-0216	i	Hex Inserted Locknut 3/8-24	
		741-091		Ball Bearing			700 0400		Thd.	
		738-018		Blade Spindle		56	736-0160		Flat Washer	
		741-016 736-011		Blade Spindle Ass'y. —Comp.		57	07400-1		Belt Guard	
	21	730-011	9	Spring Lockwasher 5/16" Scr.*		58	756-0370	'	Idler Bearing Ass'y.	
	28	756-017	E				11556		Clutch Pedal Ass'y.	
	20	100-017	ວ	Pulley 7" Dia. x ½" I.D.		60	712-0130	'	Hex Inserted Locknut	
	29	736-092	4	(Transmission)		61	00104		3/8-16 Thd.	
		712-020		Spring Lockwasher ½" Scr.* Hex Jam Nut ½-20 Thd.*		61	08164		Heat Shield	
		712-020		Hex Nut 5/16-24 Thd.*		62	07343		Cap (For Blade Lever)	
L	J1	114-012	J	116X NUL 5/10-24 THU.						

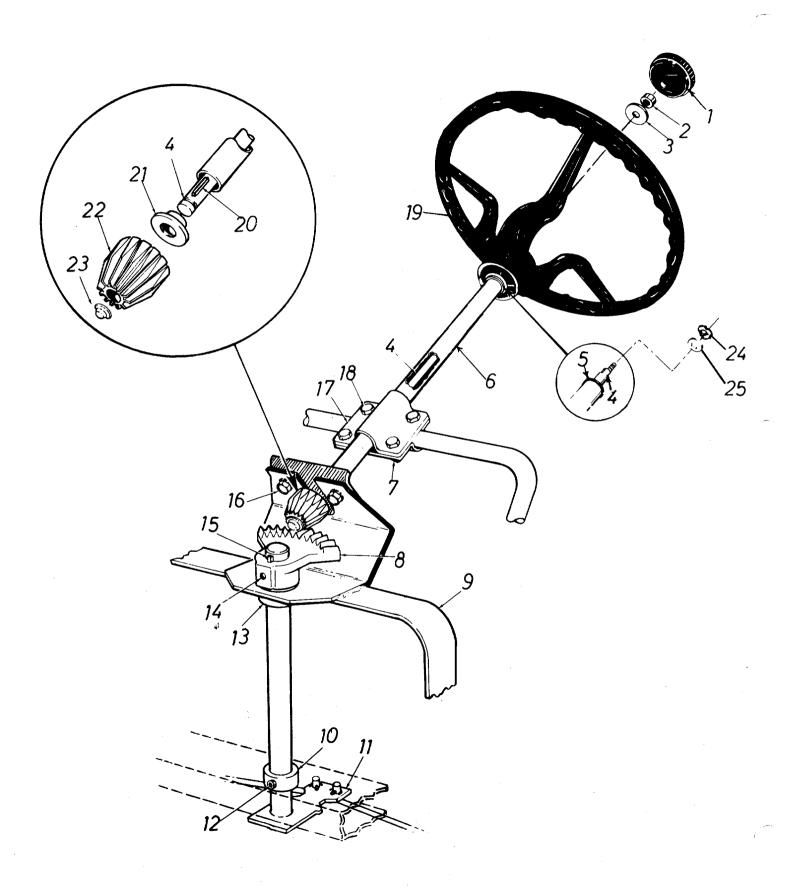
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(463-Top Flite Red)

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PARTS LIST FOR MODEL 137-360A

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1	731-0220)	Steering Wheel Cap	
2	712-0158	3	Hex Center Locknut 5/16-18 Thd.*	
3	736-0242	2	Belleville Washer .343 I.D. x .875 O.D.	:
4	738-0198	3	Steering Column Rod	
5.	748-0184	4	Flange Bearing—.628 I.D. x 1.120 O.D.	
6	11774		Steering Tube Ass'y.	
7	712-0107	7	Hex Center Locknut 1/4-20 Thd.	
8	748-0137	7	Gear Segment	
9	08704		Steering Frame Ass'y.	
10	711-0139	9	Collar ¾" I.D.	
	08712	_	Steering Post Ass'y.	
12	710-0938		Set Scr. 1/4-28 x .25" Lg.— Cup Point	
13	748-0138 710-0938		Flange Bearing	
14			Set Scr. 1/4-28 x .25" Lg. (Cup Point)	
15	714-0388	3	#61 Hi-Pro-Key 3/16 x 5/8" Dia.	
16	710-0198	3	Hex Sems Scr. 5/16-18 x .75" Lg.*	
17	08714		Tube Clamp	
18	710-0258	3	Hex Hd. Cap Scr. 1/4-20 x .62" Lg.*	
19	731-0219	9	Steering Wheel	
20	714-0129		#4 Hi-Pro-Key 3/32 x 5/8" Dia.—Hardened	
21	748-0108	3	Flange Bearing ½" Bore Bronze	
22	748-0866	6	Pinion Gear	
23	726-0221		Push Cap500 Dia. Shaft.	
24	736-0174	4	Wave Washer—.660 I.D. x .88 O.D. x .010	
25	736-0156	3	Flat Washer	

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WHEEL CHART

Front Wheel	Rear Wh	eel

Part No.	Description	Part No.	Description
734-0510 748-0146	Wheel Ass'y. Comp. 10.25 x 3.25 Flange Bearing w/Flats .630" I.D.	734-0522 734-0517 734-0301 734-0255 734-0336	Wheel Ass'y. Comp. 12.2 x 3.7 Rim Ass'y. w/Hub Tire Only Tubeless 12.2 x 3.7 Air Valve Inner Tube (Service Only)

PARTS INFORMATION

POWER EQUIPMENT PARTS AND SERVICE

Parts and service for all MTD manufactured power equipment are available through the authorized service firms listed below. All orders should specify the model number of your unit, parts numbers, description of parts and the quantity of each part required.

ALABAMA BIRMINGHAM Auto Electric & Carburetor Co2625 4th Ave. S 35233
ARKANSAS NORTH LITTLE ROCK
Sutton's Lawn Mower Shop Rt. 4, Box 368 72117 FORT SMITH
Mity Mite Motors, Inc 2515 Towson Ave 72901
CALIFORNIA SAN BERNARDINO
Lawn Mower Supply Co 25608 E. Baseline 92410 SAN FRANCISCO
J.W. Jewett Co 981 Folsom St 94107
SACRAMENTO
Luttig & Severson
COLORADO DENVER
South Denver Lawn Equip 527 West Evans 80223
CONNECTICUT SUFFIELD The Jones & Ramsey Co 850 Thompsonville Rd. 06078
FLORIDA JACKSONVILLE
Radco Distributors 2403 Market St 32206
CORAL GABLES
Moz-All of Florida, Inc 365 Greco Ave 33146
GEORGIA EAST POINT
East Point Cycle & Key 2834 Church St 30344
ILLINOIS LYONS Keen Edge Co
INDIANA ELKHART
Parts & Sales Inc
IOWA DUBUQUE
1047
Power Lawn & Garden Equip 2551 J.F. Kennedy 52001
Power Lawn & Garden Equip 2551 J.F. Kennedy 52001 KANSAS WICHITA
KANSAS WICHITA Hixon, Inc

BRIGGS & STRATTON, TECUMSEH AND PEERLESS PARTS AND SERVICE

Briggs & Stratton, Tecumseh and Peerless parts and service should be handled by your nearest authorized
engine service firm. Check the yellow pages of your
telephone directory under the listing Engines
Gasoline, Briggs & Stratton or Tecumseh Lauson
NORTH CAROLINA GREENSBORO
Dixie Sales Company
Smith Hardware Co
National Central
Bleckrie, Inc
Stebe's Mid-State Mower Supply Box 366
Sunshine Wholesale Tire Outlet Route 224
McClure Lawn & Garden Supply1114 Lexington Ave 44903 OKLAHOMA MUSKOGEE
Victory Motors, Inc
ADA Ada Auto Supply
OREGON PORTLAND
Kenton Supply Co
Raub Supply Co James & Mulberry Sts17604 PITTSBURGH
Bluemont Co
TENNESSEE KNOXVILLE
Master Repair Service 2423 Broadway, N.E37917 MEMPHIS
Memphis Cycle & Supply Co 421 Monroe Ave 38103 American Sales & Service, Inc 1922 Lynnbrook 38116
TEXAS DALLAS
Marr Brothers, Inc
Bullard Supply Co 2409 Commerce St 77003 SAN ANTONIO
Catto & Putty, Inc
Woodson Sales Corp
A-1 Engine & Mower Co 437 E. 9th St84111
VERMONT BURLINGTON Vermont Appliance Co 44 Lakeside Ave05401
VIRGINIA RICHMOND RBI Corp
WASHINGTON SEATTLE
Bailey's Rebuild, Inc
Young's, Inc
Automotive Supply Co 123 S. Linwood Ave54911

WARRANTY PARTS AND SERVICE POLICY

The purpose of warranty is to protect the customer from defects in workmanship and materials, defects which are NOT detected at the time of manufacture, it does not provide for the unlimited and unrestricted replacement of parts. Use and maintenance are the responsibility of the customer. The manufacturer cannot assume responsibility for conditions over which it has no control. Simply put, if it's the manufacturer's fault, it's the manufacturer's responsibility; if it's the customer's fault, it's the customer's responsibility.

CLAIMS AGAINST THE MANUFACTURER'S WARRANTY INCLUDES

- 1. Replacement of Missing Parts on new equipment.
- 2. Replacement of Defective Parts within the warranty period.
- 3. Repair of Defects within the warranty period.

All claims MUST be substantiated with the following information:

- 1. Model Number of unit involved.
- 2. Date unit was purchased or first put into service.
- 3. Date of failure.
- 4. Nature of failure.