

Installation and Owner's Manual

Air-cooled, Prepackaged Automatic Standby Generators

Models: 04389-2 (6 kW NG, 7 kW LP) 04456-2 (12 kW NG, 12 kW LP)

04390-2 (13 kW NG, 15 kW LP)



*This manual should remain with the unit.



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INTRODUCTION

Thank you for purchasing this model of the Guardian product line by Generac Power Systems, Inc.. This model is a compact, high performance, air-cooled, engine-driven generator designed to automatically supply electrical power to operate critical loads during a utility power failure.

This unit is factory installed in an all-weather, metal enclosure that is intended exclusively for outdoor installation. This generator will operate using either vapor withdrawn liquid propane (LP) or natural gas (NG).

♦ READ THIS MANUAL THOROUGHLY

If any portion of this manual is not understood, the nearest Guardian Authorized Dealer for starting, operating and servicing procedures.

NOTE:

A service call may involve a fee if adjustments are required following self-installation.

Throughout this publication, and on tags and decals affixed to the generator, DANGER, WARNING, CAUTION and NOTE blocks are used to alert personnel to special instructions about a particular operation that may be hazardous if performed incorrectly or carelessly. Observe them carefully. Their definitions are as follows:



After this heading, read instructions that, if not strictly complied with, will result in serious personal injury, including death, in addition to property damage.



After this heading, read instructions that, if not strictly complied with, may result in serious personal injury or property damage.



After this heading, read instructions that, if not strictly complied with, could result in damage to equipment and/or property.

NOTE:

After this heading, read explanatory statements that require special emphasis.

These safety warnings cannot eliminate the hazards that they indicate. Common sense and strict compliance with the special instructions while performing the service are essential to preventing accidents.

Four commonly used safety symbols accompany the DANGER, WARNING and CAUTION blocks. The type of information each indicates follows:



This symbol points out important safety information that, if not followed, could endanger personal safety and/or property of others.

This symbol points out potential explosion hazard.

This symbol points out potential fire hazard.

This symbol points out potential electrical shock hazard.

The operator is responsible for proper and safe use of the equipment. Generac strongly recommends that the operator read this Owner's Manual and thoroughly understand all instructions before using this equipment. Generac also strongly recommends instructing other users to properly start and operate the unit. This prepares them if they need to operate the equipment in an emergency.

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This manual contains pertinent owner's information, including warranty, electrical diagrams, exploded views and lists of repair parts, for three different Guardian models:

- 04389-2 6 kW NG, 7 kW LP, single-cylinder GH-410 Engine
- 04456-2 12 kW NG, 12 kW LP, V-twin GT-990 Engine
- 04390-2 13 kW NG, 15 kW LP, V-twin GT-990 Engine

OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE

It is the operator's responsibility to perform all safety checks, to make sure that all maintenance for safe operation is performed promptly, and to have the equipment checked periodically by a Guardian Authorized Dealer. Normal maintenance service and replacement of parts are the responsibility of the owner/operator and, as such, are not considered defects in materials or workmanship within the terms of the warranty. Individual operating habits and usage contribute to the need for maintenance service.

Proper maintenance and care of the generator ensures a minimum number of problems and keep operating expenses at a minimum. See a Guardian Authorized Dealer for service aids and accessories.

HOW TO OBTAIN SERVICE

When the generator requires servicing or repairs, contact a Guardian Authorized Dealer for assistance. Service technicians are factory-trained and are capable of handling all service needs.

When contacting a Guardian Authorized Dealer about parts and service, always supply the complete model number and serial number of the unit as given on its data decal, which is located on the generator. See Figure 1.1 or Figure 1.2 in Section 1.6 for decal location.

Model No. _____ Serial No. _____

AUTHORIZED DEALER LOCATION

To locate the nearest GUARDIAN AUTHORIZED DEALER, please call this number:

1-800-333-1322

DEALER LOCATION INFORMATION CAN BE OBTAINED AT THIS NUMBER.

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Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS – The manufacturer suggests that these rules for safe operation be copied and posted near the unit's installation site. Safety should be stressed to all operators and potential operators of this equipment.



Generac cannot possibly anticipate any or all circumstances that might involve a hazard. The warnings in this manual, and on tags and decals affixed to the unit are, therefore, not all-inclusive. If using a procedure, work method or operating technique Generac does not specifically recommend, ensure that it is safe for others. Also make sure the procedure, work method or operating technique chosen does not render the generator unsafe.





Despite the safe design of this generator, operating this equipment imprudently, neglecting its maintenance or being careless can cause possible injury or death. Permit only responsible and capable persons to operate or maintain this equipment.

Potentially lethal voltages are generated by these machines. Ensure all steps are taken to render the machine safe before attempting to work on the generator.



Parts of the generator are rotating and/or hot during operation. Exercise care near running generators.



- For safety reasons, Generac recommends that the installation, initial start-up and maintenance of this equipment is carried out by an Authorized Guardian Dealer.
- The engine exhaust fumes contain carbon monoxide, which can be DEADLY. This dangerous gas, if breathed in sufficient concentrations, can cause unconsciousness or even death. This exhaust system must be installed properly, in strict compliance with applicable codes and standards. Following installation, do nothing that might render the system unsafe or in noncompliance with such codes and standards.
- Keep hands, feet, clothing, etc., away from drive belts, fans, and other moving or hot parts. Never remove any drive belt or fan guard while the unit is operating.
- Adequate, unobstructed flow of cooling and ventilating air is critical to correct generator operation. Do not alter the installation or permit even partial blockage of ventilation provisions, as this can seriously affect safe operation of the generator. The generator MUST be installed outdoors.
- When working on this equipment, remain alert at all times. Never work on the equipment when physically or mentally fatigued.
- Inspect the generator regularly, and contact the nearest Guardian Authorized Dealer for parts needing repair or replacement.
- Before performing any maintenance on the generator, disconnect its battery cables to prevent accidental start up. Disconnect the cable from the battery post indicated by a NEGATIVE, NEG or (-) first. Reconnect that cable last.
- Never use the generator or any of its parts as a step. Stepping on the unit can stress and break parts, and may result in dangerous operating conditions from leaking exhaust gases, fuel leakage, oil leakage, etc.



🖄 ELECTRICAL HAZARDS 🆄

- All generators covered by this manual produce dangerous electrical voltages and can cause fatal electrical shock. Utility power delivers extremely high and dangerous voltages to the transfer switch as does the standby generator when it is in operation. Avoid contact with bare wires, terminals, connections, etc., while the unit is running. Ensure all appropriate covers, guards and barriers are in place before operating the generator. If work must be done around an operating unit, stand on an insulated, dry surface to reduce shock hazard.
- Do not handle any kind of electrical device while standing in water, while barefoot, or while hands or feet are wet. DANGEROUS ELECTRICAL SHOCK MAY RESULT.
- The National Electrical Code (NEC) requires the frame and external electrically conductive parts of the generator to be connected to an approved earth ground. Local electrical codes also may require proper grounding of the generator electrical system.
- After installing this home standby electrical system, the generator may crank and start at any time without warning. When this occurs, load circuits are transferred to the STANDBY (GENERATOR) power source. To prevent possible injury if such a start and transfer occur, always set the generator's AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch to its OFF position before working on equipment and remove the 5A and 15A fuses from the generator control panel.
- In case of accident caused by electric shock, immediately shut down the source of electrical power. If this is not possible, attempt to free the victim from the live conductor. AVOID DIRECT CONTACT WITH THE VICTIM. Use a nonconducting implement, such as a dry rope or board, to free the victim from the live conductor. If the victim is unconscious, apply first aid and get immediate medical help.
- Never wear jewelry when working on this equipment. Jewelry can conduct electricity resulting in electric shock, or may get caught in moving components causing injury.

🕭 FIRE HAZARDS 🕭

• For fire safety, the generator must be installed and maintained properly. Installation always must comply with applicable codes, standards, laws and regulations. Adhere strictly to local, state and national electrical and building codes. Comply with regulations the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) has established. Also, ensure that the generator is installed in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions and recommendations. Following proper installation, do nothing that might alter a safe installation and render the unit in noncompliance with the aforementioned codes, standards, laws and regulations. • Keep a fire extinguisher near the generator at all times. Extinguishers rated "ABC" by the National Fire Protection Association are appropriate for use on the standby electric system. Keep the extinguisher properly charged and be familiar with its use. Consult the local fire department with any questions pertaining to fire extinguishers.

A EXPLOSION HAZARDS

- Do not smoke around the generator. Wipe up any fuel or oil spills immediately. Ensure that no combustible materials are left in the generator compartment, or on or near the generator, as FIRE or EXPLOSION may result. Keep the area surrounding the generator clean and free from debris.
- Gaseous fluids such as natural gas and liquid propane (LP) gas are extremely EXPLOSIVE. Install the fuel supply system according to applicable fuel-gas codes. Before placing the home standby electric system into service, fuel system lines must be properly purged and leak tested according to applicable code. After installation, inspect the fuel system periodically for leaks. No leakage is permitted.

♦ STANDARDS INDEX

In the absence of pertinent standards, codes, regulations and laws, the published information listed below may be used as installation guide for this equipment.

- 1. NFPA No. 37, STATIONARY COMBUSTION ENGINES AND GAS TURBINES, available from the National Fire Protection Association, 470 Atlantic Avenue, Boston, MA 02210.
- 2. NFPA No. 76A, ESSENTIAL ELECTRICAL SYS-TEMS FOR HEALTH CARE FACILITIES, available same as Item 1.
- 3. NFPA No. 54, NATIONAL FUEL GAS CODE, available same as Item 1.
- 4. NFPA No. 58, AMERICAN NATIONAL STANDARD FOR STORAGE AND HANDLING OF LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS, available same as Item 1.
- 5. NFPA No. 70, NFPA HANDBOOK OF NATIONAL ELECTRIC CODE, available same as Item 1.
- 6. Article X, NATIONAL BUILDING CODE, available from the American Insurance Association, 85 John Street, New York, N.Y. 10038.
- 7. AGRICULTURAL WIRING HANDBOOK, available from the Food and Energy Council, 909 University Avenue, Columbia, MO 65201.
- 8. ASAE EP-3634, INSTALLATION AND MAINTE-NANCE OF FARM STANDBY ELECTRICAL SYS-TEMS, available from the American Society of Agricultural Engineers, 2950 Niles Road, St. Joseph, MI 49085.
- 9. NFPA No. 30, FLAMMABLE AND COMBUSTIBLE LIQUIDS CODE, available same as Item 1.





Only qualified electricians or contractors should attempt such installations, which must comply strictly with applicable codes, standards and regulations.

1.1 UNPACKING/INSPECTION

After unpacking, carefully inspect the contents for damage.

- This standby generator set has been factory supplied with a weather protective enclosure that is intended for **outdoor installation only**.
- This standby generator set is packaged with an automatic transfer switch with built in load center. The combination transfer switch and load center is pre-wired with a two foot and 30 foot conduit. Circuit breakers for emergency circuit connections are included.
- This UL listed, 2-pole switch is rated at 100 AC amperes at 250 volts maximum. This transfer switch is for indoor use only.



If this generator is used to power electrical load circuits normally powered by a utility power source, it is required by code to install a transfer switch. The transfer switch must effectively isolate the electrical system from the utility distribution system when the generator is operating (NEC 700, 701 & 702). Failure to isolate an electrical system by such means will result in damage to the generator and also may result in injury or death to utility power workers due to backfeed of electrical energy.

If any loss or damage is noted at time of delivery, have the person(s) making the delivery note all damage on the freight bill or affix their signature under the consignor's memo of loss or damage.

If a loss or damage is noted after delivery, separate the damaged materials and contact the carrier for claim procedures.

"Concealed damage" is understood to mean damage to the contents of a package that is not in evidence at the time of delivery, but is discovered later.

1.2 PROTECTION SYSTEMS

Unlike an automobile engine, the generator may have to run for long periods of time with no operator present to monitor engine conditions. For that reason, the engine is equipped with the following systems that protect it against potentially damaging conditions:

1. Low Oil Pressure Sensor 3. Overcram
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There are LED readouts on the control panel to notify personnel that one of these faults has occurred. There is also a "System Set" LED that is lit when all of the conditions describe in Section 1.3 are true.

1.3 NEC REQUIREMENT FOR ARC FAULT CIRCUIT INTERRUPTION BREAKER FOR BEDROOMS

In 2001, the National Electric Code (NEC) introduced a requirement for new construction. This new requirement indicates the need for Arc Fault Circuit Interrupters to be used to protect the complete branch circuit that feeds a dwelling bedroom. The actual NEC requirement is indicated below.

♦ 1.3.1 SECTION 210.12 ARC FAULT CIRCUIT INTERRUPTER PROTECTION

- 1. Definition: An arc fault circuit interrupter is a device intended to provide protection from the effects of arc faults by recognizing characteristics unique to arcing and by functioning to de-energize the circuit when an arc fault is detected.
- 2. Dwelling Unit Bedrooms: All branch circuits that supply 125 volt, single-phase, 15 and 20 ampere outlets installed in dwelling unit bedrooms shall be protected by an arc fault circuit interrupter listed to provide protection of the entire branch circuit.

Section 210.12 requires that AFCI protection be provided on branch circuits that supply outlets (receptacle, lighting, etc.) in dwelling bedrooms. The requirement is limited to 15 and 20 ampere, 125 volt circuits. There is no prohibition against providing AFCI protection on other circuits or in locations other than bedrooms. Because circuits are often shared between a bedroom and other areas such as closets and hallways, providing AFCI protection on the complete circuit would comply with 210.12.

If during the installation of the Guardian Home Standby system the decision is made to provide back up power to a bedroom branch circuit, then the circuit breaker in the Guardian Transfer Switch should be replaced with an Arc Fault Circuit Interrupter.

It is most important that breakers only be switched like for like. For instance, if replacing a 15A breaker, it MUST be replaced with a 15A AFCI breaker. Likewise, a 20A breaker MUST be replaced with a 20A AFCI.

These AFCI breakers are available at the nearest Home Depot or hardware store.

Siemens Item #	Description
Q115AF	15A Single Pole AFCI
Q120AF	20A Single Pole AFCI

2. High Temperature Sensor 4. Overspeed

1.4 THE GENERATOR

Figure 1.1 – 7 kW, Single Cylinder GH-410 Engine



Figure 1.2 – 12 kW and 15 kW, V-twin GT-990 Engine



1.5 SPECIFICATIONS ◆ 1.5.1 GENERATOR

	Model 04389-2	Model 04456-2	Model 04390-2
Rated Max. Continuous Power Capacity (Watts*)	6,000 NG/7,000 LP	12,000 NG/12,000 LP	13,000 NG/15,000 LP†
Rated Voltage	120/240	120/240	120/240
Rated Max. Continuous Load Current (Amps)			
120 Volts**	50.0 NG/58.3 LP	100.0 NG/100.0 LP	108.3 NG/125.0 LP
240 Volts	25.0 NG/29.2 LP	50.0 NG/50.0 LP	54.2 NG/62.5 LP
Main Line Circuit Breaker	30 Amp	50 Amp	60 Amp/70 Amp†
Phase	1	1	1
Number of Rotor Poles	2	2	2
Rated AC Frequency	60 Hz	60 Hz	60 Hz
Power Factor	1	1	1
Recommended Air Filter	Generac Part # C8127	Generac Part # C8127	Generac Part # C8127
Battery Requirement	Group 26/26R	Group 26/26R	Group 26/26R
	12 Volts and	12 Volts and	12 Volts and
	350 Cold-cranking	550 Cold-cranking	550 Cold-cranking
	Amperes Minimum	Amperes Minimum	Amperes Minimum
Weight	452 Pounds	470 Pounds	487 Pounds
Output Sound Level @ 23 ft (7m) at full load	68 db (A)	70.5db (A)	71.5 db (A)
Normal Operating Range-20°F (-28.8°C) to 104°F (40°C)			°C)

* Maximum wattage and current are subject to and limited by such factors as fuel Btu content, ambient temperature, altitude, engine power and condition, etc. Maximum power decreases about 3.5 percent for each 1,000 feet above sea level; and also will decrease about 1 percent for each 6° C (10° F) above 16° C (60° F) ambient temperature.

** Load current values shown for 120 volts are maximum TOTAL values for two separate circuits. The maximum current in each circuit must not exceed the value stated for 240 volts. † 15,000 watt with upgrade kit 04578-1. Kit includes power harnesses and 70 amp 2-pole circuit breaker.

◆ 1.5.2 ENGINE

	Model 04389-2	Model 04456-2	Model 04390-2
Type of Engine	GH-410	GT-990	GT-990
Number of Cylinders	1	2	2
Rated Horsepower	14.5 @ 3,600 rpm	26 @ 3,600 rpm	30 @ 3,600 rpm
Displacement	410cc	992cc	992cc
Cylinder Block	Aluminum w/Cast	Aluminum w/Cast	Aluminum w/Cast
	Iron Sleeve	Iron Sleeve	Iron Sleeve
Valve Arrangement	Overhead Valves	Overhead Valves	Overhead Valves
Ignition System	Solid-state w/Magneto	Solid-state w/Magneto	Solid-state w/Magneto
Recommended Spark Plug	RC12YC	RC12YC	RC12YC
Spark Plug Gap	0.76 mm (0.030 inch)	0.508 mm (0.020 inch)	0.508 mm (0.020 inch)
Compression Ratio	8.6:1	9.5:1	9.5:1
Starter	12 Vdc	12 Vdc	12Vdc
Oil Capacity Including Filter	Approx. 1.5 Qts	Approx. 1.7 Qts	Approx. 1.7 Qts
Recommended Oil Filter	Generac Part # 70185	Generac Part # 70185	Generac Part # 70185
Recommended Air Filter	Generac Part # 0C8127	Generac Part # 0C8127	Generac Part # 0C8127
Operating RPM	3,600	3,600	3,600

1.6 SYSTEM SET LED

The "System Set" LED is lit when all of the following conditions are true:

- 1. The AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch is set to the AUTO position.
- 2. The utility voltage being supplied to the unit is being sensed by the PCB. If the utility sense voltage is not connected to the unit or if it is below 168 volts AC, then the system set light will flash rapidly. This indicates that if the AUTO/OFF/ MANUAL switch is placed in the Auto position, the generator will start.
- 3. The "Not In Auto" dip switch is set to the OFF position on the control board.
- 4. No alarms are present, for example, low oil pressure, high temperature, etc.

1.7 FUEL REQUIREMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

With LP gas, use only the vapor withdrawal system. This type of system uses the vapors formed above the liquid fuel in the storage tank.

The engine has been fitted with a fuel carburction system that meets the specifications of the 1997 California Air Resources Board for tamper-proof dual fuel systems. The unit will run on natural gas or LP gas, but it has been factory set to run on natural gas. Should the primary fuel need to be changed to LP gas, the fuel system needs to be reconfigured. See Section 1.9 for instructions on reconfiguration of the fuel system.

Recommended fuels should have a Btu content of at least 1,000 Btus per cubic foot for natural gas; or at least 2,520 Btus per cubic foot for LP gas. Ask the fuel supplier for the Btu content of the fuel.

Fuel pressure for both natural gas and liquid propane set ups should be **11 inches to 14 inches of water column (0.4 to 0.5 psi)** at all load ranges.

NOTE:

A separate gas line and regulator may be needed to assure proper gas pressure (11-14") to the generator. Low gas pressure can cause hard starting and could affect engine durability.

1.8 FU	EL CON	SUMPTION
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Model #	Nat. Gas (*)		at. Gas (*) LP Vapor (**)	
	1/2 Load	Full Load	1/2 Load	Full Load
04389	74	105	0.91/33	1.21/44.1
04456	114	185	1.34/48.9	2.17/79.0
04390	148.5	240	1.73/63.2	2.80/102.3

*Natural gas is in cubic feet per hour.

**LP is in gallons per hour/cubic feet per hour.



Gaseous fuels such as natural gas and liquid propane (LP) gas are highly explosive. Even the slightest spark can ignite such fuels and cause an explosion. No leakage of fuel is permitted. Natural gas, which is lighter than air, tends to collect in high areas. LP gas is heavier than air and tends to settle in low areas.

1.9 RECONFIGURING THE FUEL SYSTEM

◆ 1.9.1 7 KW, 410CC ENGINE

To reconfigure the fuel system from NG to LP, follow these steps:

- 1. Turn the main gas supply off.
- 2. Remove the carburetor fuel hose from the outlet port of the demand regulator (Figure 1.3).
- 3. Disconnect wire #0 and wire #14 from the gas solenoid located on the top of the demand regulator.
- 4. Remove the demand regulator by rotating counterclockwise.
- 5. Remove the brass hose fitting from the outlet port of the demand regulator.
- 6. Remove the brass metering jet (loosen counterclockwise) from the housing port of the demand regulator located on the side of the regulator.
- 7. Install new LP metering jet (tighten clockwise) in the outlet port of the demand regulator.
- 8. Refit the brass hose fittings to the outlet port of the demand regulator.
- 9. Reverse procedure steps 1-4 to reinstall demand regulator.
- 10. Reverse the procedure to convert back to natural gas.

Figure 1.3 – Demand Regulator



NOTE:

The natural gas adjustment screw is preset during installation and should not need any further adjustment.

◆ 1.9.2 12KW AND 15KW, 990CC ENGINES

To reconfigure the fuel system from NG to LP, follow these steps:

NOTE:

The primary regulator for the propane supply is NOT INCLUDED with the generator. A fuel pressure of 11 to 14 inches of water column (0.6 psi) to the fuel inlet of the generator MUST BE SUP-PLIED.

- 1. Turn OFF the main gas supply.
- 2. Remove the engine air in baffle located on the left hand side of the battery compartment. Two M6 screws are located on top of the baffle and two M6 screws are located on the inside of the baffle towards the back.
- 3. Remove the small hose clamp and hose from the fuel regulator. It may be necessary to pry the hose off of the brass fitting using a screw driver to gently lift up the hose edge.
- 4. Remove the brass hose fitting screwed into the fuel regulator.
- 5. Locate and identify the brass idle jet. This will be located in the fuel regulator casting facing the front of the unit.
- 6. Remove the idle jet from its holding location.
- 7. Place the idle jet, thread side first, into the threaded hole originally occupied by the brass hose fitting.
- 8. Using a short No. 2 Phillips screw driver, thread the idle jet into the regulator casting. DO NOT OVER TIGHTEN.
- 9. Apply thread sealant to the threads of the hose fitting and replace it into the regulator body.
- 10. Re-attach the small hose and hose clamp and tighten as necessary.
- 11. Replace the engine air in baffle using the four M6 screws.
- 12. Identify both brass adjustment screws on the regulator.

NOTE:

One adjustment screw can be accessed from the front of the unit and the second can be accessed from the back of the unit enclosure by removing the plastic hole plug.

- 13. To adjust the system to run on LP fuel, turn the adjuster screw that can be accessed from inside the front of the unit, ¹/₄ TURN CLOCKWISE. This should now set the system for maximum power and best performance.
- 8 Generac[®] Power Systems, Inc.

14. It may be necessary to make minor adjustments to the preset adjustment screw settings to achieve maximum power. If experiencing problems with the unit producing maximum power, follow the procedure in Section 2.6 (Adjusting the Fuel Regulator).

Figure 1.4 - Demand Regulator



1.10 LOCATION

♦ 1.10.1 GENERATOR

Install the generator set, in its protective enclosure, outdoors, where adequate cooling and ventilating air is always available. Consider these factors:

- Install the unit where air inlet and outlet openings will not become obstructed by leaves, grass, snow, etc. If prevailing winds will cause blowing or drifting, consider using a windbreak to protect the unit.
- Install the generator on high ground where water levels will not rise and endanger it.
- Allow sufficient room on all sides of the generator for maintenance and servicing. A good rule is to allow three feet of space on all sides.
- Where strong prevailing winds blow from one direction, face the generator air inlet openings to the prevailing winds.
- Install the generator as close as possible to the fuel supply, to reduce the length of piping.
- Install the generator as close as possible to the transfer switch. HOWEVER, REMEMBER THAT LAWS OR CODES MAY REGULATE THE DISTANCE.

The genset must be installed on a level surface. The base frame must be level within two (2) inches all around.

♦ 1.10.2 TRANSFER SWITCH

1.10.2.1 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Units

The transfer switch shipped with this generator is enclosed in a NEMA 1 enclosure. **This type of enclosure is intended for indoor use only**. Follow these rules:

- Install the transfer switch indoors on a firm, sturdy supporting structure.
- To prevent switch distortion, level the switch if necessary. This can be done by placing washers between the switch enclosure and mounting surface.
- Never install the switch where water or any corrosive substance might drip onto the enclosure.
- Protect the switch at all times against excessive moisture, dust, dirt, lint, construction grit and corrosive vapors.

1.11 BATTERY INSTALLATION

Fill the battery with the proper electrolyte fluid if necessary and have the battery fully charged before installing it.

Before installing and connecting the battery, complete the following steps:

- 1. Set the generator's AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch to OFF.
- 2. Turn off utility power supply to the transfer switch.
- 3. Remove the 5A and 15A fuses from the generator control panel.



If the AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch is not set to its OFF position, the generator can crank and start as soon as the battery cables are connected. If the utility power supply is not turned off, sparking can occur at the battery posts and cause an explosion.

Battery cables were factory connected at the generator (Figure 1.5). Connect cables to battery posts as follows:





4. Connect the red battery cable (from starter contactor) to the battery post indicated by a positive, POS or (+). 5. Connect the black battery cable (from frame ground) to the battery post indicated by a negative, NEG or (—).

NOTE:

Damage will result if battery connections are made in reverse.

NOTE:

The generator is equipped with a battery trickle charger that is active when the unit is set up for automatic operation. With the battery installed and utility power source voltage available to the transfer switch, the battery receives a trickle charge while the engine is not running, to prevent self-discharge. The trickle charger is designed to help extend the life of the battery by maintaining the battery when the unit is not running. The trickle charge feature cannot be used to recharge a discharged battery.

1.12 THE BATTERY

Servicing of the battery is to be performed or supervised by personnel knowledgeable of batteries and the required precautions. Keep unauthorized personnel away from batteries.

When replacing the battery, use the following type of battery: Group 26/26R 12-volt DC, negative ground battery with a rating of 350 cold-cranking amps minimum for 7 kW; 550 cold-cranking amps minimum for 12 and 15 kW at -17.8° C (0° F) minimum. When using a maintenance-free battery, it is not necessary to check the specific gravity or electrolyte level. Have these procedures performed at the intervals specified in the "Service Schedule." A negative ground system is used. Battery connections are shown on the wiring diagrams. Make sure the battery is correctly connected and terminals are tight. Observe battery polarity when connecting the battery to the generator set.



Do not dispose of the battery in a fire. The battery is capable of exploding.

- A battery presents a risk of electrical shock and high short circuit current. The following precautions are to be observed when working on batteries:
- Remove the 5A and 15A fuses from the generator control panel.
- Remove watches, rings or other metal objects;
- Use tools with insulated handles;
- Wear rubber gloves and boots;
- Do not lay tools or metal parts on top of the battery; and
- Disconnect charging source prior to connecting or disconnecting battery terminals.

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The electrolyte is a dilute sulfuric acid that is harmful to the skin and eyes. It is electrically conductive and corrosive.

The following procedures are to be observed:

- Wear full eye protection and protective clothing;
- Where electrolyte contacts the skin, wash it off immediately with water;
- Where electrolyte contacts the eyes, flush thoroughly and immediately with water and seek medical attention; and
- Spilled electrolyte is to be washed down with an acid neutralizing agent. A common practice is to use a solution of 1 pound (500 grams) bicarbonate of soda to 1 gallon (4 liters) of water. The bicarbonate of soda solution is to be added until the evidence of reaction (foaming) has ceased. The resulting liquid is to be flushed with water and the area dried.

Lead-acid batteries present a risk of fire 🖄 because they generate hydrogen gas. The following procedures are to be followed:

- DO NOT SMOKE when near the battery;
- DO NOT cause flame or spark in battery area; and
- Discharge static electricity from body before touching the battery by first touching a grounded metal surface.



Be sure the AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch is set to A the OFF position before connecting the battery cables. If the switch is set to AUTO or MANUAL, the generator can crank and start as soon as the battery cables are connected.



Be sure the utility power supply is turned off and the 5A and 15A fuses are removed from the generator control panel, or sparking may occur at the battery posts as the cables are attached and cause an explosion.

2.1 **BEFORE INITIAL START-UP**

Before starting, complete the following:

- 1. Set the generator's main circuit breaker to its OFF (or open) position.
- 2. Set the generator's AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch to the OFF position.
- 3. Turn OFF the utility power supply to the transfer switch using the means provided (such as the utility main line circuit breaker).
- 4. Turn OFF all loads connected to the transfer switch terminals T1 and T2.

- 5. Check the engine crankcase oil level and, if necessary, fill to the dipstick FULL mark with the recommended oil. Do not fill above the FULL mark.
- 6. Check the fuel supply. Gaseous fuel lines must have been properly purged and leak tested in accordance with applicable fuel-gas codes. All fuel shutoff valves in the fuel supply lines must be open.



Never operate the engine with the oil level below the "Add" mark on the dipstick. Doing this could damage the engine.

2.2 CHECK TRANSFER SWITCH OPERATION

Refer to Section 3.5, of the owner's manual for manual operation procedures.



Do not attempt manual transfer switch operation until all power voltage supplies to the transfer switch have been positively turned off. Failure to turn off all power voltage supplies will result in extremely hazardous and possibly fatal electrical shock.

ELECTRICAL CHECKS 2.3

Complete electrical checks as follows:

- 1. Set the generator's main circuit breaker to its OFF (or open) position.
- 2. Set the generator's AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch to the OFF position.
- 3. Turn OFF all loads connected to the transfer switch terminals T1 and T2.
- Turn on the utility power supply to the transfer 4. switch using the means provided (such as a utility main line circuit breaker).



The transfer switch is now electrically "hot." Contact with "hot" parts will result in extremely hazardous and possibly fatal electrical shock. Proceed with caution.

- 5. Use an accurate AC voltmeter to check utility power source voltage across transfer switch terminals N1 and N2. Nominal line-to-line voltage should be 240 volts AC.
- 6. Check utility power source voltage across terminals N1 and the transfer switch neutral lug; then across terminal N2 and neutral. Nominal line-toneutral voltage should be 120 volts AC.



Section 2 – Post Installation Start-up and Adjustments

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- 7. When certain that utility supply voltage is compatible with transfer switch and load circuit ratings, turn OFF the utility power supply to the transfer switch.
- 8. On the generator panel, set the AUTO/OFF/ MANUAL switch to MANUAL. The engine should crank and start.
- 9. Let the engine warm up for about five minutes to allow internal temperatures to stabilize. Then, set the generator's main circuit breaker to its ON (or closed) position.



Proceed with caution! Generator power voltage is now supplied to the transfer switch. Contact with live transfer switch parts will result in dangerous and possibly fatal electrical shock.

- 10. Connect an accurate AC voltmeter and a frequency meter across transfer switch terminal lugs E1 and E2. Voltage should be 242-252 volts; frequency should read about 61-63 Hertz.
- 11. Connect the AC voltmeter test leads across terminal lug E1 and neutral; then across E2 and neutral. In both cases, voltage reading should be 121-126 volts AC.
- 12. Set the generator's main circuit breaker to its OFF (or open) position. Let the engine run at noload for a few minutes to stabilize internal engine generator temperatures.
- 13. Set the generator's AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch to OFF. The engine should shut down.

NOTE:

It is important not to proceed until certain that generator AC voltage and frequency are correct and within the stated limits. Generally, if both AC frequency and voltage are high or low, the engine governor requires adjustment. If frequency is correct, but voltage is high or low, the generator's voltage regulator requires adjustment.

2.4 GENERATOR TESTS UNDER LOAD

To test the generator set with electrical loads applied, proceed as follows:

- 1. Set generator's main circuit breaker to its OFF (or open) position.
- 2. Turn OFF all loads connected to the transfer switch terminals T1 and T2.
- 3. Set the generator's AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch to OFF.
- 4. Turn OFF the utility power supply to the transfer switch, using the means provided (such as a utility main line circuit breaker).



- Do not attempt manual transfer switch operation until all power voltage supplies to the transfer switch have been positively turned off. Failure to turn off all power voltage supplies
- will result in extremely hazardous and possibly fatal electrical shock.
 5. Manually set the transfer switch to the STANDBY position, i.e., load terminals connected to the
- position, i.e., load terminals connected to the generator's E1/E2 terminals. The transfer switch operating lever should be down.
- 6. Set the generator's AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch to MANUAL. The engine should crank and start immediately.
- 7. Let the engine stabilize and warm up for a few minutes.
- 8. Set the generator's main circuit breaker to its ON (or closed) position. Loads are now powered by the standby generator.
- 9. Turn ON electrical loads connected to transfer switch T1 and T2. Apply an electrical load equal to the full rated wattage/amperage capacity of the installed generator.
- 10. Connect an accurate AC voltmeter and a frequency meter across terminal lugs E1 and E2. Voltage should be greater than 230 volts; frequency should be greater than 58 Hertz.
- 11. Let the generator run at full rated load for 20-30 minutes. Listen for unusual noises, vibration or other indications of abnormal operation. Check for oil leaks, evidence of overheating, etc.
- 12. When testing under load is complete, turn OFF electrical loads.
- 13. Set the generator's main circuit breaker to its OFF (or open) position.
- 14. Let the engine run at no-load for a few minutes.
- 15. Set the AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch to OFF. The engine should shut down.

2.5 CHECKING AUTOMATIC OPERATION

To check the system for proper automatic operation, proceed as follows:

- 1. Set generator's main circuit breaker to its OFF (or open) position.
- 2. Check that the AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch is set to OFF.
- 3. Turn OFF the utility power supply to the transfer switch, using means provided (such as a utility main line circuit breaker).
- 4. Manually set the transfer switch to the UTILITY position, i.e., load terminals connected to the utility power source side.



- 5. Turn ON the utility power supply to the transfer switch, using the means provided (such as a utility main line circuit breaker).
- 6. Set the AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch to AUTO. The system is now ready for automatic operation.
- 7. Turn OFF the utility power supply to the transfer switch.

With the AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch at AUTO, the engine should crank and start when the utility source power is turned OFF. After starting, the transfer switch should connect load circuits to the standby side. Let the system go through its entire automatic sequence of operation.

With the generator running and loads powered by generator AC output, turn ON the utility power supply to the transfer switch. The following should occur:

- After about six seconds, the switch should transfer loads back to the utility power source.
- About one minute after retransfer, the engine should shut down.

ADJUSTING THE REGULATOR 2.6 (NATURAL GAS ONLY)

Although the generator has been factory set to provide maximum power, it may be necessary in some areas to adjust this setting. Because natural gas has different BTU or power content across the country the engine may not perform as designed.

If experiencing engine problems at high or full load conditions follow these steps. It will require a frequency meter to perform this procedure.

- 1. Turn off utility power to the main distribution panel in the house. This can be done by switching the service main breaker to the off or open position.
- 2. Allow the generator to start. Before loading the generator, confirm that the No Load Frequency, with the roof open and door off, is set to 63-63.5 Hz. Transfer load to emergency circuits.
- 3. Turn on appliances, lights, pumps, etc., that are on the emergency circuits in an attempt to fully load the generator. Be cautious not to overload the generator. Use the following chart as a guide:

Unit	120 Volts	240 Volts		
7 kW	50.0 amps	25.0 amps		
12 kW	100.0 amps	50.0 amps		
13 kW	108.3 amps	54.1 amps		

4. When full load has been achieved. Connect a frequency meter to the output lugs of the generator's main line circuit breaker.

5. The fuel regulator is fitted with one (7 kW), or two (12 & 15 kW) adjustment screws. While watching the frequency meter, slowly turn the adjustment screws clockwise or counterclockwise one at a time until the highest frequency is read on the meter. Only limited adjustment is available between the set pins (7 kW only). Under no circumstances should any of the pins be removed (Figures 2.1 and 2.2).

Figure 2.1 — Dual Fuel Regulators



6. When the highest frequency is reached maximum power has been set. From this point turn both adjustment screws 1/4 turn counterclockwise. The regulator is now set.

Figure 2.2 — Placement of Regulator



7. Turn utility power to the main distribution panel back on. This can be done by switching the service main breaker to the on or closed position. Allow the generator to shut down.





Do not make any unnecessary adjustments. Factory settings are correct for most applications. However, when making adjustments, be careful to avoid overspeeding the engine.

If this procedure or the equipment are not available, locate the nearest Generac Guardian Dealer and they can perform the adjustments.

NOTE:

A service fee may be charged for this adjustment.

2.7 ENGINE GOVERNOR ADJUSTMENT

If both AC frequency and voltage are correspondingly high or low, adjust the engine governor as follows:

◆ 2.7.1 7 KW UNITS

- 1. Loosen the governor clamp bolt (Figures 2.3).
- 2. Hold the governor lever at its wide open throttle position, and rotate the governor shaft clockwise as far as it will go. Then, tighten the governor lever clamp bolt to 70 inch-pounds (8 N-m).
- 3. Start the generator; let it stabilize and warm up at no-load.
- 4. Connect a frequency meter across the generators AC output leads.
- 5. Turn the speed adjust nut to obtain a frequency reading of 63 Hertz.
- 6. When frequency is correct at no load, check the AC voltage reading. If voltage is incorrect, the voltage regulator may require adjustment.

Figure 2.3 — Engine Governor Adjustment



◆ 2.7.2 12 KW AND 15 KW UNITS

- 1. Loosen governor clamp bolt (See Figure 2.3).
- 2. Completely remove the idle spring.
- 3. With governor arm at wide open throttle position, rotate governor shaft fully clockwise. Tighten clamp bolt to 84 inch-pounds.
- 4. Start unit and apply full load. Use full load speed adjust screw (Figure 2.4) to adjust frequency to 58 Hz.
- 5. Remove load, stop engine, loosen the idle adjust screw and reconnect the idle spring.

Figure 2.4 — Full Load Speed Adjust Screw



- 6. Using a hand, push the governor arm to the closed throttle position. Make sure the idle spring does not stretch at all.
- 7. Restart the unit.
- 8. Slowly turn the idle adjust screw to adjust the noload idle frequency to 63-63.5 Hz (with door open).
- 9. The governor is now set.

♦ 2.7.3 ADDITIONAL CORROSION PROTECTION

Periodically spray all engine linkage parts and brackets with corrosion inhibiting spray such as WD-40 or a comparable product.

2.8 VOLTAGE REGULATOR ADJUSTMENT

With the frequency between 62-63 Hertz, slowly turn the slotted potentiometer (Figure 2.5) until line voltage reads 247-252 volts.





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NOTE:

The access panel on top of the control panel must be removed to adjust the voltage regulator.

NOTE:

The voltage regulator is housed above the generator's control panel. The regulator maintains a voltage in direct proportion to frequency at a 2-to-1 ratio. For example, at 62 Hertz, line-to-neutral voltage will be 124 volts.

3.1 BREAK-IN PROCEDURE

Once the unit has been installed and all electrical checks have been made, it is strongly recommended that the following "Break-in Procedure" be completed to ensure correct generator operation in the future.

- 1. Set the generator's AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch to AUTO.
- 2. Turn OFF the utility power supply to the transfer switch using the means provided (such as a utility main line circuit breaker).
- 3. The unit will start, and the transfer switch will transfer to standby.
- 4. Using the transfer switch's built-in emergency load center, turn on circuits to load the generator to approximately 25% rated load and run the unit for one hour.
- 5. Run the unit for one hour at 50% rated load.
- 6. Run the unit for one hour at 75% rated load.
- 7. Run the unit for one hour at 100% rated load.
- 8. Turn ON the utility power supply to the transfer switch, which will allow the transfer switch to transfer back to utility power. The unit will continue to run for one minute and then shut down.
- 9. Allow the unit to cool.
- 10. Set the generator's main circuit breaker to its OFF (or open) position.
- 11. Set the generator's AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch to OFF. Remove the 5A and 15A fuses from the generator control panel. Disconnect the battery cables as outlined in "General Hazards" (page 2).
- 12. Drain the oil and remove the oil filter. Replace the oil filter according to Section 4.4, "Changing the Oil Filter". Replace the oil with synthetic oil as recommended in Section 4.3, "Changing the Engine Oil".
- 13. Reconnect the battery cables as outlined in "General Hazards" (page 2) and insert the 5A and 15A fuses into the generator control panel. The generator is now ready for service.

3.2 USING THE AUTO/OFF/MANUAL SWITCH (FIGURE 3.1)

♦ 3.2.1 "AUTO" POSITION

Selecting this switch position activates fully automatic system operation. It also allows personnel to start and exercise the engine every seven days with the setting of the exercise timer (see Section 3.6). This position also is used for remote starting, when it is set up.

♦ 3.2.2 "OFF" POSITION

This switch position shuts down the engine. This position also prevents automatic operation.

◆ 3.2.3 "MANUAL" POSITION

Set the switch to MANUAL to crank and start the engine. Transfer to standby power will not occur unless there is a utility failure.

Figure 3.1 – Generator Control Panel





With the switch set to AUTO, the engine may crank and start at any time without warning. Such automatic starting normally occurs when utility power source voltage drops below a preset level or during the normal exercise cycle. To prevent possible injury that might be caused by such sudden starts, always set the switch to OFF and remove the fuses before working on or around the generator or transfer switch. Then, place a "DO NOT OPERATE" tag on the generator panel and on the transfer switch.

3.3 AUTOMATIC TRANSFER OPERATION

To select automatic operation, do the following:

- 1. Make sure the transfer switch main contacts are set to their UTILITY position, i.e., loads connected to the utility power source (Figure 3.2).
- 2. Be sure that normal UTILITY power source voltage is available to transfer switch terminal lugs N1 and N2.

- 3. Set the generator's AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch to AUTO.
- 4. Set the generator's main circuit breaker to its ON (or closed) position.

With the preceding steps complete, the generator will start automatically when utility source voltage drops below a preset level. After the unit starts, loads are transferred to the standby power source. Refer to Section 3.4, "Sequence of Automatic Operation."

3.4 SEQUENCE OF AUTOMATIC OPERATION

The generator's control panel houses a control logic circuit board. This board constantly monitors utility power source voltage. Should that voltage drop below a preset level, circuit board action will signal the engine to crank and start. After the engine starts, the circuit board signals the transfer switch to activate and connect load circuits to the standby power supply (load terminal lugs T1/T2 connect to terminal lugs E1/E2).

Upon restoration of utility source voltage above a preset level, generator circuit board action signals the transfer switch to transfer loads back to that power supply. After retransfer, the engine is signalled to shut down.

The actual sequence of operation is controlled by sensors and timers on a control logic circuit board, as follows:

A. Utility Voltage Dropout Sensor

- This sensor monitors utility source voltage.
- If utility source voltage drops below about 70 percent of the nominal supply voltage, the sensor energizes a 15-second timer.
- Once the timer has expired, the engine will crank and start.
- B.Engine Warm-up Time Delay
 - This mechanism lets the engine warm up for about 10 seconds before the load is transferred to the standby source.
- C. Standby Voltage Sensor
 - This sensor monitors generator AC output voltage. When the voltage has reached 50 percent of the nominal rated voltage, transfer to standby can occur.
- D. Utility Voltage Pickup Sensor
 - This sensor monitors utility power supply voltage. When that voltage is restored above 70 percent of the nominal source voltage, a retransfer time delay starts timing.
- E.Retransfer Time Delay
 - This timer runs for about 15 seconds.
 - At end of a 15-second delay, circuit board action de-energizes transfer relay in the transfer switch.
 - Retransfer to utility power source then occurs.

- F. Engine Cool-down Timer
 - When the load is transferred back to utility power source, the engine cool-down timer starts timing.
 - The timer will run for about one minute, and the generator will then shut down.

3.5 MANUAL TRANSFER OPERATION

♦ 3.5.1 TRANSFER TO GENERATOR POWER SOURCE

To start the generator and activate the transfer switch manually, proceed as follows:

- 1. Set the generator's AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch to OFF.
- 2. Set the generator's main circuit breaker to its OFF (or open) position.
- 3. Turn OFF the utility power supply to the transfer switch using the means provided (such as a utility main line circuit breaker).



Do not attempt to activate the transfer switch manually until all power voltage supplies to the switch have been positively turned off. Failure to turn off all power voltage supplies may result in extremely hazardous and possibly fatal electrical shock.

4. Use the manual transfer handle inside the transfer switch to move the main contacts to their "Standby" position, i.e., loads connected to the standby power source (Figure 3.2).

Figure 3.2 – Manual Transfer Switch Operation



- 5. To crank and start the engine, set the AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch to MANUAL.
- 6. Let the engine stabilize and warm up for a few minutes.
- 7. Set the generator's main circuit breaker to its ON (or closed) position. The standby power source now powers the loads.



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♦ 3.5.2 TRANSFER BACK TO UTILITY POWER SOURCE

When utility power has been restored, transfer back to that source and shut down the generator. This can be accomplished as follows:

- 1. Set the generator's main circuit breaker to its OFF (or open) position.
- 2. Let the engine run for a minute or two at no-load to stabilize the internal temperatures.
- 3. Set the generator's AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch to its OFF (or open) position. The engine should shut down.
- 4. Check that utility power supply to the transfer switch is turned OFF.



- Do not attempt to activate the transfer switch manually until all power voltage supplies to the switch have been positively turned off. Failure to turn off all power voltage supplies may result in extremely hazardous and possibly fatal electrical shock.
- 5. Use the manual transfer handle inside the transfer switch to move the main contacts back to their UTILITY position, i.e., loads connected to the utility power source (Figure 3.2).
- 6. Turn ON the utility power supply to the transfer switch using the means provided.
- 7. Set the system to automatic operation as outlined in "Automatic Transfer Operation," Section 3.3.

3.6 SETTING THE EXERCISE TIMER

This generator is equipped with an exercise timer. Once it is set, the generator will start and exercise once every seven days, on the day of the week and at the time of day the following sequence is completed. During this exercise period, the unit runs for approximately 12 minutes and then shuts down. Transfer of loads to the generator output does not occur during the exercise cycle.

A switch on the control panel (see Figure 3.1) permits selection of the day and time for the system to exercise. At the chosen time, perform the following sequence to select the desired day and time of day the system will exercise.

- 1. Verify that the AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch is set to AUTO.
- 2. Hold down the "Set Exercise Time" switch until the generator starts (approximately 10 seconds) and then release.
- 3. The generator will start and run for approximately 12 minutes and then shut down on its own. The exerciser will then be set to run at that time of day every week.

NOTE:

The exerciser will only work in the AUTO mode and will not work unless this procedure is performed. The exerciser will need to be reset every time the 12-volt battery is disconnected and then reconnected. The exerciser WILL NOT work if dip switch 2 on the controller printed circuit board (Remote Not Auto) is ON.

3.7 PROTECTION SYSTEMS

♦ 3.7.1 LOW OIL PRESSURE SWITCH

This switch (Figure 3.3) has normally closed contacts that are held open by engine oil pressure during cranking and operating. Should oil pressure drop below the 8 psi range, switch contacts close, and the engine shuts down. The unit should not be restarted until oil is added. The AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch must then be turned to OFF and then back to AUTO.

♦ 3.7.2 HIGH TEMPERATURE SWITCH

This switch's contacts (Figure 3.3) close if the temperature should exceed approximately 140° C (284° F), initiating an engine shutdown. The generator will automatically restart and the LED on the generator control panel will reset once the temperature has returned to a safe operating level.

Figure 3.3 – Low Oil Pressure and High Temperature Switches



♦ 3.7.3 OVERCRANK

This feature prevents the generator from damaging itself when it continually attempts to start and another problem, such as no fuel supply, prevents it from starting. The unit will crank and rest for a preset time limit. Then, it will stop cranking, and the LED on the generator control panel will light indicating an overcrank failure. The AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch will need to be set to OFF and then back to AUTO to reset the generator control board.



NOTE:

If the fault is not repaired, the overcrank feature will continue to activate.

3.7.3.1 Approximate Crank Cycle Times

- 15 seconds ON
- 7 seconds OFF
- 7 seconds ON
- 7 seconds OFF
- Repeat for 45 seconds Approximately 90 seconds total

♦ 3.7.4 OVERSPEED

This feature protects the generator from damage by shutting it down if it happens to run faster than the preset limit. This protection also prevents the generator from supplying an output that could potentially damage appliances connected to the generator circuit. Contact the nearest Guardian Authorized Dealer if this failure occurs.

4.1 FUSE

The generator panel's 15 amp fuse (Figure 4.1) protects the DC control circuit against overload. The fuse is wired in series with the battery output lead to the panel. If the fuse element has melted open, the engine cannot crank or start. Replace the fuse using only an identical 15-amp replacement.

The generator panel's 5 amp fuse protects the battery charge circuit against overload. If the fuse element has melted open, there will not be battery charging capabilities. Replace the fuse using only an identical 5 amp replacement. To remove fuse, push cap down and rotate counterclockwise.





4.2 CHECKING THE ENGINE OIL LEVEL

For oil capacities, see "Specifications," Section 1.5. For engine oil recommendations, see Section 4.3.1. To check the engine oil level, proceed as follows (Figures 4.2 and 4.3):

- 1. Start the generator by moving the AUTO/OFF/ MANUAL switch to the MANUAL position. Allow it to run for a short while and then shut it down by moving the switch to the OFF position.
- 2. Remove the dipstick and wipe it dry with a clean cloth.
- 3. Install the dipstick; then, remove it again. The oil level should be at the dipstick "Full" mark. If necessary, add oil to the "Full" mark only. DO NOT FILL ABOVE THE "FULL" MARK.



Never operate the engine with the oil level below the "Add" mark on the dipstick. Doing this could damage the engine.

- 4. Install the dipstick.
- 5. Reset the AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch to its original position.

Figure 4.2 — Oil Dipstick and Fill, 7 kW



Figure 4.3 — Oil Dipstick and Fill, 12 kW and 15 kW





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4.3 CHANGING THE ENGINE OIL

♦ 4.3.1 ENGINE OIL RECOMMENDATIONS

Use oil of American Petroleum Institute (API) Service Class SG, SH or SJ. Use all season SAE 5W-30 Synthetic oil. Organic break-in oil is required before using synthetic oil.

NOTE:

The unit is supplied with "break-in" oil. See the "Break-in Procedure," Section 3.1, for the first required oil change.



Any attempt to crank or start the engine before it has been properly serviced with the recommended oil may result in an engine failure.

♦ 4.3.2 OIL CHANGE PROCEDURE

To change the oil, proceed as follows:

- 1. Run the engine until it is thoroughly warmed up then shut OFF the engine.
- 2. Immediately after the engine shuts OFF, pull the oil drain hose (Figure 4.4) free of its retaining clip. Remove the cap from the hose and drain the oil into a suitable container.
- 3. After the oil has drained, replace the cap onto the end of the oil drain hose. Retain the hose in the clip.
- 4. Refill with the proper recommended oil (see Section 4.3.1). See Section 1.5.2 for oil capacities.

Figure 4.4 – Oil Drain Hose and Filter



4.4 CHANGING THE OIL FILTER

Change the engine oil filter as follows:

- 1. With the oil drained, remove the old oil filter by turning it counterclockwise.
- 2. Apply a light coating of clean engine oil to the gasket of the new filter. See Section 1.5.1 for recommended filter.
- 3. Screw the new filter on by hand until its gasket lightly contacts the oil filter adapter. Then, tighten the filter an additional 3/4 to one turn (Figure 4.4).
- 4. Refill with the proper recommended oil (see Section 4.3.1). See Section 1.5.2 for oil capacities.
- 5. Start the engine and check for leaks.

4.5 CHANGING THE ENGINE AIR CLEANER

♦ 4.5.1 7 KW, 12 KW AND 15 KW GENERATORS

See Figures 1.1 and 1.2, for the location of the air cleaner. Use the following procedure (Figure 4.6):

- 1. Turn the two screws counterclockwise to loosen.
- 2. Remove the cover and air filter.
- 3. Wipe away dust or debris from inside of the air box and around edges.
- 4. Install the new air cleaner into the air box.
- 5. Install the cover. Turn the two cover screws clockwise to tighten.

See the "Service Schedule," Section 4.13, for air cleaner maintenance. See Section 1.5.1 for air filter replacement part number.

Figure 4.6 — 7 kW, Engine Air Cleaner Location





Figure 4.7 — 12 kW and 15 kW Engine Air Cleaner



4.6 SPARK PLUG(S)

Reset the spark plug(s) gap or replace the spark plug(s) as necessary. See Section 4.13 for maintenance requirements.

- 1. Clean the area around the base of the spark plug(s) to keep dirt and debris out of the engine. Clean by scraping or washing using a wire brush and commercial solvent. Do not blast the spark plug(s) to clean.
- 2. Remove the spark plug(s) and check the condition. Replace the spark plug(s) if worn or if reuse is questionable. See Section 4.13 for recommended inspection.
- 3. Check the spark plug gap using a wire feeler gauge. Adjust the gap to 0.76 mm (0.030 inch) for 7 kW and 0.50 mm (0.020 inch) for 12/15 kW by carefully bending the ground electrode (Figure 4.8).

Figure 4.8 – Setting the Spark Plug Gap

SET PLUG GAP AT 0.76 mm (.030 inch)



4.7 BATTERY MAINTENANCE

The battery should be inspected per the "Service Schedule," Section 4.13. The following procedure should be followed for inspection:

- 1. Inspect the battery posts and cables for tightness and corrosion. Tighten and clean as necessary.
- 2. Check the battery fluid level of unsealed batteries and, if necessary, fill with Distilled Water Only. Do not use tap water in batteries.
- 3. Have the state of charge and condition checked. This should be done with an automotive-type battery hydrometer.



Do not dispose of the battery in a fire. The battery is capable of exploding.

A battery presents a risk of electrical shock and high short circuit current. The following precautions are to be observed when working on batteries:

- Remove the 5A and 15A fuses from the generator control panel.
- Remove watches, rings or other metal objects;
- Use tools with insulated handles;
- Wear rubber gloves and boots;
- Do not lay tools or metal parts on top of the battery; and
- Disconnect charging source prior to connecting or disconnecting battery terminals.



Do not open or mutilate the battery. Released electrolyte has been known to be harmful to the skin and eyes, and to be toxic.



- Wear full eye protection and protective clothing;
- Where electrolyte contacts the skin, wash it off immediately with water;
- Where electrolyte contacts the eyes, flush thoroughly and immediately with water and seek medical attention; and
- Spilled electrolyte is to be washed down with an acid neutralizing agent. A common practice is to use a solution of 1 pound (500 grams) bicarbonate of soda to 1 gallon (4 liters) of water. The bicarbonate of soda solution is to be added until the evidence of reaction (foaming) has ceased. The resulting liquid is to be flushed with water and the area dried.

Section 4 – Maintenance



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Lead-acid batteries present a risk of fire because they generate hydrogen gas. The following procedures are to be followed:

- DO NOT SMOKE when near the battery;
- DO NOT cause flame or spark in battery area; and
- Discharge static electricity from body before touching the battery by first touching a grounded metal surface.

Be sure the AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch is set to the OFF position before connecting the battery cables. If the switch is set to AUTO or MANUAL, the generator can crank and start as soon as the battery cables are connected.

Be sure the utility power supply is turned off and the 5A and 15A fuses are removed from the generator control panel, or sparking may occur at the battery posts as the cables are attached and cause an explosion.

4.8 ADJUSTING GH-410/GT-990 VALVE CLEARANCE

After the first 50 hours of operation, adjust the valve clearance in the engine.

Important: If feeling uncomfortable about doing this procedure or the proper tools are not available, please contact the Generac Authorized dealer for service assistance. This is a very important step to insure longest life for the engine.

To adjust valve clearance:

- Make sure the engine is at room temperature.
- Make sure that the spark plug wire is removed from the spark plug and out of the way.
- Remove the four screws attaching the valve cover with a #2 or #3 phillips screwdriver.
- Make sure the piston is at Top Dead Center (TDC) of its compression stroke (both valves closed). To get the piston at TDC, remove the intake screen at the front of the engine to gain access to the flywheel nut. Use a large socket and socket wrench to rotate the nut and hence the engine. While watching the piston through the spark plug hole. The piston should move up and down. The piston is at TDC when it is up as high as it can go.
- Loosen the rocker jam nut. Use an 10mm allen wrench to turn the pivot ball stud while checking clearance between the rocker arm and the valve stem with a feeler gauge. Correct clearance is 0.002-0.004 inch (0.05-0.1 mm).

NOTE:

Hold the rocker arm jam nut in place as the pivot ball stud is turned.

When valve clearance is correct, hold the pivot ball stud in place with the allen wrench and tighten the rocker arm jam nut. Tighten the jam nut to 174 in/lbs. torque. After tightening the jam nut, recheck valve clearance to make sure it did not change.

Figure 4.10 - Valve Clearance Adjustment



- Install new valve cover gasket.
- Re-attach the valve cover.

NOTE:

Start all four screws before tightening or it will not be possible to get all the screws in place. Make sure the valve cover gasket is in place.

- Re-attach the spark plug wire to the spark plug.
- On GT-990, Repeat the process for the other cylinder.

4.9 COOLING SYSTEM

Air inlet and outlet openings in the generator compartment must be open and unobstructed for continued proper operation. This includes such obstructions as high grass, weeds, brush, leaves and snow.

Without sufficient cooling and ventilating air flow, the engine/generator quickly overheats, which causes it to quickly shut down. (See Figure 4.9 for vent locations.)

Figure 4.9 – Cooling Vent Locations







The exhaust from this product gets extremely hot and remains hot after shutdown. High grass, weeds, brush, leaves, etc. must remain clear of the exhaust. Such materials may ignite and burn from the heat of the exhaust system.



The maximum ambient temperature for the generator is 40° C (104° F).

4.10 ATTENTION AFTER SUBMERSION

If the generator has been submerged in water, it **MUST NOT** be started and operated. Following any submersion in water, have a Guardian Authorized Dealer thoroughly clean and dry the generator.

4.11 CORROSION PROTECTION

Periodically wash and wax the enclosure using automotive type products. Frequent washing is recommended in salt water/coastal areas. Spray engine linkages with a light oil such as WD-40.

4.12 OUT OF SERVICE PROCEDURE

◆ 4.12.1 REMOVAL FROM SERVICE

If the generator cannot be exercised every seven days, and will be out of service longer than 90 days, prepare the generator for storage as follows:

- 1. Start the engine and let it warm up.
- 2. Close the fuel shutoff valve in the fuel supply line and allow the unit to shut down.
- 3. Once the unit has shut down, it will signal a low oil fault.
- 4. Set the generator's main circuit breaker to its OFF (or open) position.
- 5. Set the AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch to OFF and turn off the utility power to the transfer switch. Remove the 5A and 15A fuses from the generator control panel. Disconnect the battery cables as outlined in "General Hazards" (page 2).
- 6. While the engine is still warm from running, drain the oil completely. Refill the crankcase with oil. See "Engine Oil Recommendations," Section 4.3.1.

- 7. Attach a tag to the engine indicating the viscosity and classification of the oil in the crankcase.
- 8. Remove the spark plug(s) and spray fogging agent into the spark plug(s) threaded openings. Reinstall and tighten the spark plug(s).
- 9. Remove the battery and store it in a cool, dry room on a wooden board. Never store the battery on any concrete or earthen floor.
- 10. Clean and wipe the entire generator.

♦ 4.12.2 RETURN TO SERVICE

To return the unit to service after storage, proceed as follows:

- 1. Verify that utility power is turned off and that the AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch is set to OFF.
- 2. Check the tag on the engine for oil viscosity and classification. Verify that the correct recommended oil is used in the engine (see Section 4.3.1). If necessary, drain and refill with the proper oil.
- 3. Check the state of the battery. Fill all cells of unsealed batteries to the proper level with distilled water. DO NOT USE TAP WATER IN THE BATTERY. Recharge the battery to 100 percent state of charge, or, if defective, replace the battery. See "Specifications," Section 1.5, for type and size.
- 4. Clean and wipe the entire generator.
- 5. Remove the 5A and 15A fuses from the generator control panel. Reconnect the battery. Observe battery polarity. Damage may occur if the battery is connected incorrectly.
- 6. Open the fuel shutoff valve.
- 7. Insert the 5A and 15A fuses into the generator control panel. Start the unit by moving the AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch to MANUAL. Allow the unit to warm up thoroughly.
- 8. Stop the unit by setting the AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch to OFF.
- 9. Turn on the utility power to the transfer switch.
- 10. Set the AUTO/OFF/MANUAL switch to AUTO.
- 11. The generator is now ready for service. **NOTE:**

If the battery was dead or disconnected, the exercise timer must be reset.



Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators

ATTENTION: It is recommended that all service work be performed by the nearest Guardian Authorized Dealer.							
SYSTEM/COMPONENT		FREQUENCY					
 K = Action R = Replace as Necessary F = Notify Dealer if Repair is Needed. 	Inspect	Change	Clean	W = Weekly $M = Monthly$ $Y = Yearly$			
FUEL				-1			
Fuel lines and connections*	Х			М			
LUBRICATION			1	1			
Oil level	Х			М			
Oil		X		AFTER BREAK-IN, AND Y			
Oil filter		Х		AFTER BREAK-IN, AND Y			
COOLING							
Enclosure louvers	Х		X	W			
BATTERY							
Remove corrosion, ensure dryness	Х		X	М			
Clean and tighten battery terminals	Х		X	М			
Check charge state	Х	R		EVERY 6 M			
Electrolyte level (unsealed batteries only)*	Х	R		EVERY 6 M			
ENGINE AND MOUNTING							
Air cleaner	Х	R		Y			
Spark plug(s)	Х	R		Y			
GENERAL CONDITION							
Vibration, Noise, Leakage, Temperature*	Х			М			
COMPLETE TUNE-UP*	TO BE COMPLETED BY A GUARDIAN AUTHORIZED DEALER			Y			



5.1 TROUBLESHOOTIN	IG GUIDE			
PROBLEM	CAUSE	CORRECTION		
The engine will not crank.	1. Fuse blown.	1. Replace 15A fuse in generator control panel.		
	 Loose, corroded or defective battery cables. 	 Tighten, clean or replace as necessary. 		
	3. Defective starter contactor. (7 kW) 3. *		
	4. Defective starter motor.	4. *		
	5. Dead Battery.	5. Charge or replace battery.		
The engine cranks but	1. Out of fuel.	1. Replenish fuel.		
will not start.	2. Defective fuel solenoid (FS).	2. *		
	3. Open #14 wire from engine control board.	3. *		
	4. Defective spark plug(s).	4. Clean, re-gap or replace plug(s).		
	5. Valve lash out of adjustment.	5. Reset valve lash.		
The engine starts hard	1. Air cleaner plugged	1. Check, replace air cleaner.		
and runs rough.	or damaged.			
	2. Defective spark plug(s).	2. Clean, re-gap or replace plug(s).		
	3. Fuel Regulator not set.	3. Set Fuel Regulator.		
	4. Fuel Pressure incorrect.	4. Confirm fuel pressure to regulator is 11-14" water column (0.6 psi).		
The Auto/Off/Manual switch	1. Defective switch.	1. *		
is set to OFF, but the engine	2. Auto/Off/Manual switch	2. *		
continues to run.	wired incorrectly. 3. Defective control board.	3. *		
There is no AC output from the generator.	1. Main line circuit breaker open.	 Reset circuit breaker to ON (or closed). 		
8	2. Generator internal failure.	2. *		
There is no transfer to	1. Defective transfer switch coil.	1. *		
standby after utility	2. Defective transfer relay.	2. *		
source failure.	3. Transfer relay circuit open.	3. *		
	4. Defective control logic board.	4. *		
Unit consumes large	1. Break-in procedure	1. *		
amounts of oil.	not followed (see Section 3.1).			

*Contact the nearest Guardian Authorized Dealer for assistance.



Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators Wiring Diagram – 12 & 15 kW – Drawing No. 0D8500-B



Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators Wiring Diagram – 12 & 15 kW – Drawing No. 0D8500-B







Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators Electrical Schematic – 12 & 15 kW – Drawing No. 0D8501-B



Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators Electrical Schematic – 12 & 15 kW – Drawing No. 0D8501-B





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Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators Wiring Diagram – 7 kW – Drawing No. 0D9013-C



Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators Wiring Diagram – 7 kW – Drawing No. 0D9013-C







Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators Electrical Schematic – 7 kW – Drawing No. 0D9014-C



Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators Electrical Schematic – 7 kW – Drawing No. 0D9014-C







Section 7 – Exploded Views and Parts Lists

Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators Enclosure – Drawing No. 0D3416-R



Section 7 – Exploded Views and Parts Lists

ITEM PART NO. QTY. DESCRIPTION

Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators Enclosure – Drawing No. 0D3416-R



ITEM PART NO. QTY. DESCRIPTION

1	0C6140	1	ASSEMBLY, ENCLOSURE BASE	42	0D3037A	1	LATCH, QUARTER TURN NON-LOCKING
	0D1901	1	ASSEMBLY, ENCLOSURE BASE (7KW)	43	0A2115	4	WASHER NYLON .250"
2	0C6735	2	SUPPORT, ROOF FOLDING	44	022097	9	WASHER LOCK M6-1/4"
3	0C7061	1	ENCLOSURE, FRONT	45	022473	4	WASHER FLAT 1/4" ZINC
4	0C7062	1	ENCLOSURE, EXHAUST SIDE	46	036261	14	RIVET POP .125 X .129133/#30
	0C7062A	1	ENCLOSURE, EXHAUST SIDE (7KW)	47	047411	12	SCREW HHC M6-1.0 X 16 G8.8
5	0C7063	1	ENCLOSURE, SIDE & BACK	48	043116	5	SCREW HHC M6-1.0 X 12 G8.8
	0C7063A	1	ENCLOSURE, SIDE & BACK (7KW)		043116	6	SCREW HHC M6-1.0 X 12 G8.8 (7KW)
6	0C7064	1	ENCLOSURE, ROOF	49	0D3700	18	NUT, LOCKING FLANGE M6-1.0
7	0C7065	1	PANEL, ALTERNATOR DIVIDER	50	083512	11	SCREW TAPTITE M8-1.25 X 16 BP
	0C7065A	1	PANEL, ALTERNATOR DIVIDER (7KW)	51	090388	36	SCREW TAPTITE M6-1.0 X 12 BP
8	0C8101A	1	PANEL, MUFFLER BOX SIDE			24	SCREW TAPTITE M6-1.0 X 12 BP (7KW)
	0C8861	1	PANEL, MUFFLER BOX SIDE (7KW)	52	092120	2	NUT LOCK TRIC M6 X 1.0 Y/ZNC
9	0C8101B	1	COVER, MUFFLER BOX	54	0D3167	1	GASKET, BATTERY SUPPORT BRACKET
	0C8862	1	COVER, MUFFLER BOX (7KW)	55	0A3328	1	PLUG, PLASTIC 0.593
10	0C8283	1	GASKET, DOOR SEAL	56	055414	1	LUG SLDLSS #2-#8X17/64 CU
11	0C8284A	1	FOAM, BACK ENCLOSURE	57	092079	1	SCREW TAPTITE M6-1.0X25 BP
12	0C8284B	1	FOAM, ROOF ENCLOSURE	58	0A1658	2	L/WASH SPECIAL 1/4
13	0C8284C	1	FOAM, FRONT ENCLOSURE	59	0C2937	1	BRACKET, BATTERY HOLD DOWN (7KW)
14	0C8285	1	BRACKET, BATTERY SUPPORT	60	086729	1	CONTACTOR, STARTER (7KW)
15	0C8899A	1	PAD, 24"X48" WITH MOUNTING HOLES	61	0388040AJ0	1	CABLE, #6 RED BATTERY 38.5"
16	0D1128	1	PANEL, ENGINE DIVIDER	62	022127	2	NUT HEX 1/4-20 STEEL (7KW)
	0D1128A	1	PANEL, ENGINE DIVIDER (7KW)	63	022129	4	WASHER LOCK 5/16
17	0E4244	1	BAFFLE, INTAKE	00	022129	5	WASHER LOCK 5/16 (7KW)
.,	0D1605A	1	BAFFLE, INTAKE (7KW)	64	074908	8	SCREW TAPTITE M5-0.8 X 10 BP
18	0D1606	1	HOUSING, FAN	65	0D2346	1	HARNESS, ENGINE
10	0D5264	1	BAFFLE, EXHAUST (7KW)	00	0D2345	1	HARNESS, ENGINE (7KW)
19	0D1839	2	BRACKET, TOP SUPPORT	66	023484F	1	BUSHING, SNAP SB-1000-12
20	0D1840	2	BRACKET, BOTTOM SUPPORT	67	022142	1	SCREW HHC 5/16-18 X 3/4 G5 (7KW)
21	0D2425	1	DUCT, BASE AIR	68	0A7836	2	RIVET,1/8" X 0.126" - 0.375" LSH POP
22	0D2588	1	GASKET, FRONT DIVIDER	69	0A8475	2	L/WASH SPECIAL #10
~~	0D2588A	1	GASKET, FRONT DIVIDER (7KW)	70	0912970069	1	ASSEMBLY, ROOF / DOOR GROUND WIRE
23	0D2676	1	COVER, FRONT EXHAUST ENCLOSURE	70	0912970070	2	ASSEMBLY, ROOF / DOOR GROUND WIRE
24	0D2677	1	COVER, BACK EXHAUST ENCLOSURE	72	055450	2	PLUG PLASTIC 1.375
25	0D2979B	2	CLOTH, HARDWARE 266.7mm x 146mm	73	0D2023	10.5	GASKET, CLIP-ON SELF GRIPPING
20	0D2979B	3	CLOTH, HARDWARE 266.7mm x 146mm	74	0D3701	1	PLATE, "HOT"
	0020100	0	(7KW)	75	0D3472	1	GROMMET 2.75 X 1/16
26	0D2979C	1	CLOTH, HARDWARE 543mm x 146mm	76	0C8742	1	EXTERNAL CONNECTION BOX
27	0D2979D	1	CLOTH, HARDWARE 266.7mm x 387.4mm	77	0C8911	1	POWER BLOCK
21	0D2979E	1	CLOTH, HARDWARE (7KW)	78	0D8442	1	HARNESS GENERATOR TO EXTERNAL
28	0E4245	1	FOAM, FRONT INTAKE BAFFLE	70	000442		CONNECTION BOX
20	0D3058A	1	FOAM, FRONT INTAKE BAFFLE (7KW)		0D8652	1	HARNESS GENERATOR TO EXTERNAL
29	0E4245A	1	FOAM, TOP INTAKE BAFFLE		000002	I	CONNECTION BOX (7KW)
30	0E4245B	1	FOAM, BACK INTAKE BAFFLE	79	036937	2	SCREW PPHM #10-32 X 1
50	0D3058C	1	FOAM, BACK INTAKE BAFFLE (7KW)	80	022152	5	WASHER LOCK #10
31	0D3057D	1	FOAM, BACK ENCL. STRIP	81	051713	2	WASHER FLAT M5
32	0D3059A	1	FOAM, EXHAUST SIDE ENCLOSURE END	82	022158	5	NUT HEX #10-32 STEEL
33	0D3059A 0D3059B	1	FOAM, EXHAUST SIDE ENCLOSURE	83	0D3031	1	FUEL LINE, 3/4"OUTDOOR (NOT SHOWN)
55	0030390	I	FRONT	84	026850	1	WASHER SHAKPROOF EXT 1/4 STEEL
34	0D3059C	1	FOAM, EXHAUST FAN HOUSING	85	020850	1	NUT HEX M6-1.0 G8 YELLOW CHROME
35	0D30390 0D7176	24	WASHER, SELF LOCKING	86	0049013 0D2537A	1	HINGE, LIFT OFF, TYPE A KNUCKLE
30	00/1/0						HINGE, LIFT OFF, TYPE B KNUCKLE
36	0D3059D	22 1	WASHER, SELF LOCKING (7KW) FOAM, FRONT EXHAUST ENCLOSURE	87 88	0D2538A 047411	1 2	SCREW HHC M6-1.0 X 16 G8.8
30	0030390	1	COVER	89	0A2311		SCREW SWAGE 1/4-20 X 1
07		4				1	
37	0D3059E	1	FOAM, BACK EXHAUST ENCLOSURE COVER	90	043107	4	SCREW HHC M8-1.25 X 25
20	007701	0		91	022145	8	WASHER FLAT 5/16
38 20	0C7781	2	DOOR, PAWL	92 02	045771	4	NUT HEX M8-1.25
39 40	0D3037	1		93 04	0C3906	2	SELF-ALIGN SCREW M6 HH
40	0D2537	1		94	0E4321	1	PANEL, EXHAUST ALIGNMENT
41	0D2538	1	HINGE, LIFT OFF, TYPE B PIN				
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Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators Control Panel – Drawing No. 0E7974-B


ITEM PART NO. QTY. DESCRIPTION

Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators Control Panel – Drawing No. 0E7974-B



ITEM PART NO. QTY. DESCRIPTION

1	0E7886A	1	CIRCUIT BREAKER 30A X 2P 240V (7KW)	21	075235	4	SCREW HHC M5-0.8 x 30mm
	0E7886C	1	CIRCUIT BREAKER 40A X 2P 240V	22	0D5240	1	SWITCH, SPST (ON)-ON N/O
			(8.5KW)	23	051714	4	NUT HEX M3-0.5
	0E7886D	1	CIRCUIT BREAKER 45A X 2P 240V		051714	2	NUT HEX M3-0.5 (7KW)
			(11KW)	24	0D8502	1	NEUTRAL CONNECTOR
	0E7886E	1	CIRCUIT BREAKER 50A X 2P 240V	26	0D8441	1	HARNESS, CONTROL PANEL (NOT
			(12KW)				SHOWN)
	0E7886F	1	CIRCUIT BREAKER 60A X 2P 240V		0E0120	1	HARNESS, CONTROL PANEL WIRE (NOT
			(13KW)				SHOWN) (7KW)
	0E7886G	1	CIRCUIT BREAKER 70A X 2P 240V	27	074908	4	SCREW TAPTITE, M5-0.8 x 10 BP
			(15KW)	28	049226	6	WASHER LOCK M5
2	0A1801	1	ASSEMBLY, BATTERY CHARGER ENGINE	29	051716	6	NUT HEX M5-0.8
3	083049	1	ASSEMBLY, POTTED REGULATOR	30	0C3910	1	TRANSFORMER
4	0C2174	1	RELAY, 12V 25A SPST	31	022507	2	SCREW HHC 1/4"-20 x 1/2"
5	075210A	1	BLOCK 1 POSITION	32	099727	1	FUSE 5A X AGC5
6	0D3062	4	HEX STAND-OFF #6-32 x 3/8"	33	046689	1	BLOCK TERMINAL STRIP 20A 4 X 6 X
7	0D8615	1	ASSEMBLY, HOME STANDBY CON-				1100V
			TROLLER	34	063617	1	RELAY PANEL 12VDC DPDT 10A 240VAC
	0D8615A	1	ASSEMBLY, HOME STANDBY	35	075475	4	SCREW PPHM M4-0.7 x 10mm
			CONTROLLER (7KW)	36	043180	2	WASHER FLAT M4
8	032300	2	HOLDER, FUSE	37	0D8439	1	COVER, CONTROL PANEL COMPONENT
9	022676	1	FUSE, 15AMP X AGC15		0E0119	1	COVER, CONTROL PANEL COMPONENT
10	0E4494	1	SWITCH, ROCKER DPDT ON-OFF-ON				(7KW)
11	0E7890	1	CIRCUIT BREAKER MOUNTING	38	092036	8	SCREW PPHMS/LW #6-32 x 1/4"
			BRACKET	39	045770	2	SCREW HHC M5-0.8 x10mm
12	023484E	1	SNAP BUSHING	40	0E7866	1	COVER, CONTROL PANEL
13	075476	4	SCREW PPHM M4-0.7 x 16mm		0E7867	1	COVER, CONTROL PANEL (7KW)
14	022264	8	WASHER LOCK #8-M4	41	0D3700	10	NUT FLANGE M6-1.0 NYLOK
15	051715	8	NUT HEX M4-0.7	42	0912970069	1	ASSEMBLY, ROOF/DOOR GROUND WIRE
16	043182	4	WASHER LOCK M3	43	0A2311	1	SCREW SWAGE 1/4"-20 x 1"
	043182	2	WASHER LOCK M3 (7KW)	44	0A1658	2	WASHER LOCK SPECIAL 1/4"
17	043181	4	SCREW PHM M3-0.5 x 10mm	45	022473	3	WASHER FLAT 1/4"-M6
18	0D8443	1	DECAL, CONTROL PANEL (NOT SHOWN)	46	038750	1	SCREW HHC M6-1.0 x 30mm
19	054502	1	CIRCUIT BREAKER 3 X 1 ETA 46-500-P	47	022097	3	WASHER LOCK M6-1/4"
	053623	1	CIRCUIT BREAKER 2.5 X 1 ETA 46-500-P	48	049813	1	NUT HEX M6-1.0
			(7KW)	49	031879	4	WASHER FLAT #4
20	0E7870	1	CONTROL, PANEL BOTTOM		031879	2	WASHER FLAT #4 (7KW)
	0E7871	1	CONTROL, PANEL BOTTOM (7KW)	50	023897	2	WASHER FLAT #10



Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators 7 kW GTS Load Center Assembly – Drawing No. 0E7975-A



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ITEM	PART NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION
	07 400 4		
1	0D4801	1	BOX GTS LOAD CENTER
2	0D4800	1	COVER, 8 POSITION GTS LOAD CENTER
3	0C2237		TRANSFER SWITCH HOME STANDBY 100A 2P 250V
3A	077220	1	COIL UTILITY
3B	077220A	1	COIL STANDBY
3C	082574	1	INSULATOR-SIDEWALL (NOT SHOWN)
3D	084464	1	LIMIT SWITCH OPERATION (NOT SHOWN)
4	074908	8	SCREW TAPTITE M5-0.8 X 10 BP
5	024912	1	SCREW TAPTITE 1/4-20 X 5/8 BP
6	0A1658	1	LOCK WASHER, SPECIAL-1/4"
7	063617	1	RELAY PANEL 12VDC DPDT 10A@240VAC
8	0E7889A	1	8 CIRCUIT LOAD CENTER 125A/240V
9	0A1495	4	SCREW HHTT M4-0.7 X 10
10	0A1661	2	RIVET POP 0.156" X 0.675"
11	022473	1	WASHER FLAT 1/4-M6
12	0D3094	1	HARNESS,GTS TO MAIN PANEL
13	0D4684A	1	PLATE HARNESS ADAPTER
14	0E7900	1	SUBPLATE, LOAD CENTER
15	056326	10.5"	TRIM VINYL BLACK 1/8GP
16	022152	6	WASHER LOCK #10
17	064526	2	SCREW HWHS #6-25 X 3/8
18	0E6155	1	ARM EXTENDER PIN
19	063378	4	HOLDER CABLE TIE
20	0A2110	4	SCREW SWAGE 1/4-20 X 1/2 ZINC
21	074138	2	LUG QUICK DISCONNECT NI-S 10X45 DEG BRASS / TIN
22	036933	6	SCREW PPHM #10-32 X 3/8"
23	077033	6	LUG SLDLSS 1/0-#14X9/16 AL/CU
24	048850	1	BLOCK TERMINAL 20A 5 X 6 X 1100V
25	028739	4	TIE WRAP UL 3.9" X .10" NAT'L
26	0D4802	1	HARNESS, GTS TO EXTERNAL CONNECTION BOX
27	0D3191	1	COVER, RELAY & TERM BLOCK
28	0D3088	1	WIRE HARNESS, GTS LOAD CENTER (NOT SHOWN FOR CLARITY)
29	073591	2	FUSE HOLDER
30	073590A	2	FUSE 5A X BUSS
31	040213B	4	PCB SUPPORT SNAP-IN 1-3/8"
32	0E7888C	1	CIRCUIT BREAKER 20A X 1P
33	0A7215	4	SCREW SW 1/4-20X5/8 WITH WASHER
34	0E7888B	5	CIRCUIT BREAKER 15A X 1P
35	0E7888A	1	CIRCUIT BREAKER 30A X 2P
36	0D3320	1	COVER - HARNESS ENTRY
37	0E6193	1	BRACKET, ARM EXTENDER



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Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators 12 kW and 15 kW GTS Load Center Assembly – Drawing No. 0E7973-B



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Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators GT-990 Engine – Drawing No. 0E8774-B Part 1



Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators GT-990 Engine - Drawing No. 0E8774-B Part 1



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0C5729	1	ASSEMBLY, CRANKCASE HOUSING WITH	37	0C3971C	1	ASSEMBLY, DIPSTICK WITH HANDLE
003723	I	SLEEVE	38	0C5305	1	TUBE, DIPSTICK
0C3008	1	SEAL, 38 I.D. CRANKSHAFT	39	0C3027	1	O-RING, OIL CLR 3/8 X 1/2
090388	4	SCREW, TAPTITE M6-1.0 X 12 YC	40	0C3007	1	SEAL, 42 I.D. CRANKSHAFT
0C5372	1	ASSEMBLY, BREATHER	41	0C5731	1	ASSEMBLY, HOUSING COVER WITH
0C3005	1	GASKET, BREATHER COVER	-	003/01	I	SLEEVE
0E3372B	3	SEPARATOR, OIL BREATHER	42	0C3006	9	SCREW, HHFC M10-1.5 X 55
0D8067A	1	ASSEMBLY, HEAD #1 G&S	43	080318	8	SCREW HHFC M6-1.0 X 25
071983	4	RETAINER, PISTON PIN 20	44	093064	1	ASSEMBLY, OIL FILL CAP
0C2981C	1	ROCKER, COVER NO OIL FILL	45	0C8808	2	HOOK, LIFTING
045761A	4	STUD M8-1.25/10MM X 30 G5 ZINC	46	0D2723B	1	ROCKER, COVER WITH OIL FILL
0E2985	2	PISTON, HC	47	0C2979	2	GASKET, VALVE COVER
021533	2	SET, PISTON RING 90MM	48	086515	8	KEEPER, VALVE SPRING
0E1466	2	PIN PISTON	49	0D2274	4	RETAINER, VALVE SPRING
0D4041	1	ASSEMBLY, CAMSHAFT & GEAR	50	0D3867	4	SPRING, VALVE
0C2983	1	SHAFT, GOVERNOR	51	078672	2	SEAL, VALVE STEM D7
0C2985A	2	ROLLER BEARING, GOVERNOR PLATE	52	0C5371	4	WASHER, VALVE SPRING
0C2985B	1	ROLLER BEARING, GOVERNOR	53	072694	4	STUD, ROCKER ARM PIVOT
0D4042	1	ASSEMBLY, GOVERNOR GEAR	54	0D3998	4	NUT HEX M8-1.0 G8 YEL CHR
0A7811	1	SPOOL, GOVERNOR MACHINED	55	0C3027	2	O-RING, 3/8" X 1/2"
0C2977	1	GASKET, CRANK CASE	56	0D5313	4	ROCKER ARM
0C5943	1	SEAL, OIL PASSAGE	57	0D6024	2	PLATE, PUSH ROD GUIDE
0E4357E	1	ASSEMBLY, CRANKSHAFT HORIZONTAL	58	0C2976	12	SCREW HHFC M8-1.25 X 65
		DIRECT DRIVE	59	086516	2	VALVE, EXHAUST
0E3223	2	ASSEMBLY, CONNECTING ROD	60	0C2229	2	VALVE, INTAKE
0D2157	2	SCREW SHC M6-1.0 X 50 G8.8	61	083897	4	TAPPET, SOLID
0E6098	1	SCREEN, OIL PICKUP	62	0D8067B	1	ASSEMBLY, HEAD #2 G&S
0D4123A	1	ASSEMBLY, OIL PUMP	63	0D9853D	4	PUSHROD, 147
078699E	2	SLEEVE, SEAMED DOWEL 10 DIA.	64	0C2978	2	GASKET, HEAD
0C3011	2	COVER, OIL RELIEF	65	043790A	1	BARBED ELBOW 90 3/8NPT X 3/8
0C3009	2	SPRING, OIL RELIEF				LOCKTITE
0C3010	2	BALL, 1/2D OIL RELIEF	66	0D4010	1	KIT GASKET
093873	2	WASHER, LOCK RIB M6	67	0D4011	1	KIT PISTON & RINGS
0C5315	1	GEROTOR, OUTER	68	0D4012	1	KIT BREATHER ASSEMBLY
0C5998	1	CLAMP, OIL TUBE	69	0D4013	1	KIT GOVERNOR ASSEMBLY
0D1667	1	ARM, GOVERNOR	70	0D8675A	1	KIT HEAD ASSEMBLY CYLINDER 1
0C2991	2	E-RING, GOVERNOR ARM	71	0D8675B	1	KIT HEAD ASSEMBLY CYLINDER 2
0C2988	1	THRUST WASHER, GOVERNOR	72	0D4015	1	KIT OIL RELIEF
0C2992	1	BUSHING, GOVERNOR LOWER	73	0D4016	1	KIT GEAR COVER



Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators GT-990/760 Engine – Drawing No. 0E8774-B Part 2



ITEM PART NO. QTY. DESCRIPTION

Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators GT-990/760 Engine – Drawing No. 0E8774-B Part 2



74 0C5136A 2 KNOB, AIR CLEANER 110 0C3022A HOUSING, BLOWER NG COOLER 1 75 0C3024 1 COVER, AIRBOX NG/LP 111 0D1131 1 GUARD, FAN 76 0C3040 1 PRE-CLEANER, 112 045756 25 SCREW TAPTITE M6-1X10 YELLOW 77 0C8127 1 ELEMENT, AIR CLEANER CHROME 78 0D8564A 1 ASSEMBLY, MIXER/AIRBOX 990 113 0C9763 4 NUT, GROMMET 1/4 PLUG ASSEMBLY, MIXER/AIRBOX 760 0D8564B 1 114 0C3036A 1 HOSE. BREATHER 79 0D2595 4 SCREW SHOULDER (8MM) M6-1.0 X 18 115 022145 1 WASHER FLAT 5/16-M8 ZINC 80 0D4417 4 WASHER, RUBBER 1/4" X 1/8" THICK 116 022129 1 WASHER LOCK M8-5/16 81 0C3025 SWITCH, OIL PRESS 117 0C3018 1 WRAPPER, UPPER CYLINDER 1 1 82 0D3083 ASSEMBLY, OIL DRAIN HOSE 118 0C3019 1 WRAPPER, LOWER CYLINDER 1 1 WRAPPER, LOWER CYLINDER 2 83 0C7292 NIPPLE, 3/4"-16 UNF 0D1142A 1 119 1 WRAPPER, UPPER CYLINDER 2 070185B 84 1 OIL FILTER 120 0D1143 1 075281 0E6043 2 85 1 SWITCH, THERMAL 284F 121 SCREW TAPTITE M5-0.8 X 8 ZP 86 0C1085 2 SCREW PPHM M3-0.5 X 8 122 0E7209 1 ASSEMBLY, GROUND WIRE 2 87 043182 2 WASHER LOCK M3 123 0C3052 ASSEMBLY, IGNITION COIL 88 035461A 2 BARBED STR 1/4NPT X 3/8 WITH VIBRA 124 022097 4 WASHER LOCK M6-1/4 4 SFAL 125 092079 SCREW TAPTITE M6-1.0 X 25 BP 89 0C7649 CLAMP HOSE .38-.87 4 126 0E4271 1 STARTER 90 0C9806 2 HOSE, 3/8" I.D. X 6" LONG 127 0D4529 2 SPARKPLUG 91 0C3026 COOLER, OIL 128 022129 2 WASHER LOCK M8-5/16 1 92 0C9764 4 PLASTITE, 1/4-15 X 3/4 129 2 SCREW HHC M8-1.25 X 85 G8.8 061906 93 0C3043 2 GASKET, MANIFOLD / PORT 130 082774 1 KEY, WOODRFF 4 X 19D 94 0C7694 1 MANIFOLD CYLINDER 2 131 0E5343 1 NUT HEX LOCK M10-1.50 95 0C7693 1 MANIFOLD CYLINDER 1 132 0C8468 1 SPRING, ANTI-LASH 2 96 0C3041A SLEEVE, RUBBER 133 0C3048 1 ROD, GOVERNOR CONTROL 97 070008 4 WASHER FLAT M8 SS 134 0D3754 1 ASSEMBLY, GOVERNOR LEVER 98 070006 135 0D3742 SPRING, GOVERNOR 4 WASHER LOCK M8 SSTL 1 99 040976 136 ASSEMBLY, GOVERNOR ADJUSTER 4 SCREW SHC M8-1.25 X 20 G12.9 0C8482 1 100 0E4997 1 ASSY, GROUND WIRE CONNECTOR 137 0E0486 1 SCREW SHC M10-1.5 X 75 G10.9 101 0E4997 1 GROUND WIRE CONNECTOR 138 0D3743 1 SPRING, GOVERNOR IDLE 102 0C3725B 1 FLYWHEEL ASSEMBLY 139 0D3705 1 ASSEMBLY, GOVERNOR ADJUSTER 103 0C3031 1 FAN, NYLON BRACKET 0C3032 PLATE, FAN 140 0C2993 SEAL, GOVERNOR SHAFT 104 1 1 2 WASHER SHAKEPROOF INT M8 SS 4 SCREW HHFC M6-1.0 X 12 105 0A5992 141 0C8563 2 1 106 051754 SCREW HHC M8-1.25 X 12 G8.8 142 045771 NUT HEX M8-1.25 G8 107 0C3033 1 WASHER, 25mm I.D. 143 0D6147 6 SCREW HHFC M6-1.0 X 10mm 108 0C3034 NUT, HEX M24 144 0E8152 O-RING 0.49" I.D. X 0.07" THICK 1 1 109 0C8549A SNORKEL, AIR INTAKE 1

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Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators 7 kW Generator – Drawing No. 0D3504-C



Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators 7 kW Generator – Drawing No. 0D3504-C



ITEM	PART NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION
1	0C6934	1	ADAPTOR, ENGINE
2	0C9935H	1	STATOR
3	0C9934H	1	ROTOR
4	0C6043A	1	CARRIER, REAR BEARING
5	0C8096	1	FAN, 8" CURVED BLADE
6	0C9593	1	MUFFLER
7	0D3220	1	TAIL PIPE, MUFFLER
8	0C8860	1	PANEL, MUFFLER BASE
9	031971	1	BEARING #6205-2RS-C3
10	0C3168	3	5/16 SPECIAL L/WASH
11	056147	1	BOLT ROTOR HHCS 5/16"-24 X 13-1/2" G5
12	0D1847	4	BOLT STATOR HHCS M8-1.25 x 305mm
13	0C7038C	1	BRACKET, ALTERNATOR MOUNTING
14	0D1647	1	DUCT, ALTERNATOR AIR
15	0D2558	1	GASKET, ALTERNATOR AIR DUCT
16	0C7038B	1	BRACKET, ENGINE MOUNTING
17	0C7758	4	RUBBER MOUNT
18	0388050AE0	1	CABLE, #6 40" BLACK BATTERY
19	0C2417A	1	EARTH STRAP 3/8X 3/8
20	082121C	1	CLIP-J VINYL COAT .625 ID
21	066386	1	ASSEMBLY BRUSH HOLDER
22	029451	1.8 FT	TAPE ELEC UL FOAM 1/8 X 1/2
23	049451	1	WASHER FLAT .406ID X 1.62OD
24	022237	4	WASHER LOCK 3/8
25	022511	4	BOLT HHC 3/8-16 X 1-1/4 G5
26	022131	4	WASHER FLAT 3/8 ZINC
27	039287	4	SCREW HHC M8-1.25 X 45 G8.8
28	022145	14	WASHER FLAT 5/16 ZINC
29	049820	4	NUT LOCK HEX M8-1.25 NYL INSRT
30	090388	3	SCREW TAP M6-1.0X12 BP
31	022129	13	WASHER LOCK M8-5/16
32	022259	8	NUT HEX 5/16-18 STEEL
33	059637	2	SCREW TAPTITE 3/8-16X 3/4" BP
34	048031K	3	BAND, HOSE CLAMP 35.05 DIA.
35	0C9592	1	BELLOWS
36	057822	2	CLAMP HOSE #8 .53 - 1.00
37	040976	2	SCREW SHC M8-1.25 X 20 G12.9
38	0C2824	-	SCREW TAPR #10-32 X 9/16
39	025145	1	U-BOLT 5/16"-18 X 1.25" W/ SADDLE
40	090239	1	GASKET, EXHAUST
41	0C6989	1	STINGER, ENGINE AIR IN
42	0D1214	1	BASE, AIR CLEANER
43	0C8127	1	ELEMENT, AIR CLEANER
44	0C3024	1	COVER, AIR CLEANER NG/LP
45	0D2273	1	TUBE, 1.25"O.D. x 20Ga. x 12.125" LONG
46	055934N	1	CLAMP VINYL 1.31 X .281 Z
47	074994	1.25 FT	HOSE 1/2ID PETROLEUM
48	0C5136A	2	KNOB, AIR CLEANER
49	074906	4	SCREW TAPTITE M6-1 X 20 BP
50	022473	4	WASHER FLAT 1/4 ZINC
51	0D4662	6	SCREW HHTT M8-1.2 X 20 BP
52	0C8290	1	GASKET, PANEL
53	066849	2	SCREW HHTT M5-0.8 X 16
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Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators 12 kW and 15 kW Generator – Drawing No. 0D3417-H



Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators 12 kW and 15 kW Generator – Drawing No. 0D3417-H



ITEM	PART NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION
1	0C6934	1	ADAPTOR, ENGINE
2	0C7930	1	STATOR 12KW
	0D2359		STATOR 13KW / 15KW
3	0C7944	1	ROTOR 12KW
	0D2356		ROTOR 13KW / 15KW
4	0C6043	1	CARRIER, REAR BEARING
5	0D2336	1	FAN, 12" CURVED BLADE
6	0D6634	1	MUFFLER
7	0D3220	1	TAIL PIPE, MUFFLER
8	0C8101	1	PANEL, MUFFLER BASE
9	056482	1	BEARING 1.1811-2.8346
10	0C3168	3	5/16 SPECIAL LOCK WASHER
11	0D1838	1	BOLT, HHCS 3/8"-24 x 15.50"
12	0D1846	4	BOLT, HHCS M8-1.25 x 345mm
13	0C7038	1	BRACKET, ALTERNATOR MOUNTING
14	0D1609	1	DUCT, ALTERNATOR AIR
15	0D2559	1	GASKET, ALTERNATOR AIR DUCT
16	0C7038A	1	BRACKET, ENGINE MOUNTING
17	0C7758	4	RUBBER MOUNT
18	0388050AD0	1	CABLE, #6 48" BLACK BATTERY
19	0C2417A	1	EARTH STRAP 3/8X 3/8
20	082121C	1	CLIP-J, VYNL COAT 0.625" ID
21	066386	1	ASSEMBLY BRUSH HOLDER
22	029451	2.6 FT	TAPE ELEC UL FOAM 1/8 X 1/2
23	049451	1	WASHER FLAT .406ID X 1.62OD
24	022237	5	WASHER LOCK 3/8
25	022511	4	SCREW HHC 3/8-16 X 1-1/4 G5
26	022131	4	WASHER FLAT 3/8 ZINC
27	039288	4	SCREW HHC M8-1.25 x 55 G8.8
28	022145	14	WASHER FLAT 5/16 ZINC
29	049820	4	NUT LOCK HEX M8-1.25 NYL INSERT
30	045756	2	SCREW TAPTITE M6-1.0X10 BP
31	022129	10	WASHER LOCK M8-5/16
32	022259	8	NUT HEX 5/16-18 STEEL
33	059637	2	SCREW TAPTITE 3/8-16 X 3/4 BP
34	0D4662	4	SCREW 5/16-18X3/4" HH THD ROLL
35	074994	3 FT	HOSE RES 1/2 LP GAS
36	057822	4	CLAMP HOSE #8 .53 - 1.00
37 38	0F0462 0C2824	4 1	NUT HEX W/TOOTH WSHR M8-1.25
		1	SCREW TAP-R #10-32 x 9/16
39 40	025145 0C4138	2	U-BOLT 5/16"-18 X 1.25" WITH SADDLE
40 41	004138 048031C	2	GASKET, EXHAUST PORT CLAMP HOSE BAND ¼"
41	030340	1.33 FT	HOSE 1/4 ID SAE 30R7
42	066849	2	SCREW HHTT M5-0.8 X 16
40	000049	2	JUNE VV HITTI IVIJ"U.O A TU



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ITEM	PART NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION
1	0E3221	1	ASSEMBLY, CONNECTING ROD
2	0E1466	1	PIN, PISTON D20
3	021533	1	SET, PISTON RING 90MM
4	0E2985	1	PISTON, HC
5	071983	2	RETAINER, PISTON PIN 20
6	0E8440	1	ASSEMBLY, CRANKSHAFT GH410 SMALL TAPER
7	0A7628	1	ARM, GOVERNOR RC45
8	078658	1	PIN, "R" GOVERNOR ARM
9	078659	2	WASHER, GOVERNOR ARM THRUST
10	088261E	1	CRANKCASE, SUBASSEMBLY WITH PLUGS GH410
11	0E3812	2	SEAL, 35 I.D. CRANKSHAFT
12	0E6519	1	ASSEMBLY, GOVERNOR GEAR
13	078645	1	C-RING, GOVERNOR GEAR RETAINER
14	0A7811	1	SPOOL, GOVERNOR- MACHINE
15	0A9877	1	ASSEMBLY, CAMSHAFT & GEAR
16	076701	1	GASKET , CRANKCASE
17	021713B	1	GASKET, HEAD 410
18	078691	1	COVER, OIL PRESSURE RELIEF
19	0A5771	1	SPRING, OIL RELIEF 360
20	0A5776	1	BALL, DIA 11/32 PRESSURE RELIEF
21	076361	1	WASHER, THRUST GOVERNOR GEAR
22	0A8898D	1	ASSEMBLY, COVER, GEAR TOP CHECK / FILL
23	0D2274	2	RETAINER, VALVE SPRING
24	0C4391	2	VALVE SPRING LF
25	086025	1	SET,GEROTOR 12 THK
26	0E3341	1	BALANCER
27	021714	1	ASSEMBLY, CYLINDER HEAD SEATS & GUIDES
28	086516	1	VALVE, EXHAUST
29	086517	1	VALVE, INTAKE
30	0D9853B	2	PUSH ROD 174.9
31	083897	2	ТАРРЕТ
32	077158	1	ASSEMBLY, SCREEN OIL PICK-UP
33	0C3150	1	GASKET, ROCKER COVER 410
34	072694	2	STUD, D20 PIVOT BALL
35	083907	2	ROCKER ARM
36	072696	2	NUT, JAM (ROCKER ARM)
37	078694	1	PLATE, PUSH ROD GUIDE
38	021742	4	SCREW, HHFL M10-1.5 X 105
39	0D6094	1	ASSEMBLY, ROCKER COVER BREATHER
40	076329	1	PLUG, OIL FILL PLASTIC
41	0E0057	1	O-RING 17.8 I.D. x 2.4
42	0D4788	1	PLUG, STANDARD PIPE 3/8 STEEL SQUARE HEAD
43	074908	1	SCREW, TAPTITE M5-0.8 X 10 BP
44	086515	4	KEEPER, VALVE SPRING
45	078606	4	SCREW & LOCKWASHER M6-1 X 12
46	0A1442	8	SCREW, HHFC M8-1.25 X 42
47	078672	1	SEAL, VALVE STEM D7
48	089673	2	WASHER, VALVE SPRING
49	0B2104	1	WASHER, LARGE SPRING
50	078699C	2	DOWEL, SEAMED SLEEVE
51	0A7627	1	SHAFT, GOVERNOR RC55
52	043790A	1	BARBED ELBOW 90 3/8NPT X 3/8 LOCKTITE
53	088590	1	DOWEL DIA 12 X 18L
54	078699B	1	DOWEL, SLEEVE SEAMED 12 DIA.







ITEM	PART NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION
1	0C1069	5	SCREW, TAPTITE M6-1.0X8 YELLOW CHROME
2	0D2922	1	HOUSING, BLOWER
3	0C8435	1	TUBE, DIPSTICK
4	0C9997	1	GUARD, FAN
5	088434	1	WRAPPER, BOTTOM
6	045756	11	SCREW, TAPTITE M6-1X10 YELLOW CHROME
7	0C4176A	1	WRAPPER, TOP
8	0D9004A	1	ASSY, STARTER
9	059985	2	SCREW, SHC M8-1.25 X 45 G12.9
10	022129	2	WASHER, LOCK M8-5/16
11	0C2458A	1	BACKPLATE, L/F D/F
12	083512	1	SCREW, TAPTITE M8-1.25 X 16 BP
13	0D1401A	1	BREATHER TUBE
14	091039	1	GASKET, INTAKE ADAPTER
15	0C9619	1	ASSEMBLY, PLASTIC CARB
16	049811	2	WASHER, FLAT M6
17	022097	4	WASHER, LOCK M6-1/4
18	040945	2	SCREW, SHC M6-1.0 X 20 G12.9
19	086999	1	GASKET,OIL FILTR ADAPTER
20	0D5667A	1	ADAPTER, OIL FILTER
21	049821	2	SCREW, SHC M8-1.25 X 30 G12.9
22	099236	1	SWITCH, OIL 8.0 PSI
23	070185B	1	OIL FILTER
24	082774	1	KEY, WOODRFF 4 X 19D
25	091222E	1	FLYWHEEL WITH RING GEAR 32DEG.
26	067198N	1	WASHER,BELV-20 X 2.2
27	067890	1	NUT, HEX - FLYWHEEL
28	0E7585	1	SPARKPLUG
29	072734	1	ASSEMBLY, GOVERNOR LEVER 12 HP
30	072735	1	ROD, GOVERNOR CONTROL.
31	0C3978	1	SPRING, ANTI-LASH
32	0C6040	1	ASSEMBLY, WIRE
33	0D9760	1	ASSEMBLY, IGNITION COIL
34	092079	2	SCREW, TAPTITE M6-1.0 X 25 BP
35	073100	1	SPRING GOVERNOR
36	083502	1	BOLT, GOVERNOR ADJUST M5
37	082025	1	NUT HEX LOCK M5-0.8 NYINS ZINC
38	0D3083	1	ASSEMBLY, OIL DRAIN HOSE
39	0E7887C	1	ASSEMBLY, CAP & DIPSTICK
40	090072	1	O-RING 9/16 X 3/4 X 3/32
41	075281	1	SWITCH, THERMAL
42	043182	2	WASHER LOCK M3
43	0C4739	2	SCREW PPHM M3-0.5 X 6
44 45	0C4373	1	SPACER, ENDFRAME
45	022717B	1	GROMMET



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Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators Gas Regulator – Drawing No. 0D8720-B



ITEM	PART NO	D. QTY.	DESCRIPTION	ITEM
1	0D5694	1	CASTING, TWIN REGULATOR HOUSING	21
2	0C5765	1	SOLENOID, TWIN REGULATOR	
3	0C4647	1	GASKET , SOLENOID	22
4	0C4680	1	PLUNGER, LP REGULATOR ASSEMBLY	23
5	0C6070	1	SPRING-SOLENOID, PLUNGER	24
6	022985	4	WASHER, FLAT #6	25
7	022264	4	WASHER, LOCK M4	26
8	075475	4	SCREW PPHM M4-0.7 X 10	27
9	0C5760A	1	JET, GN 410 ENGINE LP (7KW)	
10	0C6606	2*	BARBED STRAIGHT 1/2NPT x 1/2	28
11	097934	2*	O-RING, CHECK VALVE	29
12	0C4645	2*	ADJUSTER SCREW, TWIN REGULATOR	
13	0C5761	2*	LEVER, REGULATOR	30
14	0C5968	2*	SUPPORT, INLET SEAL	
15	0C6066	2*	SEAL, INLET	31
16	0C5759	2*	PIN, PIVOT ARM	32
17	0C5764	2	SPRING, REGULATOR	33
	0C5764A	1	SPRING, REGULATOR (7KW)	34
18	070728	4	SCREW, PFHMS M3-0.5 x 5	35
	070728	2	SCREW, PFHMS M3-0.5 x 5 (7KW)	36
19	0C6069	2*	GASKET, DIAPHRAGM	37
20	0C5762	2*	COVER, TWIN REGULATOR	
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21	045764	16	SCREW, TAPTITE M4X8 BP
	045764	8	SCREW, TAPTITE M4X8 BP (7KW)
22	0C6731	2*	RIVET, POP .118 X .125
23	0C6067	2*	SUPPORT, DIAPHRAGM
24	0C4706	2*	DIAPHRAGM, TWIN REGULATOR
25	0C6068	2*	CAP, DIAPHRAGM SUPPORT
26	0C4643A	2*	INLET, TWIN REGULATOR 11.11 DIA.
27	026073	1	PLUG, STANDARD PIPE 1/8 STEEL
			SQUARE HEAD
28	0A4032	2*	PIN, LIMITED ADJUSTMENT
29	0D3308	4	WASHER, FLAT M3 X 10mm O.D.
	0D3308	2	WASHER, FLAT M3 X 10mm O.D. (7KW)
30	0C4643	1	INLET, TWIN REGULATOR NO HOLE -
			NOT SHOWN (7KW)
31	028414A	1	BARBED STRAIGHT 1/8"NPT X 1/4"
32	0D5698A	1	JET IDLE PRIMER PHILLIPS HD
33	0C5760B	1	JET, GT760 CYL 1 NAT GAS
34	0C5760C	1	JET, GT760 CYL 2 NAT GAS
35	0C5760D	1	JET, GT 760 LP CYL 1
36	0C5760E	1	JET, GT760 LP CYL 2
37	0D3973	2	PLUG, EXPANSION 16mm

PART NO. QTY. DESCRIPTION

* A QUANTITY OF 1 IS TO BE USED ON 7KW HOME STANDBY



Section 8 – Mounting Dimensions

Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators Drawing No. 0D3739-B



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Section 10 – Warranty Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators

NOTE: This Emission Control Warranty Statement pertains to this product only IF the generator size is 15 kW or below.

CALIFORNIA EMISSION CONTROL WARRANTY STATEMENT

YOUR WARRANTY RIGHTS AND OBLIGATIONS

The California Air Resources Board (CARB) and Generac Power Systems, Inc. (Generac) are pleased to explain the Emission Control System Warranty on your new engine.* In California, new utility, and lawn and garden equipment engines must be designed, built and equipped to meet the state's stringent anti-smog standards. Generac will warrant the emission control system on your engine for the periods of time listed below provided there has been no abuse, neglect, unapproved modification or improper maintenance of your engine.

Your emission control system may include parts such as the carburetor, ignition system and exhaust system. Generac will repair your engine at no cost to you for diagnosis, replacement parts and labor, should a warrantable condition occur.

MANUFACTURER'S EMISSION CONTROL SYSTEM WARRANTY COVERAGE:

Emissions control systems on 1995 and later model year engines are warranted for two years as hereinafter noted. If, during such warranty period, any emission-related component or system on your engine is found to be defective in materials or workmanship, repairs or replacement will be performed by a Generac Authorized Warranty Service Facility.

PURCHASER'S/OWNER'S WARRANTY RESPONSIBILITIES:

As the engine purchaser/owner, you are responsible for the completion of all required maintenance as listed in your factory supplied *Owner's Manual*. For warranty purposes, Generac recommends that you retain all receipts covering maintenance on your engine. However, Generac cannot deny warranty solely due to the lack of receipts or for your failure to ensure the completion of all scheduled maintenance.

As the engine purchaser/owner, you should, however, be aware that Generac may deny any and/or all warranty coverage or responsibility if your engine, or a part/component thereof, has failed due to abuse, neglect, improper maintenance or unapproved modifications, or the use of counterfeit and/or "grey market" parts not made, supplied or approved by Generac.

You are responsible for contacting a Generac Authorized Warranty Service Facility as soon as a problem occurs. 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 your selling dealer or a Generac Authorized Warranty Service Facility. To locate the Generac Authorized Warranty Service Facility nearest you, call our toll-free number:

1-800-333-1322

IMPORTANT NOTE: This warranty statement explains your rights and obligations under the Emission Control System Warranty (ECS Warranty), which is provided to you by Generac pursuant to California law. See also the "Generac Limited Warranties for Generac Power Systems, Inc.," which is enclosed herewith on a separate sheet, also provided to you by Generac. The ECS Warranty applies **only** to the emission control system of your new engine. If there is any conflict in terms between the ECS Warranty and the Generac Warranty, the ECS Warranty shall apply except in circumstances where the Generac Warranty may provide a longer warranty period. Both the ECS Warranty and the Generac Warranty describe important rights and obligations with respect to your new engine.

Warranty service can be performed only by a Generac Authorized Warranty Service Facility. When requesting warranty service, evidence must be presented showing the date of the sale to the original purchaser/owner.

If you have any questions regarding your warranty rights and responsibilities, you should contact Generac at one of the following addresses:

For Air-cooled Product ...

ATTENTION WARRANTY DEPARTMENT GENERAC POWER SYSTEMS, INC. P.O. BOX 297 WHITEWATER, WI 53190 Part 1 ATTENTION WARRANTY DEPARTMENT GENERAC POWER SYSTEMS, INC. 211 MURPHY DRIVE EAGLE, WI 53119

For Liquid-cooled Product ...

Guardian Air-cooled 7 kW, 12 kW and 15 kW Generators



EMISSION CONTROL SYSTEM WARRANTY

Emission Control System Warranty (ECS Warranty) for 1995 and later model year engines:

- (a) Applicability: This warranty shall apply to 1995 and later model year engines. The ECS Warranty Period shall begin on the date the new engine or equipment is purchased by/delivered to its original, end-use purchaser/owner and shall continue for 24 consecutive months thereafter.
- (b) General Emissions Warranty Coverage: Generac warrants to the original, end-use purchaser/owner of the new engine or equipment and to each subsequent purchaser/owner that each of its engines is ...
 - (1) Designed, built and equipped so as to conform with all applicable regulations adopted by the CARB pursuant to its authority, and
- (2) Free from defects in materials and workmanship which, at any time during the ECS Warranty Period, may 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 that 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 Generac according to Subsection (4) below. Any such part repaired or replaced under the ECS Warranty shall be warranted for the remainder of the ECS Warranty Period.
 - (2) Any warranted, emissions-related part that 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 that 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 Generac 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 Generac Authorized Warranty Service Facility.
 - (5) When the engine is inspected by a Generac Authorized Warranty Service Facility, the owner shall not be held responsible for diagnostic costs if the repair is deemed warrantable.
 - (6) Generac shall be liable for damages to other original engine components or approved modifications proximately caused by a failure under warranty of any emission-related part covered by the ECS Warranty.
 - (7) Throughout the ECS Warranty Period, Generac shall maintain a supply of warranted emission-related parts sufficient to meet the expected demand for such emission-related parts.
 - (8) Any Generac authorized and approved emission-related replacement part may be used in the performance of any ECS Warranty maintenance or repairs and will be provided without charge to the owner. Such use shall not reduce Generac ECS Warranty obligations.
 - (9) Unapproved, add-on, modified, counterfeit and/or "grey market" parts may not be used to modify or repair a Generac engine. Such use voids this ECS Warranty and shall be sufficient grounds for disallowing an ECS Warranty claim. Generac shall not be held liable hereunder for failures of any warranted parts of a Generac engine caused by the use of such an unapproved, add-on, modified, counterfeit and/or "grey market" part.

EMISSION RELATED PARTS INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

1) Fuel Metering System:

- 1.2) LPG/Natural Gas carburetion assembly and its internal components.
 - a) Fuel controller (if so equipped)
- b) Mixer and its gaskets (if so equipped)
- c) Carburetor and its gaskets (if so equipped)
- d) Primary gas regulator (if so equipped)
- e) LP liquid vaporizer (if so equipped)
- 2) Air Induction System including:
 - a) Intake pipe/manifold
 - b) Air cleaner

- 3) Ignition System including:
- a) Spark plug
- b) Ignition module
- 4) Catalytic Muffler Assembly (if so equipped) including:
- a) Muffler gasket
- b) Exhaust manifold
- 5) Crankcase Breather Assembly including:a) Breather connection tube

*Generac engine types covered by this warranty statement include the following:

- 1) Prepackaged Standby Generator
- 2) Auxiliary Power Unit (APU) Generator
- 3) Standby Generator



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GENERAC POWER SYSTEMS "TWO YEAR" LIMITED WARRANTY FOR GUARDIAN® "PREPACKAGED EMERGENCY AUTOMATIC STANDBY GENERATORS"

For a period of two years from the date of original sale, Generac Power Systems, Inc. (Generac) warrants that its Guardian generator will be free from defects in material and workmanship for the items and period set forth below. Generac will, at its option, repair or replace any part which, upon examination, inspection and testing by Generac or a Guardian Authorized Warranty Service Dealer, is found to be defective. Any equipment that the purchaser/owner claims to be defective must be examined by the nearest Guardian Authorized Warranty Service Dealer. All transportation costs under the warranty, including return to the factory, are to be borne and prepaid by the purchaser/owner. This warranty applies only to Generac Guardian prepackaged emergency automatic standby generators sold and rated for use in "Standby" applications.

WARRANTY SCHEDULE

YEARS ONE AND TWO – 100% (one hundred percent) transferable coverage on Labor and Part(s) listed (proof of purchase and maintenance is required):

ENGINE – All Components

ALTERNATOR – All Components

TRANSFER SYSTEM – All Components

Steel enclosures are warranted against rusting for the first year of ownership only. Damage caused after receipt of generator is the responsibility of the owner and is not covered by this warranty. Nicks, srapes, dents or scratches to the painted enclosure should be repaired promptly by the owner.

All warranty expense allowances are subject to the conditions defined in Guardian's Warranty Policies, Procedures and Flat Rate Manual.

THIS WARRANTY SHALL NOT APPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

- Guardian generators that utilize non-Guardian/Generac replacement parts.
- Guardian generators utilizing non-Guardian/Generac automatic transfer switches.
- Any Guardian generators used as rental or trailer mounted applications.
- Units used for prime power in place of existing utility power where utility power is present or in place of utility power where utility power service does not normally exist.
- · Costs of normal maintenance, adjustments, installation and start-up.
- Steel enclosures that are rusting due to the improper installation or location in a harsh or saltwater environment.
- · Failures caused by any contaminated fuels, oils, coolants or lack of proper fluid amounts.
- Failures due, but not limited, to normal wear and tear, accident, misuse, abuse, negligence or improper installation. As with all mechanical devices, the Generac engines need periodic part(s) service and replacement to perform well. This warranty will not cover repair when normal use has exhausted the life of a part(s) or engine.
- Failures caused by any external cause or act of God, such as collision, theft, vandalism, riot or wars, nuclear holocaust, fire, freezing, lightning, earthquake, windstorm, hail, volcanic eruption, water or flood, tornado or hurricane.
- Damage related to rodent and/or insect infestation.
- Products that are modified or altered in a manner not authorized by Generac in writing.
- Any incidental, consequential or indirect damages caused by defects in materials or workmanship, or any delay in repair or replacement of the defective part(s).
- Failure due to misapplication.
- Telephone, cellular phone, facsimile, internet access or other communication expenses.
- Living or travel expenses of person(s) performing service, except as specifically included within the terms of a specific unit warranty period.
- Expenses related to "customer instruction" or troubleshooting where no manufacturing defect is found.
- Rental equipment used while warranty repairs are being performed.
- Costs incurred for equipment used for removal and/or reinstallation of generator, (i.e.; cranes, hoists, lifts, etc.)
- Overnight freight costs for replacement part(s).
- Overtime labor.
- Starting batteries, fuses, light bulbs and engine fluids.

THIS WARRANTY IS IN PLACE OF ALL OTHER WARRANTIES, EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED. SPECIFICALLY, GENERAC MAKES NO OTHER WARRANTIES AS TO THE MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE. Some states do not allow limitations on how long an implied warranty lasts, so the above limitation may not apply to you.

GENERAC'S ONLY LIABILITY SHALL BE THE REPAIR OR REPLACEMENT OF PART(S) AS STATED ABOVE. IN NO EVENT SHALL GENERAC BE LIABLE FOR ANY INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES, EVEN IF SUCH DAMAGES ARE A DIRECT RESULT OF GENERAC'S NEGLIGENCE. Some states do not allow the exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages, so the above limitation may not apply to you.

This warranty gives you specific legal rights. You also have other rights from state to state.

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