

G28 Engine

Safety, Operation, Maintenance & Parts Manual

LT40 Series

rev. F1.01



Safety is our #1 concern! Read and understand all safety information and instructions before operating, setting up or maintaining this machine.

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for the manual.**

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SECTION 1 OPERATION

1.1 Starting The Engine

Engine Control Lights

See **Figure 1-1**. The following indicator lights are located on the sawmill control panel.



Alternator Charge Indicator: Lights up if the alternator is not charging the battery.



Engine Temperature Indicator: Lights up if the engine is overheating. A circuit breaker assembly in the engine harness will shut the engine off if the engine overheats. Turn the key switch off and allow the engine to cool for a period of time before restarting. If the overheating condition persists, stop operating the engine until the condition is corrected. The engine will automatically switch to low idle if an overheating condition occurs.



Oil Indicator: Lights up if the oil pressure is too low.

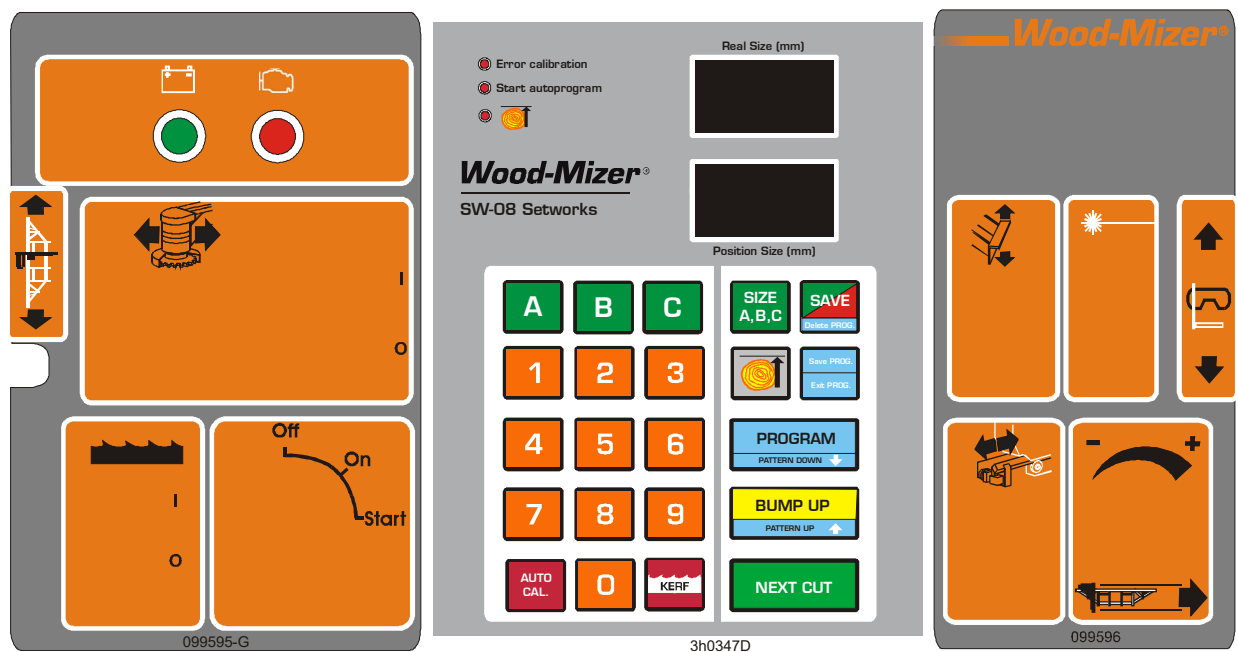


FIG. 1-1

Engine Start

DANGER! Always be sure the blade is disengaged and all persons are out of the path of the blade before starting the engine. Failure to do so will result in serious injury.

DANGER! Operate your engine/machine only in well ventilated areas. The exhaust gases of your engine can cause nausea, delirium and potentially death unless adequate ventilation is present.

DANGER! Never operate an engine with a fuel or oil leak. The leaking fuel or oil could potentially come in contact with hot surfaces and ignite into flames.



WARNING! Be sure the power feed switch is in the neutral position before turning the key switch to the on (#1) or accessory (#3) position. This prevents accidental carriage movement, which may cause serious injury or death.

WARNING! Do not operate engine without proper and operational spark arrester/muffler. Sparks emitted from the engine exhaust could ignite surrounding materials, causing serious injury or death.

Turn the key switch to the start (#2) position and release.

Engine Shutoff

Turn the key switch to the off (#0) position.

SECTION 2 MAINTENANCE

Refer to the manufacturer's manual for maintenance intervals and procedures unless otherwise instructed in this manual. Follow the manufacturer's recommendations for dusty conditions.



IMPORTANT! This manual only provides information about additional procedures or procedures to be performed at different time intervals than found in the manufacturer's manuals. Refer to the manufacturer's manual for complete maintenance instructions.

2.1 Safety

Use caution when performing maintenance or service to the engine.



DANGER! Always be aware of and take proper protective measures against rotating shafts, pulleys, fans, etc. Always stay a safe distance from rotating members and make sure that loose clothing or long hair does not engage rotating members resulting in possible injury.

DANGER! Engine components can become very hot during operation. Avoid contact with any part of a hot engine. The exhaust components of your engine are especially hot during and following operation. Contact with hot engine components can cause serious burns. Therefore, never touch or perform service functions on a hot engine. Allow the engine to cool sufficiently before beginning any service function.



WARNING! Remove the blade before performing any engine service. Failure to do so may result in serious injury.



WARNING! Always wear proper and necessary safety equipment when performing service functions. Proper safety equipment includes eye protection, breathing protection, hand protection and foot protection.



This symbol identifies the interval (hours of operation) at which each maintenance procedure should be performed. "AR" signifies maintenance procedures which should be performed as required.


2.2 Engine Oil & Filter

 Check the oil level every 8 hours of operation. Add oil as necessary. See the engine manual for oil viscosity and grade recommendations.


  **IMPORTANT!** During initial break-in, change the oil and the oil filter after the first 5 hours and every 50 hours thereafter. Continue to check oil level every 8 hours of operation and refill as necessary.


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
2.3 Cooling System

 Wash the engine or brush off sawdust and debris every 50 hours of operation. Clean the grass screen, cooling fins, and external surfaces. Remove any dust, dirt or oil. See engine manual for further instructions.


2.4 Air Filter & Pre-Cleaner

 **WARNING!** Always wear proper and necessary safety equipment when performing service functions. Proper safety equipment includes eye protection, breathing protection, hand protection and foot protection.

 Service the pre-cleaner every four hours of operation. Service by gently shaking excess sawdust and debris from the foam piece.

 Clean the air filter (air cleaner element) and pre-cleaner (element wrapper) every eight hours of operation. See the engine manual for further instructions.

 Replace the air filter (cleaner) every 200 hours of operation.

 Replace the pre-cleaner (element wrapper) every 2000 hours of operation.

2.5 Fuel Filter

 Replace the fuel filter every 100 hours of operation.

2.6 Battery



Check the battery electrolyte level every 50 hours of operation. See manufacturer's manual for instructions.



DANGER! Batteries expel explosive gases. Keep sparks, flames, burning cigarettes, or other ignition sources away at all times. Always wear safety goggles and a face shield when working near batteries. Failure to do so will cause serious injury.¹



WARNING! Battery posts, terminals and related accessories contain lead and lead compounds, chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer and reproductive harm. Wash hands after handling.

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2.7 Alternator Belt



Adjust the alternator belt as needed. Check the alternator belt for tension and wear when battery is not charging properly or when the alternator belt is squealing. To tighten the belt, loosen the adjustment bolt and lock washer. Pivot the alternator away from the motor until the belt has 7/16" (11 mm) deflection with a 5 lb. deflection force. Retighten the adjustment bolt.

See Figure 2-1.

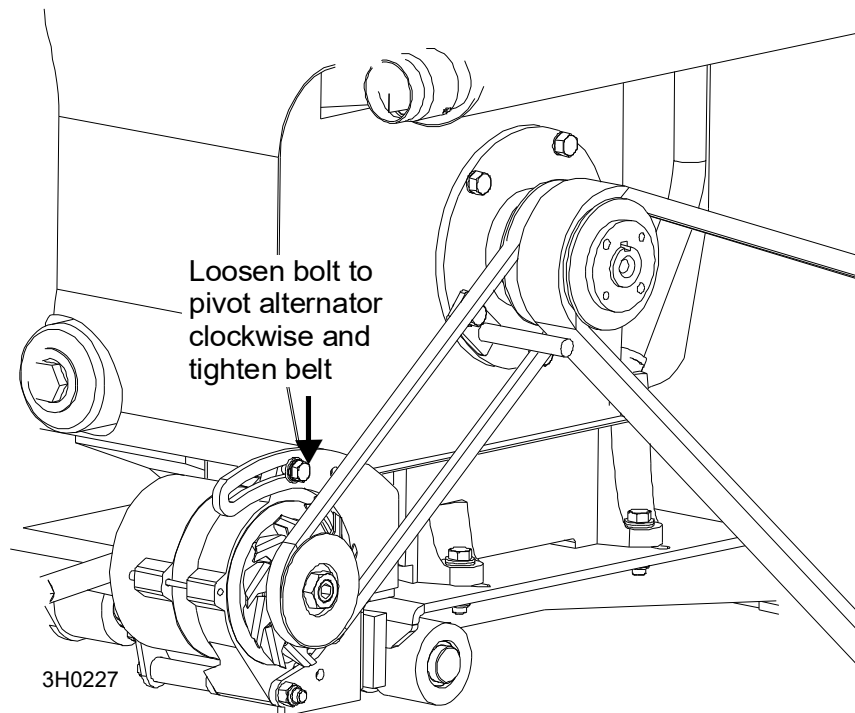


FIG. 2-1

2.8 RPM Adjustments



WARNING! Remove the blade before performing any engine service. Failure to do so may result in serious injury.

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Check the RPM with a tachometer after the first 20 hours of operation and every 200 hours thereafter. High-end RPM should be 3750 RPM and low-end RPM should be 1800 RPM (± 100).

Before checking the RPM, make sure belt and brake strap tensions are correct (See Sawmill Maintenance). Also check oil, fuel, and coolant levels.

Make sure the throttle cable does not affect the engine RPM when the clutch handle is disengaged. Make sure the cable is not bent or kinked. Check that the cable spring, cable guide, cable, and throttle brackets are aligned. **NOTE:** It is important that the above components are aligned. Proper alignment allows any slack in the cable (when engine is idling) to slide down into the cable spring. This maintains free operation of the cable and prevents the cable from kinking. Make sure the shoulder bolt does not rub against the crankcase vent tube.

1. Start the engine to measure the low-end RPM.
2. Refer to the engine manual to adjust the low-end RPM.
3. Engage the clutch handle to throttle the engine and measure the high-end RPM. The high-end RPM is factory-set at 3750. Readjust the throttle cable if necessary to increase or reduce the high-end engine speed.

The throttle cable should be tensioned just enough so that the engine revs as soon as the clutch/brake handle is engaged. **NOTE:** A properly adjusted throttle will extend the cable spring 1/4" to 3/8" (6.4 - 9.5 mm) when running and have a slight amount of slack in the cable when idling.

2.9 Drive Belt Adjustment



WARNING! Do not for any reason adjust the engine drive belts or belt support bracket with the engine running. Doing so may result in serious injury.

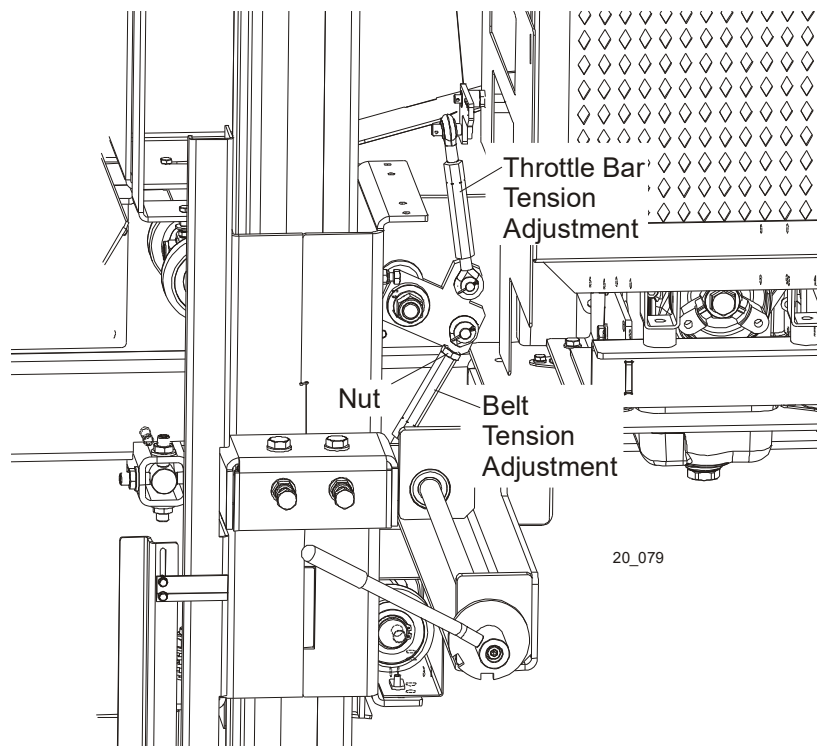
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Check the drive belt tension after the first 20 hours, and every 50 hours thereafter. When engaged, the drive belt should have 7/16" (11 mm) deflection with a 15 lb. deflection force (67 N).

To adjust drive belt tension:

1. Loosen the drive belt turnbuckle jam nuts. Turn the turnbuckle counterclockwise (as viewed from the top) to tighten the belts, clockwise to loosen the belts.

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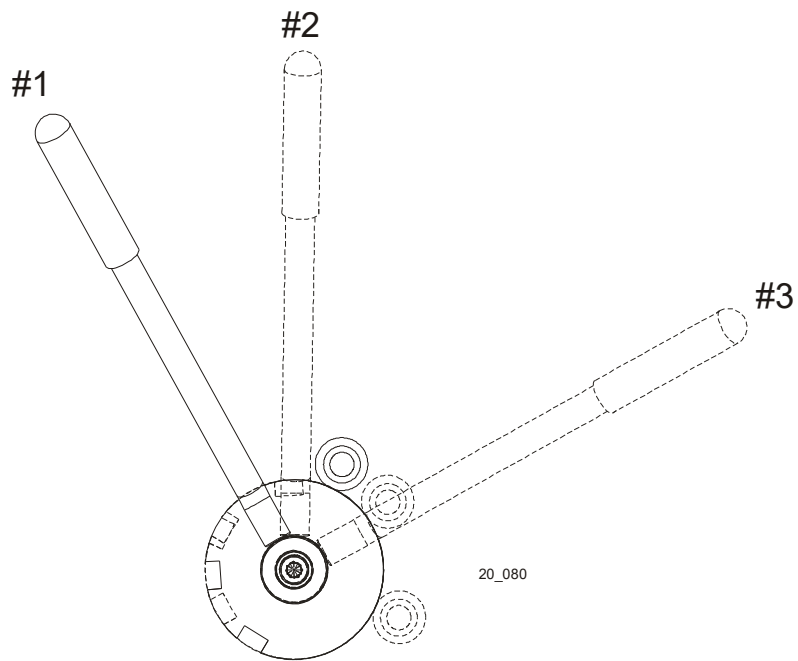
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Periodically check all belts for wear. Replace any damaged or worn belts as needed.

2.10 Clutch Handle Adjustment

After the drive belts and brake strap are properly adjusted, the clutch handle should lock in the down position when the drive belts are engaged. If the clutch handle does not stay locked, adjust the handle turnbuckle.

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RYS. 2-3

#1 - Brake locked, belt loosened

#2 - Intermediate position (blade replacement): brake unlocked, drive not engaged

#3 - Belt tightened, drive engaged

2.11 Miscellaneous Maintenance

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Clean and inspect the spark arresters every 50 hours of operation. Replace if damaged.

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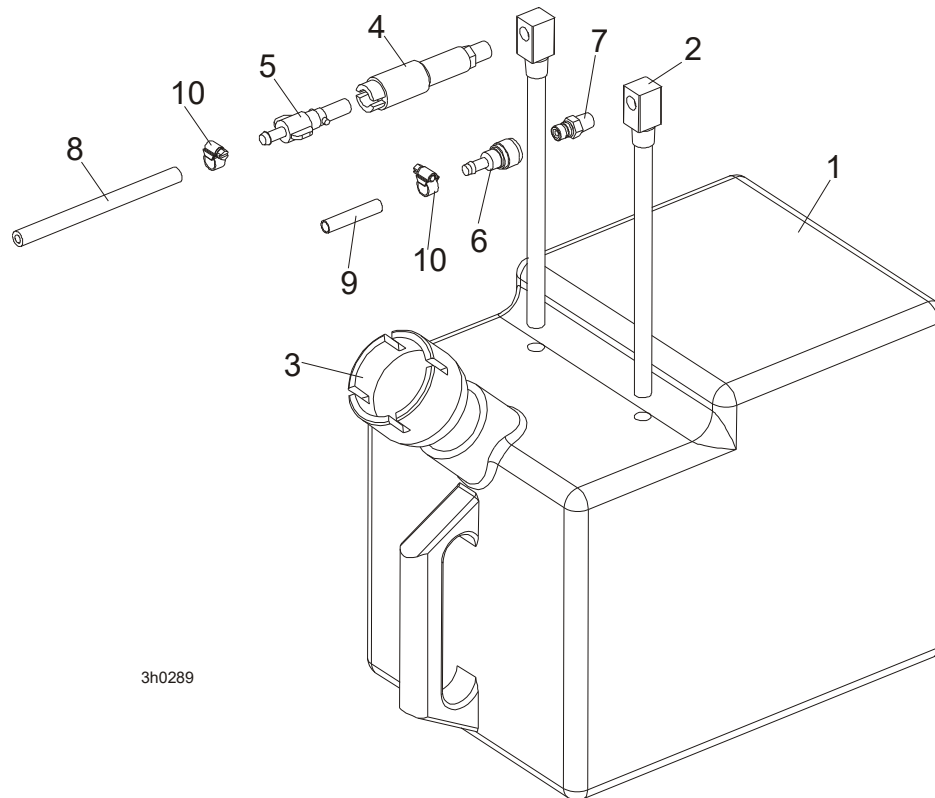
Inspect the spark plugs every 100 hours of operation. Remove any deposits and adjust gap if necessary. See engine manual for further information.



CAUTION! Do not remove the plug wire to check for electrical spark. Damage to the ignition circuit will result.

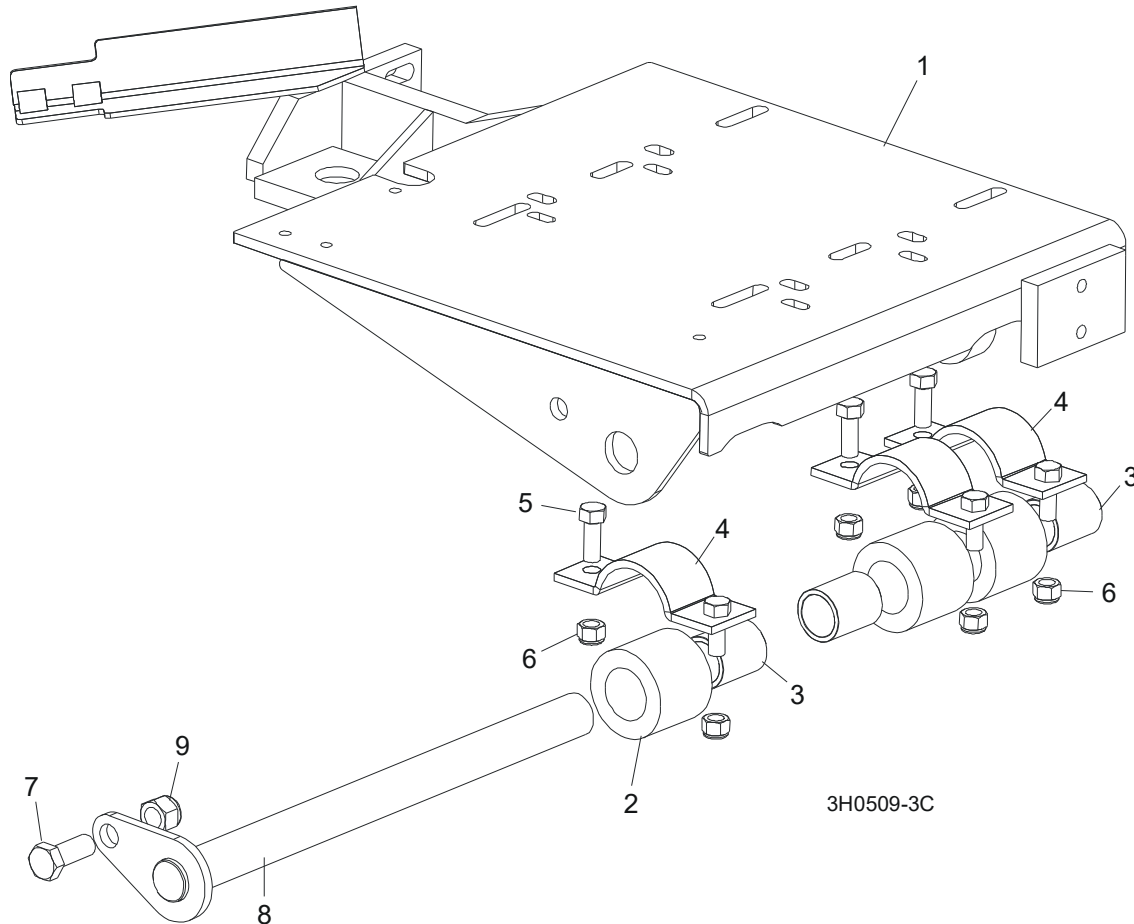
SECTION 3 REPLACEMENT PARTS

3.1 Fuel Tank Assembly



REF	DESCRIPTION (◆ Indicates Parts Available In Assemblies Only)	PART #	QTY.
	TANK ASSEMBLY, G28	098530	1
1	Tank, 5-Gallon Red Fuel	P12167	1
2	Fitting, 1/4NPTX9 Fuel Pick Up	P12172	2
3	Cap, 3 or 5-Gallon Fuel Tank	P09683	1
4	Fitting, 1/4" NPT Plastic Female Disconnect	P12175	1
5	Fitting, 1/4" NPT Plastic Male Disconnect	P12176	1
6	Fitting, Female Quick Disconnect Barb	015582	1
7	Fitting, 1/4 NPT Male Quick Disconnect	015583	1
8	Fuel Line, Diesel Engine	P642	1
9	Hose, Carburante 10mm Fuel	R80703-1	1
10	Clamp, Plastic Hose	F81080-1	2

3.2 Engine Mount Assembly

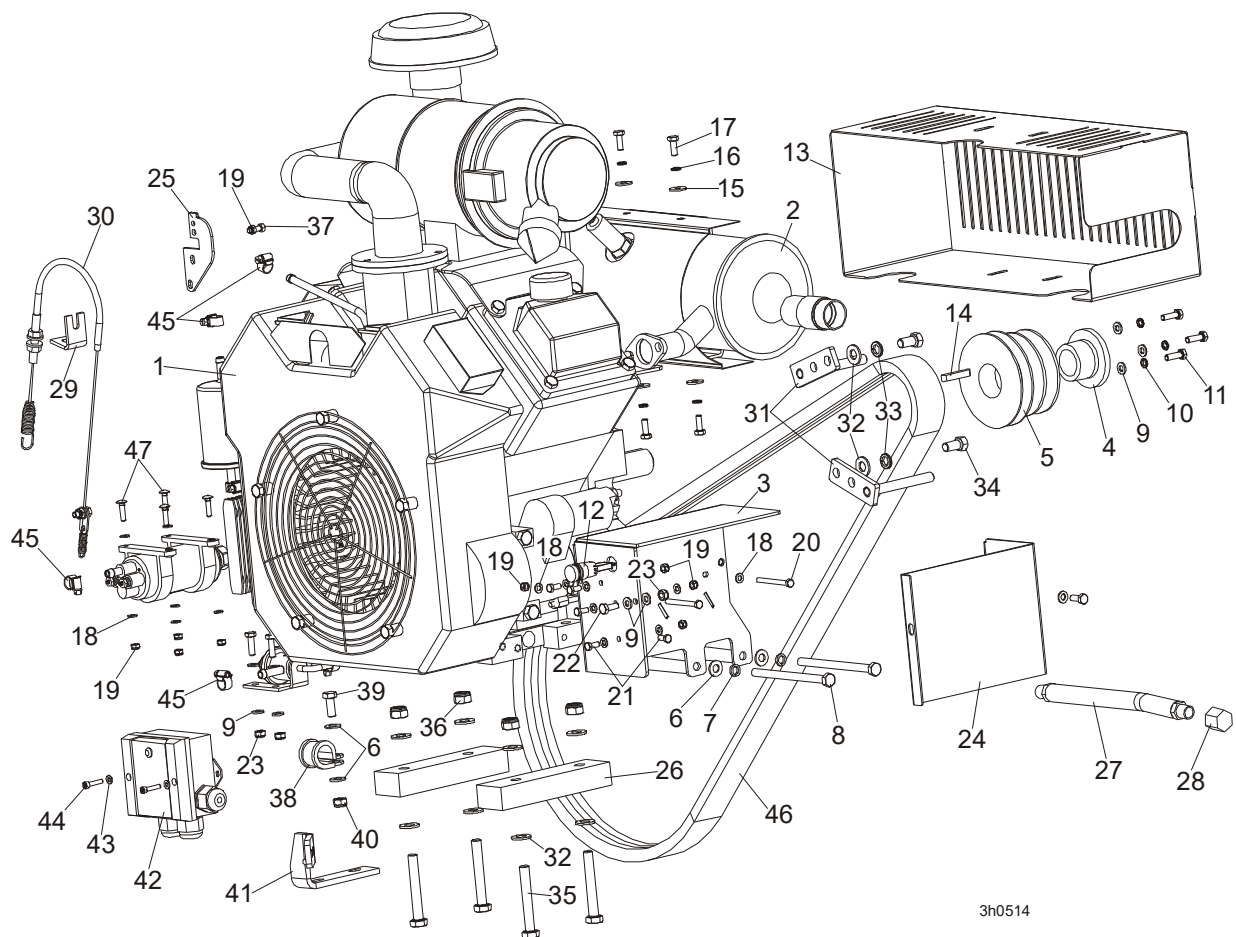


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1	MOUNT WELDMENT, KOHLER ENGINE	086803-1	1	◆
	BUSHING ASSEMBLY, MOTOR MOUNT	016380	3	
2	Bushing, 2" OD x 2"	016378	1	◆
3	Bearing, 1" x 1 1/4" x 2"	016379	1	◆
4	CLAMP WELDMENT , MOTOR MOUNT PIVOT BUSHING	086235	3	
5	BOLT, M10-1.5X25MM HH GR8.8	F81003-11	3	
	BOLT, M10X45MM,HEX HEAD,FULL THRD,ZINC	F81003-31	3	
6	NUT, M10, NYLON HEX ZINC LOCK	F81033-11	6	
7	BOLT M12X30-8.8	F81004-22	1	
8	PIN WELDMENT, ENGINE MOUNT PIVOT	099130-1	1	
9	NUT, M12, HEXAGON, NYLON, ZINC, LOCK	F81034-2	1	
10	WASHER, M12 , FLAT, ZINC	F81056-1	1	

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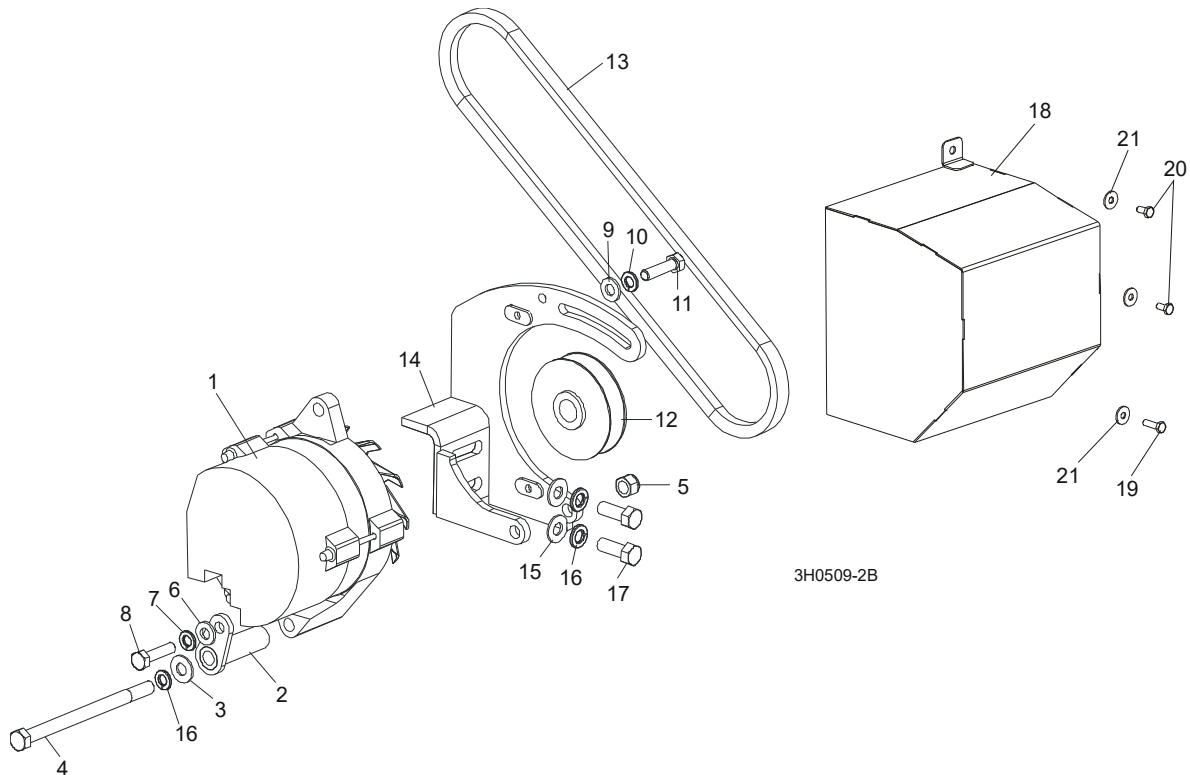
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	ENGINE ASSEMBLY, 28HP KOHLER	098528	1
1	ENGINE, 28 HP KOHLER CH745	097844	1
2	Muffler, G28 Kohler	098529	1
	Filter, G28 Kohler Oil	098531	1
	Sensor, G28 Kohler Temperature	098532	1
	Cooler, G28 Kohler Oil	098533	1
	Sensor, G28 Kohler Oil Pressure	098534	1
	Seal Kit, G28 Kohler Head	098535	1
	Coil, G28 Kohler	098536	1
	Plug, G28 Kohler Spark	098537	1
	Injector, G28 Kohler Fuel	098538	1
	Module, G28 Kohler Injection	098539	1

	Pipe, G28 Kohler Suction	098540	1	
	Seal, G28 Kohler Muffler	098541	1	
	Filter, G28 Kohler Fuel	098542	1	
3	HOUSING, G28 ECU CONTROLLER	097845-1	1	
4	BUSHING, SPLIT TAPER	091572	1	
5	PULLEY, OXIDIZED	091566-1	1	
6	WASHER, 8.4 FLAT ZINC	F81054-1	4	
7	WASHER, 8.2 SPLIT LOCK ZINC	F81054-4	2	
8	BOLT, M8X120-8.8 HEX HEAD ZINC	F81002-25	2	
9	WASHER, 6.4 FLAT ZINC	F81053-1	10	
10	WASHER, Z6.1 SPLIT LOCK ZINC	F81053-3	3	
11	BOLT, M6x20-8.8 HEX HEAD FULL THREAD ZINC	F81001-2	3	
12	LIGHT, XB6AV4BB CONTROL RED	091099	1	
13	GUARD, MUFFLER COMPLETE-(GP25/GP18)	091859-1	1	
14	KEY, A 1/4"x1/4"x1,5" PARALLEL	092814	1	
15	WASHER, 6.5 FLAT ZINC	F81053-11	4	
16	WASHER, Z6.1 SPLIT LOCK ZINC	F81053-3	4	
17	BOLT, M6 x 16 8.8 Fe/Zn5 PN-M/82105	F81001-15	4	
18	WASHER, 5.3 FLAT ZINC	F81052-1	20	
19	NUT, M5-8-Fe/Zn5 DIN985	F81030-2	12	
20	BOLT, M5X50MM, HH, GR 8.8, ZINC	F81000-1	2	
21	BOLT, M5 X 12-5.8-Fe/Zn5, PN-M/82105	F81000-5	5	
22	BOLT, M6 x 16 8.8 Fe/Zn5 PN-M/82105	F81001-15	2	
23	NUT, M6-8-B HEX NYLON ZINC LOCK	F81031-2	5	
24	COVER, G28 SETWORK ECU HOUSING	098527-1	1	
25	BRACKET, G25 THROTTLE PAINTED	091565-1	1	
26	BAR, GP25 ENGINE MOUNT PTD	091564-1	2	
27	HOSE, 3/8NPTx9 5/8 RUBBER	P10082	1	
28	CAP, 3/8 PIPE GALVANIZE	P04332	1	
29	BRACKET, THROTTLE CABLE MOUNT PTD	091567-1	1	
30	CABLE, G28 KOHLER THROTTLE See Section 3.6	092552	1	
31	BRACKET WELDMENT,GP25 DRIVE BELT SUPPORT	091582-1	2	
32	WASHER, 10.5 FLAT ZINC	F81055-1	10	
33	WASHER, 10.2 SPLIT LOCK ZINC	F81055-2	2	
34	BOLT, 3/8-16X3/4 HH GR2	F05007-27	2	
35	BOLT, M10 X 70-8.8 Fe/Zn5, PN-M/82105	F81003-20	4	
36	NUT, M10-8-B HEX NYLON ZINC LOCK	F81033-1	4	
37	BOLT, M5X16 -8.8- FE/ZN5 HEX HEAD FULL THREAT	F81000-20	1	
38	BRACKET, RSGU 1.20/20 W1 METAL-RUBBER	F81087-2	1	
39	BOLT, M8x20mm ,HH, GR 8.8, FULL THRD ZINC	F81002-1	1	
40	NUT, M8-8-B, HEX, NYLON LOCK ZINC	F81032-2	1	
41	BRACKET, THROTTLE CABLE SPRING PTD	091587-1	1	
42	RELAY, SAFETY KEY SWITCHES	092284	1	

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43	WASHER, 4.3 FLAT ZINC	F81051-2	2	
44	SCREW, M4X20 8.8 Fe/Zn5 HEX SOCKET HEAD	F81011-31	2	
45	CLAMP, PLASTIC HOSE	F81080-1	8	
46	BELT, 2BX72 DRIVE	P09555-2	1	
47	BOLT, M5x20-4.6 SPECIAL ZINC	F81000-29	4	

3.4 Alternator Assembly

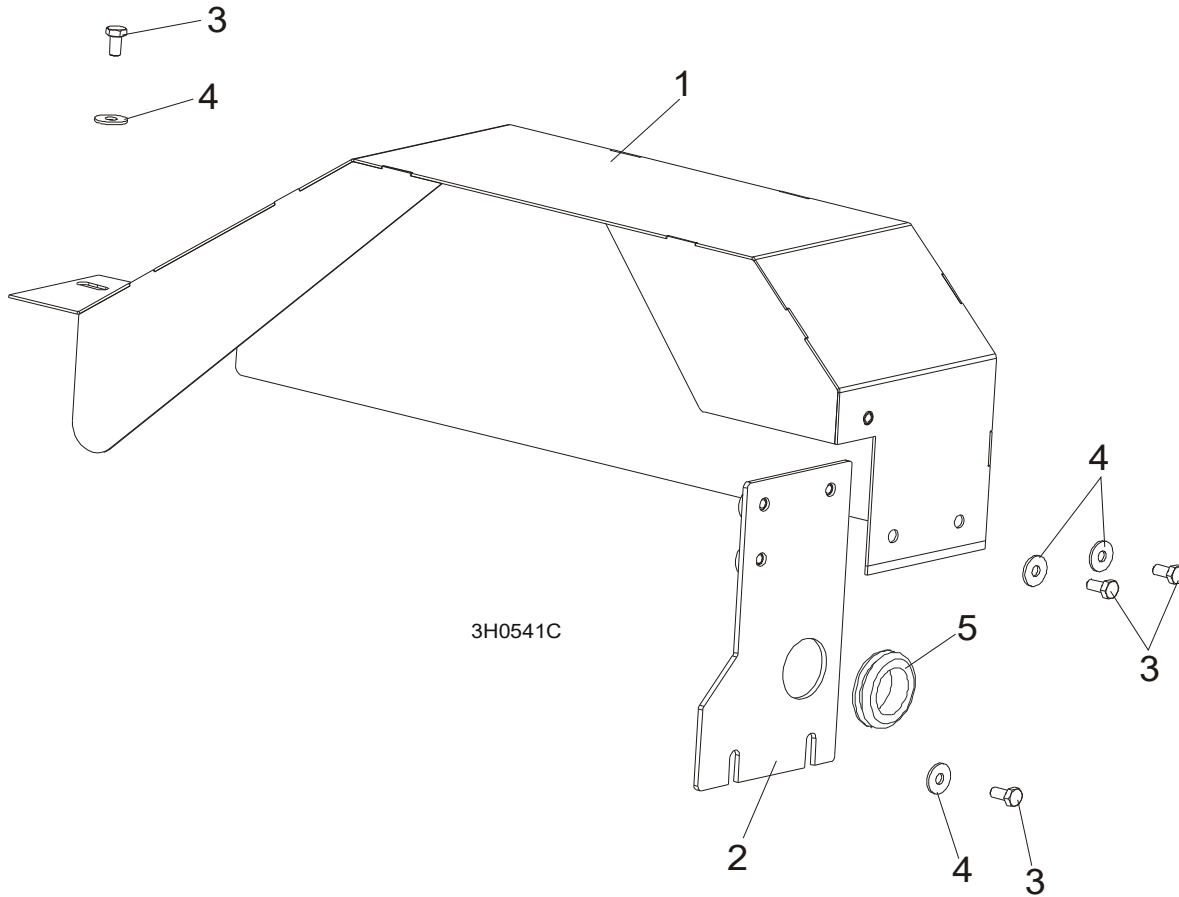


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1	ALTERNATOR, 12V 105A	050287	1
2	BRACE, ALTERNATOR	W12761	1
3	WASHER, FLAT, M10, ZINC	F81055-1	1
4	BOLT, 3/8-16 X 5 1/2" HEX HEAD FULL THREAD	F05007-34	1
5	NUT, 3/8-16 HEX NYLON LOCK	F05010-10	1
6	WASHER, M8, FLAT, ZINC	F81054-1	1
7	WASHER, 8,2 SPLIT LOCK ZINC	F81054-4	1
8	BOLT, M8 X 25MM HEX HEAD GR 5.8 ZINC	F81002-5	1
9	WASHER, M8, FLAT, ZINC	F81054-1	1
10	WASHER, 8,2 SPLIT LOCK ZINC	F81054-4	1
11	BOLT, M8 X 25MM HEX HEAD GR 5.8 ZINC	F81002-5	1
12	PULLEY, ALTERNATOR	P03806	1
13	BELT, ALTERNATOR E15 13X920 "A"	085753	1
	WIRE ASSEMBLY, G25 ALTERNATOR/STARTER	024308	1
	WIRE ASSEMBLY, 61/105 AMP ALTERNATOR PLUG	015969	1
14	BRACKET, ALTERNATOR MOUNT	092015-1	1

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15	WASHER, FLAT, M10, ZINC	F81055-1	2	
16	WASHER, M10 SPLIT LOCK ZINC	F81055-2	3	
17	BOLT, M10X20MM,HEX HEAD,GR 5.8 ZINC	F81003-1	2	
18	GUARD, ALTERNATOR BELT	091583-1	1	
19	BOLT, M6X20MM, HH, FULL THREAD, ZINC	F81001-2	1	
20	BOLT, M6X12MM HEX HEAD ZINC	F81001-7	2	
21	WASHER, M6, FLAT, ZINC	F81053-11	3	

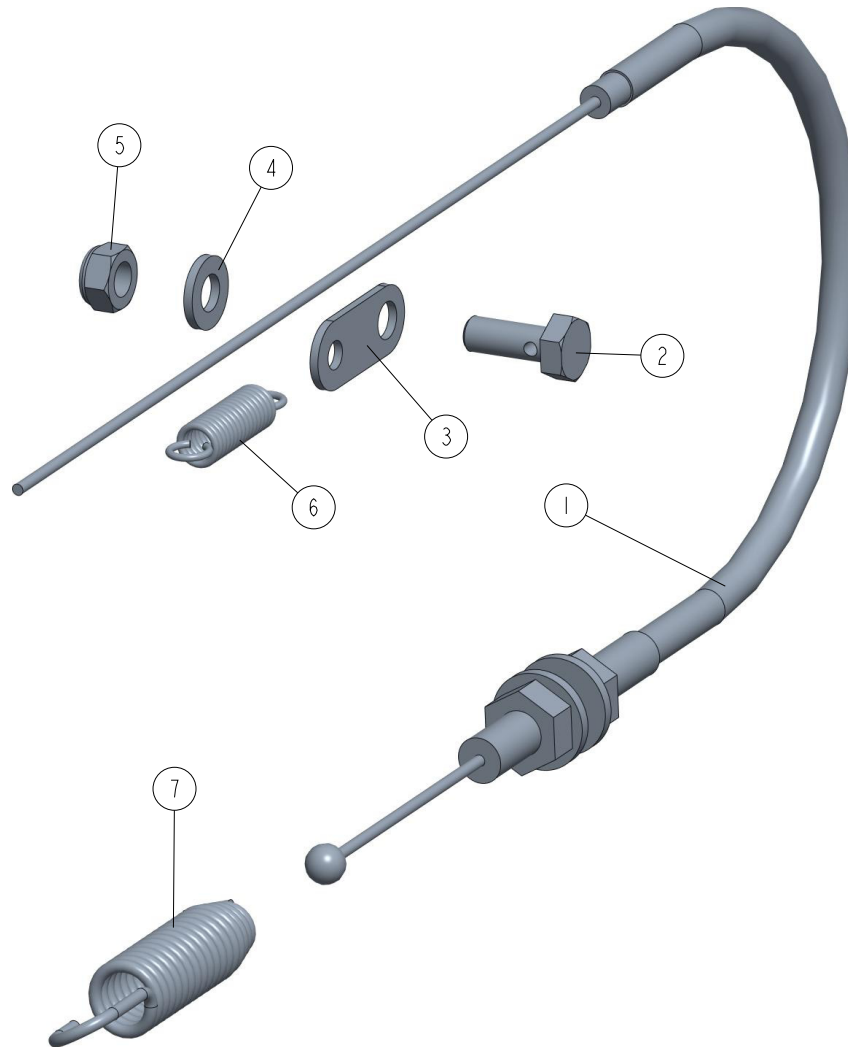
3.5 Engine Pulley Guards



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1	GUARD WELDMENT, G18/G20/G25 ENGINE PULLEY	091571-1	1
2	GUARD, G18/G20/G25 SIDE ENGINE PULLEY	087178-1	1
3	BOLT, M6X12MM HEX HEAD ZINC	F81001-7	4
4	WASHER, M6, FLAT, ZINC	F81053-11	4
5	GROMMET, 1 " ID RUBBER	P11765	1

3.6 Cable Assembly 092552

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REF	DESCRIPTION (◆ indicates parts available in assemblies only)	PART #	QTY	
-	CABLE ASSEMBLY, G29 THROTTLE - COMPLETE	092552	1	
1	CABLE, THROTTLE	091924	1	
2	BOLT, THROTTLE CABLE CLAMP ZINC	088120-1	1	
3	PLATE, G18 THROTTLE CABLE SPRING MOUNT	092531	1	
4	WASHER, 6.4 FLAT ZINC	F81053-1	1	
5	NUT, M6-8-B HEX NYLON ZINC LOCK	F81031-2	1	
6	SPRING, 1.3 X 8 X 20 EXTENSION	092549	1	
7	SPRING 40X9X2.2 EXTENSION	089451	1	