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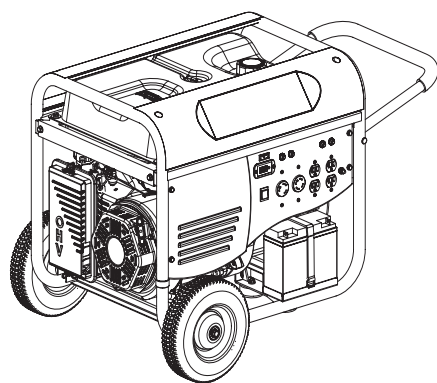
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INTRODUCTION

Introduction

Congratulations on your purchase of a Newman Generator. Newman designs and builds generators to strict specifications - with proper use and maintenance, this generator will bring years of satisfying service.

Portable Power Generator

This unit is a petrol engine driven, alternating current (AC) generator. It is designed to supply electrical power for lighting, appliances, tools and similar equipment.

This Booklet

Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy and completeness of the information in this manual. We reserve the right to change, alter and/or improve the product and this document at any time without prior notice.

This manual uses the following symbols to help differentiate between different kinds of information. The safety symbol is used with a key word to alert you to potential hazards in operating and owning power equipment.

Follow all safety messages to avoid or reduce the risk of serious injury or death.

 **DANGER**

DANGER indicates an imminently hazardous situation which, if not avoided, **will** result in death or serious injury.

 **WARNING**

WARNING indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, **could** result in death or serious injury.

 **CAUTION**

CAUTION indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, **may** result in minor or moderate injury.

CAUTION

CAUTION used without the safety alert symbol indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, **may** result in property damage.

 **NOTE**

If you have questions regarding your generator, we can help. Please call our help line at **0800-800-880**

SAFETY RULES

WARNING

Read this manual thoroughly before operating your generator. Failure to follow instructions could result in serious injury or death.

DANGER

Generator exhaust contains carbon monoxide, a colorless, odorless, poison gas. Breathing carbon monoxide will cause nausea, dizziness, fainting or death. If you start to feel dizzy or weak, get to fresh air immediately.

Operate generator outdoors only in a well ventilated area.

DO NOT operate the generator inside any building, including garages, basements, crawlspaces and sheds, enclosure or compartment, including the generator compartment of a recreational vehicle. DO NOT allow exhaust fumes to enter a confined area through windows, doors, vents or other openings.

DANGER CARBON MONOXIDE: using a generator indoors **CAN KILL YOU IN MINUTES.**

DANGER

Rotating parts can entangle hands, feet, hair, clothing and/or accessories.
Traumatic amputation or severe laceration can result.

Keep hands and feet away from rotating parts.
Tie up long hair and remove jewelry.
Operate equipment with guards in place.
DO NOT wear loose-fitting clothing, dangling drawstrings or items that could become caught.

DANGER

Generator produces powerful voltage.

DO NOT touch bare wires or receptacles.
DO NOT use electrical cords that are worn, damaged or frayed.
DO NOT operate generator in wet weather.
DO NOT allow children or unqualified persons to operate or service the generator
Use a ground fault circuit interrupter (GFCI) in damp areas and areas containing conductive material such as metal decking.
Use approved transfer equipment to isolate generator from your electric utility and Notify your utility company before connecting your generator to your power system.

WARNING

Sparks can result in fire or electrical shock.

When servicing the generator:

Disconnect the spark plug wire and place it where it cannot contact the plug.
DO NOT check for spark with the plug removed.
Use only approved spark plug testers.

WARNING

Running engines produce heat. Severe burns can occur on contact.
Combustible material can catch fire on contact.

DO NOT touch hot surfaces.
Avoid contact with hot exhaust gases.
Allow equipment to cool before touching.
Maintain at least three feet of clearance on all sides to ensure adequate cooling.
Maintain at least five feet of clearance from combustible materials.

WARNING

Medical and Life Support Uses.

In case of emergency, call **111** Emergency Services immediately. NEVER use this product to power life support devices or life support appliances. NEVER use this product to power medical devices or medical appliances.
Inform your electricity provider immediately if you or anyone in your household depends on electrical equipment to live.
Inform your electrical provider immediately if a loss of power would cause you or anyone in your household to experience a medical emergency.

⚠ DANGER

Fuel and fuel vapors are highly flammable and extremely explosive.
Fire or explosion can cause severe burns or death.
Unintentional startup can result in entanglement, traumatic amputation or laceration.

When adding or removing fuel:

Turn the generator off and let it cool for at least two minutes before removing the fuel cap. Loosen the cap slowly to relieve pressure in the tank.
Only fill or drain fuel outdoors in a well-ventilated area. DO NOT pump fuel directly into the generator at the petrol station. Use an approved container to transfer the fuel to the generator.
DO NOT overfill the fuel tank.
Always keep fuel away from sparks, open flames, pilot lights, heat and other sources of ignition.
DO NOT light or smoke cigarettes.

When starting the generator:

DO NOT attempt to start a damaged generator.
Make certain that the fuel cap, air filter, spark plug, fuel lines and exhaust system are properly in place. Allow spilled fuel to evaporate fully before attempting to start the engine.
Make certain that the generator is resting firmly on level ground.

When operating the generator:

DO NOT move or tip the generator during operation.
DO NOT tip the generator or allow fuel or oil to spill.

When transporting or servicing the generator:

Make certain that the fuel shutoff valve is in the off position and the fuel tank is empty.
Disconnect the spark plug wire.
When storing the generator:
Store away from sparks, open flames, pilot lights, heat and other sources of ignition.

⚠ WARNING

Operation of this equipment may create sparks that can start fires around dry vegetation.

A spark arrestor may be required. The operator should contact local fire agencies for laws or regulations relating to fire prevention requirements.

⚠ WARNING

Rapid retraction of the starter cord will pull hand and arm towards the engine faster than you can let go.
Unintentional startup can result in entanglement, traumatic amputation or laceration.
Broken bones, fractures, bruises or sprains could result.

When starting engine, pull the starter cord slowly until resistance is felt and then pull rapidly to avoid kickback.
DO NOT start or stop the engine with electrical devices plugged in.

⚠ CAUTION

Exceeding the generator's running capacity can damage the generator and/or electrical devices connected to it.

DO NOT overload the generator.
Start the generator and allow the engine to stabilize before connecting electrical loads.
Connect electrical equipment in the off position, and then turn them on for operation.
Turn electrical equipment off and disconnect before stopping the generator.
DO NOT tamper with the governed speed.
DO NOT modify the generator in any way.

⚠ CAUTION

Improper treatment or use of the generator can damage it, shorten its life and void your warranty.

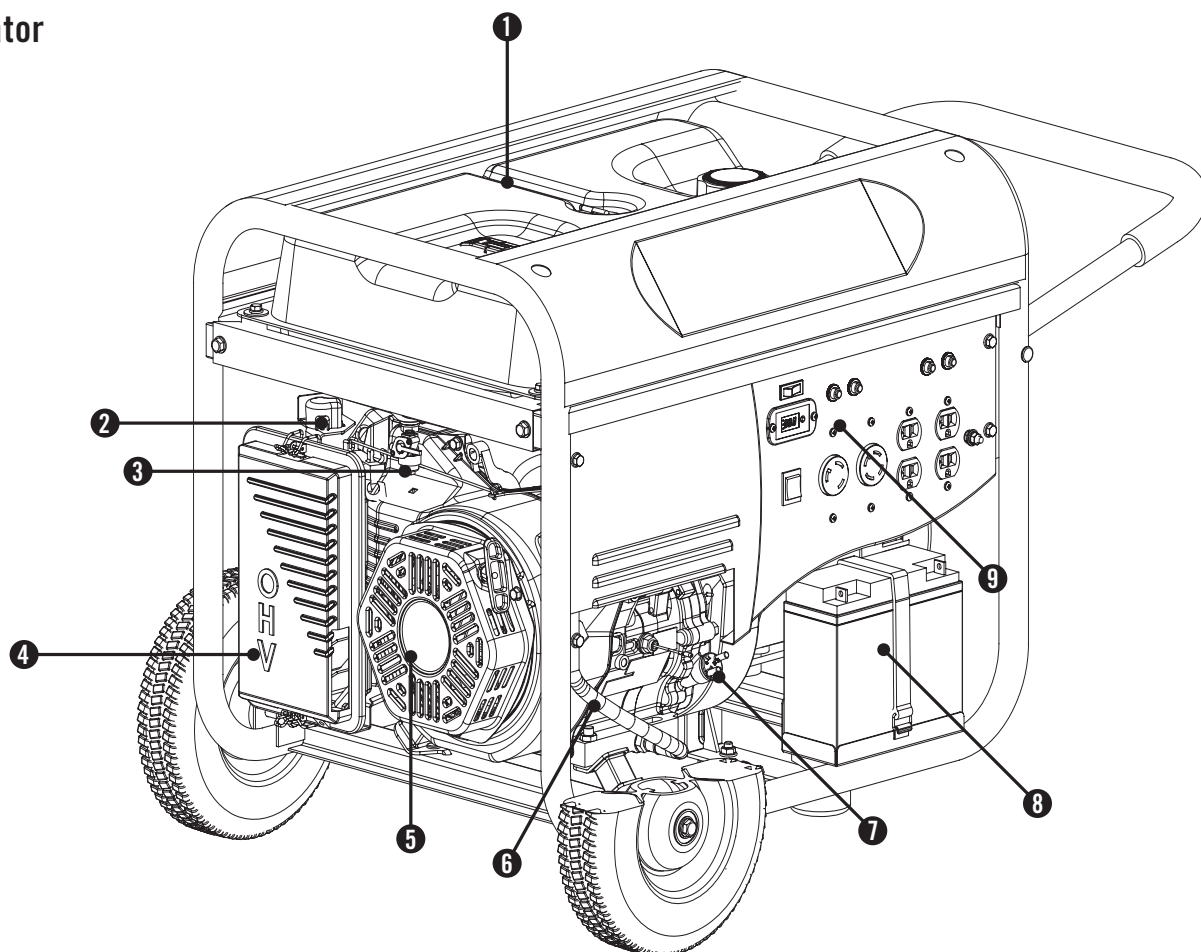
Use the generator only for intended uses.
Operate only on level surfaces.
DO NOT expose generator to excessive moisture, dust, or dirt.
DO NOT allow any material to block the cooling slots.
If connected devices overheat, turn them off and disconnect them from the generator.
DO NOT use the generator if:

- Electrical output is lost
- Equipment sparks, smokes or emits flames
- Equipment vibrates excessively

CONTROLS AND FEATURES

Read this owner's manual before operating your generator. Familiarize yourself with the location and function of the controls and features. Save this manual for future reference.

Generator



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| (1) Fuel Tank – 15 L / 25 L capacity fuel tank. | (5) Recoil Starter – Used to manually start the engine. |
| (2) Auto-Choke – Used to start the engine. No manual adjustment required. | (6) Quick Drain Tube – Used to easily and quickly drain oil from the engine. |
| (3) Fuel Valve – Used to turn fuel supply on and off to engine. | (7) Oil Filler Cap – Check and fill engine oil level. |
| (4) Air Cleaner – Protects the engine by filtering dust and debris from the intake air. | (8) Battery – Used to start the engine. Provides 12V DC to the electric starter and receiver control module. |
| | (9) Power Panel – See “Power Panel” section. |

CONTROLS AND FEATURES

Wireless Remote Control

This generator is equipped with a wireless remote control system for starting and stopping. The system consists of (4) main components:

1. Receiver Control Module (RCM)
2. Wireless Remote
3. Battery Switch
4. Ignition Switch

The Remote Control functions are enabled when:

1. The Ignition Switch is in the "ON" position, *AND*
2. The Battery Switch is in the "ON" position.

The Remote Control functions are disabled if either of the above conditions is not met.

To start the generator by Remote Control, press the "START" button on the Remote one time. The engine will attempt to start (6) times. The RCM controls the Auto Choke during each attempt to start. If the generator does not start, call our Customer Care team for assistance at 0800-800-880.

To stop the generator by Remote Control, press the "STOP" button on the Remote one time.

Remote Control Power Consumption

While the Ignition Switch is in the "ON" position, the RCM is active and waiting for a remote signal. This function requires electrical current from the battery. If the Ignition Switch is left in the "ON" position for extended periods (several weeks), the battery can be completely drained.

Moving the Ignition Switch to the "OFF" position disables the Remote functions, but the RCM still consumes approximately 2 mA from the battery.

To prevent battery drain, press the Battery Switch to the "OFF" position. This disconnects power to the RCM so there is no current draw on the battery.

Power Panel Load Management

When the generator initially starts by the Remote, no voltage is supplied to the Power Panel for approximately 15 seconds. This allows the engine to reach full speed before electrical loads are applied to the generator.

When the generator is stopped by the Remote, the voltage to the Power Panel is immediately turned off.

Then the engine stops after the "STOP" button on the Remote is pressed. Turning the Power Panel voltage off before the engine shutdown protects connected appliances from being damaged by non-50 Hz voltage while the generator coasts to a stop.

Power Panel Load Management Cont'd.

The on/off voltage delay at startup and shut down only happen when the Remote Control is used. There is no voltage delay when the pushbutton electric start or recoil start method is used.

When the pushbutton electric start or recoil start method is used, the operator must be sure all electrical loads (appliances) are turned OFF during startup and shutdown. Damage to the generator or the attached appliances can be caused by starting or stopping the generator while appliances are plugged in and turned ON.

Parts Included

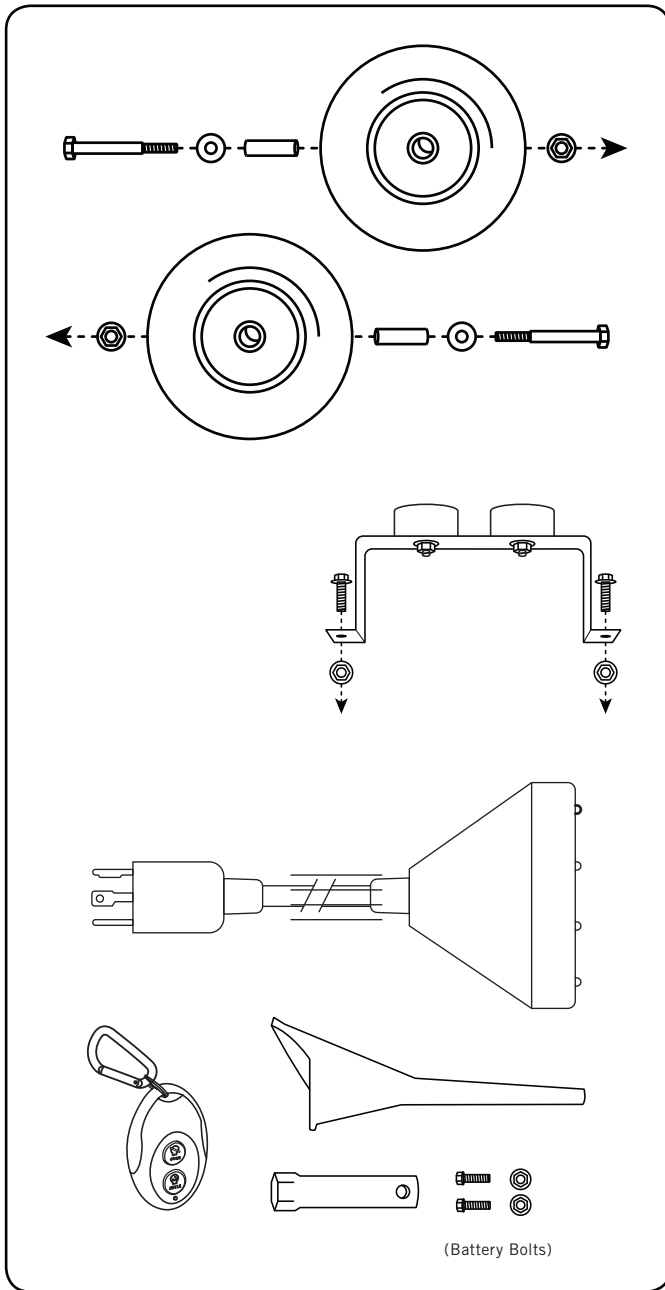
Your 969858 / 948341 / 926358 Petrol Powered Generator ships with the following parts:

Wheel Kit

- 10" Wheel 2
- Flange Bolt (M10x120 for Wheel) 2
- Bushing 2
- Flat Washer 10 2
- Nut (M10) 2
- Support Leg w/Vibration Mounts 1
- Flange Bolt (M8x16 for Support Leg) 2
- Nut (M8) 2

Other

- Oil Funnel 1
- Remote 1
- Spark Plug Socket 1
- Cap Screw (M5x10 for Battery Terminals) 2
- Nut (M5) 2
- 25ft. Power Distribution Cord 1



ASSEMBLY

Your generator requires some assembly. This unit ships from our factory without oil. It must be properly serviced with fuel and oil before operation.

If you have any questions regarding the assembly of your generator, call our help line at 0800-800-880. Please have your serial number and model number available.

Remove the Generator from the Shipping Carton

1. Set the shipping carton on a solid, flat surface.
2. Remove everything from the carton except the generator.
3. Carefully cut each corner of the box from top to bottom. Fold each side flat on the ground to provide a surface area to install the wheel kit and support leg.

Install the Wheel Kit

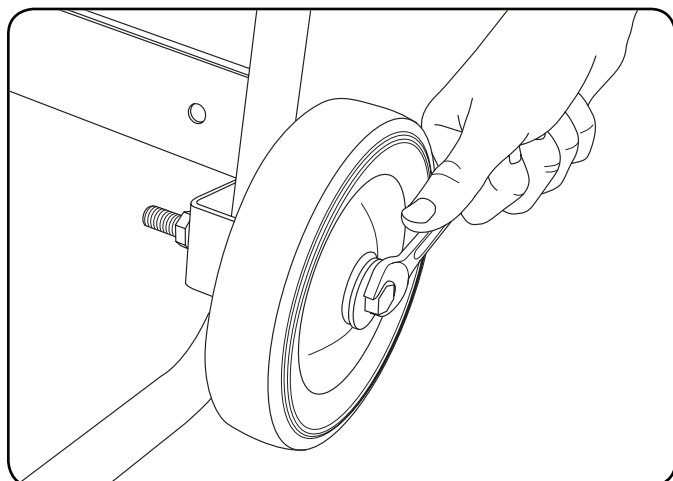
⚠ CAUTION

The wheel kit is not intended for over-the-road use.

You will need the following tools to install the wheels:

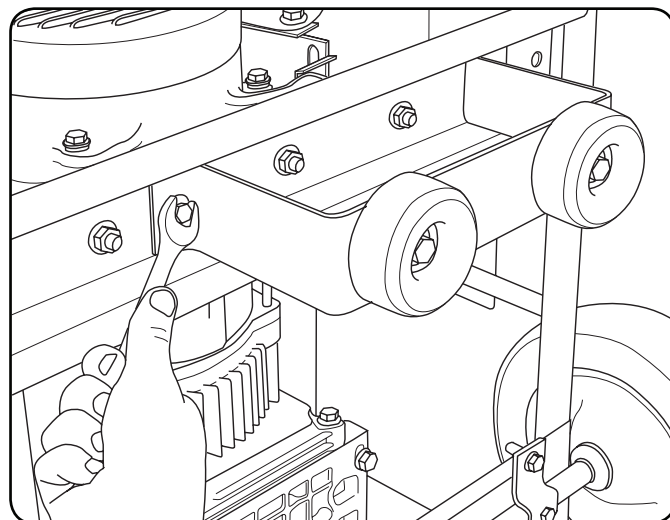
- 17 mm wrench OR adjustable wrench (not included)
- Socket wrench with a 16 mm socket (not included)
- Pliers (not included)

1. Before adding fuel and oil, tip the generator on its side.
2. Slide the M10x120 wheel bolt through the washer, sleeve and wheel.
3. Slide the bolt through the mount point on the frame.
4. Fasten securely with the M10 nut.
5. Repeat steps 2-4 to attach the second wheel.



Install the Support Leg

1. Attach the support leg to the generator frame with cap screws (M8x16) and nuts (M8).
2. Tip the generator slowly so that it rests on the wheels and support leg.



Connect the Battery

1. Remove the protective cover from the red (+) lead on the battery.
2. Attach the red (+) lead to the red (+) terminal on the battery with the cap screw (M5x10) and secure with the lock washer (M5).
3. Repeat steps 1-2 for the black (-) battery lead.

Add Engine Oil

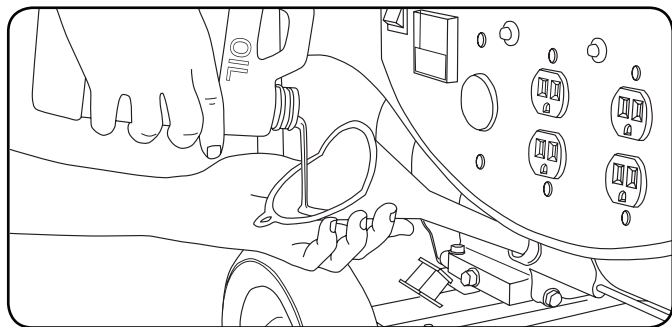
! CAUTION

DO NOT attempt to crank or start the engine before it has been properly filled with the recommended type and amount of oil. Damage to the generator as a result of failure to follow these instructions will void your warranty.

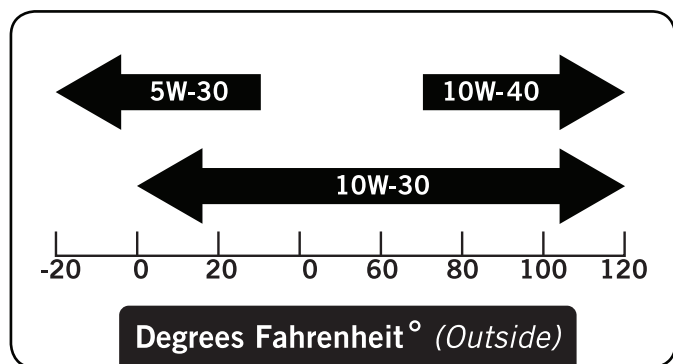
NOTE

The recommended oil type is 10W-30 automotive oil.

1. Place the generator on a flat, level surface.



2. Remove oil fill cap/dipstick to add oil.
3. Add 0.6L (969858) / 1.1 L (948341, 926358) of oil and replace oil fill cap/dipstick.



4. Check engine oil level daily and add as needed.

Add Engine Oil Cont'd.

CAUTION

The engine is equipped with a low-oil-shutoff and will stop when the oil level in the crankcase falls below the threshold level.

NOTE

Check oil often during the break-in period. Refer to the Maintenance section for recommended service intervals.

NOTE

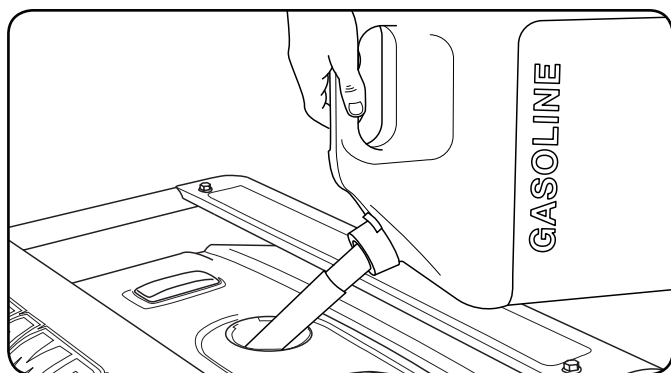
The generator rotor has a sealed, pre-lubricated ball bearing that requires no additional lubrication for the life of the bearing.

See "Specifications" pages for oil recommendations based on operating conditions.

ASSEMBLY

Add Fuel

1. Use clean, fresh, regular unleaded fuel with a minimum octane rating of 85 and an ethanol content of less than 10% by volume.
2. DO NOT mix oil with fuel.
3. Clean the area around the fuel cap.
4. Remove the fuel cap.
5. Slowly add fuel to the tank. DO NOT OVERFILL. Fuel can expand after filling. A minimum of 6.4mm of space left in the tank is required for fuel expansion, more than 6.4mm is recommended. Fuel can be forced out of the tank as a result of expansion if it is overfilled, and can affect the stable running condition of the product. When filling the tank, it is recommended to leave enough space for the fuel to expand..



6. Screw on the fuel cap and wipe away any spilled fuel.

⚠ CAUTION

Use regular unleaded gasoline with a minimum octane rating of 85.

Do not mix oil and gasoline.
 Fill tank to approximately 6.4mm below the top of the tank to allow for fuel expansion.
 DO NOT pump fuel directly into the generator at the petrol station. Use an approved container to transfer the fuel to the generator.
 DO NOT fill fuel tank indoors.
 DO NOT fill fuel tank when the engine is running or hot.
 DO NOT overfill the fuel tank.
 DO NOT light cigarettes or smoke when filling the fuel tank.

⚠ WARNING

Pouring fuel too fast through the fuel screen may result in blow back of fuel at the operator while filling.

Add Fuel Cont'd.

NOTE

Our engines work well with 10% or less ethanol blend fuels. When using blended fuels there are some issues worth noting:

- Ethanol-gasoline blends can absorb more water than gasoline alone.
- These blends can eventually separate, leaving water or a watery goo in the tank, fuel valve and carburetor.
- With gravity-fed fuel supplies, this compromised fuel can be drawn into the carburetor and cause damage to the engine and/or potential hazards.
- There are only a few suppliers of fuel stabilizer that are formulated to work with ethanol blend fuels.
- Any damages or hazards caused by using improper fuel, improperly stored fuel, and/or improperly formulated stabilizers, are not covered by manufacture's warranty.

It is advisable to always shut off the fuel supply, run the engine to fuel starvation and drain the tank when the equipment is not in use for more than 30 days.

Grounding

Your generator must be properly connected to an appropriate ground to help prevent electric shock.

⚠ WARNING

Failure to properly ground the generator can result in electric shock.

A ground terminal connected to the frame of the generator has been provided on the power panel. For remote grounding, connect a length of heavy gauge (12 AWG minimum) copper wire between the generator ground terminal and a copper rod driven into the ground. We strongly recommend that you consult with a qualified electrician to ensure compliance with local electrical codes.

Generator Location

NEVER operate the generator inside any building, including garages, basements, crawlspaces and sheds, enclosure or compartment, including the generator compartment of a recreational vehicle. Please consult your local authority. In some areas, generators must be registered with the local utility. Generators used at construction sites may be subject to additional rules and regulations. Generators should be on a flat, level surface at all times. (Even while not in operation) Generators must have at least 1.5m of clearance from all combustible material. In addition to clearance from all combustible material, generators must also have at least 91.4cm of clearance on all sides to allow for adequate cooling, maintenance and servicing. Generators should never be started or operated in the back of a SUV, camper, trailer, in the bed of a truck (regular, flat or otherwise), under staircases/stairwells, next to walls or buildings, or in any other location that will not allow for adequate cooling of the generator and/or the muffler. DO NOT contain generators during operation. Allow generators to properly cool before transport or storage. Place the generator in a well-ventilated area. DO NOT place the generator near vents or intakes where exhaust fumes could be drawn into occupied or confined spaces. Carefully consider wind and air currents when positioning generator.

Failure to follow proper safety precautions may void manufacturer's warranty.

WARNING

Do not operate or store the generator in rain, snow, or wet weather.

Using a generator or electrical appliance in wet conditions, such as rain or snow, or near a pool or sprinkler system, or when your hands are wet, could result in electrocution.

WARNING

During operation the muffler and exhaust fumes produced will become hot. If adequate cooling and breathing space are not supplied, or if the generator is blocked or contained, temperatures can become extremely heated and may lead to fire.

Grounding

The generator system ground connects the frame to the ground terminals on the power panel.

- The generator (stator winding) is isolated from the frame and from the AC receptacle ground pin.
- Electrical devices that require a grounded receptacle pin connection will not function if the receptacle ground pin is not functional.

Surge Protection

CAUTION

Voltage fluctuation may impair the proper functioning of sensitive electronic equipment.

Electronic devices, including computers and many programmable appliances use components that are designed to operate within a narrow voltage range and may be affected by momentary voltage fluctuations. While there is no way to prevent voltage fluctuations, you can take steps to protect sensitive electronic equipment.

1. *Install plug-in surge suppressors on the outlets feeding your sensitive equipment.*
Surge suppressors come in single- or multi-outlet styles. They're designed to protect against virtually all short-duration voltage fluctuations.

OPERATION

Wireless Remote and Electric Start

Wireless remote starting is only possible **within 25m** of the generator.

Do not attempt to adjust the carburetor choke. The remote system will automatically close and open the choke.

1. Make certain the generator is on a flat, level surface.
2. Turn the Fuel Valve to the "ON" position.
3. Press the Ignition Switch to "ON".
4. Press the Battery Switch to "ON".
5. ELECTRIC START: Press the ignition switch to the "START" position.
6. WIRELESS REMOTE START: press and release the "START" button on the handheld Remote Control device. DO NOT hold the button down, only press the button once. The engine will attempt to start 6 times.
7. A safety feature is provided which delays the electrical power availability during starting mode. The delay lasts for approximately 15 seconds. The delay is provided to prevent damage to the generator if electrical loads are inadvertently turned on during engine startup.
8. If the generator fails to start, check the battery condition and cable connections.

Recoil Start

1. Make certain the generator is on a flat, level surface.
2. Turn off all electrical loads connected to the generator. Never start or stop the generator with electrical devices plugged in and turned on.
3. Turn the Fuel Valve to the "ON" position.
4. Press the Ignition Switch to "ON".
5. Move the choke lever to the "CHOKE" position.
6. Pull the starter cord slowly until resistance is felt and then pull rapidly.
7. Do not over-choke. As as soon as engine starts, move the choke lever to the "RUN" position.

NOTE

Keep choke lever in "Choke" position for only 1 pull of the recoil starter. After first pull, move choke lever to the "Run" position for up to the next 3 pulls of the recoil starter. Too much choke leads to spark plug fouling/ engine flooding due to the lack of incoming air. This will cause the engine not to start.

NOTE

If the engine starts but does not continue to run make certain that the generator is on a flat, level surface. The engine is equipped with a low oil sensor that will prevent the engine from running when the oil level falls below a critical threshold.

Connecting Electrical Loads

1. Let the engine stabilize and warm up for a few minutes after starting
2. Plug in and turn on the desired 230 Volt AC single phase, 50 Hz electrical loads.
 - DO NOT connect 3-phase loads to the generator, unless you have purchased a 3 phase model (926358)
 - DO NOT overload the generator.

NOTE

Connecting a generator to your electric utility company's power lines or to another power source may be against the law. In addition this action, if done incorrectly, could damage your generator and appliances and could cause serious injury or even death to you or a utility worker who may be working on nearby power lines. If you plan to run a portable electric generator during an outage, please notify your electric utility company immediately and remember to plug your appliances directly into the generator. Do not plug the generator into any electric outlet in your home. Doing so could create a connection to the utility company power lines. You are responsible for ensuring that your generator's electricity does not feed back into the electric utility power lines.

If the generator will be connected to a building electrical system, consult your local utility company or a qualified electrician. Connections must isolate generator power from utility power and must comply with all applicable laws and codes.

Stopping the Engine

1. Turn off and unplug all electrical loads. Never start or stop the generator with electrical devices plugged in or turned on.
2. Let the generator run at no-load for several minutes to stabilize internal temperatures of the engine and generator.
3. Turn the Fuel Valve to the "OFF" position.
4. Let the engine run until fuel starvation has stopped the engine. This usually takes a few minutes.
5. Press the engine switch to the "OFF" position.

Important: Always ensure that the Fuel Valve and the Engine Switch are in the "OFF" position when the engine is not in use.

NOTE

If the engine will not be used for a period of two (2) weeks or longer, please see the Storage section for proper engine and fuel storage.

Do Not Overload Generator

Capacity

Follow these simple steps to calculate the running and starting watts necessary for your purposes.

1. Select the electrical devices you plan on running at the same time.
2. Total the running watts of these items. This is the amount of power you need to keep your items running.
3. Identify the highest starting wattage of all devices identified in step 1. Add this number to the number calculated in step 2. Surge wattage is the extra burst of power needed to start some electric driven equipment. Following the steps listed under "Power Management" will guarantee that only one device will be starting at a time.

Power Management

Use the following formula to convert voltage and amperage to watts:

$$\text{Volts} \times \text{Amps} = \text{Watts}$$

To prolong the life of your generator and attached devices, follow these steps to add electrical load:

1. Start the generator with no electrical load attached
2. Allow the engine to run for several minutes to stabilize.
3. Plug in and turn on the first item. It is best to attach the item with the largest load first.
4. Allow the engine to stabilize.
5. Plug in and turn on the next item.
6. Allow the engine to stabilize.
7. Repeat steps 5-6 for each additional item.

NOTE

Never exceed the specified capacity when adding loads to the generator.

OPERATION

Operation at High Altitude

The density of air at high altitude is lower than at sea level. Engine power is reduced as the air mass and air-fuel ratio decrease. Engine power and generator output will be reduced approximately 3½% for every 1000 feet of elevation above sea level. This is a natural trend and cannot be changed by adjusting the engine. At high altitudes increased exhaust emissions can also result due to the increased enrichment of the air fuel ratio. Other high altitude issues can include hard starting, increased fuel consumption and spark plug fouling.

The owner/operator is responsible for all periodic maintenance.

⚠ WARNING

Never operate a damaged or defective generator.

⚠ WARNING

Tampering with the factory set governor will void your warranty.

⚠ WARNING

Improper maintenance will void your warranty.

NOTE

Maintenance, replacement, or repair of emission control devices and systems may be performed by any non-road engine repair establishment or individual.

Complete all scheduled maintenance in a timely manner. Correct any issue before operating the generator.

NOTE

For service or parts assistance, contact our help line at **0800-800-880**

Engine Maintenance

To prevent accidental starting, remove and ground spark plug wire before performing any service.

Oil

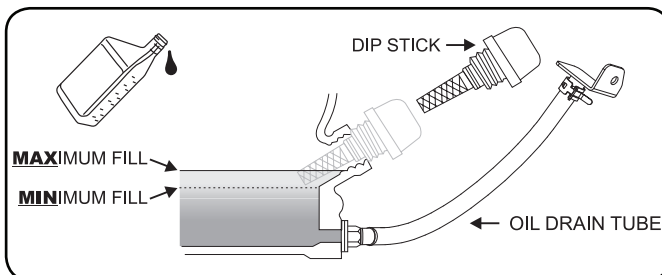
Change oil when the engine is warm. Refer to the oil specification to select the proper grade of oil for your operating environment.

1. Remove oil fill cap/dipstick.
2. Use pliers to slide the spring clamp down the oil drain hose and pull the hose off the plug bracket.
3. Point the hose into a drain pan and allow the oil to drain completely. **Note:** The hose end must be lower than the engine base to allow the oil to drain.
4. Replace oil drain hose onto plug bracket and slide spring clamp back into position.
5. Add 0.6L (969858) / 1.1 L (948341, 926358) of oil and replace oil fill cap/dipstick.
6. Dispose of used oil at an approved waste management facility.

Oil Cont'd.

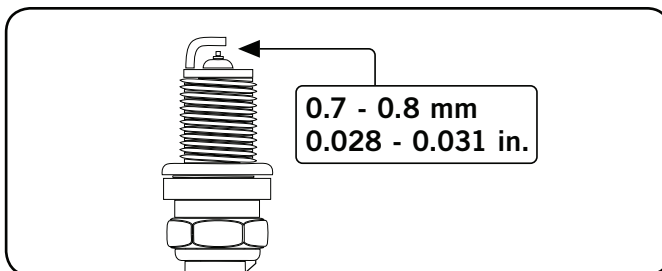
NOTE

Once oil has been added, a visual check should show oil about 1-2 threads from running out of the fill hole. If using the dipstick to check oil level, **DO NOT** screw in the dipstick while checking.



Spark Plugs

1. Remove the spark plug cable from the spark plug.
2. Use the spark plug tool that shipped with your generator to remove the plug.
3. Inspect the electrode on the plug. It must be clean and not worn to produce the spark required for ignition.
4. Make certain the spark plug gap is 0.7 - 0.8mm or (0.028 - 0.031 in.).



5. Refer to the spark plug recommendation chart when replacing the plug.
6. Carefully thread the plug into the engine.
7. Use the spark plug tool to firmly install the plug.
8. Attach the spark plug wire to the plug.

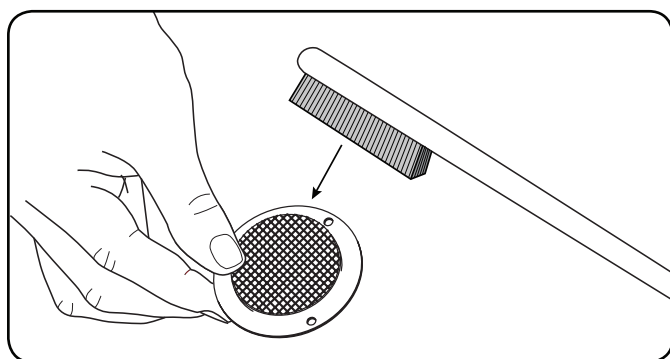
Air Filter

1. Remove the snap-on cover holding the air filter to the assembly.
2. Remove the foam element.
3. Wash in liquid detergent and water. Squeeze thoroughly dry in a clean cloth.
4. Saturate in clean engine oil.
5. Squeeze in a clean, absorbent cloth to remove all excess oil.
6. Place the filter in the assembly.
7. Reattach the air filter cover and snap in place.

MAINTENANCE AND STORAGE

Spark Arrester

1. Allow the engine to cool completely before servicing the spark arrester.
2. Remove the three screws holding the cover plate which retains the end of the spark arrester to the muffler.
3. Remove the spark arrester screen.
4. Carefully remove the carbon deposits from the spark arrester screen with a wire brush.
5. Replace the spark arrester if it is damaged.
6. Position the spark arrester in the muffler and attach with the three screws.



! CAUTION

Failure to clean the spark arrester will result in degraded engine performance.

Cleaning

! CAUTION

DO NOT spray engine with water.

Water can contaminate the fuel system.

Use a damp cloth to clean exterior surfaces of the engine. Use a soft bristle brush to remove dirt and oil. Use an air compressor (25 PSI) to clear dirt and debris from the engine.

Adjustments

The air-fuel mixture is not adjustable. Tampering with the governor can damage your generator and your electrical devices and will void your warranty. Newman recommends that you contact our service line at **0800-800-880** for all other service and/or adjustment needs.

Maintenance Schedule

Follow the service intervals indicated in the following maintenance schedule.

Service your generator more frequently when operating in adverse conditions.

Contact our helpline at **0800-800-880** to locate the nearest Newman certified service dealer for your generator or engine maintenance needs.

Every 8 hours or daily	
	Check oil level
	Clean around air intake and muffler
First 5 Hours	
	Change oil
Every 50 hours or every season	
	Clean air filter
	Change oil if operating under heavy load or in hot environments
Every 100 hours or every season	
	Change oil
	Clean/Adjust spark plug
	Check/Adjust valve clearance *
	Clean spark arrester
	Clean fuel tank and filter *
Every 250 hours	
	Clean combustion chamber*
Every 3 years	
	Replace fuel line

*To be performed by knowledgeable, experienced owners or Newman Generator certified dealers.

Generator Maintenance

Make certain that the generator is kept clean and stored properly. Only operate the unit on a flat, level surface in a clean, dry operating environment. DO NOT expose the unit to extreme conditions, excessive dust, dirt, moisture or corrosive vapors.

⚠ CAUTION

DO NOT use a garden hose to clean the generator.

Water can enter the generator through the cooling slots and damage the generator windings.

Use a damp cloth to clean exterior surfaces of the generator. Use a soft bristle brush to remove dirt and oil. Use an air compressor (25 PSI) to clear dirt and debris from the generator. Inspect all air vents and cooling slots to ensure that they are clean and unobstructed.

Storage

The generator should be started at least once every 14 days and allowed to run for at least 20 minutes. For longer term storage, please follow these guidelines.

Generator Storage

1. Add a properly formulated fuel stabilizer to the tank.
2. Be sure all appliances are disconnected from the generator.
3. Run the generator for a few minutes so the treated fuel cycles through the fuel system and carburetor.
4. Turn the fuel valve to the "Off" position.
5. Let the generator run until fuel starvation has stopped the engine. This usually takes a few minutes.
6. The generator needs to cool completely before cleaning and storage.
7. Clean the generator according to the maintenance section.
8. Change the oil.
9. Remove the spark plug and pour about 1/2 ounce of oil into the cylinder. Crank the engine slowly to distribute the oil and lubricate the cylinder.
10. Reattach the spark plug.
11. Store the unit in a clean, dry place out of direct sunlight.

Disconnect the Battery

1. Remove the protective cover from the black/negative battery lead.
2. Disconnect the black/negative lead from the black/negative terminal on the battery and store the cap screw (M5x10) and lock washer (M5).
3. Repeat steps 1-2 for the red/positive battery lead.
4. Store the battery in a cool, dry place.

Charge the Battery

For generators equipped with batteries for electric starting, proper battery maintenance and storage should be followed. An automatic battery charger with

Charge the Battery Cont'd.

automatic trickle charging capability should be used to charge the battery. Maximum charging rate should not exceed 1.5 amps. Follow the instructions included with the battery charger. The battery should be fully charged at least once per month.

🗨 NOTE

A Float Charger will maintain the battery condition over long storage periods.

⚡ DANGER

Generator exhaust contains odorless and colorless carbon monoxide gas.

To avoid accidental or unintended ignition of your remote start generator during periods of storage, the following precautions should be followed:

- When **storing the generator for short periods of time** make sure that the Ignition Switch, the Fuel Valve and the Battery Switch are set in the **OFF** position.
- When **storing the generator for extended periods of time** make sure that the Ignition Switch, the Fuel Valve and the Battery Switch are set in the **OFF** position and the battery leads have been **disconnected** from the battery.

🗨 NOTE

Our engines work well with 10% or less ethanol blend fuels. When using blended fuels there are some issues worth noting:

- Ethanol-gasoline blends can absorb more water than gasoline alone.
- These blends can eventually separate, leaving water or a watery goo in the tank, fuel valve and carburetor.
- With gravity-fed fuel supplies, this compromised fuel can be drawn into the carburetor and cause damage to the engine and/or potential hazards.
- There are only a few suppliers of fuel stabilizer that are formulated to work with ethanol blend fuels.
- Any damages or hazards caused by using improper fuel, improperly stored fuel, and/or improperly formulated stabilizers, are not covered by manufacture's warranty.

It is advisable to always shut off the fuel supply, run the engine to fuel starvation and drain the tank when the equipment is not in use for more than 30 days.

SPECIFICATIONS

Engine Specifications

- Model 969858 / 948341 (926358)
- Displacement 224cc/439cc
- Type 4-Stroke OHV
- Start Type Wireless Remote

Generator Specifications

- Model 969858 / 948341 (926358)
- Running Wattage 3000 / 6000 Watts
- Starting Wattage 3500 / 6500 Watts
- AC Load 230 (400) V
- Phase Single(Three)
- Frequency 50 Hz
- Fuel Capacity 15 L / 25L
- Gross Weight 45 / 102 kg
- Net Weight 42 / 97 kg
- Height 61 cm / 81cm
- Width 44 cm / 56cm
- Length 46 cm / 51cm

Fuel

Fuel capacity is 15L / 25 L). Use regular unleaded petrol with a minimum octane rating of 85 and an ethanol content of less than 10% by volume.

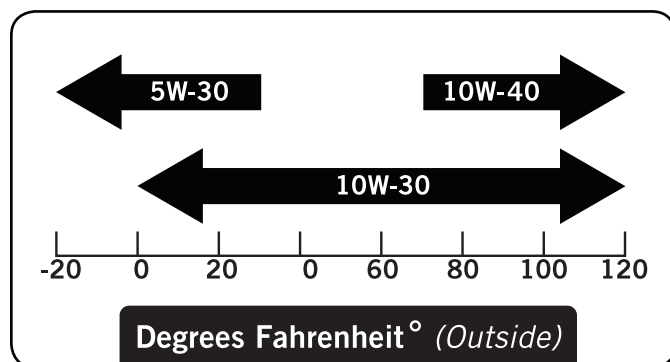
Oil

Use 10-30W automotive oil.

Oil capacity is up to 0.6 L / 1.1 L.

DO NOT OVERFILL.

Please reference the following chart for recommended oil types for use in the generator.



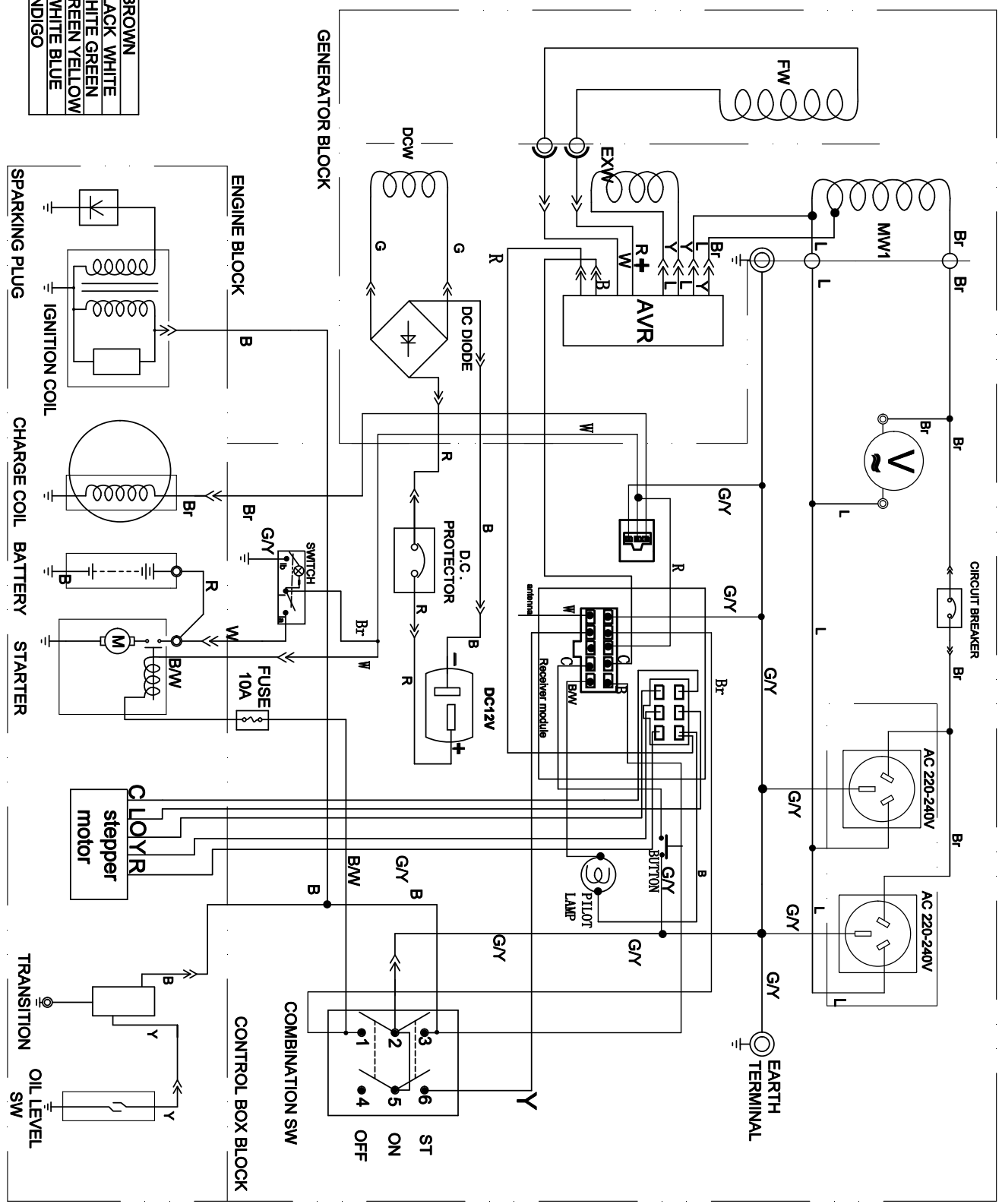
Spark Plugs

OEM spark plug: NGK

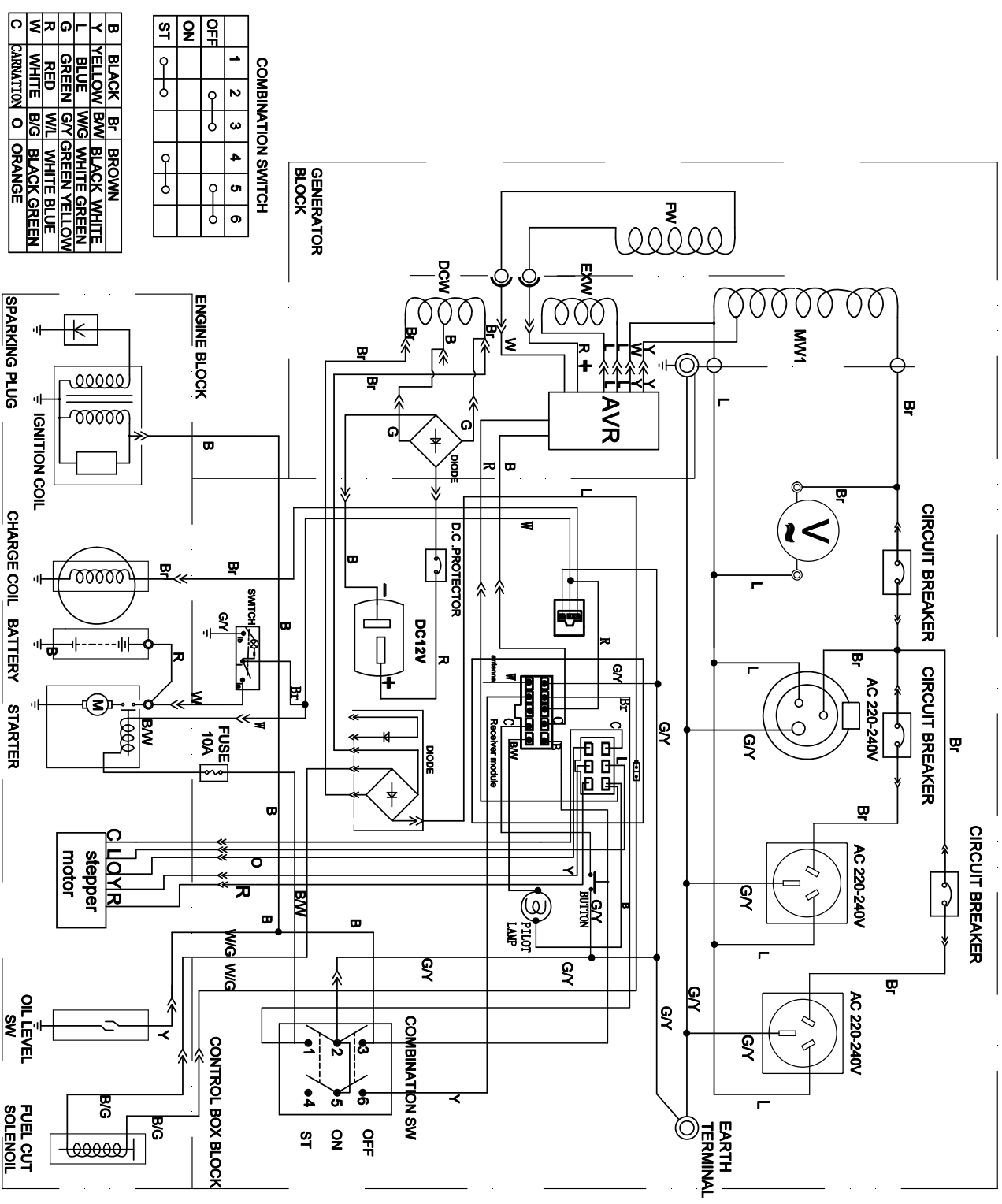
Replacement spark plug: NGK BPR6ES or equivalent
Make certain the spark plug gap is 0.7 - 0.8 mm or (0.028 - 0.031 in.).

Maintenance Valve Clearance

- Intake: 0.13 – 0.17 mm (0.005 – 0.007 in.)
 - Exhaust: 0.18 – 0.22 mm (0.007 – 0.009 in.)
- Note: Tech bulletin regarding the valve adjustment procedure is available from 0800-800-880.



B	BLACK	Br	BROWN
Y	YELLOW	BW	BLACK WHITE
L	BLUE	W/G	WHITE GREEN
G	GREEN	G/Y	GREEN YELLOW
R	RED	W/L	WHITE BLUE
W	WHITE	In	INDIGO



COMBINATION SWITCH

1	2	3	4	5	6
OFF	○	○	○	○	○
ON	○	○	○	○	○
ST	○	○	○	○	○

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C	CARNATION	O	ORANGE

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Cause	Solution
Generator will not start	No fuel	Add fuel
	Faulty spark plug	Replace spark plug
	Unit loaded during start up	Remove load from unit
Generator will not start;	Low oil level	Fill crankcase to the proper level
		Place generator on a flat, level surface
Generator starts but runs roughly	Choke in the wrong position.	Adjust choke.
	Spark plug wire loose	Attach wire to spark plug
Generator shuts down during operation	Out of fuel	Fill fuel tank
	Low oil level	Fill crankcase to the proper level. Place generator on a flat, level surface
Generator cannot supply enough power or overheating	Generator is overloaded	Review load and adjust. See "Power Management"
	Insufficient ventilation	Check for air restriction. Move to a well ventilated area
No AC output	Cable not properly connected	Check all connections
	Connected device is defective	Replace defective device
	Circuit breaker is open	Reset circuit breaker
	Faulty brush assembly	Replace brush assembly (Service Center)
	Faulty AVR (auto voltage regulator)	Replace AVR (Service Center)
	Loose wiring	Inspect and tighten wiring connections
	Other	Contact the help line.
Generator gallops	Engine governor defective	Contact the help line
Repeated circuit breaker tripping	Overload	Review load and adjust. See "Power Management"
	Faulty cords or device	Check for damaged, bare or frayed wires. Replace defective device

For further technical support:

Technical Service

Toll Free: 0800-800-880

support@tradetested.co.nz

WARRANTY*

NEWMAN GENERATORS
2 YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY

Warranty Qualifications

Please retain your proof of purchase for all warranty claims.

Repair/Replacement Warranty

Newman Generators warrants to the original purchaser that the mechanical and electrical components will be free of defects in material and workmanship for a period of two years (parts and labor) from the original date of purchase and 6 months (parts and labor) for commercial and industrial use. Transportation charges on product submitted for repair or replacement under this warranty are the sole responsibility of the purchaser. This warranty only applies to the original purchaser and is not transferable.

Warranty Exclusions

This warranty does not cover the following repairs and equipment:

Normal Wear

Products with mechanical and electrical components need periodic parts and service to perform well. This warranty does not cover repair when normal use has exhausted the life of a part or the equipment as a whole.

Installation, Use and Maintenance

This warranty will not apply to parts and/or labor if the product is deemed to have been misused, neglected, involved in an accident, abused, loaded beyond the product's limits, modified, installed improperly or connected incorrectly to any electrical component. Normal maintenance is not covered by this warranty and is not required to be performed at a facility or by a person authorized by Newman Generators.

Installation, Use and Maintenance Cont'd.

Normal maintenance such as spark plugs, air filters, adjustments, fuel system cleaning and obstruction due to buildup is not covered by this warranty.

Other Exclusions

This warranty excludes:

- Cosmetic defects such as paint, decals, etc.
- Wear items such as filter elements, o-rings, etc.
- Accessory parts such as starting batteries, and storage covers.
- Failures due to acts of God and other force majeure events beyond the manufacturer's control.
- Problems caused by parts that are not original Newman Generator parts.

This warranty does not apply to generators used for prime power in place of a utility.

Limits of Implied Warranty and Consequential Damage

Newman Generators disclaims any obligation to cover any loss of time, use of this product, freight, or any incidental

or consequential claim by anyone from using this product. THIS WARRANTY IS IN LIEU OF ALL OTHER WARRANTIES, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE.

A unit provided as an exchange will be subject to the warranty of the original unit. The length of the warranty governing the exchanged unit will remain calculated by reference to the purchase date of the original unit.

This warranty gives you certain legal rights which may change from state to state or province to province. Your state or province may also have other rights you may be entitled to that are not listed within this warranty.

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