

### CALIFORNIA

### **PROPOSITION 65 WARNING**

Diesel engine exhaust and some of its constituents are known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, and other reproductive harm.

### A WARNING:

Exhaust gasses contain Carbon Monoxide, an odorless and colorless gas. Carbon Monoxide is poisonous and can cause unconsciousness and death. Symptoms of Carbon Monoxide exposure can include:

- Dizziness
- Nausea
- Headache
- Throbbing in Temples
- Muscular Twitching
- Vomiting
- Weakness and Sieepiness Inability to Think Coherently

IF YOU OR ANYONE ELSE EXPERIENCE ANY OF THESE SYMPTOMS, GET OUT INTO THE FRESH AIR IMMEDIATELY. If symptoms persist, seek medical attention. Shut down the unit and do not restart until it has been inspected and repaired.



This WARNING DECAL is provided by WESTERBEKE and should be fixed to a bulkhead near your engine or generator.

WESTERBEKE also recommends installing CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS in the living/sleeping quarters of your vessel. They are inexpensive and easily obtainable at your local marine store.

### **SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS**

### INTRODUCTION

Read this safety manual carefully. Most accidents are caused by failure to follow fundamental rules and precautions. Know when dangerous conditions exist and take the necessary precautions to protect yourself, your personnel, and your machinery.

The following safety instructions are in compliance with the American Boat and Yacht Council (ABYC) standards.

### **PREVENT ELECTRIC SHOCK**

**WARNING:** Do not touch AC electrical connections while engine is running, or when connected to shore power. Lethal voltage is present at these connections!

- Do not operate this machinery without electrical enclosures and covers in place.
- Shut off electrical power before accessing electrical equipment.
- Use insulated mats whenever working on electrical equipment.
- Make sure your clothing and skin are dry, not damp (particularly shoes) when handling electrical equipment.
- Remove wristwatch and all jewelry when working on electrical equipment.
- Do not connect utility shore power to vessel's AC circuits, except through a ship-to-shore double throw transfer switch. Damage to vessel's AC generator may result if this procedure is not followed.
- Electrical shock results from handling a charged capacitor. Discharge capacitor by shorting terminals together.

### PREVENT BURNS — HOT ENGINE

**WARNING:** Do not touch hot engine parts or exhaust system components. A running engine gets very hot!

Always check the engine coolant level at the coolant recovery tank.

### A WARNING: Steam can cause injury or death!

In case of an engine overheat, allow the engine to cool before touching the engine or checking the coolant.

### PREVENT BURNS — FIRE

### A WARNING: Fire can cause injury or death!

- Prevent flash fires. Do not smoke or permit flames or sparks to occur near the carburetor, fuel line, filter, fuel pump, or other potential sources of spilled fuel or fuel vapors. Use a suitable container to catch all fuel when removing the fuel line, carburetor, or fuel filters.
- Do not operate with a Coast Guard Approved flame arrester removed. Backfire can cause severe injury or death.
- Do not operate with the air cleaner/silencer removed. Backfire can cause severe injury or death.
- Do not smoke or permit flames or sparks to occur near the fuel system. Keep the compartment and the engine/generator clean and free of debris to minimize the chances of fire. Wipe up all spilled fuel and engine oil.
- Be aware diesel fuel will burn.

### PREVENT BURNS — EXPLOSION

# **A** WARNING: Explosions from fuel vapors can cause injury or death!

- Follow re-fueling safety instructions. Keep the vessel's hatches closed when fueling. Open and ventilate cabin after fueling. Check below for fumes/vapor before running the blower. Run the blower for four minutes before starting your engine.
- All fuel vapors are highly explosive. Use extreme care when handling and storing fuels. Store fuel in a well-ventilated area away from spark-producing equipment and out of the reach of children.
- Do not fill the fuel tank(s) while the engine is running.
- Shut off the fuel service valve at the engine when servicing the fuel system. Take care in catching any fuel that might spill. DO NOT allow any smoking, open flames, or other sources of fire near the fuel system or engine when servicing. Ensure proper ventilation exists when servicing the fuel system.
- Do not alter or modify the fuel system.
- Be sure all fuel supplies have a positive shutoff valve.
- Be certain fuel line fittings are adequately tightened and free of leaks.
- Make sure a fire extinguisher is installed nearby and is properly maintained. Be familiar with its proper use. Extinguishers rated ABC by the NFPA are appropriate for all applications encountered in this environment.



### **SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS**

### **ACCIDENTAL STARTING**

# **WARNING:** Accidental starting can cause injury or death!

- Disconnect the battery cables before servicing the engine/ generator. Remove the negative lead first and reconnect it last.
- Make certain all personnel are clear of the engine before starting.
- Make certain all covers, guards, and hatches are reinstalled before starting the engine.

### **BATTERY EXPLOSION**

# **WARNING:** Battery explosion can cause injury or death!

- Do not smoke or allow an open flame near the battery being serviced. Lead acid batteries emit hydrogen, a highly explosive gas, which can be ignited by electrical arcing or by lit tobacco products. Shut off all electrical equipment in the vicinity to prevent electrical arcing during servicing.
- Never connect the negative (-) battery cable to the positive (+) connection terminal of the starter solenoid. Do not test the battery condition by shorting the terminals together. Sparks could ignite battery gases or fuel vapors. Ventilate any compartment containing batteries to prevent accumulation of explosive gases. To avoid sparks, do not disturb the battery charger connections while the battery is being charged.
- Avoid contacting the terminals with tools, etc., to prevent burns or sparks that could cause an explosion. Remove wristwatch, rings, and any other jewelry before handling the battery.
- Always turn the battery charger off before disconnecting the battery connections. Remove the negative lead first and reconnect it last whenservicing the battery.

### **BATTERY ACID**

# **WARNING:** Sulfuric acid in batteries can cause severe injury or death!

When servicing the battery or checking the electrolyte level, wear rubber gloves, a rubber apron, and eye protection. Batteries contain sulfuric acid which is destructive. If it comes in contact with your skin, wash it off at once with water. Acid may splash on the skin or into the eyes inadvertently when removing electrolyte caps.

### **TOXIC EXHAUST GASES**

### A WARNING: Carbon monoxide (CO) is a deadly gas!

- Ensure that the exhaust system is adequate to expel gases discharged from the engine. Check the exhaust system regularly for leaks and make sure the exhaust manifold/ water-injected elbow is securely attached.
- Be sure the unit and its surroundings are well ventilated. Run blowers when running the generator set or engine.
- Don't run the generator set or engine unless the boat is equipped with a functioning marine carbon monoxide detector that complies with ABYCA-24. Consult your boat builder or dealer for installation of approved detectors.
- For additional information refer to ABYC T-22 (educational information on Carbon Monoxide).

# **WARNING:** Carbon monoxide (CO) is an invisible odorless gas. Inhalation produces flu-like symptoms, nausea or death!

- Do not use copper tubing in diesel exhaust systems. Diesel fumes can rapidly destroy copper tubing in exhaust systems. Exhaust sulfur causes rapid deterioration of copper tubing resulting in exhaust/water leakage.
- Do not install exhaust outlet where exhaust can be drawn through portholes, vents, or air conditioners. If the engine exhaust discharge outlet is near the waterline, water could enter the exhaust discharge outlet and close or restrict the flow of exhaust. Avoid overloading the craft.
- Although diesel engine exhaust gases are not as toxic as exhaust fumes from gasoline engines, carbon monoxide gas is present in diesel exhaust fumes. Some of the symptoms or signs of carbon monoxide inhalation or poisoning are:

Vomiting	Inability to think coherently
Dizziness	Throbbing in temples
Headache	Muscular twitching
Nausea	Weakness and sleepiness

### **AVOID MOVING PARTS**

# **WARNING:** Rotating parts can cause injury or death!

Do not service the engine while it is running. If a situation arises in which it is absolutely necessary to make operating adjustments, use extreme care to avoid touching moving parts and hot exhaust system components.



### **SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS**

- Do not wear loose clothing or jewelry when servicing equipment; tie back long hair and avoid wearing loose jackets, shirts, sleeves, rings, necklaces or bracelets that could be caught in moving parts.
- Make sure all attaching hardware is properly tightened. Keep protective shields and guards in their respective places at all times.
- Do not check fluid levels or the drive belt's tension while the engine is operating.
- Stay clear of the drive shaft and the transmission coupling when the engine is running; hair and clothing can easily be caught in these rotating parts.

#### **HAZARDOUS NOISE**

## **WARNING:** High noise levels can cause hearing loss!

- Never operate an engine without its muffler installed.
- Do not run an engine with the air intake (silencer) removed.
- Do not run engines for long periods with their enclosures open.

**WARNING:** *Do not work on machinery when you are mentally or physically incapacitated by fatigue!* 

#### **OPERATORS MANUAL**

Many of the preceding safety tips and warnings are repeated in your Operators Manual along with other cautions and notes to highlight critical information. Read your manual carefully, maintain your equipment, and follow all safety procedures.

#### **ENGINE INSTALLATIONS**

Preparations to install an engine should begin with a thorough examination of the American Boat and Yacht Council's (ABYC) standards. These standards are a combination of sources including the USCG and the NFPA.

Sections of the ABYC standards of particular interest are:

H-2 Ventilation P-1 Exhaust systems P-4 Inboard engines E-9 DC Electrical systems

All installations must comply with the Federal Code of Regulations (FCR).

# ABYC, NFPA AND USCG PUBLICATIONS FOR INSTALLING DIESEL ENGINES

Read the following ABYC, NFPA and USCG publications for safety codes and standards. Follow their recommendations when installing your engine.

**ABYC** (American Boat and Yacht Council) "Safety Standards for Small Craft"

Order from: ABYC 15 East 26th Street New York, NY 10010

**NFPA** (National Fire Protection Association) "Fire Protection Standard for Motor Craft"

Order from:

National Fire Protection Association 11 Tracy Drive Avon Industrial Park Avon, MA 02322

USCG (United States Coast Guard) "USCG 33CFR183"

Order from:

U.S. Government Printing Office Washington, D.C. 20404



### INSTALLATION

When installing WESTERBEKE engines and generators it is important that strict attention be paid to the following information:

#### **CODES AND REGULATIONS**

Strict federal regulations, ABYC guidelines, and safety codes must be complied with when installing engines and generators in a marine environment.

#### **SIPHON-BREAK**

For installations where the exhaust manifold/water injected exhaust elbow is close to or will be below the vessel's waterline, provisions must be made to install a siphonbreak in the raw water supply hose to the exhaust elbow. This hose must be looped a minimum of 20" above the vessel's waterline. *Failure to use a siphon-break when the exhaust manifold injection port is at or below the load waterline will result in raw water damage to the engine and possible flooding of the boat.* 

If you have any doubt about the position of the water-injected exhaust elbow relative to the vessel's waterline under the vessel's various operating conditions, *install a siphon-break*.

#### **EXHAUST SYSTEM**

The exhaust hose must be certified for marine use. The system must be designed to prevent water from entering the exhaust under any sea conditions and at any angle of the vessels hull.

Carefully review the Marine Installation Manual provided with your WESTERBEKE engine or generator. Additional WESTERBEKE Manuals are available from your WESTERBEKE dealer.



AVAILABLE FROM YOUR WESTERBEKE DEALER



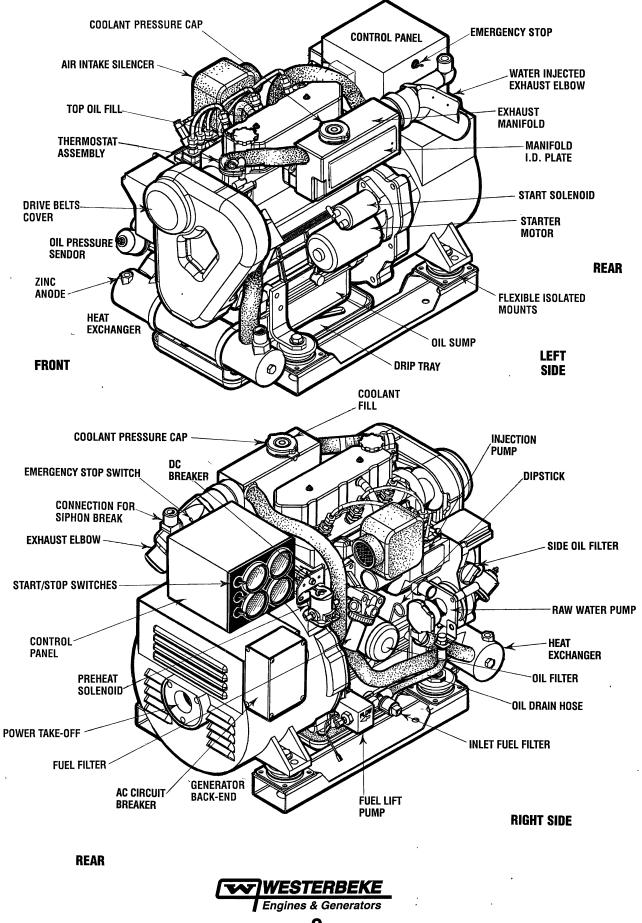
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### **PARTS IDENTIFICATION**



### INTRODUCTION

This WESTERBEKE Diesel Generator is a product of WESTERBEKE's long years of experience and advanced technology. We take great pride in the superior durability and dependable performance of our engines and generators. Thank you for selecting WESTERBEKE.

In order to get the full use and benefit from your generator it is important that you operate and maintain it correctly. This manual is designed to help you do this. Please, read this manual carefully and observe all the safety precautions throughout. Should your generator require servicing, contact your nearest WESTERBEKE dealer for assistance.

This is your operators manual. A parts catalog is also provided and a technical manual is available from your WESTERBEKE dealer. If you are planning to install this equipment refer to WESTERBEKE'S installation manual supplied with this unit.

#### WARRANTY PROCEDURES

Your WESTERBEKE Warranty is included in a separate folder. If, after 60 days of submitting the Warranty Registry form you have not received a customer identification card registering your warranty, please contact the factory in writing with model information, including the unit's serial number and commission date.

#### **Customer Identification Card**



Customer Identification MR. GENERATOR OWNER MAIN STREET HOMETOWN, USA Model Ser. # Expires

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### NOTES, CAUTIONS AND WARNINGS

As this manual takes you through the operating procedures, maintenance schedules, and troubleshooting of your marine engine, critical information will be highlighted by NOTES, CAUTIONS, and WARNINGS. An explanation follows:

NOTE: An operating procedure essential to note.

**CAUTION:** Procedures, which if not strictly observed, can result in the damage or destruction of vour engine.

WARNING: Procedures, which if not properly followed, can result in personal injury or loss of life.



### **INTRODUCTION**

### **SERIAL NUMBER LOCATION**

The engine and generator serial numbers and model numbers are located on a decal on the generator housing. Take the time to enter the information on the blank decal provided below as this will provide a quick reference when seeking technical information and/or ordering repair parts.

SPECIFICATION	50 HZ.	60 HZ.
MODEL		
RPM		
KW		
KVA		
VOLTS		
AMPS		
ENG. HP		
ENG. SER. NO.		
GEN. SER. NO.		
PF/PHASE		/
WIRES		
RATING		
INSUL. CLASS		•
TEMP. RISE		
BATTERY		
C.I.D.		

The engine serial number can also be found stamped into the engine block just adjacent to the the injection pump. The generator serial number is stamped into the generator housing on the flat surface on the left side of the generator.



An identification plate on the engine exhaust manifold also displays the engine model and serial number.

**NOTE:** A carbon monoxide warning decal has been provided by WESTERBEKE. Affix this decal in a visible position in the engine room.

### **UNDERSTANDING THE DIESEL ENGINE**

The diesel engine closely resembles the gasoline engine, since the mechanism is essentially the same. The cylinders are arranged above a closed crankcase; the crankshaft is of the same general type as that of a gasoline engine; and the diesel engine has the same type of valves, camshaft, pistons, connecting rods and lubricating system.

Therefore, to a great extent, a diesel engine requires the same preventive maintenance as a gasoline engine. The most important factors are proper ventilation and proper maintenance of the fuel, lubricating and cooling systems. Replacement of fuel and lubricating filter elements at the time periods specified is a must, and frequent checking for contamination (that is, water, sediment, etc.) in the fuel system is also essential. Another important factor is the use of the same brand of high detergent diesel lubrication oil designed specifically for diesel engines.

The diesel engine does differ from the gasoline engine, however, in its method of handling and firing of fuel. The carburetor and ignition systems are done away with and in their place is a single component – the fuel injection pump – which performs the function of both.

### **ORDERING PARTS**

Whenever replacement/service parts are needed, always provide the generator model number, engine serial number, and generator serial number as they appear on the silver and black name plate located on the generator end. You must provide us with this information so we may properly identify your generator set. In addition, include a complete part description and part number for each part needed (see the separately furnished Parts List). Also insist upon WESTERBEKE packaged parts because *will fit* or generic parts are frequently not made to the same specifications as original equipment.

### **SPARES AND ACCESSORIES**

Certain spares will be needed to support and maintain your WESTERBEKE generator. Your local WESTERBEKE dealer will assist you in preparing an inventory of spare parts. See the *SPARE PARTS* page in this manual. For Engine and Generator Accessories, see the *ACCESSORIES* brochure.

### **INSTALLATION MANUAL**

Publication #43400 provides detailed information for installing generators.



### FUEL, ENGINE OIL AND ENGINE COOLANT

#### FUEL

**CAUTION:** Use number 2 diesel fuel with a cetane rating of 45 or higher.

### **Care Of The Fuel Supply**

Use only clean fuel! The clearance of the components in your fuel injection pump is very critical; invisible dirt particles which might pass through the filter can damage these finely finished parts. It is important to buy clean fuel, and keep it clean. The best fuel can be rendered unsatisfactory by careless handling or improper storage facilities. To assure that the fuel going into the tank for your engine's daily use is clean and pure, the following practice is advisable:

Purchase a well-known brand of fuel.

Install and regularly service a good, Coast Guard approved filter/water separator between the fuel tank and the engine.

### **ENGINE OIL**

Use a heavy duty engine oil or a synthetic oil with an API classification of CF or CG-4. Change the engine oil and filter after an initial 50 hours of break-in operation, and every 100 hours of operation thereafter. An oil viscosity of SAE 15W-40 is recommended for this engine in all conditions.

**CAUTION:** Do not allow two or more brands of engine oil to mix. Each brand contains its own additives; additives of different brands could react in the mixture to produce properties harmful to your engine.

#### **ENGINE COOLANT**

Engine coolant is a 50/50 mixture of antifreeze and distilled water. This coolant allows the engine to run at its proper temperature by transferring heat from the engine to the coolant. It also lubricates and protects the cooling system from rust and corrosion. A 50/50 mixture of antifreeze and distilled water will protect the engine to  $-34^{\circ}F$  (1.12C).

### **PURCHASING ANTIFREEZE**

Rather than preparing the mixture, WESTERBEKE recommends buying the premixed antifreeze so that so that when adding coolant the mixture will always be correct.

There are two common types of antifreeze, Ethylene Glycol (green) and Propylene Glycol (red/purple), either can be used but do not mix the two and if changing from one to another, flush the engine thoroughly.

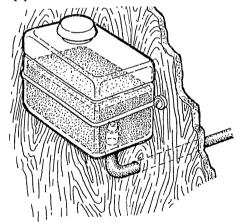
Premixed antifreeze for DIESEL Engines: Specification #ASTM 5345.

### MAINTENANCE

Change the engine coolant every two years regardless of the number of operating hours as the chemical additives that protect and lubricate the engine have a limited life.

### **COOLANT RECOVERY TANK**

A coolant recovery tank kit is supplied with each generator. The purpose of this recovery tank is to allow for engine coolant expansion and contraction during engine operation, without the loss of coolant and without introducing air into the cooling system. This coolant recovery tank **must** be installed to help prevent the loss of antifreeze coolant.





### **PREPARATIONS FOR INITIAL START-UP**

#### **PRESTART INSPECTION**

Before starting your generator set for the first time or after a prolonged layoff, check the following items:

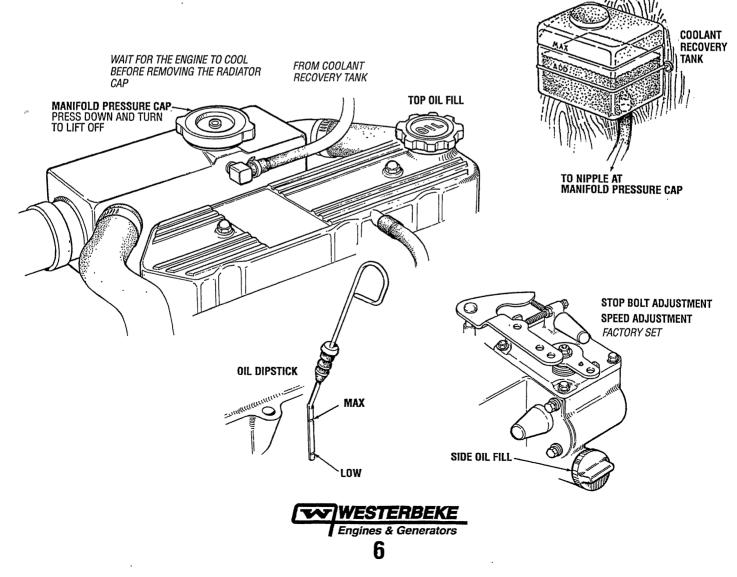
- Make certain the cooling water thru-hull petcock is open.
- Check the engine oil level: add oil to maintain the level at the full mark on the dipstick.
- Check the fuel supply and examine the fuel filter/separator bowls for contaminant's.
- Check the DC electrical system. Inspect wire connections and battery cable connections.
- Check load leads for correct connection as specified in the wiring diagrams.
- Examine air inlet and outlet for air flow obstructions.
- Be sure no other generator or utility power is connected to load lines.
- Be sure that in power systems with a neutral line that the neutral is properly grounded (or ungrounded) as the system requires, and that the generator neutral is properly connected to the load neutral. In single phase systems an incomplete or open neutral can supply the wrong line-toneutral voltage on unbalanced loads.
- Visually examine the unit. Look for loose or missing parts, disconnected wires, unattached hoses, and check threaded connections. Search for any gasoline leaks.

**CAUTION:** When starting the generator, it is recommended that all AC loads, especially large motors, be switched OFF until the engine has come up to speed and, in cold climates, starts to warm up. This precaution will prevent damage caused by unanticipated operation of the AC machinery and will prevent a cold engine from stalling.

Check the coolant level in both the plastic recovery tank and at the manifold.

**NOTE:** After the initial running of the generator, the air in the engine's cooling system will be purged to the coolant recovery tank. Open the air bleed petcock to ensure that the cooling system is purged of air. After shutdown and after the engine has cooled, the coolant from the recovery tank will be drawn into the engine's cooling system to replace the purged air.

Before subsequent operation of the generator, the engine's manifold should be topped off, and the coolant recovery tank may need to be filled to the MAX level.



### **INSTRUMENT CONTROL PANEL**

#### **INSTRUMENTS**

#### **COOLANT TEMPERATURE GAUGE**

Engine coolant (water) temperature should normally indicate  $175^{\circ}$  to  $195^{\circ}$  F (80° to 90° C).

#### **ENGINE OIL PRESSURE GAUGE**

Oil Pressure (psi) may fluctuate depending on the generator load but should range between 30 to 60 psi.

#### **DC VOLTMETER GAUGE**

Indicates the amount the battery is being charged and should show 13V to 14V.

#### **HOURMETER GAUGE**

Registers elapsed time and is used as a guide for when to perform scheduled maintenance.

#### **TOGGLE SWITCHES**

All three switches are momentary contact type.

#### **EMERGENCY STOP SWITCH**

The emergency stop switch on the side of the control box is normally closed. When depressed, it will open the DC circuit to the control panel and shut the engine down. As the switch is not toggled it can be used when performing maintenance.

#### **8 AMP FUSE**

An 8 amp fuse protects the instrument panel from an electrical overload.



It is important to closely monitor the panel gauges. Become aware of the normal engine readings and take immediate action if these readings start to vary.

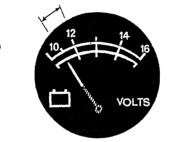
### **STARTING**

**PREHEAT:** The PREHEAT toggle switch serves two purposes: preheating the engine for easy starting and defeating of bypassing the engine oil pressure switch. The defeat function activates the K2 relay instrument power fuel pump and fuel solenoid hold terminal.

When the PREHEAT switch is depressed, the voltmeter, panel lights, gauges and meters and fuel solenoid will activate.

**START:** The START toggle switch closes the K1 relay that energizes the starter solenoid and activates the starter. While the PREHEAT switch is still depressed, depressing the START switch engages the start solenoid. When the engine begins to fire, the START switch should be released. The PREHEAT switch should not be released until the oil pressure reaches 5 - 10 psi.

Should the engine not start when the START switch is depressed for 10 to 20 seconds, release both switches and wait 30 seconds. repeat the procedure above and preheat longer. *Never run that starter for more than 30 seconds*.



**NOTE:** When starting: A voltage drop will occur when the preheat switch is depressed.

Once the engine starts, check the engine's instruments for proper oil pressure and battery charging voltage. Apply a light load to the generator and allow the engine's operating temperature to come up to  $140^{\circ} - 150^{\circ}$  F ( $60^{\circ} - 66^{\circ}$  C) before applying heavy loads.

**NOTE:** Some unstable running may occur in a cold engine. Depressing the PREHEAT button for 10 - 15 second intervals will help stabilize the engine rpm until the operating temperature reaches  $140^{\circ} - 190^{\circ}F$  and a load is applied to the engine.

### STOPPING

The STOP toggle switch is a normally closed switch, providing power to the K2 relay, after the oil pressure switch has closed upon starting. Opening of this switch opens the K2 relay power circuit to the fuel solenoid, stopping the flow of fuel to the engine and shuts down the engine.

To stop the engine, depress the STOP switch. When the STOP switch is depressed, the power feed to the fuel solenoid is opened, and the fuel flow to the engine is stopped. The STOP switch should be depressed until the generator stops rotating.

**NOTE:** When the engine is shut down, the water temperature gauge and the oil pressure gauge will continue to register the last temperature and oil pressure readings displayed. They will return to zero once electrical power is restored.



### **STARTING/STOPPING PROCEDURE**



### STARTING

**PREHEAT:** Depress the PREHEAT switch for approximately 15 seconds then, with the PREHEAT switch still depressed, depress that START switch.

**START:** With both switches depressed the generator will start. Release the START switch but continue to depress the PREHEAT switch for about 5 more seconds. This allows the oil pressure to rise enough to close the oil pressure safety switch.

**RUN:** With both switches released and the oil pressure and coolant temperature protective circuits normal, the generator will remain energized and continue to run.

### **FAILURE TO START**

Should the engine not start when the START switch is depressed for 10 to 20 seconds, release both switches and wait 30 seconds. Repeat the procedure above and preheat longer. *Never run the starter for more than 30 seconds*.

**NOTE:** Some unstable running may occur in a cold engine. Depressing the PREHEAT switch for 10-15 second intervals will help stabilize the engine RPM until the operating temperature reaches normal and a load is applied to the engine. Do not apply heavy loads until the generator has warmed up.

### STOPPING

Remove the AC electrical load from the generator and allow the generator to run for 3 to 5 minutes to stabilize its operating temperatures.

Depress the STOP switch and hold it until the generator is completely stopped.

Now release the STOP switch.

### **REMOTE PANEL**

The remote panel uses the same three toggle switches with an LED light to indicate the generator is running.

#### STARTING

**PREHEAT:** Depress the PREHEAT switch for approximately 15 seconds (the LED light will illuminate). With the PREHEAT switch still depressed, depress that START switch.

**START:** With both switches depressed the starter will crank and the LED light will dim.

**RUN:** When the engine starts the LED light will brighten signaling to release the START switch. Continue to hold the PREHEAT depressed for about 5 seconds to allow the oil pressure to build up which closes the oil pressure safety switch. The green LED will remain brightly illuminated while the engine is running.

After the generator is started and the START switch is released, the generator's starter will not crank unless the PREHEAT switch is operated first because this switch supplies voltage to the START switch.

Once the generator starts, apply a light load but allow the generator to warm up before applying heavy loads.



### **FAILURE TO START**

Should the engine not start when the START switch is depressed for 10 to 20 seconds, release both switches and wait 30 seconds. Repeat the procedure above and preheat longer. *Never run the starter for more than 30 seconds.* 

### STOPPING

To stop the generator, depress the STOP switch until the generator comes to a complete stop and the LED light goes out.



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### **GENERATOR BREAK-IN PROCEDURE**

#### DESCRIPTION

Although your engine has experienced a minimum of one hour of test operations at the factory to make sure accurate assembly procedures were followed and that the engine operated properly, a break-in time is required. The service life of your engine is dependent upon how the engine is operated and serviced during its initial hours of use.

Breaking-in a new engine basically involves seating the piston rings to the cylinder walls. Excessive oil consumption and smoky operation indicate that the cylinder walls are glazed or scored, which is caused by overloading the engine during the break-in period.

Your new engine requires approximately 50 hours of initial conditioning operation to break in each moving part in order to maximize the performance and service life of the engine. Perform this conditioning carefully, keeping in mind the following:

Start the engine according to the *STARTING PROCEDURE* section. Run the engine while checking that all systems (raw water pump, oil pressure, battery charging) are functioning.

#### **AFTER START-UP**

Once the generator has been started, check for proper operation and then encourage a fast warm-up. Run the generator between 20% and 60% of full-load for the first 10 hours. After the first 10 hours of the generator's operation, the load can be increased to the full-load rated output, then periodically vary the load.

Avoid overload at all times. An overload is signaled by smoky exhaust with reduced output voltage and frequency. Monitor the current being drawn from the generator and keep it within the generator's rating. Since the generator operates at 1800 rpm to produce 60 hertz (or at 1500 rpm to produce 50 Hertz), control of the generator's break-in is governed by the current drawn from the generator.

**NOTE:** Be aware of motor starting loads and the high current draw required for starting motors. This starting amperage draw can be 3 to 5 times normal running amperage. See GENERATOR INFORMATION in this manual.

#### **GENERATOR ADJUSTMENTS**

Once the generator has been placed in operation, there may be adjustments required for engine speed (hertz) during the engine's break-in period (first 50 hours) or after this period. A no-load voltage adjustment may also be required in conjunction with the engine's speed adjustment. See *GENERATOR INFORMATION* in this manual.

### THE DAILY ROUTINE

#### **CHECK LIST**

Follow this check list each day before starting your generator.

- □ Check that all generator circuit breakers (power panel) are in the off position before starting.
- □ Record the hourmeter reading in your log (engine hours relate to the maintenance schedule.)
- □ Visually inspect the engine for fuel, oil, or water leaks.
- Check the oil level (dipstick).
- Check the coolant level in the coolant recovery tank.
- □ Check your fuel supply.
- Check the starting batteries (weekly).
- Check drive belts for wear and proper tension (weekly).

#### CHECK WITH THE ENGINE RUNNING.

□ Check for abnormal noise such as knocking, vibrating and blow-back sounds.

Confirm exhaust smoke:
 When the engine is cold - White Smoke.
 When the engine is warm - almost Smokeless.
 When the engine is overloaded - some Black Smoke.

**NOTE:** Some unstable running may occur in a cold engine. This condition should abate as normal operating temperature is reached and loads are applied.

**CAUTION:** Do not operate the generator for long periods of time without a load being placed on the generator.

#### **STOPPING THE GENERATOR**

Remove the AC loads from the generator one at a time.Allow the generator to run for 3-5 minutes to stabilize the operating temperature, then turn the key to the off position. Once the generator is shutdown, close down all circuit breakers as a safety precaution.



### **SAFETY SHUTDOWN SWITCHES**

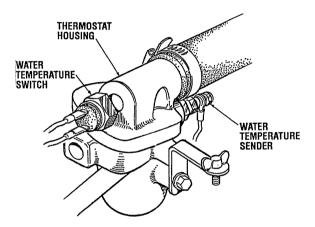
### **SAFETY SHUTDOWN SWITCHES**

The engine is protected by three automatic shutdown switches. Should a shutdown occur, *do not attempt to restart* without finding and correcting the cause. Refer to the heading Engine starts, runs and then shuts down in the ENGINE TROUBLESHOOTING section of this manual.

The following is a description of these automatic shutdown switches:

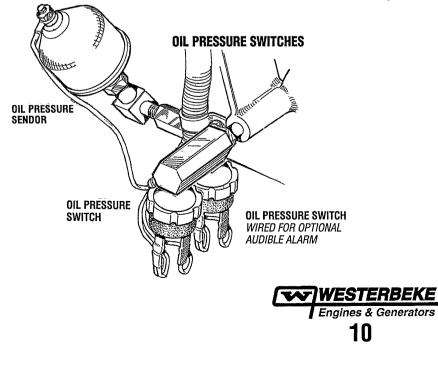
#### **High Water Temperature Switch**

A high water temperature switch is located at the thermostat housing. Normally closed, this switch, should the fresh water coolant's operating temperature reach approximately 210°F (99°C), will open and interrupt the DC voltage thereby shutting off the engine. This switch resets at 195°F (107°C).



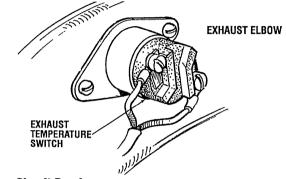
#### Low Oil Pressure Switch

A low oil pressure shutdown switch is located off the engine's oil gallery. Normally open in a static state, this switch's sensor monitors the engine's oil pressure. Should the engine's oil pressure fall to 5-10 psi, this switch will open interrupting the DC voltage thereby shutting off the engine.



#### **High Exhaust Temperature Switch**

An exhaust temperature switch is located on the exhaust elbow. Normally closed, this switch will open and interrupt the DC voltage (shutting off the engine) should the switch's sensor indicate an excessive exhaust temperature (an inadequate supply of raw water causes high exhaust temperatures). This switch opens at 260-270°F (127-132°C). This switch resets at approximately 225°F (107°C).



#### **Engine Circuit Breaker**

The generator's engine is protected by an engine mounted manual reset circuit breaker (20 amps DC). Excessive current draw or electrical overload anywhere in the instrument panel wiring or engine wiring will cause the breaker to trip. In this event the generator will shut down because the opened breaker interrupts the DC circuit. If this should occur, check and repair the source of the problem. After repairing the fault, reset the breaker and restart the generator.

### High RPM Shutdown Switch (Optional Electronic Governing)

An overspeed switch in the DC circuit shuts off the generators engine when the engine's speed reaches 2175 rpm (approx.) by opening the DC circuit to the K2 relay. After correcting the problem, this switch can be re-set by momentarily depressing the stop switch. refer to the *WIRING DIAGRAMS* in this manual.

### **MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE**

**WARNING:** Never attempt to perform any service while the engine is running. Wear the proper safety equipment such as goggles and gloves, and use the correct tools for each job. Disconnect the battery terminals when servicing any of the engine's DC electrical equipment.

	CHECK	HOURS OF OPERATION				RATIO	N		
SCHEDULED MAINTENANCE	EACH Day	50	100	250	500	750	1000	1250	EXPLANATION OF SCHEDULED MAINTENANCE
Fuel Supply									Diesel No. 2 rating of 45 cetane or higher.
Fuel/Water Separator									Check for water and dirt in fuel (drain/replace filter if necessary).
Engine Oil Level									Oil level should indicate between MAX. and LOW on dipstick.
Coolant Level									Check at recovery tank; if empty, check at manifold. Add coolant if needed.
Drive Belts	□ weekly								Inspect for proper tension (3/8" to 1/2" deflection) and adjust if needed. Check belt edges for wear.
Visual Inspection of Engine		and o	l Pleas il will in n cool.	e keep nhibit tl	engine he engi	surfac ne's ab	ce clean ility to	n. Dirt	Check for fuel, oil and water leaks. Inspect wiring and electrical connections. Keep bolts & nuts tight. Check for loose belt tension.
Fuel Filter									Initial change at 50 hrs, then change every 250 hrs.
Starting Batteries (and House Batteries)	U weekly								Every 50 operating hours check electrolyte levels and make sure connections are very tight. Clean off excessive corrosion.
Engine Oil (and filter)									Initial engine oil & filter change at 50 hrs., then change both every <b>100</b> hours.
Generator									Check that AC connections are clean and secure with no chafing. See <i>GENERATOR SECTION</i> for additional information.
Heat Exchanger Zinc Anode									Inspect zinc anode, replace if needed, clear the heat exchanger end of zinc anode debris.
Fuel/Water Separator									Change every 200 hours.
Electronic Governor Control (if applicable)									Check and or adjust the no-load speed in the panel, required (hertz) and the regulator board adjustment as needed. <b>NOTE:</b> These adjustment are not a warrantable adjustment during or after the unit's break-in.
Exhaust System									Initial check at 50 hrs., then every 250 hrs. Inspect for leaks. Check anti-siphon valve operation. Check the exhaust elbow for carbon and/or corrosion buildup on inside passages; clean and replace as necessary. Check that all connections are tight.
Engine Hoses									Hose should be hard & tight. Replace if soft or spongy. Check and tighten all hose clamps.

**NOTE:** Many of the following maintenance jobs are simple but others are more difficult and may require the expert knowledge of a service mechanic.

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### **MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE**

**NOTE:** Use the engine hour meter gauge to log your engine hours or record your engine hours by running time.

	CHECK	HOURS OF OPERATION				HOURS OF OPERATION			HOURS OF OPERATION				
SCHEDULED MAINTENANCE	EACH Day	50	100	250	500	750	1000	1250	EXPLANATION OF SCHEDULED MAINTENANCE				
Raw Water Pump At 800 operating hours, disassemble and inspect for overhaul.									Remove the pump cover and inspect impeller, gasket, cam and cover for wear. Check the bearings and seals (the shaft should not wobble). Lubricate when reassembling.				
Coolant System									Drain, flush, and refill cooling system with the appropriate antifreeze mix.				
Electric Fuel Lift Pump									Periodically check the wiring connections and inspect the fuel line connections.				
*Fuel Injectors									Check and adjust injection opening pressure and spray condition (see <i>ENGINE ADJUSTMENTS</i> ).				
*Starter Motor									Check solenoid and motor for corrosion. Remove and lubricate. Clean and lubricate the starter motor pinion drive.				
*Preheat Circuit									Check operation of preheat solenoid. Remove and clean glow plugs; check resistance (4-6 ohms). Reinstall with anti seize compound on threads.				
*Engine Cylinder Compression									Check compression pressure and timing (see <i>Engine Adjustments</i> ).				
*Torque Cylinder Head Hold-down bolts									At first 50 hours, then every 500 hours (see <i>ENGINE ADJUSTMENTS</i> ).				
*Adjust the Valve Clearances									Adjust Valve Clearances (see ENGINE ADJUSTMENTS).				
*Heat Exchanger									Remove, have professionally cleaned and pressure tested.				
*Water Injected Exhaust Elbow									Check casting integrity every 500 hours of operation. Replace as needed.				

\*WESTERBEKE recommends this service be performed by an authorized mechanic.



### FUEL SYSTEM.

### **DIESEL FUEL**

Use No. 2 diesel fuel with a cetane rating of 45 or higher. Do not use kerosene or home heating fuel.

### **FUEL FILTERS**

The fuel injection pump and the fuel injectors are precisely manufactured and they must receive clean diesel fuel, free from water and dirt. To ensure this flow of clean fuel, the fuel must pass through at least two fuel filters, a fuel water separator and the engine's spin-on fuel filter. Visually inspect, clean, and change these filters according to the maintenance schedule in this manual.

### FUEL WATER SEPARATOR

A primary fuel filter of the water separating type must be installed between the fuel tank and the engine to remove water and other contaminants from the fuel before they can be carried to the fuel system on the engine.

The owner/operator is responsible for making certain the fuel reaching the engine's injection equipment is free of impurities. This process is accomplished by installing and maintaining a proper fuel filter/water separator between the fuel tank and the generator/engine. Westerbeke recommends a 10 micron filter be used.

### **FUEL INJECTION PUMP**

The fuel injection pump is the most important component of the diesel engine, requiring the utmost caution in handling. The fuel injection pump has been thoroughly bench-tested and the owner/operator is cautioned not to attempt to service it. If it requires servicing, remove it and take it to an authorized fuel injection pump service facility. Do not attempt to disassembly and repair it.

The only adjustment the servicing mechanic should make to the fuel injection pump is the adjustment for the engine idle speed (see *IDLE SPEED ADJUSTMENT* under *ENGINE ADJUSTMENTS*).

### **FUEL LIFT PUMP**

Periodically check the fuel connections to and out of the pump and make sure that no leakage is present and that the fittings are tight and secure. The DC ground connection at one of the pump's mounting bolts should be clean and well secured by the mounting bolt to ensure proper pump operation.

When energized thru the preheat circuit, the fuel lift pump will purge air from the fuel system and provide a continuous flow of fuel as the engine is running.

### **INLET FUEL FILTER**

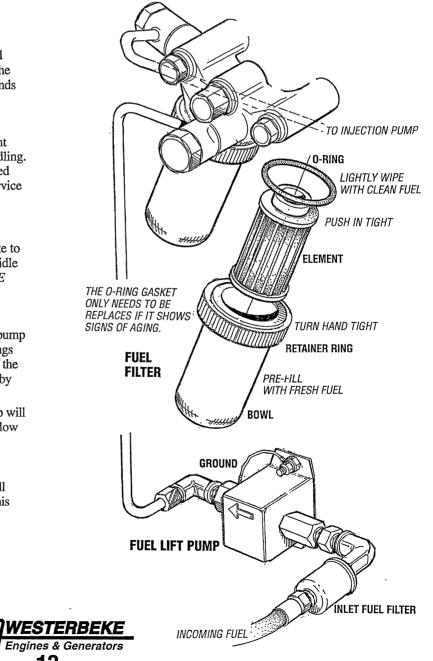
To ensure clean fuel into the fuel lift pump, there is a small in-line fuel filter connected to the fuel lift pump elbow. This filter should be replaced every 250 hours of operation.

### **ENGINE FUEL FILTER**

Periodically check the fuel connections and the bowl for leakage. Replace the filter element after the first 50 hours then follow the *MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE*.

#### Changing/cleaning the filter element

- 1. Shut off the fuel supply.
- 2. Unscrew the retainer ring that holds the filter bowl to the housing and allow the bowl to come away from the housing,
- 3. Remove and replace the filter element and clean the bowl.
- 4. Replace the sealing "O" ring and reassemble the bowl to the housing. Thread the retainer ring on carefully so as not to cross thread. When retainer contacts the "O" ring, tighten 1/4 1/2 turns by hand. Open the fuel supply and run the engine to inspect for leaks.

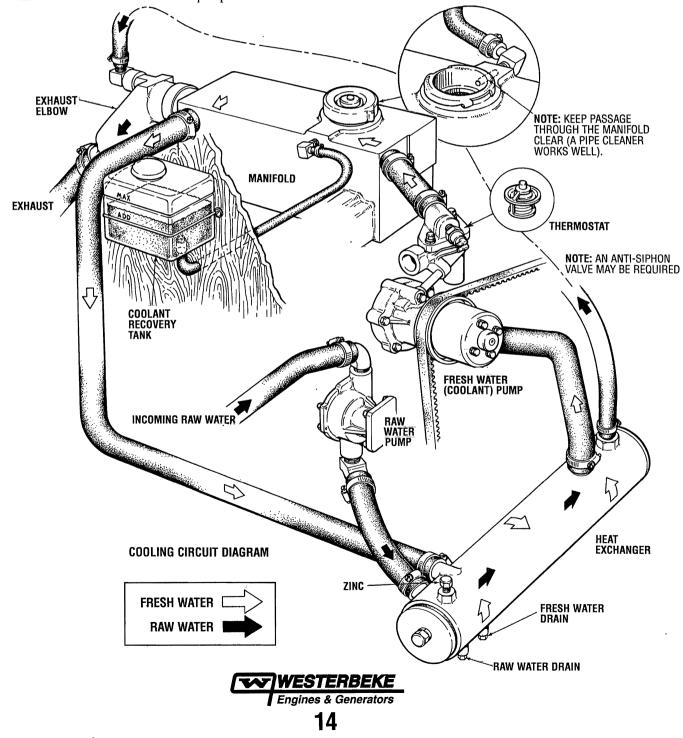


### **ENGINE COOLING CIRCUIT**

#### DESCRIPTION

Westerbeke marine diesel generators are designed and equipped for fresh water cooling. Heat produced in the engine by combustion and friction is transferred to fresh water coolant which circulates throughout the engine. This circulating fresh water coolant cools the engine block and its internal moving parts. The heat is transferred externally from the fresh water coolant to raw water by means of a heat exchanger; similar in function to an automotive radiator. Raw water flows through the tubes of the heat exchanger while hesh water coolant flows around the tubes; engine heat transferred to the fresh water coolant is conducted through the tube walls to the raw water which is then pumped into the exhaust system where finally it is discharged overboard. In other words, the engine is cooled by fresh water coolant, this coolant is cooled by raw water, and the raw water carries the transferred heat overboard through the exhaust system. The fresh water coolant and raw water circuits are independent of each other. Using only fresh water coolant within the engine allows the cooling water passages to stay clean and free from harmful deposits.

**NOTE:** Refer to ENGINE COOLANT paragraphs in this section for the recommended antifreeze and water mixture to be used as the fresh water coolant and for information on filling the fresh water system.



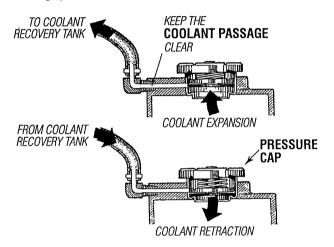
### **COOLING SYSTEM**

### FRESH WATER COOLING CIRCUIT

**NOTE:** Refer to the ENGINE COOLANT section for the recommended antifreeze and water mixture to be used as the fresh water coolant.

Fresh water coolant is pumped through the engine by a circulating pump, absorbing heat from the engine. The coolant then passes through the thermostat into the manifold, to the heat exchanger where it is cooled, and returned to the engine block via the suction side of the circulating pump.

When the engine is started cold, external coolant flow is prevented by the closed thermostat (although some coolant flow is bypassed around the thermostat to prevent the exhaust manifold from overheating). As the engine warms up, the thermostat gradually opens, allowing full flow of the engine's coolant to flow unrestricted to the external portion of the cooling system.



**NOTE:** Periodically check the condition of the manifold pressure cap. Ensure the upper and lower rubber seals are in

good condition. Check to ensure the vacuum valve opens and closes tightly. Carry a spare cap. Check also to ensure the coolant passage is clear so coolant within the system is able to expand and contract to and from the coolant recovery tank.



### **Coolant Recovery Tank**

The coolant recovery tank allows for the expansion and contraction of the engines coolant during engine operation without introducing air into the system. This recovery tank is provided with fresh water cooled models and with the fresh water coolant conversion kit and must be installed before operating the engine.

**NOTE:** This tank, with its short run of plastic hose, is best located at or above the level of the engine's manifold.

### **CHANGING COOLANT**

The engine's coolant must be changed according to the *MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE*. If the coolant is allowed to become contaminated, it can lead to overheating problems.

**A** CAUTION: Proper cooling system maintenance is critical; a substantial number of engine failures can be traced back to cooling system corrosion.

Drain the engine coolant by removing the drain plug-on the engine block and opening the manifold pressure cap. Flush the system with fresh water, then reinstall the drain and start the refill process.

**NOTE:** The drain petcock on the heat exchanger should also be used to help drain engine coolant.

**WARNING:** Beware of the hot engine coolant. Wear protective gloves.

### **Refilling the Coolant**

After replacing the engine block drain plug, close the heat exchanger's coolant petcock. Then run the engine at idle and slowly pour clean, premixed coolant into the manifold.

Monitor the coolant in the manifold and add as needed. Fill the manifold to the filler neck and install the manifold pressure cap.

Remove the cap on the coolant recovery tank and fill with coolant mix to halfway between LOW and MAX and replace the cap. Run the engine and observe the coolant expansion flow into the recovery tank.

After checking for leaks, stop the engine and allow it to cool. Coolant should draw back into the cooling system as the engine cools down. Add coolant to the recovery tank if needed and check the coolant in the manifold. Clean up any spilled coolant.



### **COOLING SYSTEM**

### THERMOSTAT

A thermostat, located near the manifold at the front of the engine, controls the coolant temperature as the coolant continuously flows through the closed cooling circuit. When the engine is first started, the closed thermostat prevents coolant from flowing (some coolant is by-passed through a hole in the thermostat to prevent the exhaust manifold from overheating). As the engine warms up, the thermostat gradually opens. The thermostat is accessible and can be checked, cleaned, or replaced easily. Carry a spare thermostat and gasket

### **Replacing the Thermostat**

Remove the cap screws and disassemble the thermostat housing as shown. When installing the new thermostat and gasket, apply a thin coat of sealant on both sides of the gasket before pressing it into place. Do *not* over-tighten the cap screws.

Run the engine and check for normal temperatures and that there are no leaks at the thermostat housing.

### **RAW WATER INTAKE STRAINER**

**NOTE:** Always install the strainer at or below the waterline so the strainer will always be self-priming.

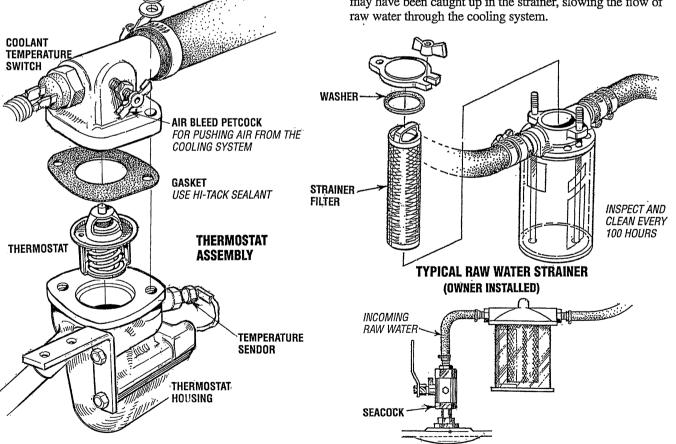
A clean raw water intake strainer is a vital component of the engine's cooling system. Include a visual inspection of this strainer when making your periodic engine check. The water in the glass should be clear.

Perform the following maintenance after every 100 hours of operation:

- 1. Close the raw water seacock.
- 2. Remove and clean the strainer filter.
- 3. Clean the glass.
- 4. Replace the washer if necessary.
- 5. Reassemble and install the strainer.
- 6. Open the seacock.
- 7. Run the engine and check for leaks.

### **NOTE:** Also follow the above procedure after having run hard aground.

If the engine temperature gauge ever shows a higher than normal reading, the cause may be that silt, leaves or grass may have been caught up in the strainer, slowing the flow of raw water through the cooling system.





### **COOLING SYSTEM**

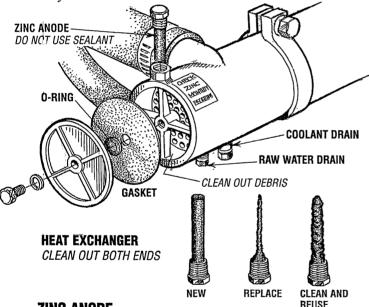
### **RAW WATER COOLING CIRCUIT**

The raw water flow is created by a positive displacement impeller pump. This pump draws water directly from the ocean, lake, or river from a thru-hull opening through a hose to the water strainer. The raw water passes from the strainer through the pump to the heat exchanger (through the heat exchanger tubes) where it cools the engine's circulating fresh water coolant. The raw water is then discharged into the water-injected exhaust elbow, mixing with, and cooling the exhaust gasses. This mixture of exhaust gas and raw water is driven through the stern tube and overboard.

### **HEAT EXCHANGER**

Cool raw water flows through the inner tubes of the heat exchanger. As the engine coolant passes around these tubes, the heat of the internal engine is conducted to the raw water which is then pumped into the exhaust system and discharged. The engine coolant (now cooled) flows back through the engine and the circuit repeats itself.

**NOTE:** Operating in silty and/or tropical waters may require that a heat exchanger cleaning be performed more often then every 1000 hours.



### **ZINC ANODE**

A zinc anode, or pencil, is located in the raw water cooling circuit within the heat exchanger. The purpose of the zinc anode is to sacrifice itself to electrolysis action taking place in the raw water cooling circuit, thereby reducing the effects of electrolysis on other components of the system. The condition of the zinc anode should be checked monthly and the anode cleaned or replaced as required. Spare anodes should be carried on board.

**NOTE:** Electrolysis is the result of each particular installation and vessel location; not that of the engine.

**NOTE:** The threads of the zinc anodes are pipe threads and do not require sealant. Sealant should not be used as it may insulate the zinc from the metal of the heat exchanger housing preventing electrolysis action on the zinc.

### **RAW WATER PUMP**

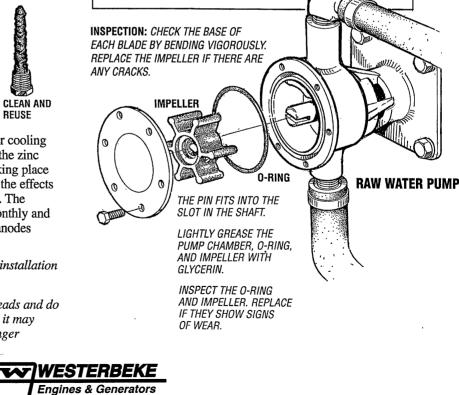
The raw water pump is a self-priming, rotary pump with a non-ferrous housing and a Neoprene impeller. The impeller has flexible blades which wipe against a curved cam plate within the impeller housing, producing the pumping action. **On no account should this pump be run dry.** There should always be a spare impeller and impeller cover gasket aboard (an impeller kit). Raw water pump impeller failures occur when lubricant (raw water) is not present during engine operation. Such failures are not warrantable, and operators are cautioned to make sure raw water flow is present at start-up. The raw water pump should be inspected periodically for broken or torn impeller blades. See *MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE*.

**NOTE:** Should a failure occur with the pumps internal parts (seals and bearings), it may be more cost efficient to purchase a new pump and rebuild the original pump as a spare.

### **Changing the Raw Water Pump Impeller**

<u>Close the raw water intake valve</u>. Remove the pump cover and, using an impeller puller, screw drivers, or pliers, carefully pry the impeller out of the pump. Install the new impeller and gasket. Move the blades to conform to the curved cam plate and push the impeller into the pumps housing. When assembling, apply a thin coating of lubricant to the impeller and gasket. <u>Open the raw water intake valve</u>.

**CAUTION:** If any of the vanes have broken off the impeller, they must be found to prevent blockage in the cooling circuit. They often can be found in the heat exchanger.



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### **ENGINE LUBRICATING OIL**

### **ENGINE OIL CHANGE**

1. *Draining the Oil Sump.* Discharge the used oil through the sump drain hose (attached to the front of the engine) while the engine is warm. Drain the used oil completely, replace the hose in its bracket, and replace the end cap securely.

### **NOTE:** Thread size for the lube oil drain hose capped end is 1/4 NPT.

Always observe the used oil as it is removed. A yellow/gray emulsion indicates the presence of water in the oil. Although this condition is rare, it does require prompt attention to prevent serious damage. Call a qualified mechanic should water be present in the oil. Raw water present in the oil can be the result of a fault in the exhaust system attached to the engine and/or a siphoning of raw water through the raw water cooling circuit into the exhaust, filling the engine. This problem is often caused by the absence of an anti-siphon valve, its poor location or lack of maintenance.

2. *Replacing the Oil Filter.* When removing the used oil filter, you may find it helpful and cleaner to punch a hole in the upper and lower portion of the old filter to drain the oil from it into a container before removing it. This helps to lessen spillage. A small automotive filter wrench should be helpful in removing the old oil filter.

### **NOTE:** Do not punch this hole without first loosening the filter to make certain it can be removed.

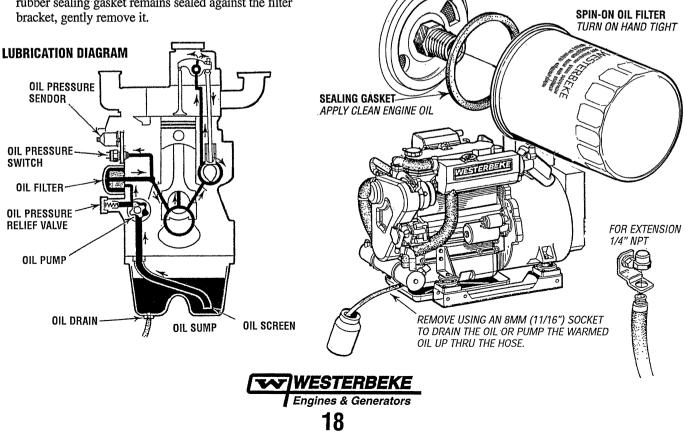
Place some paper towels and a plastic bag around the filter when unscrewing it to catch any oil left in the filter. (Oil or any other fluid on the engine reduces the engine's cooling ability. Keep your engine clean.) Inspect the old oil filter as it is removed to make sure that the rubber sealing gasket comes off with the old oil filter. If this rubber sealing gasket remains sealed against the filter bracket, gently remove it. When installing the new oil filter element, wipe the filter gasket's sealing surface on the bracket free of oil and apply a thin coat of clean engine oil to the rubber gasket on the new oil filter. Screw the filter onto the threaded oil filter nipple on the oil filter bracket, and then tighten the filter firmly by hand.

**NOTE:** The engine oil is cooled by engine coolant flowing through passages in the oil filter bracket housing assembly.

WARNING: Used engine oil contains harmful contaminants. Avoid prolonged skin contact. Clean skin and nails thoroughly using soap and water. Launder or discard clothing or rags containing used oil. Discard used oil properly.

**NOTE:** Generic filters are not recommended, as the material standards or diameters of important items on generic parts might be entirely different from genuine parts. Immediately after an oil filter change and oil fill, run the engine to make sure the oil pressure is normal and that there are no oil leaks around the new oil filter.

3. *Filling the Oil Sump.* Add new oil through the oil filler cap on the top of the engine or through the side oil fill. After refilling, run the engine for a few moments while checking the oil pressure. Make sure there is no leakage around the new oil filter or from the oil drain system, and stop the engine. Then check the quantity of oil with the lube oil dipstick. Fill to, but not over the high mark on the dipstick, should the engine require additional oil.



### **REMOTE OIL FILTER (OPTIONAL)**

#### INSTALLATION

This popular accessory is used to relocate the engine's oil filter from the engine to a more convenient location such as an engine room bulkhead.

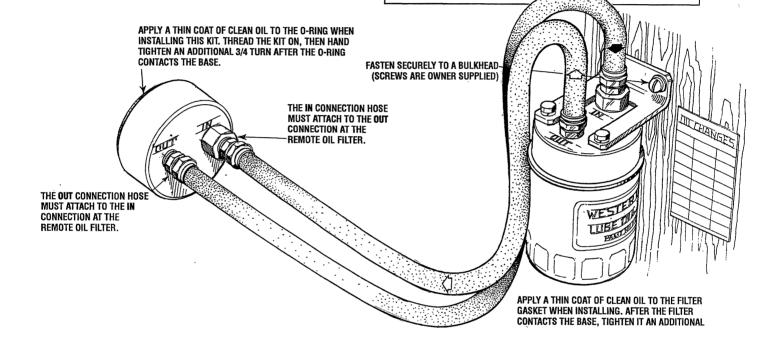
### **NOTE:** Refer to ENGINE OIL CHANGE in this manual for instructions on removing the oil filter.

To install, simply remove the engine oil filter and thread on WESTERBEKE's remote oil filter kit as shown. Always install this kit with the oil filter facing down as illustrated.

Contact your WESTERBEKE dealer for more information.

**NOTE:** Westerbeke is not responsible for engine failure due to incorrect installation of the Remote Oil Filter.

**A** CAUTION: It is vital to install the oil lines correctly. If the oil flows in the reverse direction, the bypass valve in the filter assembly will prevent the oil from reaching the engine causing an internal engine failure. If there is no oil pressure reading, shutdown immediately and check the hose connections.





### **DC CIRCUIT/BATTERY**

### DESCRIPTION

The DC Circuit on the 5.0 KW BCD functions to start, operate and stop the generator engine. The circuit is best understood by reviewing the DC WIRING SCHEMATICS. The engine's DC wiring is designed with three simple basic circuits: preheat, start, and stop.

### **Engine 12-Volt DC Control Circuit**

The engine has a 12 volt DC electrical control circuit that is shown on the wiring diagrams that follow. Refer to these diagrams when troubleshooting or when servicing the DC electrical system on the engine.

**CAUTION:** To avoid damage to the battery charging circuit, never shut off the engine battery switch while the engine is running. Shut off the engine battery switch, however, to avoid electrical shorts when working on the engine's electrical circuit.

### **Battery Specification**

The minimum recommended capacity of the battery used in the engine's 12-volt DC control circuit is 300-600 Cold Cranking Amps (CCA).

### **Battery Care**

Review the manufacturer's recommendations and then establish a systematic maintenance schedule for your engine's starting batteries and house batteries.

- ☐ Monitor your voltmeter for proper charging during engine operation.
- Check the electrolyte level and specific gravity with a hydrometer.
- Use only distilled water to bring electrolytes to a proper level.
- ☐ Make certain that battery cable connections are clean and tight to the battery posts (and to your engine).
- ☐ Keep your batteries clean and free of corrosion.

### **BATTERY CHARGING CIRCUIT**

The engine supplies up to a 17 amp charge from the voltage regulator to the engine's battery. This charge passes thru a 30 amp fuse (and the ships battery switch).

### **TESTING THE CIRCUIT**

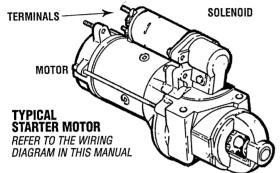
If the battery is not charging, check the fuse. To test the circuit, remove the fuse and test with a voltmeter between the fuse holder connection and the ground. With the engine running, it should indicate 13-14 volts. if only the battery voltage is indicated, check the terminal connections at the battery.



### **STARTER MOTOR**

### DESCRIPTION

The starter is a new type, small, light-weight and is called a high-speed internal-reduction starter. The pinion shaft is separate from the motor shaft; the pinion slides only on the pinion shaft. A reduction gear is installed between the motor shaft and a pinion shaft. The pinion sliding part is not exposed outside the starter so that the pinion may slide smoothly without becoming fouled with dust and grease. The motor shaft is supported at both ends on ball bearings. The lever mechanism, switch and overrunning clutch inner circuit are identical to conventional ones.



### TROUBLESHOOTING

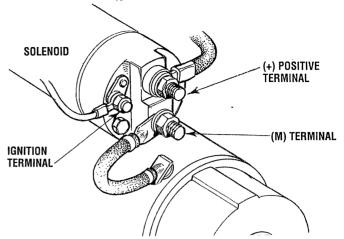
WARNING: The following emergency starting procedures <u>must not</u> be used with gasoline engines. Sparks could cause an explosion and fire.

Prior to testing, make certain the ships batteries are at full charge and that the starting system wiring connections (terminals) are clean and tight. Pay particular attention to the ground wire connections on the engine block.

To check the wiring, try cranking the starter for a few seconds, never more than 10 seconds at a time, then run your hand along the wires and terminals looking for warm spots that indicate resistance. Repair or replace any trouble spots.

Using a multimeter, test the voltage between the positive terminal stud on the start solenoid and the engine block (ground).

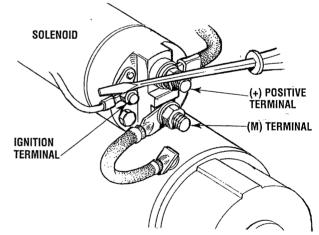
If you read 12 volts, the starter is faulty.



To test the ignition circuit, locate the ignition(s) terminal (it is one of the small terminal studs and is wired to the ignition circuit). Use a screwdriver, don't touch the blade, to jump from that ignition terminal to the positive battery connection terminal on the solenoid.

If the starter cranks, the fault lies with the ignition circuit.

If the solenoid clicks but nothing happens, the starter motor is probably faulty.



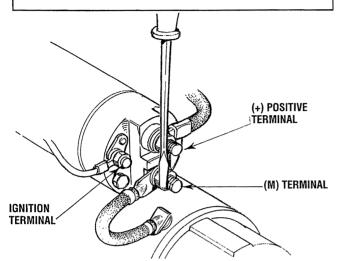
If nothing happens at all, the solenoid is not getting current.. Check the battery isolation switch and inspect the wiring connections. it is also possible that the solenoid is defective.

**WARNING:** There will be arching and sparks will fly when jumping terminals. Be certain the engine space is free of potentially explosive fumes, especially gasoline, and that there are <u>NO</u> flammable solvents or materials stored nearby.



### **STARTER MOTOR**

WARNING: When performing these procedures, position yourself safely away from the moving parts of the engine in case the engine starts-up. Also warn other crew members of the danger.



Test again by jumping the two large terminal studs. Hold the screwdriver blade firmly between the studs. Do not allow the screwdriver blade to touch the solenoid or starter casing, this would cause a short.

**WARNING:** There will be arching as the full starting current should be flowing thru the blade of the screwdriver.

If the starter spins, the solenoid is faulty.

If the starter fails to spin, the motor is probably faulty.

If no arching occurred, there is no juice reaching the solenoid.

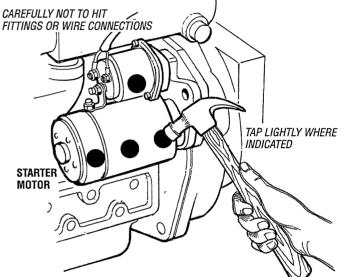
**NOTE:** Starter motors are either inertia type or pre-engaged. In the pre-engaged model, the solenoid also moves an arm that engages the starter motor to the flywheel of the engine. using a screwdriver to bypass the solenoid on such a starter will run the motor without engaging the flywheel. Turn the starter switch on to provide power to the solenoid. Hopefully it will create enough magnetic field for the arm to move even though the contacts inside the solenoid are bad.

### **EMERGENCY START**

Corrosion to the starter brushes and/or the solenoid contacts can cause the sporadic problem of the engine starting one time but not another. If corrosion is the problem, the starter will need to be rebuilt.

It is however, sometimes possible to get started by taping the starter lightly with a small hammer.

With the battery switch off and no ignition, tap lightly on the starter/solenoid casing as shown, then try to start the engine.



If that fails, turn the battery switch on and have a crew member turn the ignition on and off rapidly as you tap again with the hammer., This may loosen the brushes and allow contact to start the engine. When you reach a repair facility, the starter will need to be repaired.

### SERVICE

WESTERBEKE uses a standard starter motor which can be serviced or rebuilt at any starter motor automotive service center,

If replacing the starter motor, make certain the new motor is certified for marine use. Automotive starters do not meet USCG standards. If in doubt, contact your WESTERBEKE dealer.

### **TO REMOVE FOR SERVICE**

- 1. Disconnect the negative battery cable.
- **2.** If necessary, remove any components to gain full access to the starter motor.
- **3.** Label and disconnect the wiring from the starter. (Do not allow wires to touch, tape over the terminals).
- 4. Remove the starter mounting bolts.
- 5. Remove the starter from the engine. In some cases the starter will have to be turned to a different angle to clear obstructions,

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### **GENERATOR FREQUENCY ADJUSTMENT (HERTZ)**

Once the diesel generator set has been placed in operation, there may be adjustments required for engine speed (Hertz) during the engine's break-in period (first 50 hours) or after this period. A no-load voltage adjustment may also be required in conjunction with the engine's speed adjustment. These are not warrantable adjustments as they relate to normal break-in and maintenance.

Frequency is a direct result of engine/generator speed, as indicated by the following:

When the generator is run at 1800 rpm, the AC voltage output frequency is 60 Hertz.

### When the generator is run at 1500 rpm, the AC voltage output frequency is 50 Hertz.

Therefore to change the generator's frequency, the engine speed *must* be changed. To accomplish the frequency change, perform the following:

1. With the engine stopped, connect the AC output leads to the AC terminal block in accordance with the AC voltage connections diagram specified for your generator set, and change the Hertz circuit connection to the capacitor. These connections are shown in the GENERATOR section of this manual.

**WARNING:** Before starting the engine make certain that everyone is clear of moving parts! Keep away from pulleys and belts during test procedures.

- 2. Start the engine and adjust the engine's speed to obtain the frequency corresponding to the voltage selected by adjusting the stop bolts and positioning the throttle arm against these stop bolts to either increase or decrease engine no-load speed to adjust the Hertz produced.
- 3. To arrive at the appropriate frequency, either monitor the speed of the engine/generator with a tachometer, or monitor the frequency with a frequency meter, the latter method being the more precise of the two.

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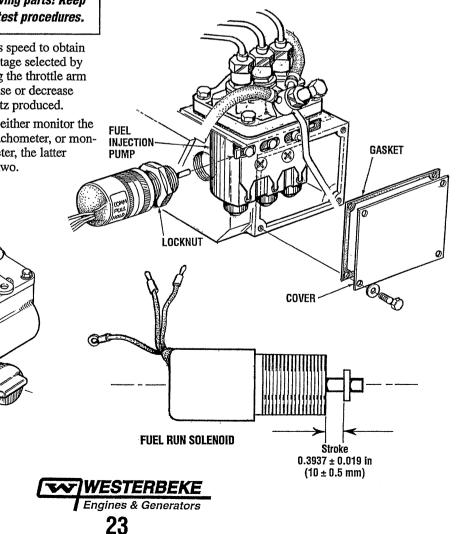
STOP BOLT ADJUSTMENT SPEED ADJUSTMENT FACTORY SET

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### **FUEL RUN SOLENOID**

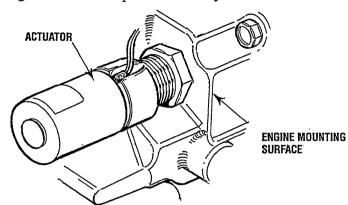
The fuel run solenoid is mounted in a threaded hole on the engine's block just aft of and below the engine's fuel injection pump. Proceed as follows when installing a replacement or new fuel run solenoid.

- 1. Visual access to the fuel injection pump's fuel rack is needed. To obtain this, remove the small square side cover and gasket just below the fuel injection pump.
- 2. Thread the locknut onto the solenoid and then apply a small amount of Teflon sealant to the threads on the solenoid.
- 3. Thread the solenoid into the hole on the engine and observe the solenoid plunger through the cover opening. Allow the plunger to contact the fuel rack and move fully into the injection pump. Do not thread further so as to push the plunger into the solenoid.
- Back the solenoid out 1/4 1/2 of a turn and secure it in position with the locknut. Locknut Torque Value 28.9 - 36.2 ft-lb (4.0 - 5.0 m-kg)
- 5. Properly connect the three electrical leads from the solenoid. Two of the connections plug into the engine harness and the third grounds to the engine block at an adjacent inboard threaded hole with an 8mm bolt.
- 6. Reassemble the cover and gasket and test run the unit. Make certain that the unit stops when the solenoid is de-energized.

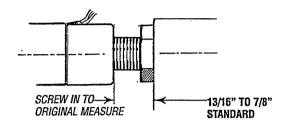


### **ELECTRONIC GOVERNOR (OPTIONAL)**

The <u>Electronic Governor</u> regulates the engine speed by sensing the engine's RPM with a magnetic pick-up at the flywheel. The governor's controller continuously monitors the engines speed and if there is any discrepancy, the controller signals the actuator and the actuator adjusts the engine to the desired speed electronically.



- 4. Back-off the 1 7/16" jam nut and unscrew the actuator.
- 5. Apply a small amount of teflon sealant to the replacement actuator and screw the actuator into the engine's mounting boss. Maintain the same distance between the actuator and the engine mounting surface as previously measured Secure the actuator's position with the jam nut. (The standard distance is 13/16" to 7/8").
- 6. Reconnect the actuator wires and test the unit.



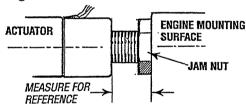
**NOTE:** For additional information and Electronic Governor Troubleshooting, refer to your WESTERBEKE Service Manual.

**Note:** If unit fails to shut down at testing. Thread actuator in 1/8-1/4 turn until proper shut down is achieved.

#### Actuator

The following instructions are for adjusting or replacing the actuator.

- 1. Shut-off the DC power to the generator.
- 2. Disconnect the actuator wires from the wiring harness.
- 3. Measure the distance between the actuator and the engine mounting surface as shown.



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### **VALVE CLEARANCE ADJUSTMENT**

**NOTE:** Retorque the cylinder head bolts before adjusting the engine's valves. See TORQUING THE CYLINDER HEAD BOLTS.

**WARNING:** Adjust the valve clearance when the engine is cold. Valves are adjusted by cylinder in the firing ordér of the engine. Tighten the cylinder head bolts to the specified torque before adjusting the valves.

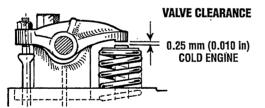
Pull off the air breather pipe from the rocker cover and take off the rocker cover bolts and the rocker cover to expose the rocker shaft and valve assembly.

Remove the glow plugs from each of the cylinders to enable the crankshaft to be easily rotated by hand to position each cylinder for valve adjustment.

Valves are adjusted with the cylinder in the piston being adjusted at Top Dead Center (TDC) of its compression stroke. Each cylinder is adjusted following the engine's firing order (1-3-2 for WESTERBEKE three cylinder engines).

Valve adjustment beginning with cylinder #1. Rotate the crankshaft slowly and observe the operation of the valves for cylinder #1. Watch for the intake valve to open indicating the piston is on it's intake stroke (the piston is moving down in the cylinder). Continue to rotate the crankshaft slowly and look for the intake valve to close. This indicates the piston is now starting it's compression stroke (the piston is moving up in the cylinder towards TDC).

Align the TDC mark on the crankshaft front pulley with the timing marker on the front gear case cover when positioning the #1 Piston at TDC of it's compression stroke. Confirm this by rotating the crankshaft approximately 20 degrees before and after this point and the two valves for the #1 cylinder should not move.



Adjust the valves in #1 cylinder for both intake and exhaust. Proceed to the next cylinder in the firing order.

Rotate the crankshaft 240 degrees in the normal direction of rotation and adjust the next cylinder's valves in the firing order. Rotate the crankshaft another 240 degrees and adjust the valves of the next cylinder in the firing order.

Adjust each valve's clearance by inserting a 0.010in (0.25mm) feeler gauge between the rocker arm and the valve stem. Make sure to adjust all valves while the engine is cold.

Re-install the glow plugs (use anti-seize compound on the threads) and assemble the rocker cover and rocker cover bolts. See TIGHTENING TORQUE SCHEDULE in this manual.

### **ENGINE COMPRESSION**

Check the compression pressure. To do this warm the engine, remove all fuel injectors, or glow plugs, disconnect the fuel shut-off solenoid wire, and install a compression adapter in the injector hole or glow plug hole. Connect a compression tester on the adapter and crank the engine with the starter motor until the pressure reaches a maximum value. Repeat this process for each cylinder. Look for cylinders with dramatically (at least 20%) lower compression than the average of the others. Compression pressure should not differ by more than 35.5 psi ( $2.5 \text{ kg/cm}^2$ ) at 280 rpm.

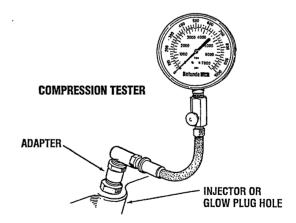
Standard compression pressure 398 lb/in² at 280 rpm (28.0 kg/cm²)

If a weak cylinder is flanked by healthy cylinder, the problem is either valve or piston related. Check the valve clearances for the weak cylinder, adjust as needed and test again. If the cylinder is still low, apply a small amount of oil into the cylinder to seal the rings and repeat the test. If compression comes up - the rings are faulty.

Abnormally high readings on all cylinders indicates heavy carbon accumulations, a condition that might be accompanied by high pressures and noise.

**NOTE:** In case of severe vibrations and detonation noise, the cause may be fuel injector problems, see FUEL INJEC-TORS. Poor fuel quality, contaminates and loss of positive fuel pressure to the injection pump will result in injector faults.

When re-installing the glow plugs use anti-seize compound.





### **GLOW PLUGS**

The glow plugs are wired through the preheat solenoid. When PREHEAT is pressed at the control panel this solenoid should "click" on and the glow plug should begin to get hot.

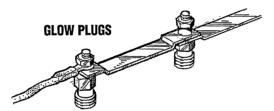
### INSPECTION

To inspect the plug, remove the electrical terminal connections, then unscrew or unclamp each plug from the cylinder head. Thoroughly clean each plug's tip and threads with a soft brush and cleaning solution to remove all the carbon and oil deposits. While cleaning, examine the tip for wear and burn erosion; if it has eroded too much, replace the plug.

### TESTING

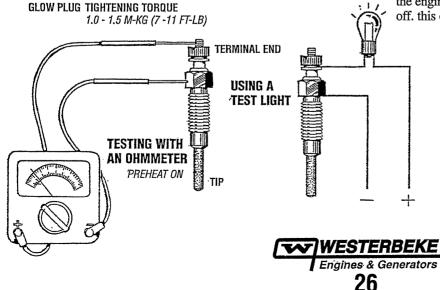
An accurate way to test glow plugs is with an ohmmeter. Touch one prod to the glow plug's wire connection, and the other to the body of the glow plug, as shown. A good glow plug will have a 1.0 - 1.5 ohm resistance. This method can be used with the plug in or out of the engine. You can also use an multimeter to test the power drain (8 - 9 amps per plug).

A WARNING: These alow pluas will become very hot to the touch. Be careful not to burn your fingers when testing the plugs.



Re-install the plugs in the engine and test them again. The plugs should get very hot (at the terminal end) within 7 to 15 seconds. If the plugs don't heat up quickly, check for a short circuit. When reinstalling the glow plugs, use anti-seize compound on the threads.

A WARNING: Do not keep a glow plug on for more than 30 seconds.



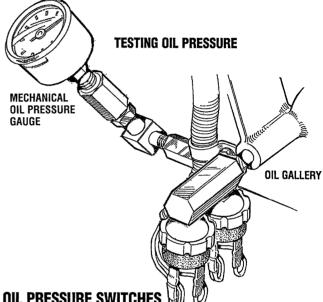
### **OIL PRESSURE**

To test the oil pressure, remove the oil pressure sender, then install a mechanical oil pressure gauge in it's place. After warming up the engine, set the engine speed at 1800 rpm and 1 read the oil pressure gauge.

Oil Pressure 35 - 55 lb/in<sup>2</sup> (2.5 - 3.8 kg/cm<sup>2</sup>)

### LOW OIL PRESSURE

A gradual loss of oil pressure usually indicates a worn bearings. A rapid loss of oil pressure indicates a specific bearing failure. For additional information on low oil pressure readings, see the ENGINE TROUBLESHOOTING chart.



### **OIL PRESSURE SWITCHES**

There are two oil pressure switches. One is wired to the automatic shutdown circuit (see safety shutdown switches) to protect the engine from a sudden loss of oil or very low oil pressure.

The other oil pressure switch is available for connecting to an (optional) audible alarm that would sound a low pressure alarm (before the shutdown switch activates and shuts the engine down).

Note that this audible alarm will sound momentarily when the engine is started and sound again when the engine is shut off. this occurs as the oil pressure drops below 10 psi.

**NOTE:** WESTERBEKE recommends that the following engine adjustments be performed by a competent engine mechanic. The information below is provided to assist the mechanic.

### **Injection Pump Timing Adjustment (Spill Timing)**

If your engine's fuel injection timing is not properly adjusted, the engine will not operate properly, and may be difficult to start. Have the injection pump delivery rate checked by a well-established fuel injection shop. Adjust the injection as follows:

**NOTE:** The injection pump fuel rack needs to be in the full fuel delivery position when performing this spill timing. To do this, unscrew the fuel shut off solenoid and remove the side cover to expose the injection pump fuel rack. Manually move the fuel rack to the full fuel delivery position (move fully to the left) secure it in this position then proceed.

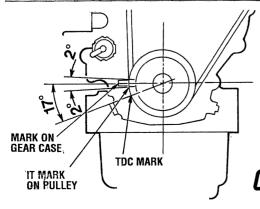
- 1. Remove the high pressure fuel line from between the No. 1 injector and the No. 1 fuel delivery valve holder.
- 2. Remove the No. 1 fuel delivery valve holder over "O" ring and remove the delivery valve spring beneath the holder.
- **3.** Reinstall only the delivery valve holder and reattach the high pressure fuel line to the delivery holder. Attach it so that the end that would connect to the fuel injector is pointing away from the engine fuel will flow from this line during the timing check.

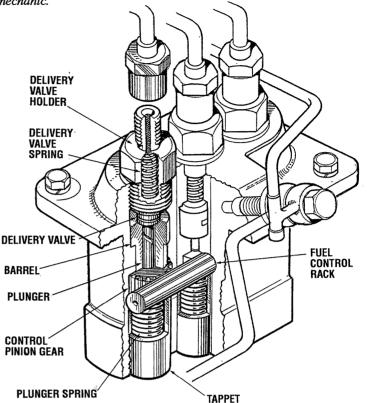
Rotate the engine's crankshaft in its normal direction of rotation to position piston the No. 1 at the beginning of its compression stroke.

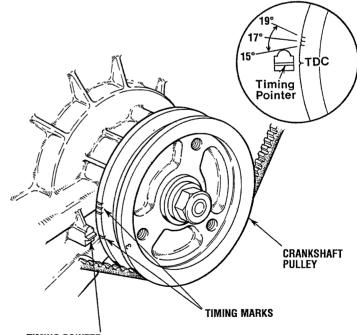
Connect DC power to the electric lift pump. Slowly rotate the crankshaft clockwise (as viewed from the front), catching the fuel from the No. 1 fuel line, until the instant the fuel completely stops flowing (no drips). At this instant, the  $16^{\circ}$  BTDC timing mark on the crankshaft pulley should be directly aligned with the timing indicator on the front of the gear case  $\pm$  .5 degrees.

If the specified injection timing (16° BTDC) cannot be attained, adjust the timing by increasing or decreasing the thickness of shim material under the injection pump's mounting flange to change the injection timing point. Changing the shim thickness by 0.004 inch (0.01mm) changes the injection timing by approximately one degree. To advance the timing, decrease the shim thickness, as required. To retard the timing, increase the shim thickness, as required. Refer to your Generator's Parts List for shim part numbers.

**NOTE:** The timing for models BCD and BCDA is 18°.







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#### **DRIVE BELT ADJUSTMENT**

For your safety, WESTERBEKE generator models come equipped with belt guards that cover over the belt(s) on the front of the engine. ("Out of sight - out of mind." The belt guard is NOT installed for that purpose.) Operators are advised that proper inspection, service, and maintenance is required.

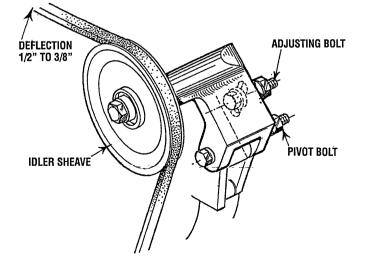
Excessive drive belt tension can cause rapid wear of the belt and reduce the service life of the fresh water pump's bearing. A slack belt or the presence of oil on the belt can cause belt slipping, resulting in high operating temperatures.

The drive belt is properly adjusted if the belt can be deflected no less than 3/8 inch (10mm) and no more than 1/2 inch (12mm) as the belt is depressed with the thumb at the midpoint between the two pulleys on the longest span of the belt. A spare belt or belts should always be carried on board.

WARNING: Never attempt to check or adjust the drive belt's tension while the engine is in operation.

### **Adjusting Belt Tension**

- 1. Remove the belt guard.
- **2.** Loosen the pivot belt that holds the idler sheave and loosen the adjusting bolt.
- **3.** With the belt loose, inspect for wear, cracks and frayed edges.
- **4.** Pivot the idler sheave to the left or right as required, to loosen or tighten.
- 5. Tighten the pivot bolt and the adjusting bolt.
- **6.** Replace the guard. Operate the generator for about 5 minutes and then shut the generator down.
- 7. Remove the guard and recheck the belt tension.
- 8. Replace the guard.

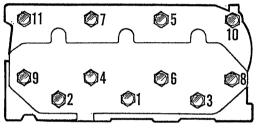


### **TORQUING THE CYLINDER HEAD BOLTS**

After the initial break-in period (approximately 50 hours) and every 500 hours thereafter, the cylinder head bolts should be re-torqued.

Tighten the cylinder head bolts according to the sequence shown. Make sure the engine is cold when this is done. Before applying the specified torque to the bolt, loosen it 1/4 to 1/2 of a turn and then apply the torque. Follow this procedure according to the numbered sequence shown in the illustration to the right.

Bolts **#1, 2**, and **3**, (12mm socket) 14 – 22 ft-lb Bolts **#4, 5, 6, 7, 8**, (14mm socket) (54 – 61 ft-lb) Rockershaft Hold Down Bolts - 12mm socket (11 ~ 16 ft-lb).



**CYLINDER HEAD BOLT PATTERN** 

### **FUEL INJECTORS**

In case of severe vibrations and detonation noise, have the injectors checked and overhauled by an authorized fuel injection service center. Poor fuel quality, contaminant's and loss of positive fuel pressure to the injection pump can result in injector faults. Since fuel injectors must be serviced in a clean room environment, it is best to carry at least one extra injector as a spare should a problem occur.

Before removing the old injector, clean the area around the base of the injector to help prevent any rust or debris from falling down into the injector hole. If the injector will not lift out easily and is held in by carbon build-up or the like, work the injector side-to-side with the aid of the socket wrench to free it, and then lift it out.

The injector seats in the cylinder head on a copper sealing washer. This washer should be removed with the injector and replaced with a new washer when the new injector is installed.

INJECTOR TO CYLINDER HEAD TIGHTENING TORQUE 40  $\pm$  4 ft-lb (5.5  $\pm$  0.5 kgf-m)



### **ENGINE TROUBLESHOOTING**

The following troubleshooting table describes certain problems relating to engine service, the probable causes of these problems and the recommendationns to overcome these problems.

**Note:** The engine's electrical system is protected by a 20 amp manual reset circuit breaker located on a bracket at the rear of the engine.

Problem	Probable Cause	Verification/Remedy
PREHEAT switch depressed:	1. Battery switch not on.	1. Check switch and/or battery connections.
depressed: no panel indications; fuel solenoid or electrical fuel pump	2. Emergency stop switch off.	<ol> <li>Reset breaker; if breaker trips again, check preheat solenoid circuit and check circuit for shorts to ground.</li> </ol>
	3. 20-Amp breaker tripped.	3. Check voltage at and after breaker.
	4. K2 relay.	4. Check K2 relay.
	5. Loose battery connections.	5. Check (+) connection to starter solenoid and (-) connection to engine ground stud. Check battery cable connections.
START SWITCH DEPRESSED,	1. Connection to solenoid faulty.	1. Check connection.
no starter engagement.	2. Faulty switch.	2. Check switch with ohmmeter.
	3. Faulty solenoid.	3. Check that 12 volts are present at solenoid connection.
	4. Loose battery connection.	4. Check battery connections.
	5. Low battery.	5. Check battery charge state.
	6. K1 relay.	6. Check K1 relay.
START SWITCH is depressed; panel	1. Poor connections to fuel solenoid.	1. Check connections.
indications OK; starter solenoid OK fuel solenoid not functioning.	2. Defective fuel solenoid.	<ol> <li>Check that 12 volts are present at the (+) connection on the fuel run solenoid.</li> </ol>
Generator engine cranks, but does not start, fuel solenoid energized.	1. Faulty fueling system.	<ol> <li>Check that fuel valves are open.</li> <li>Switch to combine vehicle and start batteries.</li> <li>Replace batteries.</li> <li>Check fuel lift pump.</li> <li>Check inlet fuel filter.</li> </ol>
	2. Preheat solenoid faulty.	2. Check solenoid.
Battery runs down.	1. Oil Pressure switch.	1. Observe if gauges and panel lights are activated when engine is not running. Test the oil pressure switch.
	2. High resistance leak to ground.	<ol> <li>Check wiring. Insert sensitive (025 amp) meter in battery lines. (Do not start engine.) Remove connections and replace after short is located.</li> </ol>
	3. Low resistance leak.	3. Check all wires for temperature rise to locate the fault.
	4. Poor battery connections.	4. Check cable connections at battery for loose connections or corrosion.
Battery not charging	1. DC charge circuit faulty.	1. Perform DC voltage check of generator charging circuit.
	2. 30 Amp fuse blown.	2. Check/replace fuse.
Generator engine stops.	1. Fuel feed pump strainer is dirty.	1. Clean strainer (32 KW only).
	<ol> <li>Switches and/or wiring loose or disconnected.</li> </ol>	2. Inspect wiring for short circuits and loose connections. Inspect switches for proper operation.
	3. Fuel starvation.	3. Check fuel supply, fuel valves, fuel feed strainer.
	4. 20 Amp circuit breaker tripping.	<ol> <li>Check for high DC amperage draw during operation. Ensure breaker is not overly sensitive to heat which would cause tripping.</li> </ol>
	5. Exhaust system is restricted.	<ol> <li>Check for blockage, collapsed hose, carbon buildup at exhaust elbow.</li> </ol>
	6. Water in fuel.	<ol> <li>Pump water from fuel tank(s); change filters and bleed fuel system</li> </ol>



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### **ENGINE TROUBLESHOOTING**

Problem	Probable Cause	Verification/Remedy
Generator engine overheats/shuts down.	1. Coolant not circulating.	1. Thermostat-remove and test in hot water. replace thermostat.
		1a. Loss of coolant -check hoses, hose clamps, drain plug, etc. for leaks.
		1b. Broken or loose belts - tighten/replace.
		<ol> <li>Loss of coolant — check hoses, hose clamps, drain plug, etc. for leaks.</li> </ol>
		1d. Air leak in system; run engine and open pressure cap. to bleed air. Add coolant as needed.
Generator engine shuts down,	1. Loss of oil.	<ol> <li>Check dipstick, look for oil leaks at oil filter and at the oil drain hose connection.</li> </ol>
	2. Oil pressure switch.	2. Replace oil pressure switch.
Exhaust smoking problems	1. Blue smoke.	1. Incorrect grade of engine oil.
		<ol> <li>Crankcase is over-filled with engine oil (oil is blowing out through the exhaust).</li> </ol>
	2. White smoke.	2. Engine is running cold.
		2a. Faulty injector or incorrect injector timing.
	3. Black smoke.	3. Improper grade of fuel.
		3a. Fuel burn incomplete due to high back pressure in exhaust or insufficient air for proper combustion (Check for restrictions in exhaust system; check air intake.).
		3b. Improperly timed injectors or valves or poor compression.
		3c. Lack of air - check air intake and air filter. Check for proper ventilation.
		3d. Overload.
Engine starts, runs and then shuts down.	1. Oil pressure switch	1. Check oil pressure switch.
	2. Faulty overspeed board.	2. Faulty overspeed board (Optional Electronic Governor)
	3. Water temperature switch.	3. Check water temperature switch.
	4. Exhaust temperature switch.	4. Check exhaust temperature switch.
	5. Fuel pump.	5. Check fuel pump operation.



# **CONTROL PANEL TROUBLESHOOTING** MANUAL STARTER DISCONNECT (TOGGLE SWITCHES)

**NOTE:** The engine control system is protected by a 20 amp manual reset circuit breaker located on the engine as close as possible to the power source.

Problem	Probable Cause	Verification/Remedy
PREHEAT depressed, no panel indications	1. Oil Pressure switch.	1. Check switches and/or battery connections.
electric fuel pump and preheat solenoid not energized.	2. 20 amp circuit breaker tripped.	<ol> <li>Reset breaker. If it opens again, check preheat solenoid circuit and run circuit for shorts to ground.</li> </ol>
	3. K2 relay faulty.	3. Check relay.
START SWITCH DEPRESSED, no starter engagement.	1. Connection to solenoid faulty.	1. Check connection.
	2 Faulty switch.	2 Check switch with ohmmeter
	3. Faulty solenoid.	3. heck that 12 volts are present at the solenoid connection.
	4 Loose battery connections.	4. Check battery connections.
	5. Low battery.	5. Check battery charge state.
	6 K1 relay.	6. Check relay.
NO IGNITION, cranks, does not start.	1. Faulty fueling system.	1. Check for fuel.
	2. Check for air in the fuel system.	2. Allow system to bleed.
	3. Faulty fuel lift pump.	3. Replace fuel lift pump.
BATTERY RUNS DOWN	1. Oil pressure switch.	1. Observe if the gauges and panel lights are activated when the engine is not running. Test the oil pressure switch.
	2. High resistance leak to ground.	<ol> <li>Check the wiring. Insert sensitive (025 amp) meter in battery lines (Do NOT start engine). Remove connections and replace after short is located.</li> </ol>
	3. Low resistance leak to ground.	3. Check all wires for temperature rise to locate the fault.

### **TROUBLESHOOTING WATER TEMPERATURE AND OIL PRESSURE GAUGES**

If the gauge reading is other than what is normally indicated by the gauge when the instrument panel is energized, the first step is to check for 12 volts DC between the ignition (B+)and the Negative (B-) terminals of the gauge.

Assuming that there is 12 volts as required, leave the instrument panel energized and perform the following steps:

- 1. Disconnect the sender wire at the gauge and see if the gauge reads zero, which is the normal reading for this situation.
- 2. Remove the wire attached to the sender terminal at the sender and connect it to ground. See if the gauge reads full scale, which is the normal reading for this situation.

If both of the above gauge tests are positive, the gauge is undoubtedly OK and the problem lies either with the conductor from the sender to the gauge or with the sender. If either of the above gauge tests are negative, the gauge is

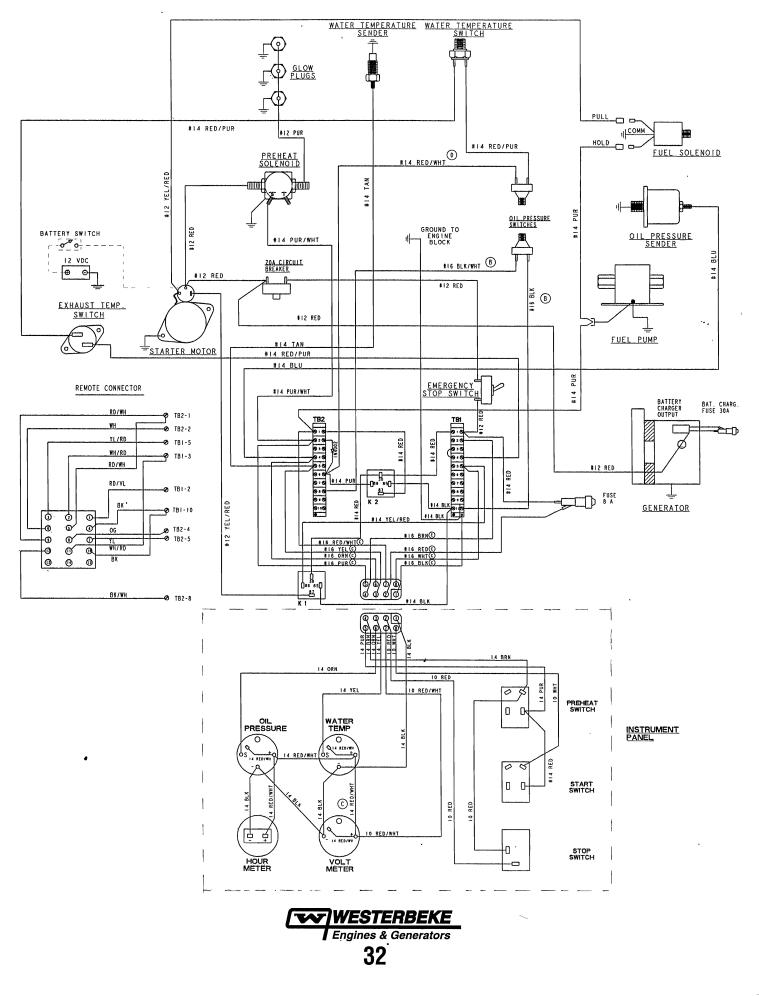
If either of the above gauge tests are negative, the gauge is probably defective and should be replaced.

Assuming the gauge is OK, check the conductor from the sender to the sender terminal at the gauge for continuity.

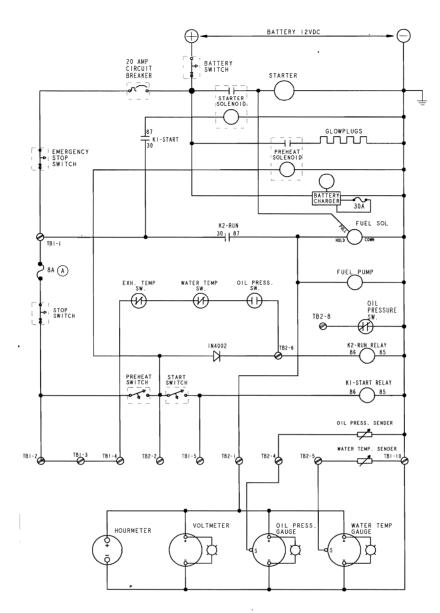
Check that the engine block is connected to the ground. Some starters have isolated ground terminals and if the battery is connected to the starter (both plus and minus terminals), the ground side will not necessarily be connected to the block.



# 5.0 BCDB AND 5.5 BCD WIRING DIAGRAM #43783



5.0 BCDB AND 5.5 BCD SCHEMATIC #43783



STARTING AND STOPPING INSTRUCTIONS.

- START: I ALWAYS PUSH PREHEAT SWITCH FIRST. HOLD FOR 15 TO 60 SECONDS AS REQUIRED 2 WHILE CONTINUING TO PUSH PREHEAT SWITCH, PUSH START SWITCH. 3. WHEN GENERATOR STARTS, RELEASE START SWITCH ONLY. 4 WHEN OIL PRESSURE RESCHES APPROXIMATELY 20 PSI, RELEASE PREHEAT SWITCH (THE PREHEAT SWITCH OVERIDES THE LOW OIL PRESSURE SHUT DOWN CIRCUIT)
- STOP: I PUSH AND HOLD THE STOP SWITCH UNTIL GENERATOR STOPS COMPLETELY

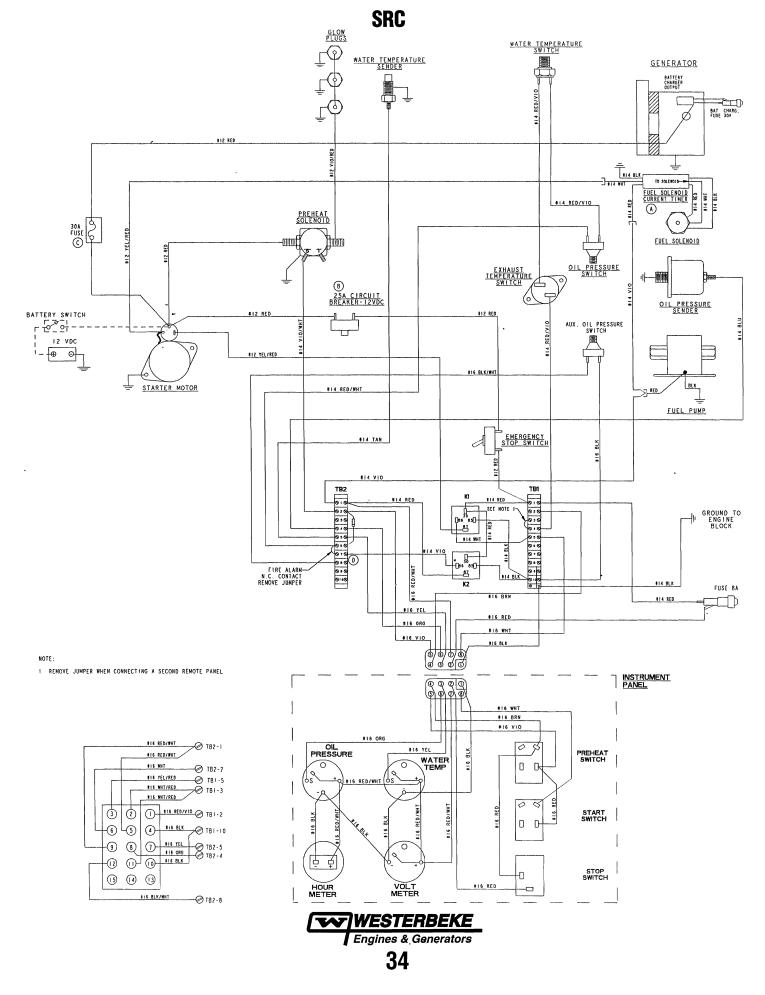
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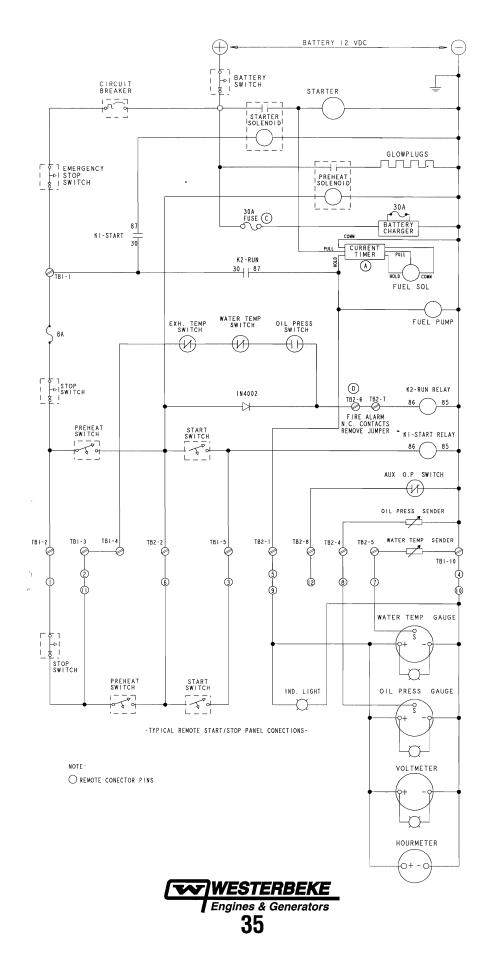
- THIS PRODUCT IS PROTECTED BY A MANUAL RESET CIRCUIT BREAKER LOCATED NEAR THE STARTER AND AS CLOSE TO THE CURRENT SOURCE AS POSSIBLE. EXCESSIVE CURRENT DRAW ANTWHERE IN THE INSTRUMENT PANEL, WIRING, OR ENGINE WILL CAUSE THE BREAKER TO TRIP IN THIS EVENT MOST GENERATORS WILL SHUT DOWN BECAUSE TO OPENED BREAKER DISCONNECTS THE FUEL SPRAY. THEREFORE THE OWNER/BUILDER MUST BE SURE THAT THE INSTRUMENT PANEL, WIRING, AND ENGINE ARE INSTALLED TO PREVENT CONTACT BETWEEN ELECTRICAL DEVICES AND SALT WATER ł
- AN ON/OFF SWITCH SHOULD BE INSTALLED IN THIS CIRCUIT TO DISCONNECT THE STARTER FROM THE BATTERY IN AN EMERGENCE AND WHEN LEAVING THE BOAT. TWELVE VOLT DIESEL ENGINE STARTERS SHOULD NOT EXCEED 30 SECONDS A SWITCH WITH A CONTINUOUS RATING OF 175 AMPS AT 12 YDC WILL NORMALLY SERVE THIS FUNCTION, BUT A SWITCH WUST NEVER BE USED TH "MAKE" THE STARTER CIRCUIT 2

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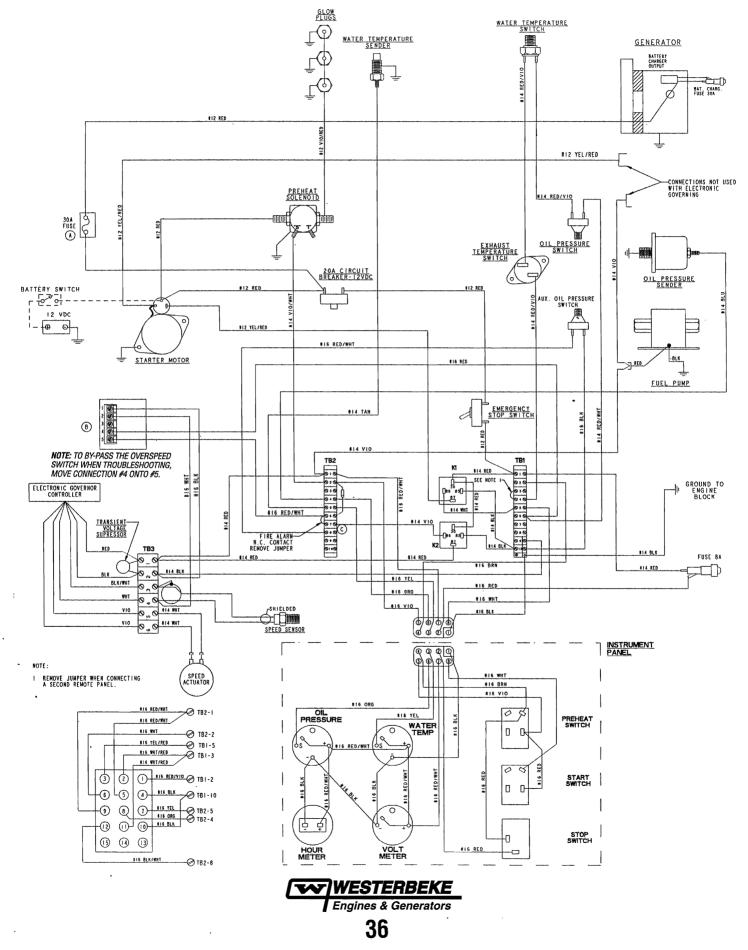


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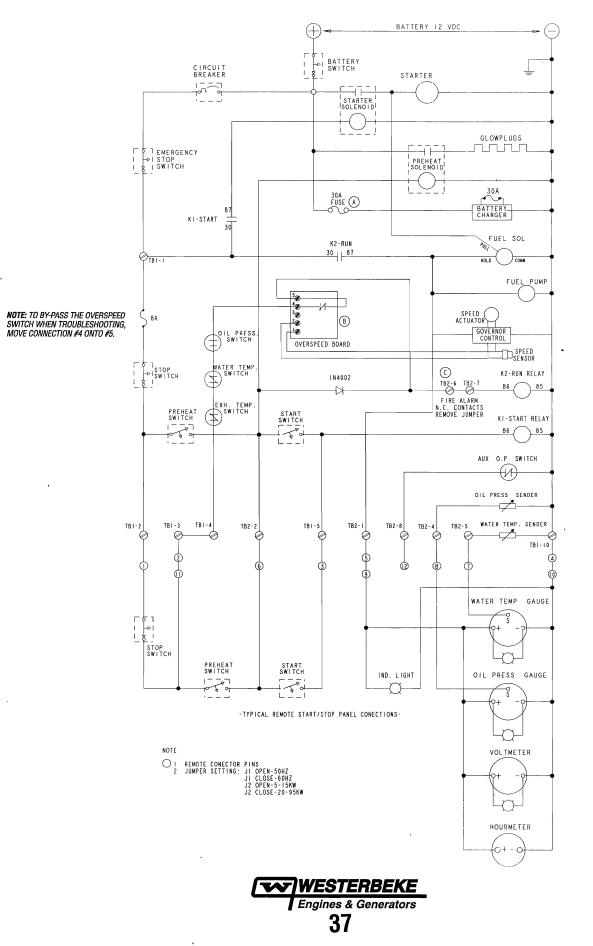


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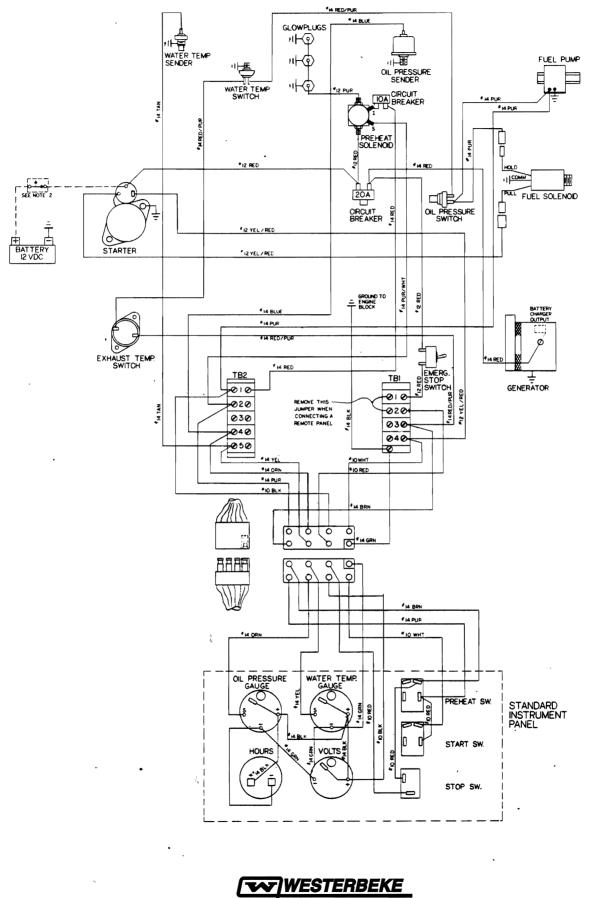


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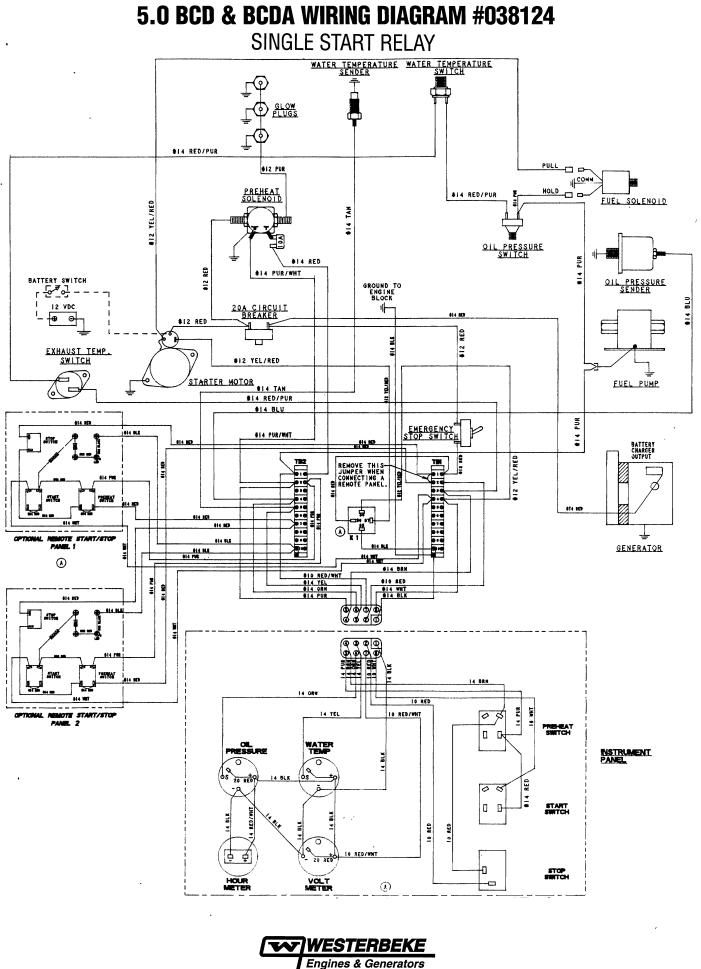


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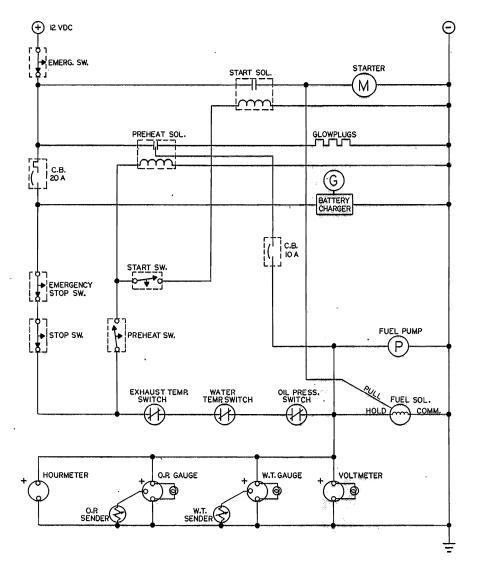
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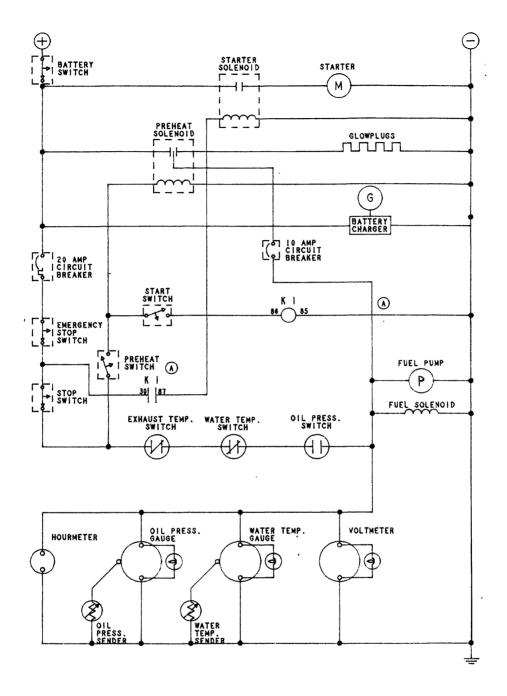


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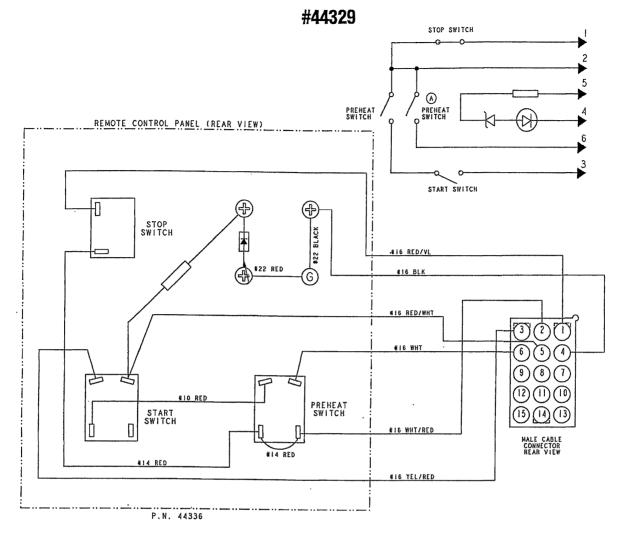


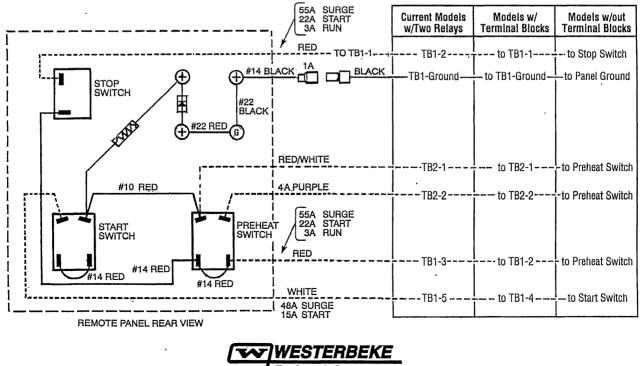
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# **REMOTE STOP/START PANEL WIRING DIAGRAM**





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# **SPECIFICATIONS - 5.0KW AND 5.5 BC GENERATORS**

#### **ENGINE SPECIFICATIONS** Diesel, four-cycle, three-cylinder , fresh water cooled, vertical in-line overhead valve Engine Type mechanism (9.2 Hp at 1800 rpm maximum) Naturally aspirated Aspiration Governor Centrifugal type **Combustion Chamber** Swirl type Bore & Stroke BCD & BCDA 2.56 x 2.76 inches (65 x 70 mm) 2.76 x 2.76 inches (70 x 70 mm) 2.99 x 2.76 inches (76 x 70 mm) BCDB BCD 5.5Kw Piston Displacement BCD & BCDA 42.5 cubic inches (0.696 liters) 49.31 cubic inches (0.808 liters) 59.09 cubic inches (0.952 liters) BCDB BCD 5.5Kw Firing Order 1-3-2 Direction of Rotation Clockwise, when viewed from the front 27 ft-lb (3.4 kg-m) (at 1800 rpm) Maximum Torque **Compression Ratio** 21:1 Dimensions Height: 19.9 inches (505.5 mm) Width: 16 inches ) 406.4 mm) Length: 27.2 inches (690.0 mm) Weight BCD 324 lbs (146.9 Kgs) BCDA, BCDB, BCD 5.5Kw 336 lbs (152.4 Kgs) **Fuel Consumption** BCD & BCDA 0.54 US gph (2.01 lph ) BCDB & BCD 5.5Kw Approximate Continuous 14° (BCDB: 14°) Inclination Temporary 25° (not to exceed 30 min.) TUNE-UP SPECIFICATIONS **Compression Pressure** 398 psi (28 kg/cm²) at 280 rpm limit (Limit of difference between cylinders) Valve Timing Intake Opens 19° BTDC Intake Closes 51° ABDC BCD & BCDĂ Exhaust Opens 51° BBDC Exhaust Closes 19° ATDC Intake 45° - Exhaust 45° Valve Seat Angle Engine Speed 1800 rpm 60 Hertz 1500 rpm 50 Hertz Valve Clearance Intake and Exhaust 0.098 inches (0.25 mm) (Engine cold) Injector Pressure 1968 ± 142 psi (140 ± 10 kg/cm<sup>2</sup>) Engine Timing (spill) BCD & BCDA $16^{\circ}$ BTDC $\pm 5^{\circ}$ 15° BTDC $\pm 5^{\circ}$ BCDB & BCD 5.5Kw LUBRICATION SYSTEM General Pressure fed system by geared pump **Oil Filter** Full flow, paper element. spin-on type Sump Capacity 3.2 gts. (3.03 liters) (Not including filter) **Operating Oil Pressure** 35 - 55 psi (2.5 - 3.8 kg/cm<sup>2</sup>) API Specification CF or CG-4, **Oil Grade** SAE 30, 10W-30, 15W-40

### **EXHAUST EMISSIONS SYSTEMS**

Emission Control Systems Smoke Puffer Limiter

	FUEL SYSTEM		
General	Open flow, self bleeding-self priming		
Fuel	No. 2 diesel oil ( cetane rating of 45 or high		
Fuel Injection Pump	In-line plunger-Bosch type		
Fuel Injection Timing (Spill timing)	16° ± 5° BTDC (Before Top Dead Center) (BCD & BCDA)		
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Nozzle	Throttle type		
Fuel Filter	Cartridge type		
Air Cleaner	Plastic intake silencer - cleaner		
Air Flow (Engine combustion)	24.6 cfm (0.697 cmm) ( <b>BCD &amp; BCDA)</b> 31.2 cfm (0.5787 cmm) ( <b>BCDB &amp; BCD 5.5k</b>		
ELE	CTRICAL SYSTEM		
Start Battery	12-Volt, (-) negative ground		
Battery Capacity	600 - 900 Cold Cranking Amps rated (CCA)		
Starter	12 Volt, reduction gear		
Starting Aid	Glow plugs, sheathed type		
DC Cranking Amps	175 - 200 Amps (engine cold)		
DC Charging	17 Amp IC 13 - 14 volts DC (in generator)		
Voltage Regulator	Capacitor		
	DOLING SYSTEM		
General	Fresh water-cooled block , thermostatically controlled		
Operating Temperature	170° - 190° F (77 - 88° C)		
Fresh Water Pump	Centrifugal type, metal impeller, belt-driven		
Raw Water Flow	6.5 - 7.0 gpm (24.6 - 22.5 lpm) measured before discharging into exhaust elbow		
System Capacity	4.0 qts (3.97 liters)		
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# **GENERATOR INFORMATION**

#### **USE OF ELECTRIC MOTORS**

The power required to start an electric motor is considerably more than is required to keep it running after it is started. Some motors require much more current to start them than others. Split-phase (AC) motors require more current to start, under similar circumstances, than other types. They are commonly used on easy-starting loads, such as washing machines, or where loads are applied after the motor is started, such as small power tools. Because they require 5 to 7 times as much current to start as to run, their use should be avoided, whenever possible, if the electric motor is to be driven by a small generator. Capacitor and repulsion-induction motors require from 2 to 4 times as much current to start as to run. The current required to start any motor varies with the load connected to it. An electric motor connected to an air compressor, for example, will require more current than a motor to which no load is connected.

In general, the current required to start 115-Volt motors connected to medium starting loads will be approximately as follows:

MOTOR SIZE (HP)	AMPS FOR RUNNING (AMPERES)	AMPS FOR STARTING (AMPERES)	
1/6	3.2	6.4 to 22.4*	
1/4	4.6	9.2 to 32.2*	
1/3	5.2	10.4 to 72.8*	
1/2	7.2	14.4 to 29.2*	
3/4	10.2	20.4 to 40.8*	
1	13	26 to 52	

**\*NOTE:** In the above table the maximum Amps for Starting is more for some small motors than for larger ones. The reason for this is that the hardest starting types (split-phase) are not made in larger sizes.

Because the heavy surge of current needed for starting motors is required for only an instant, the generator will not be damaged if it can bring the motor up to speed in a few seconds. If difficulty is experienced in starting motors, turn off all other electrical loads and, if possible, reduce the load on the electric motor.

### **Required Operating Speed**

Run the generator first with no load applied, then at half the generator's capacity, and finally loaded to its full capacity as indicted on the generator's data plate. The output voltage should be checked periodically to ensure proper operation of the generating plant and the appliances it supplies. If an AC voltmeter or ampere meter is not installed to monitor voltage and load, check it with a portable meter and amp probe.

**NOTE:** When the vessel in which the generator is installed contains AC equipment of 120 volts only, it is recommended that the generator's AC terminal block be configured to provide one 120 volt AC hot leg for the vessel's distribution panel. This will ensure good motor starting response from the generator.

#### **Generator Frequency Adjustment**

Frequency is a direct result of engine/generator speed, as indicated by the following:

- When the generator is run at 1800 RPM, the AC voltage output frequency is 60 Hertz.
- When the generator is run at 1500 RPM, the AC voltage output frequency is 50 Hertz.

Therefore, to change the generator's frequency, the generator's drive engine's speed must be changed. A reconfiguration of the AC output connections at the generator is also necessary.

#### **Generator Maintenance**

- Maintaining reasonable cleanliness is important. Connections of terminal boards and rectifiers may become corroded, and insulation surfaces may start conducting if salts, dust, engine exhaust, carbon, etc. are allowed to build up. Clogged ventilation openings may cause excessive heating and reduced life of windings.
- For unusually severe conditions, thin rust-inhibiting petroleum-base coatings, should be sprayed or brushed over all surfaces to reduce rusting and corrosion. Typical materials suggested are Daubert Chemical Co. "Non-Rust AC-410" and Ashland "Tectyle 506" or equivalent.
- In addition to periodic cleaning, the generator should be inspected for (a) tightness of all connections, (b) evidence of overheated terminals and (c) loose or damaged wires.
- The drive discs on single bearing generators should be checked periodically if possible for tightness of screws and for any evidence of incipient cracking failure. Discs should not be allowed to become rusty because rust may accelerate cracking. The bolts which fasten the drive disc to the generator shaft must be hardened steel SAE grade 8, identified by 6 radial marks, one at each of the 6 corners of the head.
- The rear armature bearing is lubricated and sealed; no maintenance is required. However, if the bearing becomes noisy or rough-sounding, have it replaced.
- Examine bearing at periodic intervals. No side movement of shaft should be detected when force is applied. if side motion is detectable, bearings are wearing or wear on shaft of bearing socket outside bearing has occurred. Repair must be made quickly or major components will rub and cause major damage to generator.



**NOTE:** WESTERBEKE recommends that the following generator tests and adjustments be performed by a qualified technician.

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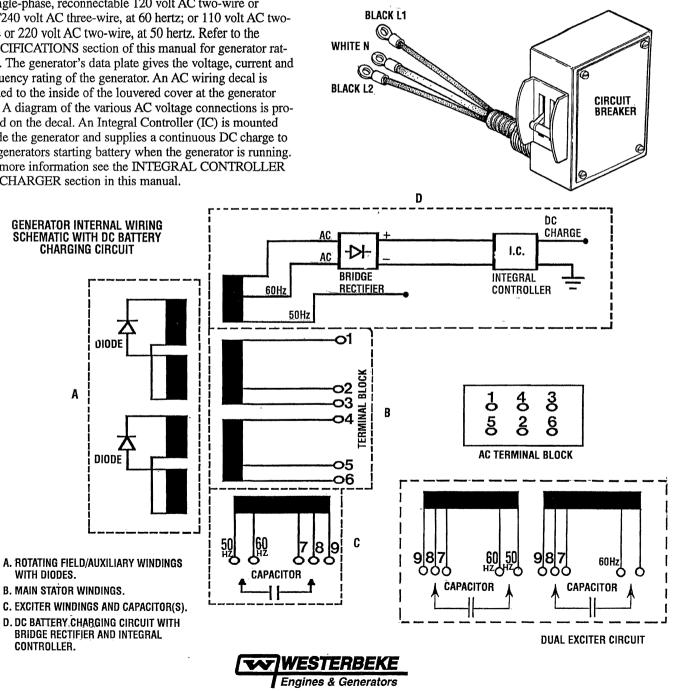
The BC generator is a brushless, self-excited generator which requires only the driving force of the engine to produce an AC output. The stator houses two sets of windings; the main stator windings and the exciter windings. When the generator is started, residual magnetism in the four rotating poles induces a current in the stator which then generates an even larger current in the exciter windings. This mutual build up of current in the four rotating poles and in the exciter windings quickly reaches the saturation point of the capacitor(s) and a regulated energy field is then maintained in the stator. At the same time, this regulated field produces a steady voltage in the stator windings which can then be drawn off the generator's AC terminals to operate AC equipment. The generator is a single-phase, reconnectable 120 volt AC two-wire or 120/240 volt AC three-wire, at 60 hertz; or 110 volt AC twowire or 220 volt AC two-wire, at 50 hertz. Refer to the SPECIFICATIONS section of this manual for generator ratings. The generator's data plate gives the voltage, current and frequency rating of the generator. An AC wiring decal is affixed to the inside of the louvered cover at the generator end. A diagram of the various AC voltage connections is provided on the decal. An Integral Controller (IC) is mounted inside the generator and supplies a continuous DC charge to the generators starting battery when the generator is running. For more information see the INTEGRAL CONTROLLER DC CHARGER section in this manual.

#### **Circuit Breaker**

A circuit breaker is installed on all single phase WESTERBEKE generators. This circuit breaker will automatically disconnect generator power in case of an electrical overload. The circuit breaker can be manually shut off when servicing the generator to ensure that no power is coming into the boat.

**NOTE:** This circuit breaker is available as a WESTERBEKE add-on kit for earlier model generators; contact your WESTERBEKE dealer.

60 Hz - 5.0 KW Circuit Breaker Part Number 42238 50 Hz - 4.0 KW Circuit Breaker Part Number 42704

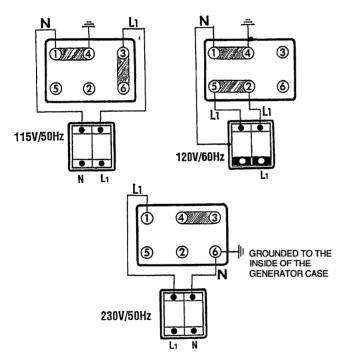


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### SINGLE EXCITER NO-LOAD VOLTAGE ADJUSTMENT

- 1. Remove the louvered metal plate, at the back of the generator, covering the AC terminal connections and the capacitor(s).
- 2. Start the generator and allow it to run for approximately five minutes so the engine can warm up. Make sure the generator is operating without any equipment drawing AC current from the generator (that is, shut off all electrical appliances). Make sure the engine's speed (Hertz) is correct. Adjust the fuel throttle/speed linkage as needed to obtain the correct engine speed before proceeding.
- **3.** Referring to the AC load connections diagram below, check the generator's no-load voltage by measuring the voltage across the neutral lead and the hot lead with a volt meter. Make sure you record this reading. The generator's no-load voltage is 115 124 volts at 60.5 61.5 Hertz. If the voltage output is higher or lower than specified, proceed.



**4.** *Shut off* the generator. Make sure the correct Hertz lead (60 Hertz #6, or 50 Hertz #5) is plugged into the capacitor(s).

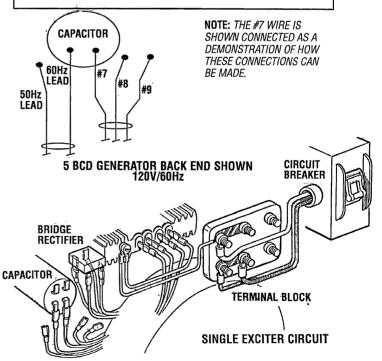
**WARNING:** Capacitors must be discharged before handling as they store electricity and can pack a potentially lethal charge even when disconnected from their power source.

**NOTE:** Simply cross the capacitor's two terminals with an insulated (plastic handle) screwdriver. This will discharge any excess electricity.

WARNING: Do not attempt to make a no-load voltage adjustment while the generator is operating. The capacitor can produce a 400-500 volt charge. Touching any wiring can produce a severe electrical shock. In addition, attempting to make a no-load voltage adjustment while the generator is operating could cause your fingers to be caught in the generator's rotor.

- 5. There are three plugs grouped for the right capacitor terminal, #7, #8, and #9. If the generator's no-load voltage is low, then disconnect the lower numbered plug and connect the plug with the next higher number. If the generator's no-load voltage is high, then disconnect the higher numbered plug and connect the plug with the next lower number. Note that the plug presently connected to this terminal may be any one of the three plugs available.
- 6. If the generator's no-load voltage cannot be adjusted because the voltage needs to be increased and the highest numbered plug is already connected to the right terminal, or the voltage needs to be lowered and the lowest numbered plug is connected, refer to the WESTERBEKE BC Generator Troubleshooting Guide).

WARNING: Make certain the insulating covers on the unused leads are in place and are NOT in contact with each other or in contact with the generator's housing.



See the ENGINE ADJUSTMENT section in this manual for ADJUSTING THE ENGINE SPEED.

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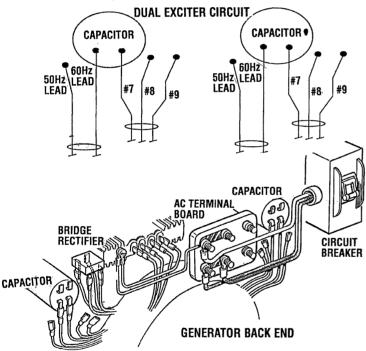
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### DUAL EXCITER CIRCUIT MODEL

These generators have dual Hertz and no-load voltage adjustment connectors at each capacitor. There are five connectors available for each capacitor. Two connectors are for Hertz selection, 60 Hertz or 50 Hertz, and three connectors, #7, #8, and #9, are for no-load voltage adjustment.

When making Hertz change or no-load voltage adjustments proceed as follows:

- 1. Shut the generator down.
- 2. Select the appropriate Hertz connection to plug into each capacitor #60, 60 Hertz, 1800 RPM or 50, #50 Hertz, 1500 RPM. The three other connectors at each capacitor, #7, #8, and #9, will have an effect on the no-load voltage produced by the generator. One connector from each group can be plugged into each capacitor. No-load voltage will increase or decrease approximately e - 10 AC volts between connectors used in any part combination to achieve the prescribed no-load voltage as illustrated below.



NOTE: When changing Hertz produced by the generator, an engine speed adjustment at the throttle arm linkage must be made. The AC output connections on the terminal blocks must be selected for the voltage and Hertz to be produced. The Hertz plug connection at the capacitor must be changed for 50 Hertz (#5) or 60 Hertz (#6). The frame ground wire must be moved when changing from 115 volts, 50 Hertz to 230 volts, 50 Hertz.

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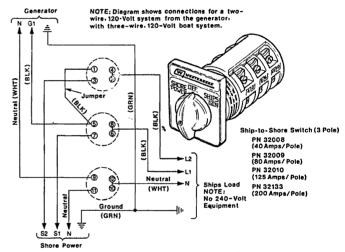
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### Shore Power Connections

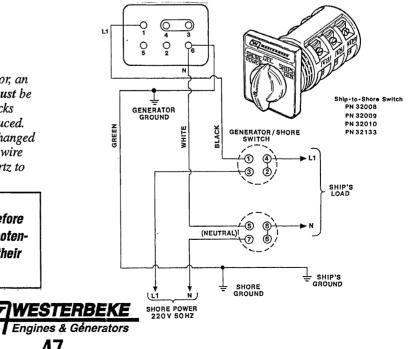
If the installer connects shore power to the vessel's AC circuit, this must be done by means of the Shore Power Transfer Switch. Set the transfer switch shown in the diagrams to the OFF position. This switch prevents simultaneous connection of shore power to generator output.

A CAUTION: Damage to the generator can result if utility shore power and generator power are connected at the same time. This type of generator damage is not covered under the warranty; it is the installer's responsibility to make sure all AC connections are correct.

### 120 Volt/60 Hertz Three Wire Configuration



### 230 Volt/50 Hertz Two Wire Configuration



**NOTE:** WESTERBEKE recommends that the following generator tests and adjustments be performed by a qualified technician.

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# **INTEGRAL CONTROLLER (I.C.)**

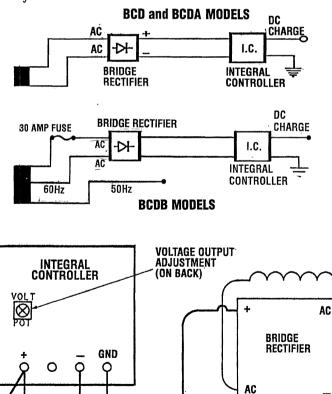
The Integral Controller (I.C.) is an encapsulated, solid-state unit that supplies a DC charging voltage to the generator's starting battery while the generator is opening.

#### Charging Voltage: 13.0 - 14.0 volts DC Charging Amperage: 0 - 10- amps DC

A separate group of stator windings supplies AC voltage to a bridge rectifier which converts the AC current to supply the I.C. unit. The I.C. unit senses the needs of the starting battery and supplies a DC charge when one is needed. If you suspect that the I.C. unit is faulty (that is, if the battery's charge is low), check the charging circuit and it's components as described in the following steps. Check all connections for cleanliness and tightness including the ground before replacing the I.C. unit.

# **NOTE:** When the generator is first started, the I.C. unit will produce a low charging rate. This charging rate will rise as the generator is operated.

The Integral Controller is mounted inside the generator housing in the 12:00 position. There is a voltage output adjustment on the controller that will allow a DC voltage output adjustment of  $\pm 2$  volts.



BLACK

YELLOW

GROUND TO GENERATOR CASE

ORANGE

B+

### **Testing the Battery Charging Circuit**

#### 1. Bridge Rectifier

Normal AC voltage running to the rectifier (while the engine is operating at 1800 rpm) is measured across the two AC connections on the bridge rectifier. (As illustrated).

AC voltage running to the bridge rectifier (approximate):No-load off the generator16.0 volts ACFull-load off the generator17.5 volts AC

Normal DC voltage running out of the rectifier (in volts DC) is measured across the two DC connections of the bridge rectifier; that is + and -.

DC voltage running from the bridge rectifier (approximate):

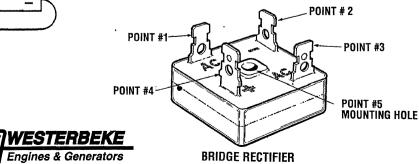
No-load off the generator	17.0 volts DC
Full-load off the generator	18.5 volts DC

#### 2. AC winding: 0.14 ohm

Lift the two AC wire leads off the bridge rectifier and measure, the resistance between these two leads with an ohmmeter. It should measure 0.14 ohm. No continuity should exist between these two leads and the ground or the main AC stator windings.

- 3. Testing the Bridge Rectifier (meter used Simpson 260)
  - A. Set your ohmmeter's scale on RX1 (+ DC) and set the needle to zero.
  - **B.** Connect the (+) positive lead from the ohmmeter to point #4. Taking the ohmmeter's negative (-) lead, momentarily touch points #1, #2, #3, and #5. The ohmmeter should register no deflection for any of the points touched.
  - C. Remove the positive (+) lead from point #4 and connect the negative (-) lead; momentarily touch points #1, #2, and #3. The ohmmeter's needle should deflect when each point is touched.
  - **D.** Leaving the negative ohmmeter (-) lead on point #4, touch point #5 with the positive lead. No deflection should take place.
  - E. Place the positive (+) lead on point #1 and the negative (-) lead on point #3. The ohmmeter again should not register any deflection (no deflection indicated infinite resistance). Reverse these connections and the ohmmeter should again register no deflection. If the rectifier fails any of the previous tests (A-E), replace the rectifier because it is defective.

**NOTE:** Different types and/or brands of test meters may produce opposite test results.



# **STANDARD AND METRIC CONVERSION DATA**

#### LENGTH-DISTANCE

Inches (in) x 25.4 = Millimeters (mm) x .0394 = Inches Feet (ft) x .305 = Meters (m) x 3.281 = Feet Miles x 1.609 = Kilometers (km) x .0621 = Miles

#### **DISTANCE EQUIVALENTS**

1 Degree of Latitude = 60 Nm = 111.120 km 1 Minute of Latitude = 1 Nm = 1.852 km

#### VOLUME

Cubic Inches (in<sup>3</sup>) x 16.387 = Cubic Centimeters x .061 =in<sup>3</sup> Imperial Pints (IMP pt) x .568 = Liters (L) x 1.76 = IMP pt Imperial Quarts (IMP qt) x 1.137 = Liters (L) x .88 = IMP qt Imperial Gallons (IMP gal) x 4.546 = Liters (L) x .22 = IMP gal Imperial Quarts (IMP qt) x 1.201 = US Quarts (US qt) x .833 = IMP qt Imperial Gallons (IMP gal) x 1.201 = US Gallons (US gal) x .833 = IMP qt Imperial Gallons (IMP gal) x 1.201 = US Gallons (US gal) x .833 = IMP gal Fluid Ounces x 29.573 = Milliliters x .034 = Ounces US Pints (US pt) x .473 = Liters(L) x 2.113 = Pints US Quarts (US qt) x .946 = Liters (L) x 1.057 = Quarts US Gallons (US gal) x 3.785 = Liters (L) x .264 = Gallons

#### **MASS-WEIGHT**

Ounces (oz) x 28.35 = Grams (g) x .035 = Ounces Pounds (lb) x .454 = Kilograms (kg) x 2.205 = Pounds

#### PRESSURE

Pounds Per Sq In (psi) x 6.895 = Kilopascals (kPa) x .145 = psi Inches of Mercury (Hg) x .4912 = psi x 2.036 = Hg Inches of Mercury (Hg) x 3.377 = Kilopascals (kPa) x .2961 = Hg Inches of Water (H $_{20}$ ) x .07355 = Inches of Mercury x 13.783 = H $_{20}$ Inches of Water (H $_{20}$ ) x .03613 = psi x 27.684 = H $_{20}$ Inches of Water (H $_{20}$ ) x .248 = Kilopascals (kPa) x 4.026 = H $_{20}$ 

#### TORQUE

Pounds-Force Inches (in-lb) x .113 = Newton Meters (Nm) x 8.85 =in-lb Pounds-Force Feet (ft-lb) x 1.356 = Newton Meters (Nm) x .738 = ft-lb

#### VELOCITY

Miles Per Hour (MPH) x 1.609 = Kilometers Per Hour (KPH) x .621 = MPH

#### POWER

Horsepower (Hp) x .745 = Kilowatts (Kw) x 1.34 = MPH

#### **FUEL CONSUMPTION**

Miles Per Hour IMP (MPG) x .354 = Kilometers Per Liter (Km/L) Kilometers Per Liter (Km/L) x 2.352 = IMP MPG Miles Per Gallons US (MPG) x .425 = Kilometers Per Liter (Km/L) Kilometers Per Liter (Km/L) x 2.352 = US MPG

#### TEMPERATURE

Degree Fahrenheit (°F) = (°C X 1.8) + 32 Degree Celsius (°C) = (°F - 32)  $\times .56$ 

#### LIQUID WEIGHTS

Diesel Oil = 1 US gallon = 7.13 lbs Fresh Water = 1 US gallon = 8.33 lbs Gasoline = 1 US gallon = 6.1 lbs Salt Water = 1 US gallon = 8.56 lbs



# **DECIMAL TO METRIC EQUIVALENT CHART**

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Fractions of an inch	Decimal (in.)	Metric (mm)	Fractions of an inch	Decimal (in.)	Metric (mm)	
1/64	0.015625	0.39688	33/64	0.515625	13.09687	
1/32	0.03125	0.79375	17/32	0.53125	13.49375	
3/64	0.046875	1.19062	35/64	0.546875	13.89062	
í/16	0.0625	1.58750	9/16	0.5625	14.28750	
5/64	0.078125	1.98437	37/64	0.578125	14.68437	
3/32	. 0.09375	2.38125	19/32	0.59375	15.08125	
7/64	0.109375	2.77812	39/64	0.609375	15.47812	
1/8	0.125	3.175	5/8	0.625	15.87500	
9/64	0.140625	3.57187	41/64	0.640625	16.27187	
5/32	0.15625	3.96875	21/32	0.65625	16.66875	
11/64	0.171875	4.36562	43/64	0.671875	17.06562	
3/16	0.1875	4.76250	11/16	0.6875	17.46250	
13/64	0.203125	5.15937	45/64	0.703125	17.85937	
7/32	0.21875	5.55625	23/32	0.71875	18.25625	
15/64	0.234375	5.95312	47/64	0.734375	18.65312	
1/4	0.250	6.35000	3/4	0.750	19.05000	
17/64	0.265625	6.74687	49/64	0.765625	19.44687	
9/32	0.28125	7.14375	25/32	0.78125	19.84375	
19/64	0.296875	7.54062	51/64	0.796875	20.24062	
5/16	0.3125	7.93750	13/16	0.8125	20.63750	
21/64	0.328125	8.33437	53/64	0.828125	21.03437	
11/32	0.34375	8.73125	27/32	0.84375	21.43125	
23/64	0.359375	9.12812	55/64	0.859375	21.82812	
3/8	0.375	9.52500	7/8	0.875	22.22500	
25/64	0.390625	9.92187	57/64	0.890625	22.62187	
13/32	0.40625	10.31875	29/32	0.90625	23.01875	
27/64	0.421875	10.71562	59/64	0.921875	23.41562	
7/16	0.4375	11.11250	15/16	0.9375	23.81250	
29/64	0.453125	11.50937	61/64	0.953125	24.20937	
15/32	0.46875	11.90625	31/32	0.96875	24.60625	
31/64	0.484375	12.30312	63/64	0.984375	25.00312	
1/2	0.500	12.70000	1	1.00	25.40000	



# LAY-UP & RECOMMISSIONING

### **Starter Motor**

Lubrication and cleaning of the starter drive pinion is advisable, if access to the starter permits its easy removal. Make sure the battery connections are shut off before attempting to remove the starter. Take care in properly replacing any electrical connections removed from the starter.

# Cylinder Lubrication [Diesel]

If you anticipate a long lay-up period (12 months or more) WESTERBEKE recommends removing the fuel injectors for access to the cylinders. Squirt light lubricating oil into the cylinders to prevent the piston rings from sticking to the cylinder walls.

Make sure you have a replacements for the injector and return line sealing washers.

### Intake Manifold [Gasoline]

Clean the filter screen in the flame arrester, and place a clean cloth lightly soaked in lube oil around the flame arrester to block any opening. Also place an oil-soaked cloth in the through-hull exhaust port, Make a note to remove cloths prior to start-up!

# **Cylinder Lubrication** [Gasoline]

Spray fogging oil into the open air intake, with the flame arrester removed, while the engine is running. The fogging oil will stall out the engine and coat the valves, cylinders and spark plugs for winter protection.

**NOTE:** The spark plugs will need to be removed for cleaning and re-gapping at spring commissioning.

### **Batteries**

If batteries are to be left on board during the lay-up period, make sure that they are fully charged, and will remain that way, to prevent them from freezing. If there is any doubt that the batteries will not remain fully charged, or that they will be subjected to severe environmental conditions, remove the batteries and store them in a warmer, more compatible environment.

WARNING: Lead acid batteries emit hydrogen, a highly-explosive gas, which can be ignited by electrical arcing or a lighted cigarette, cigar, or pipe. Do not smoke or allow an open flame near the battery being serviced. Shut off all electrical equipment in the vicinity to prevent electrical arcing during servicing.

# Transmission [Propulsion Engine]

Check or change the fluid in the transmission as required Wipe off grime and grease and touch up any unpainted areas. Protect the coupling and the output flange with an anti-corrosion coating. Check that the transmission vent is open. For additional information, refer to the *TRANSMISSION SECTION*.

### **Spare Parts**

Lay-up time provides a good opportunity to inspect your Westerbeke engine to see if external items such as drive belts or coolant hoses need replacement. Check your basic spares kit and order items not on hand, or replace those items used during the lay-up, such as filters and zinc anodes. Refer to the *SPARE PARTS* section of this manual.

#### Recommissioning

The recommissioning of your Westerbeke engine after a seasonal lay-up generally follows the same procedures as those described in the *PREPARATIONS FOR STARTING* section regarding preparation for starting and normal starts. However, some of the lay-up procedures will need to be counteracted before starting the engine.

- 1. Remove the oil-soaked cloths from the intake manifold.
- 2. Remove the raw water pump cover and gasket and discard the old gasket. Install the raw water pump impeller removed during lay-up (or a replacement, if required). Install the raw water pump cover with a new cover gasket.
- 3. Reinstall the batteries that were removed during the lay-up, and reconnect the battery cables, making sure the terminals are clean and that the connections are tight. Check to make sure that the batteries are fully charged.

**CAUTION:** Wear rubber gloves, a rubber apron, and eye protection when servicing batteries. Lead acid batteries emit hydrogen, a highly explosive gas, which can be ignited by electrical arcing or a lighted cigarette, cigar, or pipe. Do not smoke or allow an open flame near the battery being serviced. Shut off all electrical equipment in the vicinity to prevent electrical arcing during servicing.

- 4. Remove the spark plugs, wipe clean, re-gap, and install to proper tightness [gasoline].
- 5. Check the condition of the zinc anode in the raw water circuit and clean or replace the anode as needed. Note that it is not necessary to flush the antifreeze/fresh water solution from the raw water coolant system. When the engine is put into operation, the system will self-flush in a short period of time with no adverse affects. It is advisable, as either an end of season or recommissioning service, to inspect the area where the zinc is located in the heat exchanger and clear any and all zinc debris from that area.
- 6. Start the engine in accordance with procedures described in the *PREPARATIONS FOR STARTING* section of this manual.



# LAY-UP & RECOMMISSIONING

### GENERAL

Many owners rely on their boatyards to prepare their craft, including engines and generators, for lay-up during the off-season or for long periods of inactivity. Others prefer to accomplish lay-up preparation themselves.

The procedures which follow will allow you to perform your own lay-up and recommissioning, or you may use them as a check list if others do the procedures.

These procedures should afford your engine protection during a lay-up and also help familiarize you with the maintenance needs of your engine.

If you have any questions regarding lay-up procedures, call your local servicing dealer; he will be more than willing to provide assistance.

### Propeller Shaft Coupling [Propulsion Engine]

The transmission and propeller half couplings should always be opened up and the bolts removed when the boat is hauled out of the water or moved from land to water, and during storage in the cradle. The flexibility of the boat often puts a severe strain on the propeller shaft or coupling or both, while the boat is taken out or put in the water. In some cases, the shaft has actually been bent by these strains. This does not apply to small boats that are hauled out of the water when not in use, unless they have been dry for a considerable period of time.

# Fresh Water Cooling Circuit [Propulsion Engine]

A 50-50 solution of antifreeze and distilled water is recommended for use in the coolant system at all times. This solution may require a higher concentration of antifreeze, depending on the area's winter climate. Check the solution to make sure the antifreeze protection is adequate.

Should more antifreeze be needed, drain an appropriate amount from the engine block and add a more concentrated mixture. Operate the engine to ensure a complete circulation and mixture of the antifreeze concentration throughout the cooling system. Now recheck the antifreeze solution's strength.

### **Lubrication System**

With the engine warm, drain all the engine oil from the oil sump. Remove and replace the oil filter and fill the sump with new oil. Use the correct grade of oil. Refer to the *ENGINE LUBRICATING OIL* pages in this manual for the oil changing procedure. Run the engine and check for proper oil pressure and make sure there are no leaks.

**CAUTION:** Do not leave the engine's old engine oil in the sump over the lay-up period. Lubricating oil and combustion deposits combine to produce harmful chemicals which can reduce the life of your engine's internal parts.

# Fuel System [Gasoline]

Top off your fuel tanks with *unleaded* gasoline of 89 octane or higher. A fuel conditioner such as *Sta-Bil* gasoline stabilizer should be added. Change the element in your gasoline/water separator and clean the metal bowl. Re-install and make certain there are no leaks. Clean up any spilled fuel.

# Fuel System [Diesel]

Top off your fuel tanks with No. 2 diesel fuel. Fuel additives such as *BioBor* and *Sta-Bil* should be added at this time to control algae and condition the fuel. Care should be taken that the additives used are compatible with the primary fuel filter/water separator used in the system. Change the element in your primary fuel filter/water separator, if the fuel system has one, and clean the separator sediment bowl.

Change the fuel filter elements on the engine and bleed the fuel system, as needed. Start the engine and allow it to run for 5 - 10 minutes to make sure no air is left in the fuel system. Check for any leaks that may have been created in the fuel system during this servicing, correcting them as needed. Operating the engine for 5 - 10 minutes will help allow movement of the treated fuel through the injection equipment on the engine.

# **Raw Water Cooling Circuit**

Close the through-hull seacock. Remove the raw water intake hose from the seacock. Place the end of this hose into a five gallon bucket of clean fresh water. Before starting the engine, check the zinc anode found in the primary heat exchanger on the engine and clean or replace it as required, and also clean any zinc debris from inside the heat exchanger where the zinc anode is located. Clean the raw water strainer.

Start the engine and allow the raw water pump to draw the fresh water through the system. When the bucket is empty, stop the engine and refill the bucket with an antifreeze solution slightly stronger than needed for winter freeze protection in your area.

Start the engine and allow all of this mixture to be drawn through the raw water system. Once the bucket is empty, stop the engine. This antifreeze mixture should protect the raw water circuit from freezing during the winter lay-up, as well as providing corrosion protection.

Remove the impeller from your raw water pump (some antifreeze mixture will accompany it, so catch it in a bucket). Examine the impeller. Acquire a replacement, if needed, and a cover gasket. Do not replace the impeller (into the pump) until recommissioning, but replace the cover and gasket.

### Intake Manifold and Thru-Hull Exhaust

Place a clean cloth, lightly soaked in lubricating oil, in the opening of the intake manifold to block the opening. Do not shove the cloth out of sight. (If it is not visible at recommissioning, and an attempt is made to start the engine, you may need assistance of the servicing dealer. Make a note to remove the cloth prior to start-up. The thru-hull exhaust port can be blocked in the same manner.



# **POWER TAKE OFF SYSTEMS**

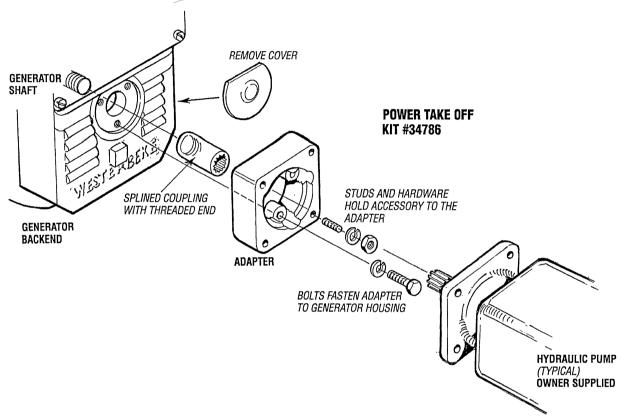
### **POWER TAKE OFF ADAPTER**

A power take off adapter can be attached to the generator backend. This adapter allows access to the full power of the engine for a variety of hydraulic and electrical accessories.

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The 5.0Kw BCD produces 9.2hp at a continuous 1800 rpm. This horsepower can be utilized either for generator AC output or to operate the power take off.

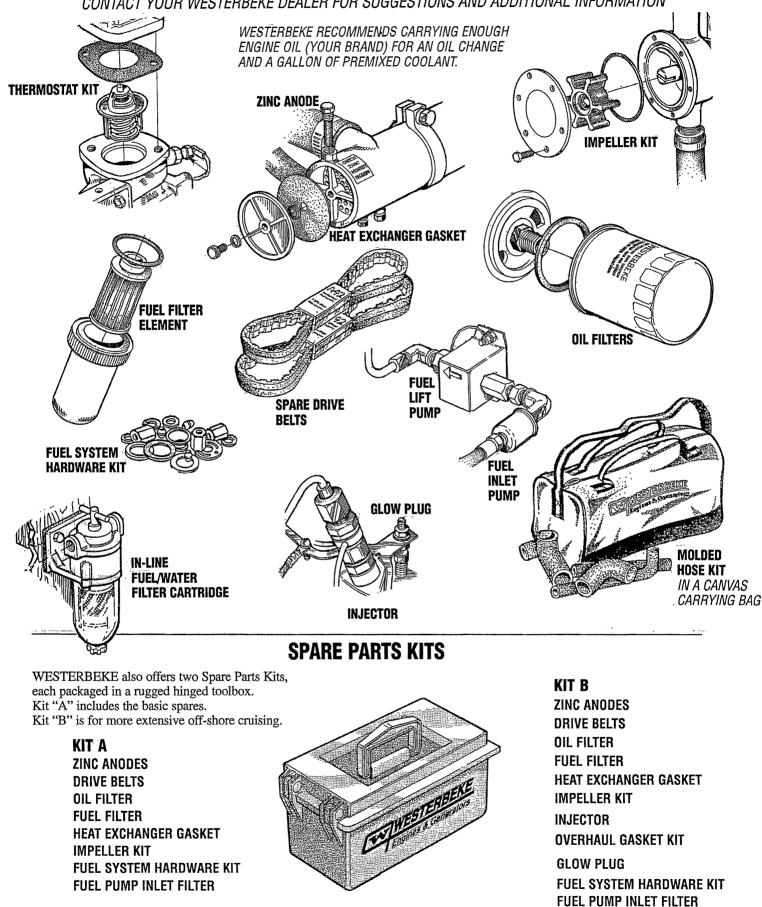
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# **SUGGESTED SPARE PARTS**

CONTACT YOUR WESTERBEKE DEALER FOR SUGGESTIONS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION



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