

# RoadLazer<sup>™</sup> RoadPak<sup>™</sup> & RoadPak<sup>™</sup> HD Line Striping System

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For the Application of Road Marking and Reflective Coatings. For Professional Use Only.

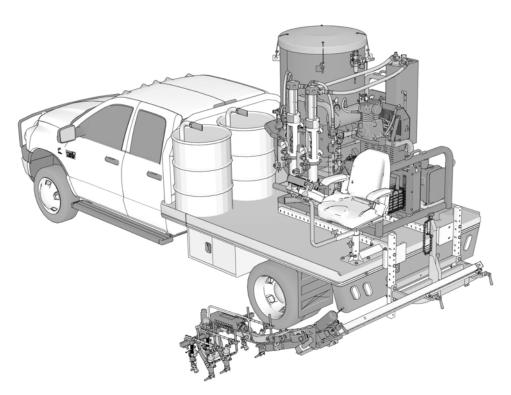
2900 psi (20 MPa, 200 bar) Maximum Working Pressure



#### **Important Safety Instructions**

Read all warnings and instructions in this manual and in related manuals. Be familiar with the controls and the proper usage of the equipment. Save these instructions.

Related Manuals:	
3A5384	Installation & Operation
3A5386	Parts





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# **Warnings**

The following warnings are for the setup, use, grounding, maintenance, and repair of this equipment. The exclamation point symbol alerts you to a general warning and the hazard symbols refer to procedure-specific risks. When these symbols appear in the body of this manual or on warning labels, refer back to these Warnings. Product-specific hazard symbols and warnings not covered in this section may appear throughout the body of this manual where applicable.

# **<b>△WARNING**

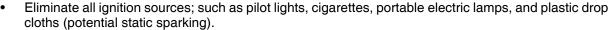


#### **FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD**

Flammable fumes, such as solvent and paint fumes, in **work area** can ignite or explode. Paint or solvent flowing through the equipment can cause static sparking. To help prevent fire and explosion:



- Use equipment only in well-ventilated area.
- Do not fill fuel tank while engine is running or hot; shut off engine and let it cool. Fuel is flammable and can ignite or explode if spilled on hot surface.





- Ground all equipment in the work area. See **Grounding** instructions.
- Never spray or flush solvent at high pressure.
- Keep work area free of debris, including solvent, rags and gasoline.



- Do not plug or unplug power cords, or turn power or light switches on or off when flammable fumes are present.
- Use only grounded hoses.
- Hold gun firmly to side of grounded pail when triggering into pail. Do not use liners unless they are anti-static or conductive.
- Stop operation immediately if static sparking occurs or you feel a shock. Do not use equipment until you identify and correct the problem.
- Keep a working fire extinguisher in the work area.

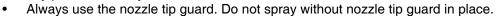


#### SKIN INJECTION HAZARD

High-pressure spray is able to inject toxins into the body and cause serious injury that can result in amputation. In the event that injection occurs, **get immediate surgical treatment.** 



- Do not aim the gun at, or spray any person or animal.
- Keep hands and other body parts away from the discharge. For example, do not try to stop leaks with any part of the body.





- Use Graco nozzle tips.
- Use caution when cleaning and changing nozzle tips. In the case where the nozzle tip clogs while spraying, follow the **Pressure Relief Procedure** for turning off the unit and relieving the pressure before removing the nozzle tip to clean.



• Equipment maintains pressure after power is shut off. Do not leave the equipment energized or under pressure while unattended. Follow the **Pressure Relief Procedure** when the equipment is unattended or not in use, and before servicing, cleaning, or removing parts.



- This system is capable of producing 2900 psi (200 bar, 20 MPa). Use Graco parts or accessories that are rated a minimum of 2900 psi (200 bar, 20 MPa).
- Always engage the trigger lock when not spraying. Verify the trigger lock is functioning properly.
- Verify that all connections are secure before operating the unit.
- Know how to stop the unit and bleed pressure guickly. Be thoroughly familiar with the controls.

# **<b>∴WARNING**



#### **EQUIPMENT MISUSE HAZARD**

Misuse can cause death or serious injury.

Do not operate the unit when fatigued or under the influence of drugs or alcohol.



- Do not exceed the maximum working pressure or temperature rating of the lowest rated system component. See **Technical Specifications** in all equipment manuals.
- Use fluids and solvents that are compatible with equipment wetted parts. See **Technical Specifica-**tions in all equipment manuals. Read fluid and solvent manufacturer's warnings. For complete information about your material, request Safety Data Sheets (SDSs) from distributor or retailer.
- Do not leave the work area while equipment is energized or under pressure.
- Turn off all equipment and follow the Pressure Relief Procedure when equipment is not in use.
- Check equipment daily. Repair or replace worn or damaged parts immediately with genuine manufacturer's replacement parts only.
- Do not alter or modify equipment. Alterations or modifications may void agency approvals and create safety hazards.
- Make sure all equipment is rated and approved for the environment in which you are using it.
- Use equipment only for its intended purpose. Call your distributor for information.
- Route hoses and cables away from traffic areas, sharp edges, moving parts, and hot surfaces.
- Do not kink or over bend hoses or use hoses to pull equipment.
- Keep children and animals away from work area.
- Comply with all applicable safety regulations.



#### **MOVING PARTS HAZARD**

Moving parts can pinch, cut or amputate fingers and other body parts.



- Keep clear of moving parts.
- Do not operate equipment with protective guards or covers removed.
- Pressurized equipment can start without warning. Before checking, moving, or servicing equipment, follow the Pressure Relief Procedure and disconnect all power sources.

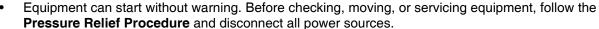


#### **ENTAGLEMENT HAZARD**

Rotating parts can cause serious injury.



- Keep clear of moving parts.
- Do not operate equipment with protective guards or covers removed.
- Do not wear loose clothing, jewelry or long hair while operating equipment.





#### **CARBON MONOXIDE HAZARD**

Exhaust contains poisonous carbon monoxide, which is colorless and odorless. Breathing carbon monoxide can cause death.

Do not operate in an enclosed area.



#### **TOXIC FLUID OR FUMES HAZARD**

Toxic fluids or fumes can cause serious injury or death if splashed in the eyes or on skin, inhaled, or swallowed.

- Read Safety Data Sheets (SDSs) to know the specific hazards of the fluids you are using.
- Store hazardous fluid in approved containers, and dispose of it according to applicable guidelines.



#### **BURN HAZARD**

Equipment surfaces and fluid that is heated can become very hot during operation. To avoid severe burns:

Do not touch hot fluid or equipment.

# **△WARNING**



#### PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

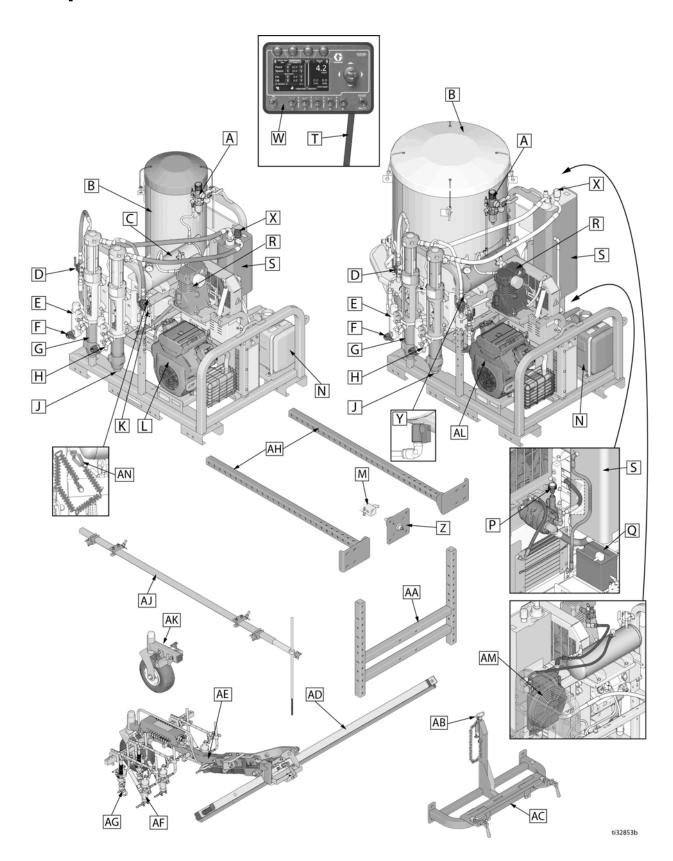
Wear appropriate protective equipment when in the work area to help prevent serious injury, including eye injury, hearing loss, inhalation of toxic fumes, and burns. Protective equipment includes but is not limited to:

- Protective eyewear, and hearing protection.
- Respirators, protective clothing, and gloves as recommended by the fluid and solvent manufacturer.

#### **CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65**

The engine exhaust from this product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm.

# **Component Identification**



# **Component Function**

Α	Air Regulator	Allows regulation of the bead tank air pressure	
В	Bead Tank	36 gallon or 120 gallon bead tank. Holds reflective materials or element for single or double drop beading	
С	Air Accumulator Tank	Helps maintain consistent air power to accessories	
D	Hydraulic Valve	Valve to shut off/on the hydraulic fluid to the hydraulic motor	
E	Fluid Filter	Filters fluid between the fluid source and the spray gun	
F	Prime/Spray Valve	Used to switch between priming and spraying	
G	RPS 2900 Paint Pump	Provides fluid to be sprayed through the spray gun	
Н	Fluid Outlet	Supplies fluid from the displacement pump to the spray gun	
J	Fluid Inlet	Displacement Pump entry for fluid from the paint drums (paint drums not shown)	
K	Electrical Junction Box	Allows the user access to electrical system	
L	18 HP Engine	Powers the hydraulic pump and the air compressor	
M	2 in. Hitch Receiver (not provided)	Needed to hook-up the gun arm to the back of a truck	
N	Fuel Tank	Holds 6 gallons (23 liters) of gasoline	
Р	Hydraulic Pressure Control Knob	Provides adjustment of hydraulic pressure (clockwise increases pressure)	
Q	Battery	Provides power to start the Engine and Control Box	
R	Compressor	Provides an air supply for the solenoids and pressurizes the bead tanks	
S	Hydraulic Reservoir	RoadPak holds 4 gallons (15.1 liters) of hydraulic oil for the hydraulic pump. RoadPak HD holds 8 gallons (30.28 liters) of hydraulic oil for the hydraulic pump	
Т	I/O Cable	Carries electronic control signals from the Controller to the RoadLazer	
W	Programmable Skipline Controller	Allows the user to program the operation of the RoadLazer	
X	Breather Cap	Provides a means for hydraulic reservoir ventilation, oil check, and fill	
Υ	Air Pressure Quick Release Connection	Allows the user to use pressurized air	
Z	Hitch Insert	Allows the user to connect the gun arm to a single hitch vehicle	
AA	Mounting Bracket	Allows the user to connect the gun arm mount to the optimum height	
AB	Stow Bracket Pin	Secures the spray gun boom arm when the RoadLazer is in transport mode	
AC	Gun Arm Mount	Supports the main beam and the gun arm	
AD	Slide Beam	Supports the spray gun boom arm	
AE	Spray Gun Boom Arm	Allows striping on either side of the vehicle at adjustable distances	
AF	Bead Spray Gun	Sprays beads when commanded by the Controller	
AG	Paint Spray Gun	Sprays fluid when controlled by the Controller	
AH	Slide in Mounting Frame	Allows user to connect the gun arm to the RoadPak frame	
AJ	RoadPak Pointer System	Allows the user an alignment tool	
AK	Gun Arm Support Wheel	Supports gun arm when needed for wide/multi-gun patterns	
AL	26.5 HP Engine	Powers the hydraulic pump and air compressor on RoadPak HDs	
AM	Air Cooler/Dryer	Cools and dries air to bead tank and accessories	
AN	Grounding Clamp	Dissipates static electricity during flushing	

## Grounding



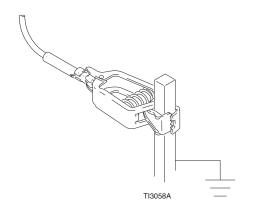






The equipment must be grounded to reduce the risk of static sparking. Static sparking can cause fumes to ignite or explode. Grounding provides an escape wire for the electric current.

1. Ground RoadLazer with grounding clamp to earth ground.

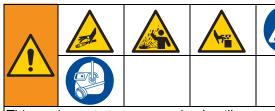


Disconnect grounding clamp after flushing, or preparing system

## **Pressure Relief Procedure**



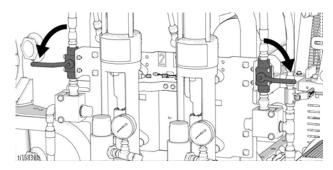
Follow the Pressure Relief Procedure whenever you see this symbol.



This equipment stays pressurized until pressure is manually relieved. To help prevent serious injury from pressurized fluid, such as skin injection, splashing fluid and moving parts, follow Pressure Relief Procedure when you stop spraying and before cleaning, checking, or servicing the equipment.

#### **RPS 2900 Pump Fluid Pressure Relief**

1. Set hydraulic valve to OFF position.

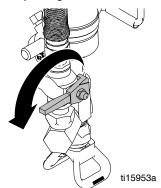


- 2. Run engine at half throttle.
- 3. Place empty pail under paint guns to catch drainage.
- 4. Relieve hose pressure through guns. Use Programmable Skipline Controller to trigger each gun for at least 3 seconds each.

#### **NOTICE**

Always relieve pressure with the guns, not with the filter drain valves. Using the filter drain valves can cause damage, and prevent them from sealing in the close/spray positions.

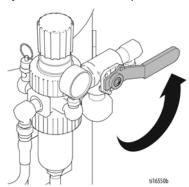
5. Close paint gun ball valves.



- 6. Open all drain valves, one at a time.
- 7. Close valves immediately to prevent paint from drying in system.
- 8. If you suspect the spray tip or hose is clogged or that pressure has not been fully relieved:
  - VERY SLOWLY loosen the tip guard retaining nut or the hose end coupling and relieve pressure gradually.
  - b. Loosen the nut or the coupling completely.
  - c. Clear the obstruction in the hose or tip.

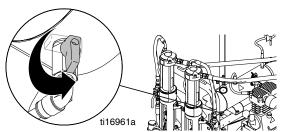
### **Bead System Pressure Relief**

1. Relieve air pressure in bead tank by turning bead system valve to OFF position.



# Air System Pressure Relief and Condensation Drain

1. Relieve air pressure and drain condensation in air tank by turning air valve to OPEN position.

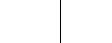


# **Changing Hydraulic Oil**



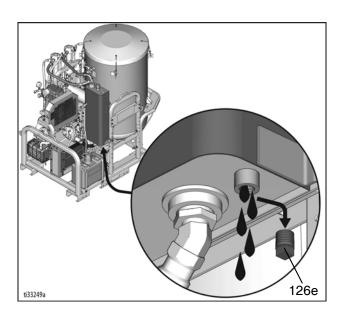






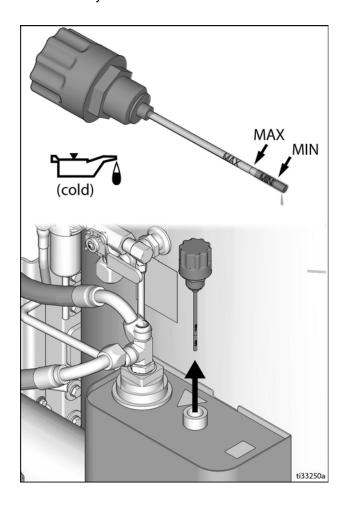
## **Drain Oil**

- 1. Use a funnel to drain oil into a drain pan. If a funnel is not available, remove the gas tank and place a drain pan under the oil tank.
- 2. Unscrew reservoir drain plug (126e) and drain oil from reservoir.



## **Refilling Oil**

- 1. Replace drain plug (126e).
- Fill tank with Graco synthetic hydraulic oil, ISO 46.
   NOTE: Small tank holds approximately 4 gallons.
   Large tank holds approximately 8 gallons. Check dipstick to ensure oil level is at an acceptable level.
- 3. Replace gas tank if removed.
- 4. Run the unit and recheck hydraulic oil level. Add oil if necessary.



# **Compressor Belt and Hydraulic Pump Belt**







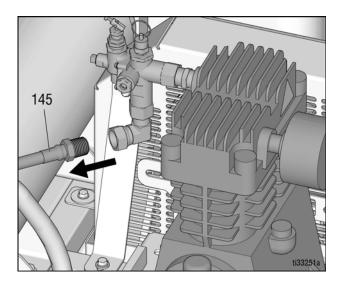




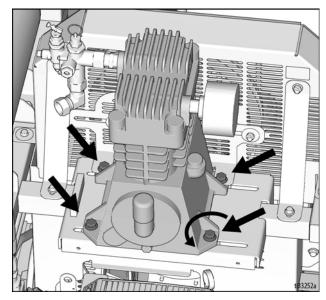
## **Belt Removal**

**NOTE:** In order to remove the compressor belt, the hydraulic pump belt must first be removed.

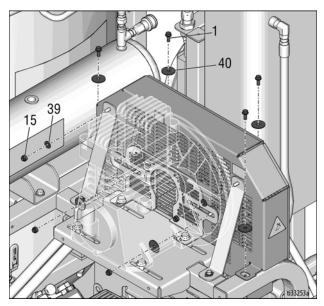
- 1. Perform Pressure Relief Procedure, page 8.
- 2. Remove air line (145) from compressor.



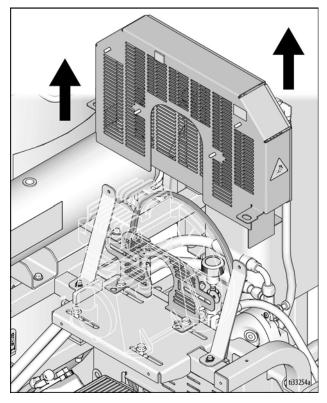
3. Loosen four mounting bolts on compressor to reduce compressor belt tension.



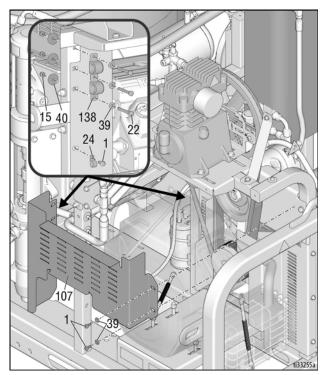
4. Remove six screws (1) and two nuts (15) from top belt guard (108).



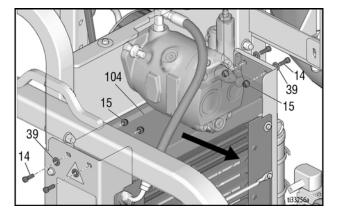
5. Remove top belt guard (108).



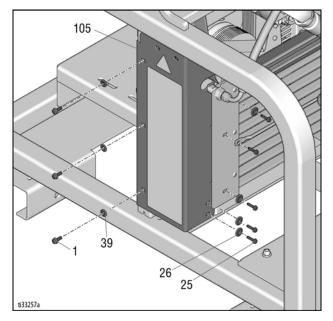
6. Remove three screws (1) and two nuts (15) and bolts (22) from front belt guard.



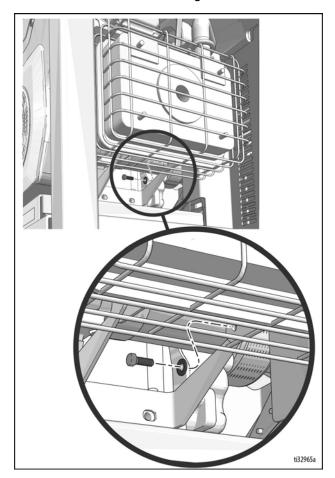
7. Remove four nuts (15) and bolts (14) from top fan guard (104) and remove guard.



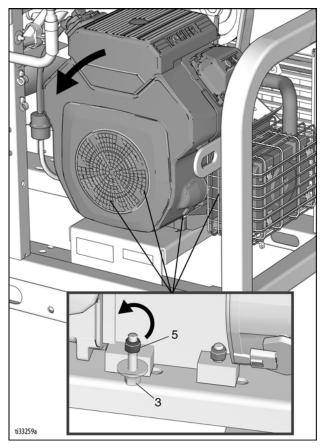
8. Remove eight screws from side guard (105) and remove guard.



9. Remove two screws from engine muffler bracket.



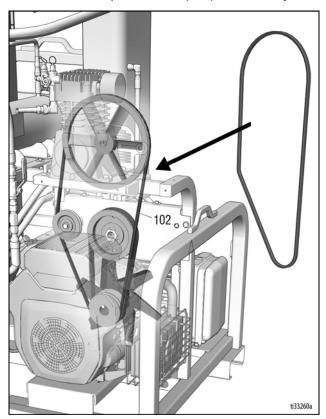
10. Loosen four nuts (5) and bolts (3) which secure engine to relieve tension on hydraulic pump belt.



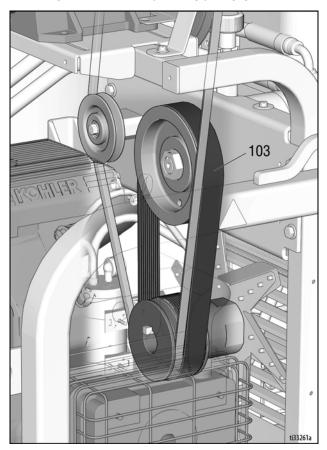
- 11. Tilt engine back and remove hydraulic pump belt (103). Loop belt around the cooling fan.
- 12. If installing a new compressor belt, remove old compressor belt (102).

## **Belt Installation**

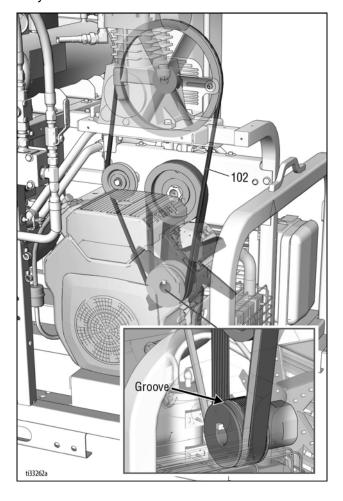
1. Install new compressor belt (102) if necessary.



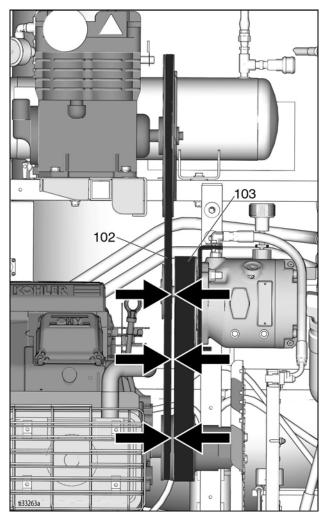
2. Install hydraulic pump belt (103). Ensure all belt ribs are aligned with corresponding pulley grooves.



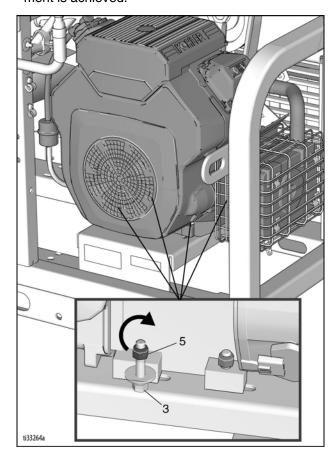
3. Make sure compressor belt (102) is looped around the engine pulley, idler pulley and compressor pulley.



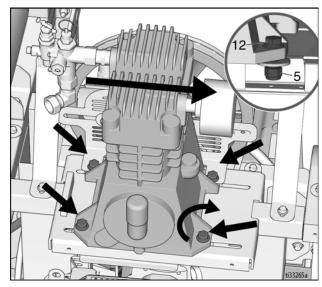
4. Visually inspect to make sure belts and pulleys will be properly aligned when engine is tightened.



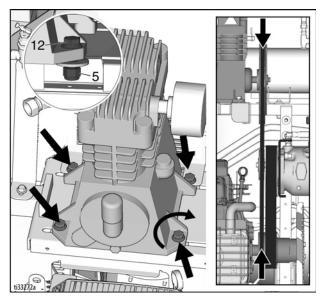
5. Tighten four nuts (5) and bolts (3) to secure engine in place. Visually inspect and make sure hydraulic belt is properly aligned. Repeat until proper alignment is achieved.



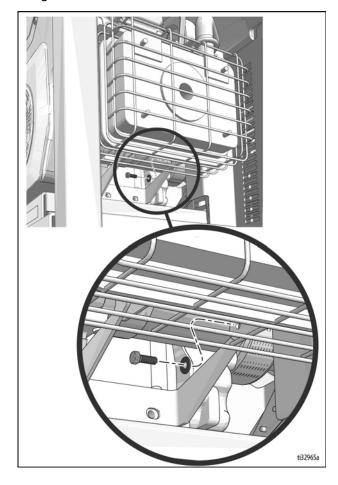
 Tighten four nuts (5) and bolts (12) so compressor is level. Before completely tightening bolts, tension compressor belt (102) by shifting compressor to the right.



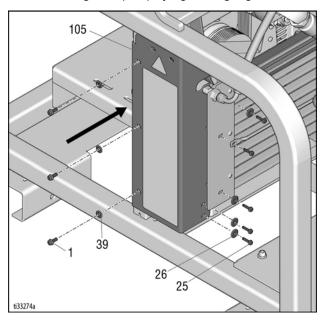
7. Tighten four nuts (5) and bolts (12) to secure compressor in place, ensuring pulley is aligned with idler and engine pulley.



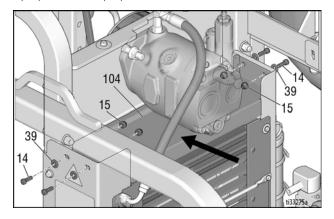
8. Install two screws securing muffler bracket to engine.



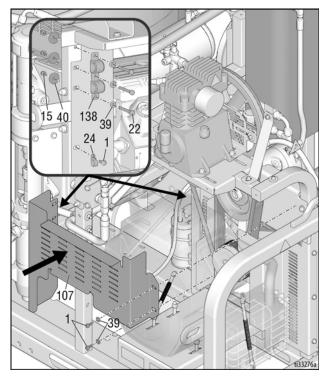
9. Install side guard (105) by tightening eight screws.



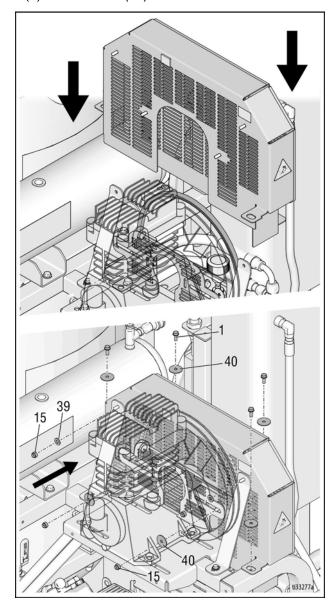
10. Install top fan guard (104) by tightening four bolts (14) and nuts (15).



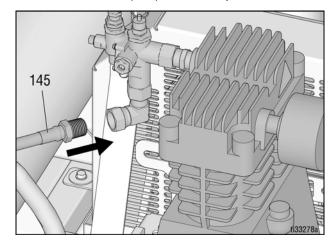
11. Install front belt guard (107) by tightening three screws (1) and two nuts (15) and bolts (22).



12. Install top belt guard (108) by tightening four screws (1) and two nuts (15).



13. Install the air line (145) to the compressor.



# **Hydraulic Pump Replacement**





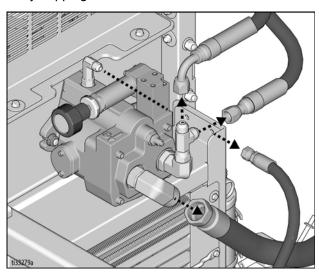




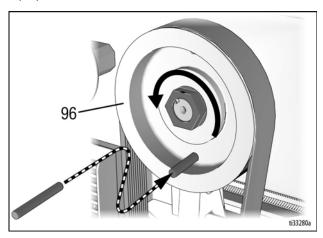


## Removal

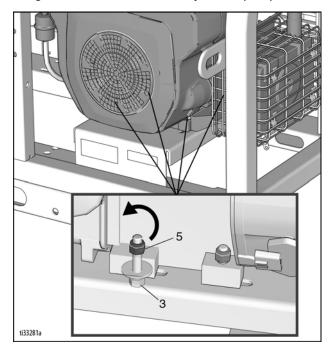
- 1. Perform Pressure Relief Procedures, page 8.
- 2. Drain Oil, page 10.
- Remove hydraulic pump belt, see Compressor Belt and Hydraulic Pump Belt Removal, page 11.
- Unscrew inlet and outlet line connections to hydraulic pump. Place a container under hoses to catch any dripping oil.



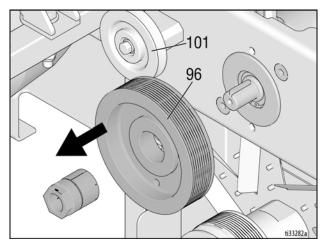
5. Insert 3/8" diameter pin to prevent pulley from rotating. Loosen keyless bushing on front of large pulley (96).



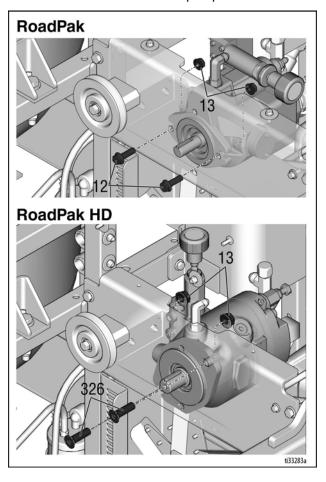
Loosen four nuts (5) and bolts (3) which secure engine to relieve tension on hydraulic pump belt.



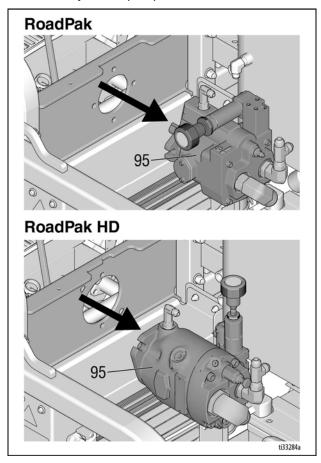
7. Remove pulley (96) from hydraulic pump shaft. Remove idler pulley (101) if necessary.



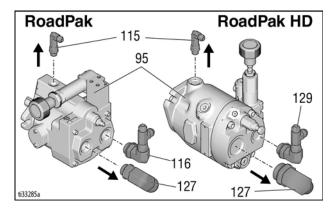
8. Remove nuts and bolts from pump frame.



9. Remove hydraulic pump.

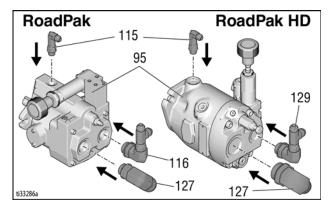


10. Remove fittings from pump and set aside to use on the new pump.



### Installation

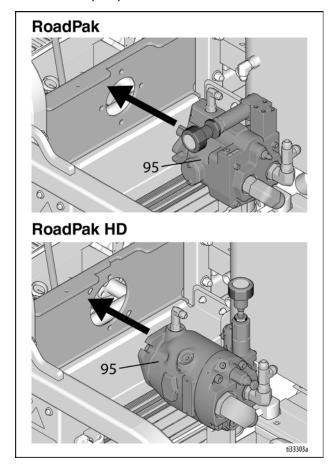
1. Install fittings from old pump onto new pump.
Tighten all fittings to ensure no leaking occurs during operation.



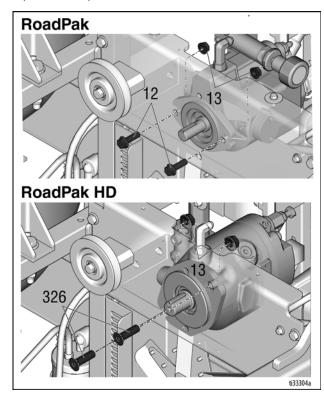
#### **NOTICE**

Fill pump casing with hydraulic oil before installing top case drain fitting. Not doing so may cause internal damage to the pump at start up.

2. Install new pump to frame.



3. Install bolts and nuts. Torque to 225 +/- 10 in-lb (25.42 N•m).

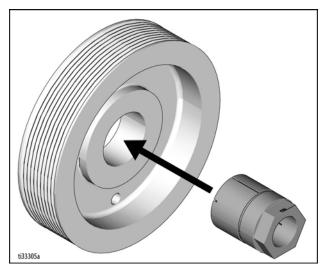


#### **NOTICE**

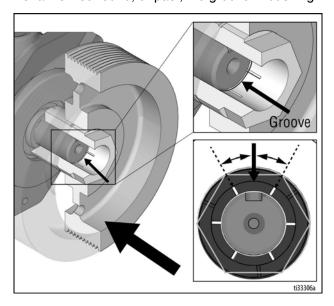
To prevent premature failure of the keyless bushing and/or pump shaft:

- Do not use impact of any kind to move it along the shaft. Loosen, move, re-torque.
- Ensure bushing bore and pump shaft are completely free of paint, grease, oil, and debris of any kind. Thoroughly clean using non-petroleum based solvent (isopropyl alcohol).
- Pump shaft must fully engage the gripping area of the bushing.
- Over tightening the bushing nut could result damage to the bushing or the pump shaft.

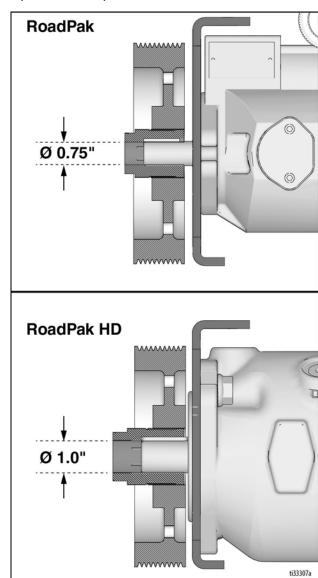
4. Slide keyless bushing into pulley, ensure bushing is centered in the hub, then hand tighten to hold its position.



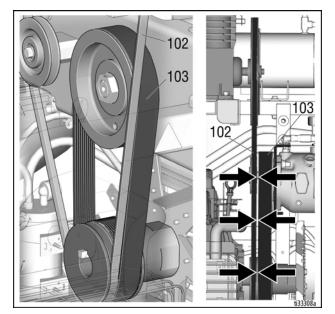
5. Replace pulley-bushing assembly (96) onto hydraulic pump shaft. Ensure inside gripping area of bushing spans across the pump shaft key-way, and the shaft is inserted to, or past, the groove in bushing.



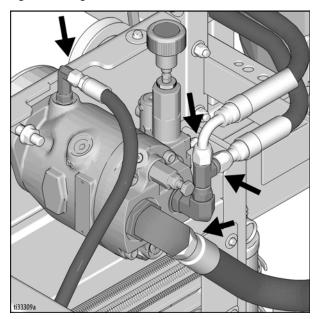
 Align pulley (96) on shaft. Place pin through pulley and pump plates, then torque keyless bushing to a maximum of 100 ft-lb (RoadPak) and 125 ft-lb (RoadPak HD).



7. Install compressor belt (102) first, then install hydraulic pump belt (103) (see Compressor Belt and Hydraulic Pump Belt Installation, page 11).



8. Install hydraulic fluid lines to the hydraulic pump and tighten fittings.



9. Refill Hydraulic Supply System, see page 10.

# **Compressor Replacement**





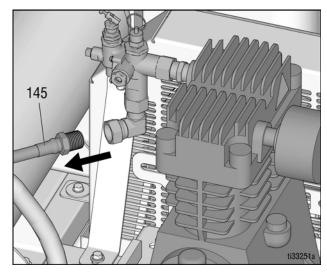




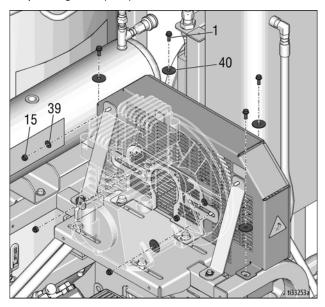


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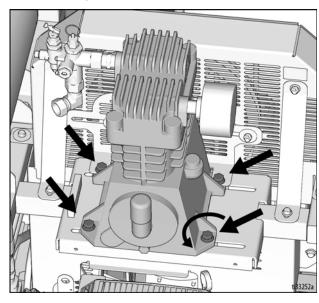
- 1. Perform Pressure Relief Procedures, page 8.
- 2. Remove air line (145) from compressor.



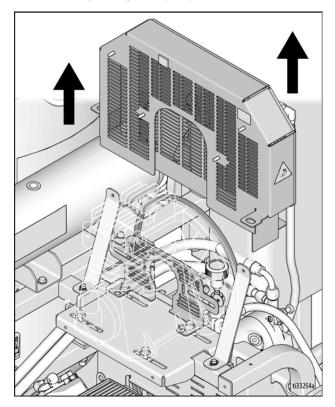
3. Remove six screws (1) and two nuts (15) securing top belt guard (108).



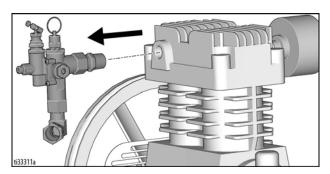
4. Loosen four mounting bolts on compressor to reduce compressor belt tension.



5. Remove top belt guard (108).



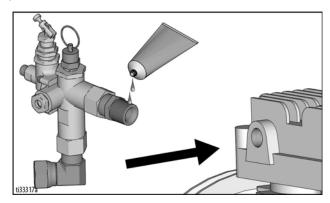
- 6. Remove belt from compressor pulley. If belt(s) needs to be replaced, see Compressor Belt and Hydraulic Pump Belt Replacement, page 11.
- 7. Unscrew relief valve assembly from the old compressor.



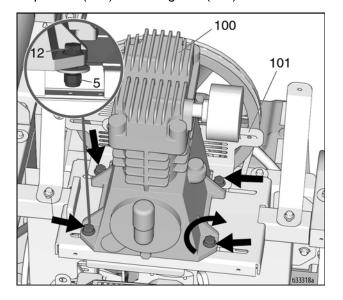
8. Remove old compressor.

## Installation

 Apply high temperature thread sealant to threads of relief valve and screw in relief valve to new air compressor.

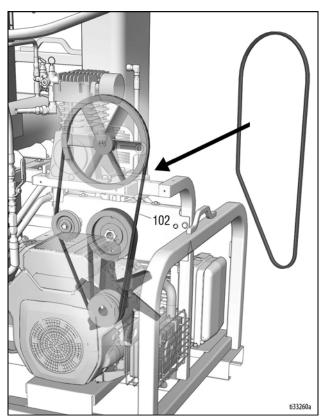


Hand-tighten four bolts (12) and nuts (5) to hold new compressor (100) and belt guard (101) to frame.

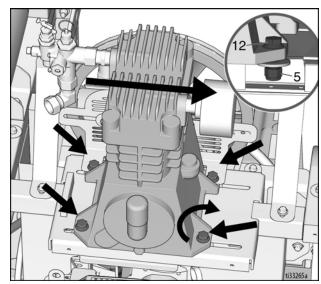


3. Loop compressor belt (102) onto idler pulley, engine pulley, and compressor pulley.

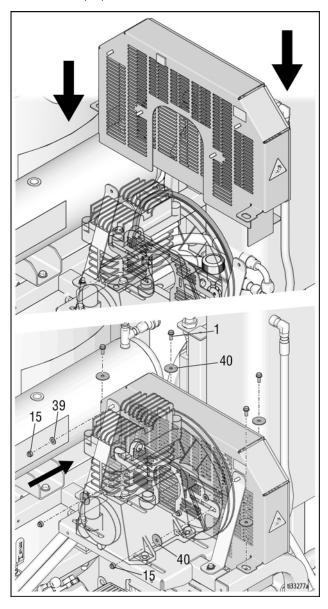
**NOTE:** Make sure belt is in the proper groove and is not twisted.



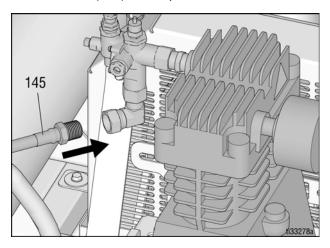
4. Tighten four nuts (5) and bolts (12) so that compressor is level. Before completely tightening the bolts, tension compressor belt (102) by shifting compressor to the right.



- 5. Tighten four nuts (5) and bolts (12) to secure compressor.
- 6. Install top belt guard (108) by tightening four screws (1) and two nuts (15).



7. Install air line (145) to compressor.



# **Engine Replacement**





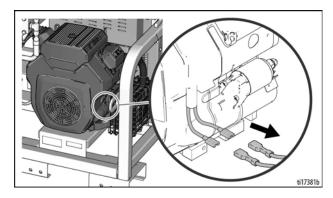




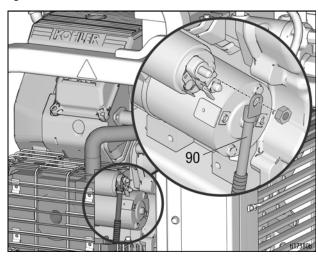


# **Engine Removal**

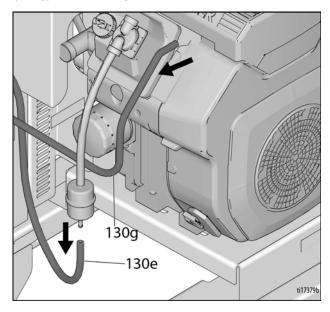
- 1. Perform Pressure Relief Procedure, page 8.
- 2. Disconnect ground terminal of battery, then disconnect the positive terminal.
- 3. Disconnect white and yellow electrical wires located behind muffler.



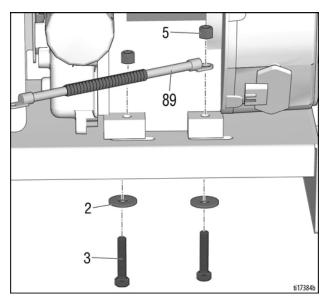
4. Disconnect the positive red wire (90) attached to the engine.



5. Disconnect gas line (130e) and the evaporation line (130g) from the engine.



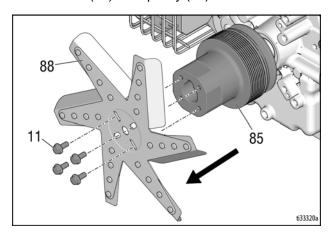
- 6. Remove belts, see Compressor Belt and Hydraulic Pump Belt Replacement, page 11.
- 7. Remove four bolts (3) from the engine [which will also disconnect the ground wire (89)].



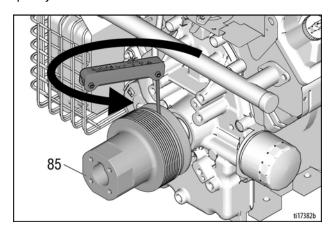
8. Use a lift ring to lift and turn the engine (83) to remove it from the frame. See engine manual for lift locations.

#### **Pulley Removal**

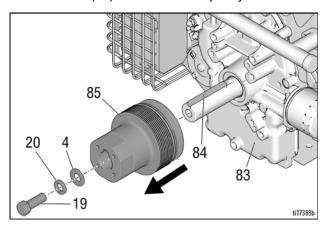
1. Remove fan (88) from pulley (85).



Loosen set screw (21) located on the side of the pulley.



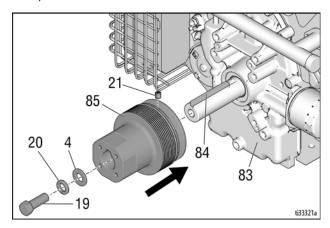
3. Remove bolt (19) in the center of pulley.



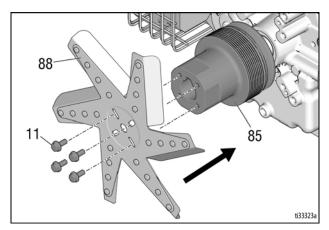
4. Remove pulley (85) from engine.

#### **Pulley Installation**

- 1. Position pulley (85) on new engine.
- 2. Install bolt (19), washer (4), and lock washer (20) in center of pulley. Torque to 125 +/- 10 in-lb (14.1 +/- 1.1 N•m).

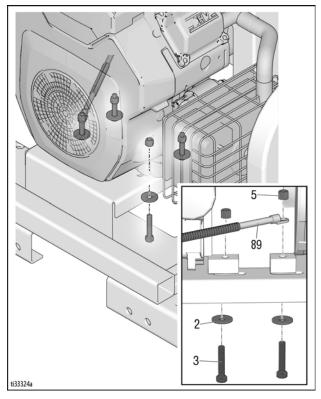


- Tighten set screw (21). Torque to 60 +/- 2 in-lb (25.4 N•m).
- 4. Install fan (88) to pulley (85). Note proper fan orientation. Torque screws (11) to 125 in-lb.

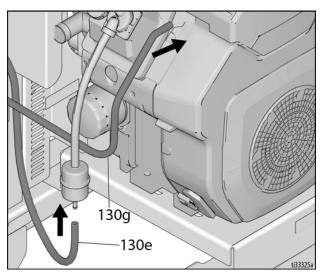


# **Engine Installation**

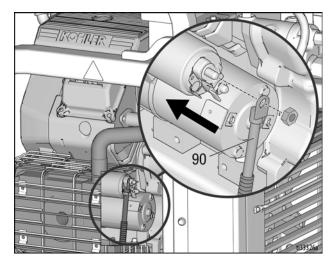
- 1. Use a lift ring to turn the engine and insert it into the frame.
- Connect ground wire (89) and hand-tighten four bolts
   into engine.



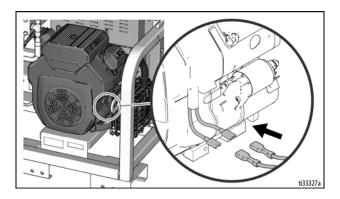
- 3. Replace belts, see Compressor Belt and Hydraulic Pump Belt Replacement, page 11.
- 4. Connect evaporation line (130e) and connect gas line (130g).



5. Connect positive red wire (90) to engine.



Connect yellow and white electrical wires behind muffler.



7. Connect positive terminal of battery, then connect ground terminal.

# **Junction Box Circuit Board Replacement**





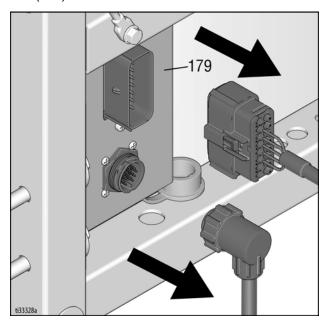




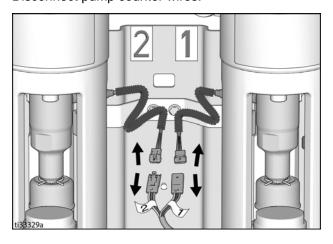


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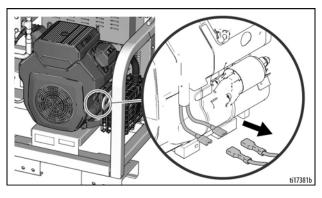
- Disconnect ground terminal of battery and then disconnect positive terminal of battery.
- 2. Remove red and black wires from battery area.
- 3. Unplug control cable and gun arm cable from junction box (179).



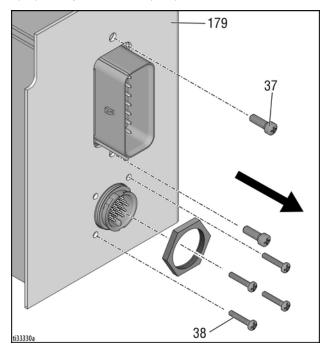
4. Disconnect pump counter wires.



Disconnect white and yellow wires behind engine muffler.



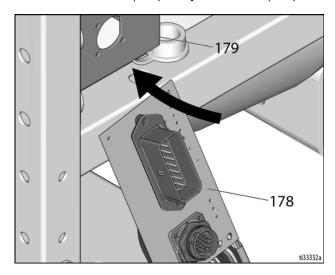
6. Remove four screws (38), two screws, and bushing (37) from junction box (179).



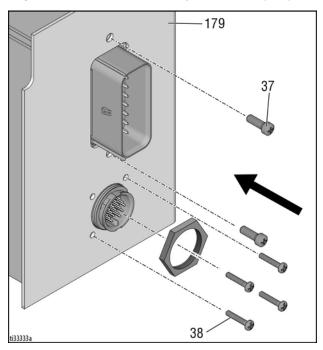
7. Remove circuit board (178) from junction box (179).

## Installation

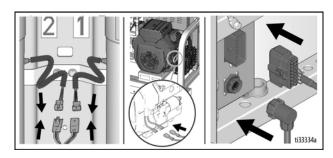
1. Insert circuit board (178) into junction box (179).



2. Replace four screws (38), two screws (37), and bushing, to secure circuit board to junction box (179).



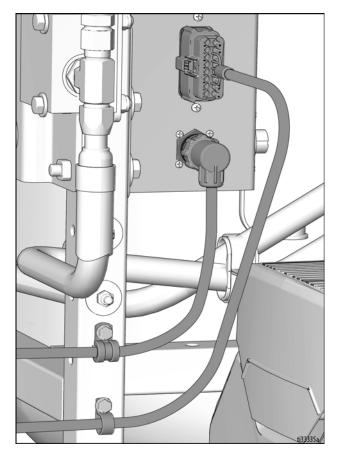
3. Reconnect pump counter wires and engine wires. Plug in control cable and gun arm cable.



#### **NOTICE**

Make sure control cable and gun arm cable have proper strain relief to prevent damage to connections.

4. When all maintenance is finished, reattach battery connections.



# **Troubleshooting**











Before you proceed with Troubleshooting, perform **Pressure Relief Procedure**, page 8.

Check everything in the troubleshooting tables before you disassemble any equipment.

#### **Paint Guns and Bead Guns**

PROBLEM	CAUSE	SOLUTION
Paint guns not spraying	Clogged tips	Clean tips
	Fuse (20A) is blown	Check 20A fuse between engine and solenoid
		air valve connector.
	Gun arm interlock switch	Check to make sure connectors on gun arm
		interlock switch are properly attached. When
		gun arm is in down position, measure 12V across the switch terminals to ensure it is work-
		ing properly. Replace switch if necessary.
	Air compressor and unloader valve	Turn toggle switch at top of unloader (148)
	All compressor and unloader valve	to horizontal. NOTE: Unloader bypasses air when system pressure reaches approximately 115-120 psi (8 bar).
		Turn off bead tank air valve (184) to isolate system.
		If no leaks, check paint gun actuation air lines.
	Paint gun actuation airline	Remove actuation air lines from paint gun.
		Trigger skipline controller.
		3. If air flows from airline, repair paint gun (manual 308613). If air does not flow, check solenoid valves.
	Solenoid valves	Go to diagnostic screen and check to see if all solenoids are being recognized by Road- Pak Skipline Controller (manual 3A5387).
		2. Remove solenoid valve cover (19).
		3. Check for broken wiring or a damaged plug (see <b>Wiring Diagram</b> , page 39).
		Check for 12V DC between red wire and ground.
	Programmable Skipline Controller	Go to diagnostic screen and make sure all switches are properly working (manual 3A5387).
		2. Inspect wiring and plugs for damage.
		3. Replace any damaged wiring or plugs (manual 3A5387).

PROBLEM	CAUSE	SOLUTION
Bead guns not spraying	Paint guns and bead guns	If paint guns and bead guns are not working,
		check paint guns first.
	Bead tank air valve	Turn bead tank valve ON
	Nozzles plugged	Turn off air pressure, see <b>Bead System</b> Pressure Relief, page 9.
		Remove nozzles and clean out any plug- ging.
		3. If paper or other debris is constantly plug- ging nozzles use a filter when loading bead tank (standard window screen works fine).
		With nozzles removed, apply air to bead tank. Spray beads into dry container.
		<ol><li>Check if beads are wet. If beads are wet, remove beads from bead tank and replace with dry beads.</li></ol>
	Solenoid valves	<ol> <li>Go to diagnostic screen and check to see if all solenoids are being recognized by Road- Pak Skipline Controller (manual 3A5387).</li> </ol>
		2. Remove solenoid valve cover (19).
		3. Check for broken wiring or a damaged plug (see <b>Wiring Diagram</b> , page 39).
		Check for 12V DC between red wire and ground.
	Programmable Skipline Controller	Go to diagnostic screen and make sure all switches are properly working (manual 3A5387).
		2. Inspect wiring and plugs for damage.
		3. Replace any damaged wiring or plugs (manual 3A5387).
Actual line length not matching programmed line length	Out of calibration	Follow calibration in Programmable Skipline     Controller manual 3A5387.
		<ol> <li>Spray one or two test skips and measure actual length. If actual length is longer than programmed length, increase Paint Gun ON delay. If actual length is shorter than pro- grammed length, increase Paint Gun OFF delay.</li> </ol>
Actual cycle not matching pro- grammed cycle	Out of calibration	Follow calibration procedure in Programmable Skipline Controller manual 3A5387.

PROBLEM	CAUSE		SOLUTION
Bead guns not synchronizing with paint guns	Out of calibration	1.	Follow calibration in Programmable Skipline Controller manual 3A5387.
		2.	If beads start before paint, add delay time to Bead ON Delay. If paint starts before beads, add equal delay time to both Paint ON and Paint OFF Delays (this does not affect paint skip line length).
			If beads end before paint, add delay time to Bead OFF Delay. If beads end after paint, add equal delay time to both Paint ON, Paint OFF and Bead ON Delays. This shifts everything forward.
Paint guns not turning off immediately or at all	Valve needle	1.	Spray needle with light coat of lubricant. Use air hose or water hose to break up and remove solidified paint.
			Replace needle, seat, and packings Repair Kit 238339).
Gun arm wobbling or hopping	Swivel nut	Gu	in arm wobbles
excessively		1.	Remove dust cap (47).
		2.	Tighten boom arm swivel nut until swivel has slight restriction.
		Gu	ın arm hops
		1.	Lower air pressure in gun arm wheel.
		2.	Replace damaged gas shock (7).
Excessive overspray on gun arm	Paint guns out of position	1.	Angle paint guns back 15° to 20°.
wheel		2.	Coat wheel and gun arm parts with non-stick cooking oil, light oil, silicon, or Auto Mask ZEP to prevent paint from sticking to them.
Pulsation in spray pattern	Low or erratic pressure in paint pump	1.	Check paint supply and suction inlet screens.
		2.	Replace spray tips.
		3.	Check outlet filter.
		4.	Replace packings. Clean and service intake valve and piston valve.

# **Programmable Skipline Controller**

PROBLEM	CAUSE		SOLUTION
Controller not turning on	Fuse, battery, or wiring	1.	Check fuse located next to 12V RoadLazer battery.
		2.	Check battery voltage. Charge or replace if necessary.
		3.	Inspect wiring at battery for corrosion. Inspect control cable for damage.
Controller shutting down or cutting out during striping	Battery or wiring	1.	Check battery voltage. A weak battery can drop voltage low enough to cause intermittent shut down.
		2.	Check wiring.
		3.	Ground control box to vehicle chassis.
System Delay not turning on	System not configured for striping or is shut off	1.	Remove gun arm from stowed position, and start up engine. System delay will not turn on unless you are ready to stripe.
		2.	Go to Quick Setup and set System Delay to ON (manual 3A5387, page 28).
Controller not displaying MPH (KM/H), or readout is erratic	Gun arm sensor or sensor wiring	1.	Check sensor (24) located on gun arm wheel assembly. Set sensor approximately 1/8 in. (3 mm) from target plate.
		2.	Check sensor head for damage. Replace if damaged.
		3.	Check sensor wiring by removing solenoid valve cover (19).
System Delay actual distance not precisely matching programmed distance	Programmed distance needs fine tuning	1.	This is usually true. Get it as close as possible, then spray one additional test line and try to hit the start point.
		2.	Measure difference between start point and where paint guns turn on. If paint guns turn on before start point, add measured difference to current system delay distance. If paint guns turn on after start point, subtract measured dif- ference.

## Air and Bead System

PROBLEM	CAUSE	SOLUTION
Belts squealing during engine startup	Compressor belt needs tightening or replacing	See Compressor Belt and Hydraulic Pump Belt, page 11.
Paint guns not spraying when bead tank is empty	All of air supplied by air compressor is rushing out of bead gun nozzles. Therefore, system air pressure cannot build enough to trigger guns. This is normal.	Fill bead tank with beads or turn off air supply to bead tank.
No system pressure	Compressor bypassing air continuously	Make sure silver switch on top of unloader valve (148) is turned hori- zontally.
		2. Move silver switch on top of unloader valve (148) up and down. This might loosen a sticky valve.
		3. Replace unloader valve (148).
Beads not dispensing properly	Excessive water or moisture in bead tank	Only pressurize reflective materials when dispensing. Small air leaks at gun nozzle or air fittings cause moisture to be pumped continuously into tank.
		2. For areas of extreme humidity an air dryer may be installed between air tank and bead tank regulator. Typically when beads are used continuously, they do not spend enough time in tank to collect enough moisture to be a problem. Continuous stencil painting for long periods of time with little bead consumption and high humidity that can cause problems.

PROBLEM	CAUSE	SOLUTION
Low system pressure	Excessive air leaks	Fix all air leaks before they become a problem. Air leaks can eventually starve system air supply.
		2. Most air leaks occur at bead tank outlet fitting. If fitting leaks air, completely remove it and use thread tape and liquid thread sealant before reinstalling it.
No beads dispensing	Beads have solidified	Never store RoadLazer with reflective materials in tank for long periods of time.
		If bead level is low enough, open bead tank access port on side and use a rod to break apart beads.
		Remove aluminum fitting from bottom of tank. Flush out solidified beads.
		4. Use air hose or water hose to break up and remove solidified beads from tank. Completely dry tank before refilling.

## **Battery**

Battery not staying charged	3-wire connector disconnected from engine regulator-rectifier.	Reconnect *See Kohler manual.
	30A engine fuse has blown.	Replace fuse
		*See Kohler manual.

## **Kohler Engine**

PROBLEM	CAUSE	SOLUTION
Engine not starting	Programmable Skipline Controller is shut off, or engine is out of fuel.	Turn on Programmable Skipline Controller. Engine will not start with control off.
		2. Check fuel supply.
		3. See Kohler engine instruction manual.
	Battery voltage is low.	Charge or replace battery if necessary.
Engine stalling	Engine fuel tank is empty or not	Check fuel supply. Check engine oil level.
	breathing, or engine oil is low.	2. See Kohler engine instruction manual.

## **Paint Pumps**

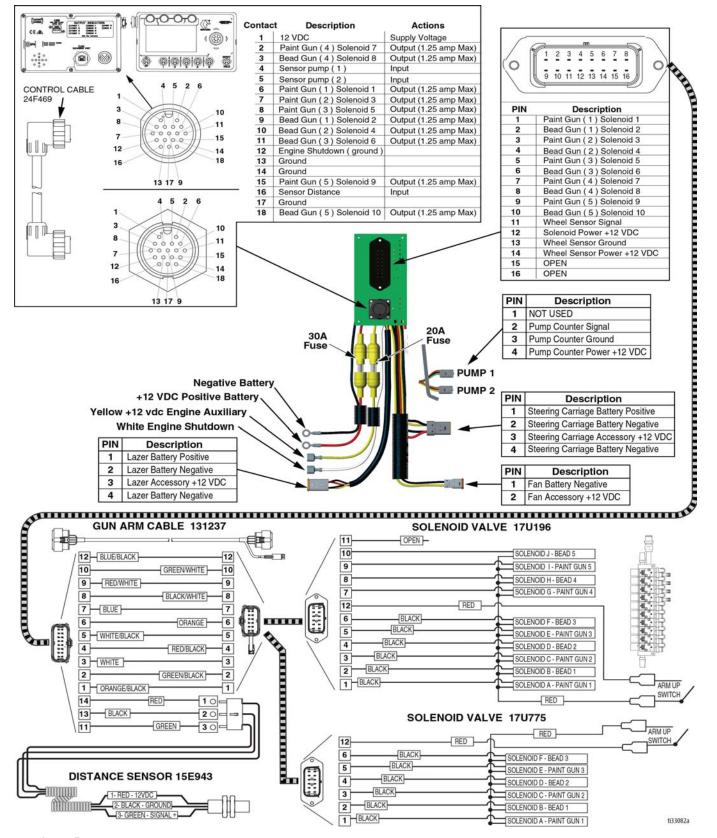
PROBLEM	SOLUTION
Pumps wearing prematurely	Reduce premature pump wear and costly down-time with the following tips:
	Keep piston throat full of TSL.
	If possible, shorten lines to reduce pump back pressure.
	Use Graco strainer at pump inlet to filter out dried paint and debris.
	• Inspect internal suction hoses for paint build-up, which can cause pump starving.
	Replace pump packings seasonally to increase piston and sleeve life.
	Always keep hydraulic reservoir full to reduce heat build-up.
	<ul> <li>Always use ISO 46 synthetic hydraulic oil with a viscosity index (VI) of 154 or greater.</li> </ul>

## **Paint and Paint Manufacturers**

PROBLEM	SOLUTION
Do not know what type of paint to use	When ordering paint from manufacturer:
	<ul> <li>Inform paint suppliers of type of equipment to be used (RoadLazer), filter screen sizes (30 mesh) and tip sizes (33 to 45 thousands)</li> </ul>
	Require that paint must pass through a 30-mesh filter with minimal filter plugging
	Things to know about waterborne paint and striping equipment:
	<ul> <li>Flush waterborne paints from system if system is not used on a regular basis.</li> <li>Waterborne paints do not dilute easily. Use warm soapy water to flush system.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Waterborne paints will not redissolve. Dried paint film in paint containers or paint suction lines must be removed. Graco offers a Suction Line Strainer Kit 24G774 that should be installed at least 2 ft from pump inlet to remove contamination. Strainers must be cleaned regularly to avoid pump starving or cavitation.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Waterborne paints cannot freeze or tolerate temperatures above 120° F (49° C).</li> <li>Consult paint manufacturer.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>With age, waterborne paint pigments settle to bottom of container. Never use set- tled paint without agitating. It is important to order fresh paint. Require paint man- ufacturers to supply manufactured dates and stagger shipments throughout striping season.</li> </ul>

# **Wiring Diagrams**

## Schematics - 24S169, Controller



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