

Dear Grady-White Owner:

Welcome aboard!

Buying and owning a boat is a very special experience. Of all the many products you'll ever own we want your Grady-White experience to be the absolute best. That means providing the descriptions, explanations and technical support that you need to enjoy your Grady-White with confidence and security.

Your Grady-White exceeds all US Coast Guard safety standards and is built to standards certified by the National Marine Manufacturers Association (NMMA). Best of all, your boat is built to Grady-White standards, standards that have served our owners through some truly extraordinary conditions since our first models built in 1959.

The seaworthiness and safety of your Grady-White is highly dependent on the operation, maintenance and care of your boat, so please read this manual thoroughly and keep it around for reference. If you need further explanation or "hands-on" help, don't hesitate to ask the people at your Grady-White dealership; they have experience with the systems and operations of your boat. If for any reason you need additional help, please feel free to call us at the factory. We sincerely want to provide you with the help and information that will make your Grady-White experience delightful.

Thanks for choosing a Grady-White. All of us at the factory and at your dealership are dedicated to earning your confidence in Grady-White Boats. Again, welcome aboard.

Sincerely yours,

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Kris Carroll President Grady-White Boats, Inc.

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Chapter 1: Consumer Information

OWNER'S PACKET

Your Grady-White has many features and accessories that have existing printed material provided by the various equipment manufacturers. This information is compiled in a package that we will reference throughout this manual as an "Owner's Packet." This Owner's Packet includes a Grady-White Owner's Manual and Engine Manual(s) to advise on operation, service, specifications, maintenance, warranty, and other useful facts. While reading your Grady-White manual, you will find other technical literature referenced as resources for detailed information. The Owner's Packet will also consist of operation guides, informative labels, and product warranties you will need to be acquainted with. Your Owner's Packet can also be used to retain instructions and data compiled on additional equipment and accessories installed after delivery.

Sportfish, Cruisers, Yachts Owner's Manual, a book published by the National Marine Manufacturer's Association (NMMA), has been included with your Owner's Packet as a supplement. This publication will be referenced in your Grady-White Owner's Manual to present additional instructions and information on basic boating.

WARRANTY INFORMATION

The Grady-White warranty is located on the next to last page of this manual. **Upon the purchase of your new Grady-White Boat, the dealer will fill out a warranty card.** This card will be kept on file at the dealership and at the Grady-White factory. A copy will be provided for your records and should be kept with other valuable documents for future reference. For questions regarding your warranty please contact your dealership.

DEALER'S RESPONSIBILITIES

Throughout the fabricating and assembly processes, your Grady-White has undergone a series of strict inspections. Subsequent to the final factory overview, your dealer must perform additional pre-delivery checks and approve your Grady-White for delivery.

DEALER RESPONSIBILITIES INCLUDE PROVIDING THE FOLLOWING:

- An orientation of the general operation of your Grady-White.
- A warranty card to be completed and signed by the dealer and the customer. This warranty card is to be sent to Grady-White Boats to validate the warranty.
- An explanation of safety issues regarding the use of containment systems and components.
- A complete Owner's Packet containing literature and information regarding your Grady-White and its separate warranted products' operation, installation, and maintenance instructions.
- A review of all warranties pointing out the importance of mailing warranty and registration to various manufacturers within the required time limits.
- Guidance on acquiring local and out of area service during and out of warranty periods.

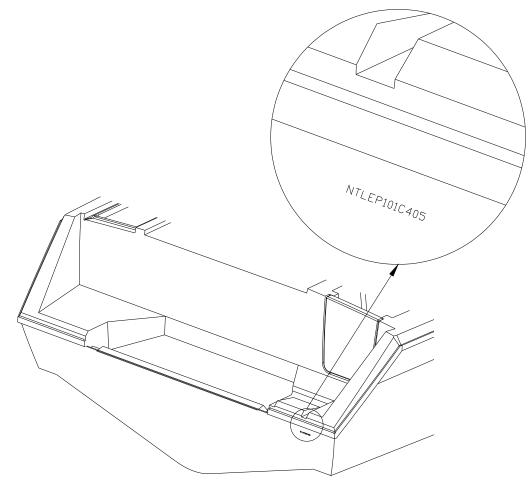
CONSUMER RESPONSIBILITIES

THE FOLLOWING ARE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE GRADY-WHITE OWNER:

- Read and understand the express limited warranty.
- Study in detail all literature and instructions enclosed, and use all equipment in accordance.
- Examine the boat and confirm all systems are working suitably at the time of accepting delivery.
- Render proper maintenance and periodic servicing of the boat in accordance with suggestions in the Owner's Manual.
- Return the boat to the selling dealer for an engine inspection. Refer to the engine's owner's manual for the proper maintenance schedule.

Grady-White Boats has a permanent record of your boat which is retained under its "Hull Identification Number" (HIN). Data regarding equipment and accessories, as well as dealer/shipping information is documented. When contacting your dealer concerning warranties or service, please have all relevant information such as serial numbers (HIN) and model number available. This information is on your copy of the warranty card.

The "Hull Identification Number," located on the starboard side of the transom, is a significant source of identification and must be noted in all correspondence and orders. Failure to include the HIN only creates delay.



HAZARD WARNING LABELS

The hazard warning labels shown below are applied throughout this manual to alert the customer of potentially dangerous situations that can lead to death, personal injury, and/or product damage. We urge you to observe these warnings and comply with all safety recommendations.

A N G E R

This symbol alerts you to imminently hazardous situations which WILL cause severe personal injury or death if the warning is ignored.

🕂 WARNING

This symbol alerts you to potentially hazardous situations or unsafe practices that COULD result in severe personal injury or death if the warning is ignored.

This symbol alerts you to potentially hazardous situations that MAY result in minor personal injury or cause product or property damage if the warning is ignored.

ΝΟΤΙΟΕ

This symbol calls attention to installation, operation, or maintenance information which is important for proper operation, but is not hazard related.

Chapter 2: Safety

MINIMUM REQUIRED SAFETY EQUIPMENT

The US Coast Guard (USCG) requires that every boat have specific equipment on board. Check with local regulations on mandatory equipment apart from the list of Coast Guard requirements. See *Sportfish, Cruisers, Yachts Owner's Manual,* page 23, for details on the following minimum required safety equipment.

• Fire Extinguisher

Boats should be equipped with a marine approved fire extinguisher.

• Personal Flotation

All passengers must have an USCG approved personal flotation device (PFD).

Children and non-swimmers are advised to wear a PFD at all times.

• Sound Signaling Device (Horn, Bell Or Whistle)

Your Grady-White is equipped with a horn that meets USCG requirements.

• Visual Distress Signals

USCG approved visual distress signals are required on U. S. waters. See page 42 of the pamphlet *Sportfish, Cruisers, Yachts Owner's Manual* enclosed with this manual for more information.

• Lighting

Grady-White boats are equipped with navigational lights that meet requirements for recreational vessels for inland and international waters.

Additional Recommended Equipment

In addition to the required safety equipment, there are additional items that will provide an extra margin of safety and convenience for you and your passengers while boating. For an extended list of basic gear, tools and spare parts, reference page 24 of the pamphlet *Sportfish*, *Cruisers, Yachts Owner's Manual* enclosed with this manual.

Keep tools and spare parts in good condition. Replace parts removed from the spare parts kit. Most importantly, use US Coast Guard approved or marine certified parts where applicable. Conditions found requiring corrective action should be worked on by a qualified repairman.

REGISTRATION NUMBERS

Federal and State laws require a powerboat to be registered in the State where it is primarily used. Registration numbers and validation stickers must be displayed according to regulations. The registration certificate must be on board when boating. The boat serial number or Hull Identification Number (HIN, *page 1–2*) is required on the registration form. The HIN is located on the upper right hand corner of the transom, and is the most important identifying factor. The HIN should be included in all documents and correspondence to provide you timely service.

EMERGENCY STOP SWITCH

All Grady-Whites are equipped with an emergency stop switch. This is a safety feature that if used properly will shut the engine(s) down if the operator leaves or falls from the helm position. The ignition shutdown system includes a shut-off switch, switch clip, lanyard and lanyard clip. The lanyard clip is attached to the operator. If a situation arises where the boat should stop, a pull on the cord to release the clip from the shut-off switch will shut down the engine(s). To reset the emergency stop switch, simply reinstall the switch clip. The decision to use the emergency stop switch rests with the owner/operator. See page 82 in *Sportfish, Cruisers, Yachts Owner's Manual*.

EMERGENCY INFORMATION

While boating, unpleasant situations may develop. You should prepare yourself on how to cope with them whether they happen aboard your vessel or someone else's. Anticipate and plan for specific situations such as fire, man overboard, collision, etc. to give you the confidence and ability necessary to handle an emergency. The key is to remain calm. For emergency procedures, see Section 4 in *Sportfish, Cruisers, Yachts Owner's Manual*.

• Rendering Assistance

The owner or operator of a vessel is required by law to render all practical or necessary assistance to any person or vessel affected by collision, accident or casualty. **However, you are not required to endanger your vessel or passengers to render assistance.**

Accident Reporting

Report all boating accidents to your local authorities. Federal regulations require boat operators involved in an accident to submit a written report within 48 hours. **In the event of death or disappearance, notification is required immediately** by phone or radio in addition to the written report. These reports can be submitted to the State Boating Law Administrator. Forms can be obtained through the USCG, local harbor patrol offices, sheriff, and police stations.

• Lightning Precautions

This awareness is included to ensure the safety of the owner and passengers. Always be mindful of the weather! When a lightning storm advances, certain safety precautions should be taken. Dock the boat and seek shelter on land. If this is not possible, seek refuge inside the boat until the storm has passed. **Stay out of the water!** Lightning will seek a ground when it strikes and may pass through metal components if it hits your boat. For this reason, avoid contact with metal parts of the boat under these conditions.

BOATING SAFETY TIPS

Safety is an important aspect of boating. Your safety as well as the safety of your passengers and vessel is your responsibility. The following precautions and the ones mentioned in section 1 of *Sportfish, Cruisers, Yachts Owner's Manual* will add to you and your passengers' boating safety and pleasure.

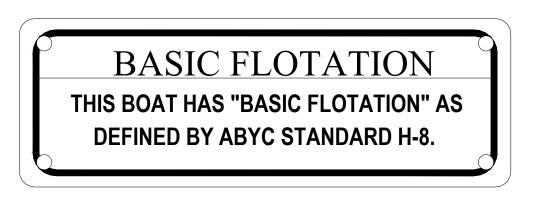
- Before operating your Grady-White **read and study all operation and maintenance manuals**. It is important that you fully understand how to use your boat. Contact your Grady-White dealer for questions. Proper use and service will insure quality performance and longevity of your boat.
- A written float plan left with a **responsible** person can serve as valuable information should you not return as scheduled. Upon returning, your primary responsibility is to notify the person of your return.
- Never operate or allow anyone to operate your boat while under the influence of drugs or alcohol.
- Individuals under the age of 16 should not be allowed to operate your boat. Inexperienced drivers should have constant and direct supervision.
- Instruct at least one passenger on the fundamentals of basic boating and safe operation in the event of an emergency.
- While boating, passengers should be settled in a safe position. Use hand holds and rails for steadiness. Do not allow bow, transom or gunwale riding. The captain is ultimately responsible for their passenger's safety.
- Keep your boat speed under control. Respect for other boaters and those on shore are common courtesies. The boat's operator is responsible for injury or damage caused by the boat or the wake. Your wake could swamp a smaller craft and endanger its passengers. Stay alert for posted "No Wake Zones".
- Become familiar with the handling personality and limitations of your boat.
- Never allow swimmers/skiers to enter or exit the boat with engine(s) running. A shift lever in neutral could become engaged accidentally. Also, exhaust fumes from the outboard engine(s) contain carbon monoxide gas. These fumes may concentrate in this area. *See more information on "Carbon Monoxide" on page 2–5*
- Obtain information and a chart for new areas when possible.
- Clean water and air are responsibilities for all persons. Use litter containers on board and dispose of refuse properly. See *"Pollution Regulations" on page 3–2.*
- Know and obey the "Rules of the Road". See *Sportfish, Cruisers, Yachts Owner's Manual,* beginning on page 25, for a better understanding of right of ways, signals and waterway markers.

CERTIFICATION



This label means your Grady-White is certified by the National Marine Manufacturers Association (NMMA). With this tag, you are assured the fuel system, electrical system, navigation lighting, ventilation, steering and other design elements are not only in compliance with the US Coast Guard regulations, but also meet the more stringent standards of the NMMA. The NMMA is a national trade organization serving all elements of the recreational boating industry including manufacturers of boating equipment. With this tag, you can have confidence in the safety of your boat.

This label means that Grady-White has designed and built your boat to the ABYC standard H-8, buoyancy in the event of swamping. Basic flotation is defined as having enough foam in the boat to create buoyancy and prevent sinking under swamped conditions.



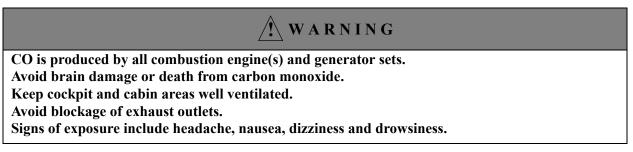
LOADING CAPACITY

Though overloading is a primary cause of many boating accidents, improper loading is equally hazardous. Boaters should know the amount of weight on board and evenly **distribute** the weight within the boat.

At the helm station you will find a NMMA Yacht Certification tag. This means your yacht complies with the Coast Guard safety standards. (NOTE: Any boat with an overall length of 26 feet or greater is defined as a "yacht" by NMMA.



CARBON MONOXIDE



Carbon Monoxide, commonly written CO, is a colorless, odorless gas emitted from any boat's exhaust. The gas is similar in weight to the air we breathe. Therefore, it cannot be expected to rise or fall, but will accumulate in confined spaces.

SAFETY

Carbon monoxide is **poisonous**, and potentially **fatal** if breathed over an extended period of time. Symptoms of CO poisoning include dizziness, nausea, headache, sleepiness, vomiting, throbbing in the temples, muscular twitching, and an inability to think clearly. If you or anyone else experience these symptoms, immediately get away from fumes and into an area where plenty of fresh air can be consumed. If any symptoms from above persist, seek medical attention.

Carbon monoxide can accumulate in cabins and under canvas. If your boat is equipped with a canvas that encloses the aft cockpit and propulsion equipment, do not operate the boat with this canvas closed.

Outboard engine exhaust fumes contain carbon monoxide. These fumes may concentrate at the motorwell area. Do not board your vessel with the engine(s) running. Also, do not occupy the motorwell area with the engine(s) running.

Operators need to be aware of the influence of other boats on their vessel as well as the effects they have on neighboring crafts. Of primary concern is the operation of an auxiliary generator with boats moored along side each other. This situation creates an atmosphere which is filled with CO, and extremely dangerous.

If your CO monitor alarm sounds, indicating CO is present, immediately remove yourself from the area and go to a location with fresh air. Shut off sources of CO such as engines and generators and open doors and windows to ventilate the affected area if possible. If you or anyone aboard your vessel experiences persistent symptoms of CO poisoning seek medical attention right away.

WARNING .

BE AWARE of the significance your exhaust may have on other vessels. Likewise, **BE AWARE** that the operation of other vessel's equipment may influence the carbon monoxide concentration on YOUR vessel.

WARNING

Exhaust fumes from engine(s) contain (CO). Boats with canvas deployed are more likely to collect exhaust fumes. Avoid brain damage or death from (CO). Keep cockpit and cabin areas well ventilated. Signs of exposure include headache, nausea, dizziness and drowsiness.

SUGGESTED BOATING CLASSES AND READING MATERIAL

Like a car, boats must be operated according to safety rules and traffic regulations. Although we include some basic boating tips in this manual, a thorough review of the safety rules and regulations for boating is beyond the scope of this text.

We support the work of the United States Coast Guard Auxiliary and the United States Power Squadrons. We urge you to attend any instructional classes sponsored by these organizations. Reference page 10 of *Sportfish, Cruisers, Yachts Owner's Manual* for training options, and page 28 for information on charts and maps. For further knowledge on boating, we advise that you review the following publications:

• Piloting, Seamanship And Small Boat Handling

(Chapman)*

Boatman's Handbook

Tom Bottomly

• Sorensen's Guide To Powerboats

Eric Sorensen

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON BOATING SAFETY COURSES IN YOUR AREA CALL:

- US Coast Guard Boating Hotline1-800-368-5647
- Contact Your Local Coast Guard

Chapter 3: General Information

FUELING

WARNING

Safety during fueling requires CAUTION and COMMON SENSE.

Please study the following precautions carefully. Consult your dealer if you have any questions. Prior to your initial fill-up, check your engine manual to confirm the type of fuel and octane rating specified by the manufacturer. Tanks should be filled when the boat is not in use to reduce the accumulation of moisture and condensation. Add stabilizer to fuel that won't be used in 60-90 days.

Fuel containing up to a 10% ethanol blend (E10) is acceptable for use in your boat. Do **not** use alcohol blended fuel that has greater than 10% ethanol such as E15 or E85. These concentrations may be harmful to fuel system components and outboard engines. Other considerations related to Ethanol fuel blends:

- •Avoid mixing E10 with fuels that contain MTBE, an additive to gasoline in some fuel blends that oxygenates the fuel to reduce emissions.
- Use a 10 micron fuel filter to capture particulate contaminants that may be loosened from the fuel system due to the solvent nature of alcohol blended fuels.
- Carry spare fuel filters with a 10 micron rating on your boat for emergency replacement if required.

Before Fueling:

- •Shut down all engines.
- •Turn battery select switch(es) to "off" to insure that all fans, lights, etc. are off.
- •Close all ports, hatches, windows and engine compartments to prevent fumes from accumulating in closed areas.
- •Extinguish cigarettes and all other lighted materials.
- •Have a fire extinguisher near.

During Fueling:

- •Observe all safety regulations for the safe handling of fuel.
- •Keep the fuel supply nozzle in contact with the fuel fill opening to prevent any static sparks.

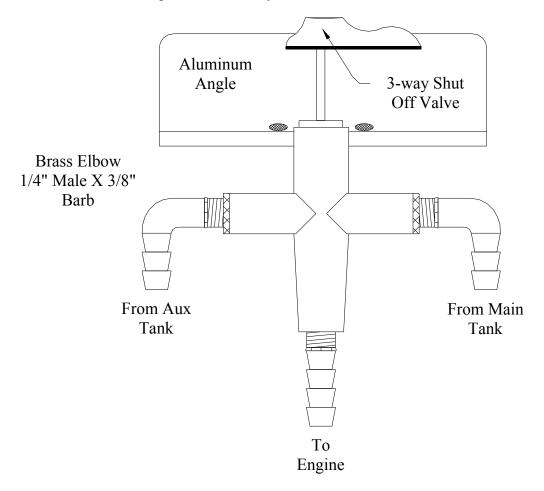
After Fueling:

- •Tighten the fuel cap until the audible clicking indicates it is secure. Check fuel hoses, connections, and tanks for leaks or deterioration. Wash and clean up any spilled fuel. Dispose of clean up rags or sponges on shore. Do not store these clean up rags in the boat.
- •After fueling ventilate all ports, windows, hatches and other closed areas. Conduct a "sniff test" to make certain all fumes are vacant before using the battery select switch(es).

See warnings and check list in Section 6, page 46 of the Sportfish, Cruisers, and Yachts Owner's Manual. Reference *"Fuel Tank Compartment" on page 6–8* for more information on cleaning the fuel tank compartment.

FUEL SELECT VALVE

If your boat is equipped with dual fuel tanks, you will have a manual fuel select valve installed. This valve allows you to choose from which tank fuel will be consumed. Remember, as the fuel is consumed and the fuel load redistributes, the performance will be influenced. Select the tank that allows the best performance for your boat.



ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

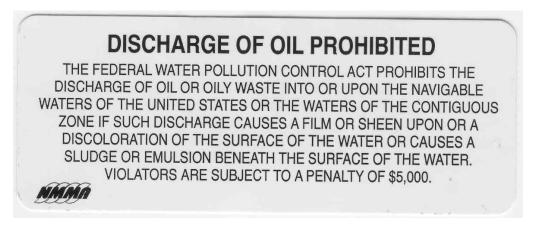
All Grady-White boats meet the Environmental Protection Agency standards in effect at the time of manufacture. All boats have the EPA label incorporated within their NMMA certification label.

POLLUTION REGULATIONS

The U.S. Coast Guard defines restrictions on the discharge of oil or hazardous substances and plastics or garbage in the "Federal Requirements for Boating and Boating Safety". You should have received this pamphlet when you registered your boat. Detailed below is a summary of those regulations. You should read the pamphlet and become familiar with any local restrictions where you operate your vessel. Passengers or crew members aboard your boat should also be notified of these regulations.

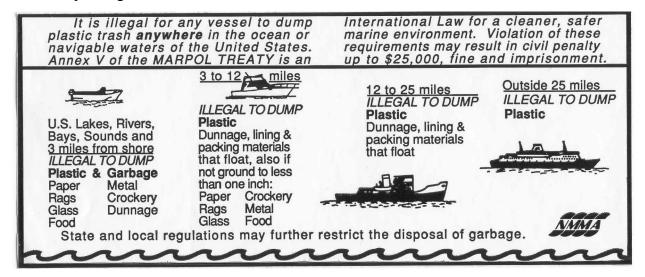
Discharge of Oil or Hazardous Substances

The Federal Water Pollution Control Act prohibits the discharge of oil or hazardous substances, which may be harmful, into or upon U.S. navigable waters. Vessels 26 feet (7.9m) in length or over must display a placard at least 5" x 8" (12.7cm x 20.3cm) with the text shown below. If your boat is 26 feet or greater in length, an adhesive backed label that meets these requirements is provided in your owner's packet. It is your responsibility to display this placard on the vessel in a conspicuous place in the machinery space or at the bilge pump control.



Disposal of Plastics or Garbage

The MARPOL ANNEX V is the Act to prevent pollution from ships and other vessels. Federal regulations prohibit the discharge of plastic garbage anywhere in the marine environment. Plastic includes, but is not limited to: synthetic fishing nets, ropes, lines, straws, six pack holders, styrofoam cups and lids, bottles, buckets and plastic bags. These regulations also restrict the disposal of other types of garbage within specified boundaries from shore. Any vessel 26 feet (7.9m) and over must display the placard below or a similar version at least 4" x 9" (10.2cm x 22.9cm) which details the regulations. If your boat is 26 feet or greater in length, an adhesive backed label that meets these requirements is provided in your owner's packet. It is your responsibility to display this placard on the vessel in a prominent location readily accessible to crew and passengers.



TRAILERING

The adjustment and balance of your boat on the trailer determines how easily your boat may be transported. The tongue weight on the hitch ball should be 5-10% of the total weight of your boat, motor and trailer. Tail-heavy loads cause swaying while trailering. The rollers and/or bunkers of your trailer should be adjusted so that the weight is distributed evenly across the stern and forward throughout the keel sections. Your dealer can help adjust your trailer properly.

Practice maneuvering the trailer; the trailer always backs in the opposite direction of the vehicle. To maneuver the trailer, turn the steering wheel in the direction you want the trailer to go. Familiarize yourself with this manual and all aspects of your boat prior to initial launch. At the launch site, go through a pre-launch checklist. The list should be suited to your specific needs.

Trailering and relative information can be found on page 105 in Sportfish, Cruisers, Yachts Owner's Manual.

PREDEPARTURE

See the checklist on page 44 in Sportfish, Cruisers, Yachts Owner's Manual before starting out.

CASTING OFF AND APPROACHING THE DOCK

Unlike an automobile, the stern of your boat reacts first when turning. A turn to the right will swing the stern to the left and vice-versa. Remember that turning your boat away from an object, such as a dock, will tend to swing the stern toward that object. Reference procedures for casting off and approaching the dock starting on page 51 of *Sportfish, Cruisers, Yachts Owner's Manual*.

ANCHORING

Some factors that determine the size and type of anchor most suitable for your boat include the size of your boat and the type of lake, sea or river bottom in your boating area. *Sportfish, Cruisers, Yachts Owner's Manual* has a list of tips concerning anchoring starting on page 56.

ΝΟΤΙΟΕ

It is illegal to tie your boat to navigational aids such as buoys and markers.

WARNING

Never anchor off the stern of the boat especially in strong winds or currents. The weight of the stern and flat surface to the seas can easily cause water to enter over the transom and swamp the boat.

TOWING

In the event of a mishap or power loss you may need to tow a boat or be towed. You should not tow a boat larger than your own. Always use safety and good judgement when towing. Never tow a boat if you are not equipped with the proper lines. Passengers should never grasp a towline. It should be secured to the boat. See page 39 in *Sportfish, Cruisers, Yachts Owner's Manual*.

Before towing a boat, make a bridle and tie it securely to the pad eyes on the transom with enough slack to clear the engines. Pad the line wherever it comes into contact with the boat to prevent chafing. Attach a tow line to the bridle so that it can slide from side to side to prevent too much pressure on a single pad eye. The tow line should then be attached to the bow eye or to a bridle on the towed boat. The tow line should be a minimum of twice the length of the towing boat, the longer the better. Do not try to run in too close when passing the towline to the other boat. Send either a light line or attach the towline to a life preserver to be pulled in. Be aware of the other boat's propeller.

The towed boat should always have someone at the wheel since the boat may swing off course. Start the tow off slowly; a steady pull at a moderate speed should be used. It is important to keep the slack out of the propeller area. Watch the action of the towing boat. If excessive slack develops in the towline and contact is obvious, turn in either direction to avoid hitting the stern.

🕂 WARNING

As a precaution, passengers on both boats should stay clear of the towline; lines under stress could snap and fly in either direction causing injury.

SHALLOW WATER

Most boats that become grounded can be floated off with engine(s) tilted to reduce the draft at the transom. With motors tilted, try rocking the boat from side to side to break the suction of mud from the keel. Move passengers or heavy objects from the point where the boat is grounded. Do not lower or start the engine(s) until the boat is clear of the ground. Refer to page 63 in *Sportfish*, *Cruisers, and Yachts Owner's Manual*.

Do not lower or start engines if the propeller is in mud or sand. Wait until the boat is refloated to avoid damage to the cooling system of your engine.

Be mindful of water level fluctuations when boating in water with tidal changes. If you are grounded on an incoming tide, you can wait until the tide is high enough to refloat your boat. However, on an outgoing tide, quick action should be taken to refloat your boat. If this is not possible, set an anchor to keep the boat from becoming driven further aground. Set the anchor to counter the action of the wind or current. The anchor, in some cases, can also be used to pull the boat free.

Many inland areas have rocks and stumps which could crack or puncture a fiberglass hull. Be familiar with the boating area, and use caution in shallow water.

GENERAL INFORMATION

GENERAL INFORMATION ON BOAT HANDLING

The best method of learning how to handle and obtain the best performance from your boat is to practice and experiment. After several hours of operation, you should experiment with the throttle settings to discover the setting that will be the most comfortable and economical range for your particular load conditions.

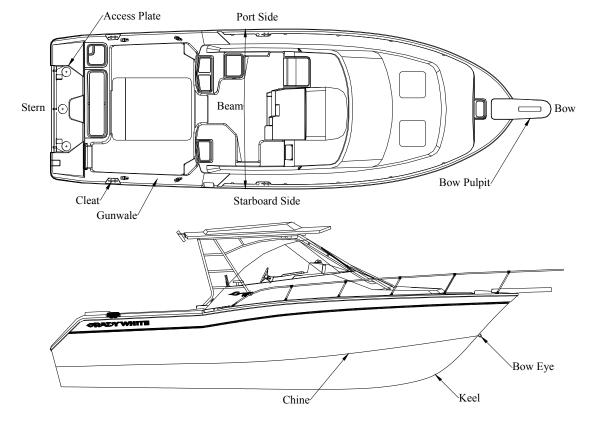
We suggest that you make a speed and RPM chart to obtain the most economical operation. Operate the boat at various speeds and check the fuel consumption. Compute the amount of operating time remaining when the fuel gauge has only one bar remaining on the display. Make a log of this type of information and have it available when using your boat. Other statistics you may want to determine could include the following:

- Minimum speed for effective steering.
- Turning radius at different speeds.
- Response to steering at low speeds.
- Accelerating and deceleration rates.
- Time and distance to bring the boat to a stop at different speeds.
- Control of the boat in close quarters.
- Time required to bring the boat on plane.

Also read the section in *Sportfish, Cruisers, Yachts Owner's Manual* beginning on page 59 for information on safe operating speed.

TWIN AND TRIPLE ENGINE BOATS

Twin and triple engine boats are easier to maneuver than single engine crafts. However, they still require practice to ensure comfortable operation. The boat will run ahead or backward in a straight line when multiple engines are working together at the same speed. The engines also can be used to steer to port as well as starboard. Moving ahead on one engine will cause the bow to swing away from the running engine side and to move forward at the same time. Backing up with one engine will cause the bow to swing toward the running engine side and the boat to move backward. With twin engines, running one engine ahead and one engine astern will cause the boat to turn end-for-end in little more than its own length and running multiple engines in the same direction at different speeds will cause the boat to move in the direction dictated by the faster engine but its influence will be modified by the slower engine.



Commonly Used Nautical Terms

Abeam - a line perpendicular to a boat's keel Access Plate - a removable, watertight cover that provides quick entry to enclosed areas for maintenance or visual inspection Aft - toward the rear or stern of the boat **Beam** - the greatest width of the boat **Bilge** - the lower interior area of the hull Bow - the forward section of the boat **Bow Eve** - a U-shaped hull fitting used to attach the trailer winch to the boat Bulkhead - vertical partition in the boat Chine - point where the topside and bottom of the boat ioin Cleat - deck fitting with arms or horns on which lines are fastened **Deck** - upper structure which covers the hull **Draft** - depth of water required to float a boat Fathom - a depth measurement equal to six feet Freeboard - distance measure between waterline and deck Gunwale (Gunnel) - point where the deck and hull join Hatch - an opening in the deck to provide access boat below

Headroom - vertical distance between the floor and over head structure or canopy ceiling Hull - major component that provides a watertight platform buoyant enough to float a craft and its load Keel - the major longitudinal member of a hull -the lowest external portion of the boat Knot - a measurement of speed equal to nautical miles per hour Lee - the side that is sheltered from the wind List - a tilt or lean to one side **Port** - a term designating the left side of the boat when facing forward Scupper - holes permitting water to drain overboard from deck and cockpit Sheer - curve or sweep of the deck as viewed from the side Starboard - a term designating the right side of the boat when facing forward Stern - rear of the boat Stringer - longitudinal members fastened inside the hull to add rigidity and strength Wake - the movement of water created by a moving Windward - side facing the direction of the wind (against the wind)

Chapter 4: Performance

PERFORMANCE FACTORS

Maximum performance is dependent on many factors and cannot be guaranteed. These factors will vary with changing conditions. Some of these factors are listed below. Reference the trouble-shooting guide on page 75 in *Sportfish, Cruisers, Yachts Owner's Manual* for additional suggestions on adjusting performance.

Engine Efficiency

Engines operate most efficiently when they are properly tuned, and the props are in good condition. Efficiency will decrease if normal care and maintenance are not performed. Neglecting the engines will cause power to drop and speed to decrease. In addition, expensive repairs may become necessary. Be sure to follow all instructions in the engine operation manual(s).

Weather Conditions

Weather conditions sway engine performance. Barometric pressure and humidity affect horsepower. A change of weather could amount to a 10% loss in horsepower on some hot days.

Load Distribution

A decrease in performance will be noted when gear, equipment, passengers, and fuel are added. This extra load will affect the performance of your boat according to the distribution of the weight. Another type of extra load that could affect performance is the accumulation of water in the bilge. Keep the bilge dry to eliminate this type problem.

Marine Growth

Maximum performance is obtained only when your hull bottom is clean. Marine growth on the bottom of the boat will increase resistance and decrease speed. These conditions will also increase fuel consumption. Reference "*Cleaning*" on page 6-1 for more information on cleaning your hull bottom.

Trim

The outboard engine(s) are equipped with power tilt and trim mechanisms. The purpose of power tilt is to raise the engine(s) for launching, loading or trailering. Power trim may be used to adjust the boat's planing performance and running attitude. See power trim, page 62 and 83, in *Sportfish, Cruisers, Yachts Owner's Manual*.

Trim refers both to the weight distributions inside the boat and to the angle of thrust of the engine. The angle of thrust of the engine forces the bow up or down. The trim tabs on your boat also control the trim of the boat, similar to the power trim. Refer to the Trim Tabs section in Chapter 8 for additional information.

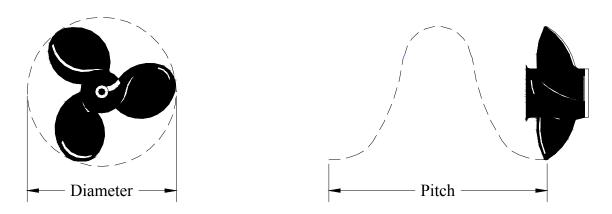
PERFORMANCE

Propeller

The condition of your prop has a major influence on the performance of your boat. Your engine(s) should be equipped with the best size prop for normal conditions. Unusual uses or weight conditions may require special props. A damaged prop can affect your boat's top speed, cause vibrations, create a sudden drop in RPMs or even increase fuel consumption.



Stay within the engine manufacturer's maximum and minimum RPM ranges when replacing props. This information is located in your engine manual.



Diameter and pitch are the two basic dimensions of a propeller. Diameter is the distance across the circle made by the blade tips as the propeller rotates. Pitch is the theoretical (not accounting for slippage) forward distance the propeller would move in one revolution. An example of a propeller dimension would be 14 X 17 for a propeller having a diameter of 14" (35.6cm) and a pitch of 17" (43.8cm).

PROPULSION SYSTEM – OUTBOARD

The engine manufacturer supplies all vital information concerning your engine(s) in the Operation and Maintenance Manual(s). Details of important engine functions such as the lubrication system, cooling system, and alarm/monitoring system are outlined in these manuals. Your familiarization with this engine reference material will result in the proper usage and service essential for safe and enduring engine performance. These manuals are included with the Owner's Packet.

DANGER

Do not inhale exhaust fumes! Exhaust contains carbon monoxide — a dangerous gas which is potentially lethal.

WARNING

Do not attempt to service any engine or drive component without being totally familiar with the safe and proper service procedures. Certain moving parts are exposed and can be dangerous.

Do not paint the outboard motors with anti-fouling paints designed for boat hulls. Many of these paints can cause severe damage to the engines.

ENGINE WARRANTY

A warranty registration card is included with all engine manuals. It should be completed and returned to the engine manufacturer as soon as possible.

STEERING

Most outboard engines are equipped with an adjustable rudder trim tab. This trim tab should be adjusted to balance the steering at the speed which you travel most frequently. Variations in speed, boat load or engine trim will cause the steering to pull in one direction. If the boat pulls to the left, adjust the trim tab to the left and vice-versa.

Mechanical Steering

Grady-White boats that use mechanical steering are equipped with No Feedback Mechanical Steering. No feedback steering provides easier steering and increased control by offsetting the engine(s) torque.

The mechanical steering system is designed to require a minimum amount of maintenance. However, you should periodically inspect the steering system (especially the control heads, cable ends, and attachments) for wear, rust, or corrosion and lubricate the parts when needed. If you notice a change in the "feel" of the system such as binding, looseness, noise, or sticking, immediately have a qualified marine technician perform a thorough check.

The push rod at the end of the cable is vulnerable to corroding if it is not greased routinely. When the boat is not in use, the motor should be turned so the push rod is not exposed to the elements. If you operate in salt water areas, lubrication is extremely important, and you should make frequent inspections for corrosion.

• Hydraulic Steering

Hydraulic steering systems require regular preventative maintenance for continued safe and reliable operation. The oil level in the helm pump must be maintained within acceptable operating levels. A low oil level will allow air to get into the steering system and result in unresponsive steering. The oil level should always be within 1/2 inch (1.3cm) from the base of the fill hole, located on the front top portion of the helm pump. Check the entire steering system regularly for oil leaks. Unobserved leaks over a period of time will result in unresponsive steering and possibly loss of steering. Refer to the steering manual for specific recommendations and additional maintenance requirements. Any slow or sudden change in the "feel" of your steering system indicates an immediate need for a thorough inspection. All repairs and replacements to steering systems should be made only by a qualified marine technician.

• Tilt Steering

If tilt steering is available on your model, this accessory will be in conjunction with either mechanical steering or hydraulic steering depending on the model. This feature enables the operator to tilt the wheel up or down. Refer to the steering system's manual for information on oil levels with hydraulic tilt steering.

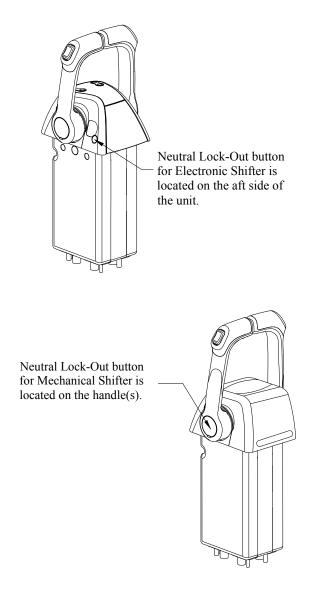
THROTTLE/SHIFT CONTROLS

The throttle/shift controls located at the helm station control the flow of fuel to the engine. They also act as gear shift levers to control the forward and reverse thrust of the propellers.

The middle position of the throttle control is the neutral position. Move the control forward to engage the shifting mechanism which creates a forward thrust of the propeller. Advance the forward movement to increase the fuel flow to the engine and boost the forward lunge.

Move the control lever aft of the neutral position to reverse the shift mechanism and create a reverse thrust of the propeller. Increase the aft movement to increase the reverse thrust. Remember that propellers are designed for maximum forward thrust; so, reverse thrust will not be as efficient.

All controls have a neutral safety mechanism. This mechanism will not allow the engine to start when the control is in gear. You may use the neutral lock out feature on the control handle to increase the flow of fuel to the engine while remaining in the neutral position.

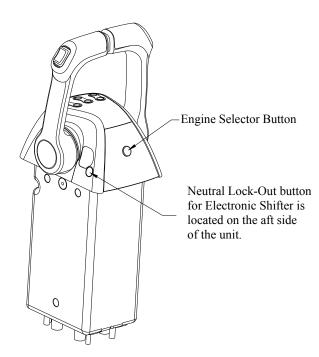


Reverse the shift mechanism to stop a boat that is moving forward. This change in direction will provide a "braking action" and slow the boat.

CAUTION

The braking action causes a wake which may wash over the transom and flood the boat if the vessel is moving too fast. Allow engine RPMs to decrease before shifting into reverse. Also, under certain conditions, not allowing the RPM's to reduce before shifting to reverse may cause the engine(s) to shut down.

Boats with three outboard engines are equipped with a Yamaha triple electronic control system. This system uses a dual lever control unit at the helm that simplifies the operation of three engines into two handles. In normal operation the center engine will follow the port lever for shift and throttle. Other modes can be obtained by using the engine selector button on the back of the control.



Chapter 5: Instrumentation and Switches

YAMAHA INSTRUMENTATION PANEL

Grady-White installs full Yamaha Command Link or Command Link Plus instrumentation on all boats. The instruments are powered by the ignition key(s) and will operate when the ignition switch(es) is in the "on" position.

YAMAHA COMMAND LINK PLUS DISPLAY

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This Yamaha display provides engine and boat information listed below. The display of these functions and other graphics may be customized. Please see the Yamaha owner's manual for detailed instructions on customizing.

• Fuel Level

This feature indicates the gas tank(s) fuel level. Remember two things when reading this gauge:

- The accuracy of your gauge varies with the attitude of your boat in the water (trim or list).
- The fuel pickup tube inside the gas tank is not capable of withdrawing all of the fuel from the tank.

For these reasons, never operate your boat at extremely low fuel levels.

• Fuel Economy

This feature indicates the engine's fuel economy in miles per gallon.

• Fuel Consumption

This feature indicates the fuel consumption in gallons since the feature was last reset.

• Fuel Flow

This feature indicates the fuel flow through the engine(s) in gallons per hour.

• Low Fuel Warning Indicator

This feature indicates when the fuel level in the fuel tank(s) is becoming low by flashing the lowest bar.

• Speedometer

This feature indicates boat speed in miles per hour, knots per hour, or nautical miles per hour. On boats with V8 engines, this gauge must be interfaced with a GPS.

• Trip Distance Meter

This feature indicates the distance traveled in miles or nautical miles since the meter was last set.

• Revolutions Per Minute (RPM)

This feature indicates the RPM using 100 RPM intervals. Consult your engine owner's manual for the recommended operating RPM range.

• Trim Position

This feature indicates the angle of thrust of the engine. See "Trim" on page 4-1 for adjustment recommendations.

• Battery Voltage Indicator

This feature indicates the battery charge when the engine is off and indicates the alternator output when the engine is running. A reading of 12 or 13 volts is normal indicating a fully-charged battery. Readings of 11 or below indicate a weak battery which may not start the engine. A reading of 13 to 15 volts when the engine is running is normal. Readings over 15 volts may indicate regulator problems. Low or fluctuating readings may indicate loose connections or trouble in the regulator and alternator circuit.

• Cooling Water Temperature with Warning

This feature indicates the temperature of the cooling water circulating through the engine and warns you when the temperature exceeds the recommended operating range indicated by your engine owner's manual. Should you receive this warning, immediately shut off your engine to prevent damage. Overheating is often caused by obstruction of your engine's intake on the lower unit. Check this water intake first if you experience trouble.

• Hour Meter

This feature records the cumulative number of hours the engine has been in use.

• Trip Hour Meter

This feature indicates the number of hours the engine has been in use since it was last set.

• Oil Pressure with Warning

This feature indicates the engine oil pressure with a warning for low oil pressure. Refer to your engine owner's manual for information regarding engine oil and oil pressure.

TRIPLE INSTRUMENTATION



Digital Fuel Management

• Fuel Management Meter

This feature indicates the gas tanks fuel efficiency (MPG), fuel consumption (gallons), and fuel flow (GPH) for each engine or all engines together.

Digital Speedometer

• Fuel Level

This feature indicates the gas tank(s) fuel level. Remember two things when reading this gauge:

- The accuracy of your gauge varies with the attitude of your boat in the water (trim or list).
- The fuel pickup tube inside the gas tank is not capable of withdrawing all of the fuel from the tank.

For these reasons, never operate your boat at extremely low fuel levels.

• Fuel Economy

This feature indicates the engine's fuel economy in miles per gallon.

• Fuel Consumption

This feature indicates the fuel consumption in gallons used by the all engines together since the feature was last reset.

• Fuel Flow

This feature indicates the fuel flow through the engine(s) in gallons per hour. Each engine may be monitored separately or a total amount displayed.

• Fuel Remain

This feature indicates the amount of fuel in gallons remaining in the fuel tank being monitored.

• Speedometer

This feature indicates boat speed in miles per hour, knots per hour, or nautical miles per hour.

• Trip Distance Meter

This feature indicates the distance traveled in miles or nautical miles since the meter was last set.

Digital Tachometer

• Revolutions Per Minute (RPM)

This feature indicates the RPM using 100 RPM intervals. Consult your engine Owner's Manual for the recommended operating RPM range.

• Trim Position

This feature indicates the angle of thrust of the lower unit of the engine. See "Trim" on page 4-1 for adjustment recommendations.

• Battery Voltage Indicator

This feature indicates the battery charge when the engine is off and indicates the alternator output when the engine is running. A reading of 12 or 13 volts is normal indicating a fully-charged battery. Readings below 11 indicate a weak battery which may not start the engine. A reading of 13 to 15 volts when the engine is running is normal. Readings over 15 volts may indicate regulator problems. Low or fluctuating readings may indicate loose connections or trouble in the regulator and alternator circuit.

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• Hour Meter

This feature records the cumulative number of hours the engine has been in use.

• Tripped Hour Meter

This feature indicates the number of hours the engine has been in use since it was last set.

• Oil Pressure with Warning

This feature indicates the engine oil pressure with a warning for low oil pressure. Refer to your engine owner's manual for information regarding engine oil and oil pressure.

YAMAHA HELM MASTERTM

Helm Master[™] is an optional fully integrated boat control system for Yamaha outboardpowered boats, in twin or triple engine configurations, which includes digital electronic steering, digital electronic throttle and shift, and a joystick control to facilitate docking.

On the joystick are two control selector buttons. The Joystick selector activates the joystick. The remote control must be in the neutral (center) position for this selector to be activated. The High Mode selector allows for increased engine RPM. The joystick controls the side to side and rotational movement of the vessel. The operator is the central pivot point around which the boat moves and the further one moves the joystick, the greater the thrust and speed in that direction. Return the joystick to the neutral position when finished maneuvering. Operating the throttle disengages the joystick and returns operation to the remote control box and steering wheel.

The Digital Steering Helm sends signals to the Powertrain Control Units (PCU), which control the operation of the electric pumps that pump hydraulic fluid to the steering cylinders on the engines. The Steering Control Unit (SCU) receives signals from the steering cylinder position sensors and the PCU's to carry out joystick and steering operation. One by-pass valve assembly per engine is required, and allows the hydraulic pump system to be by-passed in an emergency or for maintenance.

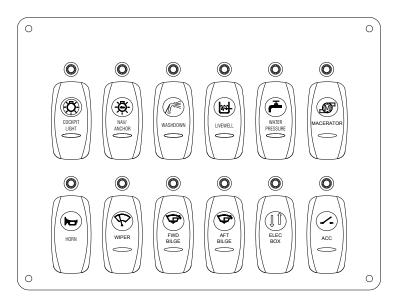
The Digital Remote Control has 6 control selector buttons whose activation is indicated by a green LED. The Speed Control selector is used to set the RPM's throughout the range of the engine. The Single Lever selector allows the port lever to control the shifting and speed of all engines. The Station Selector is used to select the active station on boats with two stations. The Center Engine selector allows the port lever to control the center engine only. The Trim Assist selector allows the operator to synchronize the trim angle to a given RPM so that the engine will trim to the desired angle. The Free Throttle selector allows the selected engine to be throttled up with the shift function disengaged.

The Electronic Key Switch uses a radio frequency key to power the main switch panel. Touch the key to the panel and two audible beeps indicate the system is unlocked. Press the Ignition button, then the Start/Stop button to start the engines. To engage the Y-COP security system touch the key to the panel after the engines are turned off. A single audible beep indicates the system is immobilized.

The Command Link Plus® display allows the operator to adjust and customize settings, though some settings must be adjusted by an authorized technician. The information provided here is only intended to be an overview of the system. For complete details on the operation and set-up of the Helm Master system please refer to the Yamaha owner's manual or consult your dealer.

SWITCH PANEL

At the helm station you will find an accessory switch panel. Not all boats are equipped with the same accessories. Consult your dealer for specific information or questions on the accessories included on your boat. More detailed descriptions of switch functions are located in Chapter 8 of this manual.



This drawing represents a generic switch panel layout. Actual panels will differ depending on the boat model and optional accessories installed during manufacturing.

Chapter 6: Maintenance and Service

GENERAL

The amount of maintenance required to keep your boat operating properly and to maintain the appearance is dependent on how the boat is used, amount of usage, salt or fresh water, geographic location, etc.

Your hull and deck are constructed by the "hand lay-up method" using the highest quality fiberglass mat and woven roving. This method of construction ensures a proper fiberglass-to-resin ratio and uniform thickness resulting in a much stronger boat than those constructed of "chopped glass". This process ensures your Grady-White is the strongest, most durable fiberglass boat possible.

Keep the bilge area clean and dry. Leaks found early and corrected will less likely cause damage. Do not allow grease, grime, and dirt to build up.

While proper maintenance of your boat is a source of pride, it is also key to maintaining your boat's value. A few simple steps will keep your fiberglass Grady-White looking showroom bright for years.

EXTERIOR FIBERGLASS FINISH

The exterior finish of your Grady-White is a thin layer of resin with a finished color pigment called gel-coat. It is used for cosmetic purposes and makes routine maintenance relatively simple. Although gel-coat has a hard smooth surface, it does contain microscopic pores that will allow surface discoloration if not kept clean.

Maintenance

Normal exterior finish maintenance of your Grady-White is similar to the care you would give your automobile. Do not use caustic, highly alkaline cleaners or those containing ammonia. These cleaning agents may darken gel-coat. The resulting stain is a chemical reaction and can be removed with a rubbing compound or by light sanding with 400 grit followed by waxing. Also, using common household bleach (chlorine) may damage the gel-coat finish just like bleach can damage clothing with colors. Bleach impacts solid colors by causing blushing or fading and for this reason should not be used on gel-coat.

Cleaning

The best way to prevent discoloration and soil build-up is to hose the boat with fresh water after each outing or on a regular basis. This build-up is the result of use and environmental pollutants. Clean the boat regularly with a mild household detergent and plenty of fresh water. Avoid strong detergents, citrus based cleaners, or bleaches. These products are potentially harmful to the appearance and durability of your boat's gel-coat. Always read the label before using any cleaning product to make sure it says safe for use on fiberglass finishes. Use a sponge on smooth surfaces and the deck. A brush can be used on the nonskid areas. Use Fresh water to rinse away all grime and residue.

Finish/Waxing

Gel-coat will age or dull naturally due to constant exposure to the natural environment and pollutants. Discolorations are shallow in depth. Factors that will affect the rate of discoloration are: the sun, pollution, old wax accumulation, and the salt content of water. Polishing compound (fine abrasive) or rubbing compound (coarse abrasive) is recommended for use on fiberglass finishes to remove scratches and stains or restore severely weathered surfaces. These products can be applied by hand or mechanical means. The process below will help restore fiberglass finishes:

- •Clean the affected area with a good detergent and fresh water.
- •Remove stubborn stains or discoloration by gently wet sanding the affected areas with 600 grit "wet or dry" sandpaper. Always sand in one direction. Use plenty of water and sand curves in the same direction. Dry the area to make sure all the discoloration has been removed. Repeat this process if necessary.
- •Buff using a polishing compound suitable for fiberglass, an electrically or pneumatically operated buffer at low speed (1750-2250 RPM), and an 8-inch (20.3cm) lamb's wool pad.



Keep buffer moving. Do not allow it to rest in one spot. Heat build up will quickly distort the surface.

CAUTION

Compounding too often or excessive compounding can wear away the gel-coat.

- •When buffing is complete, wash away compound with clear water and dry the area.
- •Once the area is clean it may be waxed. This will enhance the gloss while providing a seal to retard staining or soil accumulation.
- •See a local dealer for advice on wax for your boating region. The wax film will seal the pores as well as enhance the looks of your boat. **Do not wax surfaces that may be walked on; they will become slippery.** While waxing your boat, inspect the surface for any damage. Have the damage corrected as soon as possible.

Repairing

Though gel-coat is a very durable material, it is susceptible to scratches, blistering, and weblike cracking (crazing) over time. It is elastic enough to withstand strong blows while flexing with the hull's movement. Gel-coat problems are cosmetic and will not affect the structural integrity of your boat.

Some gel-coat damage and imperfections such as nicks and scratches can be repaired by obtaining a color match patch kit. This kit can be purchased through your Grady-White dealer. Acetone, the most suitable cleaning agent for gel-coat, can also be acquired through your dealer. Instructions are included in the patch kit.

🕂 WARNING

M.E.K.P. (Methyl ethyl ketone peroxide), gel-coat and acetone are flammable and hazardous chemicals that must be handled properly. Follow instructions carefully. After the gel-coat is catalyzed, it will soon heat up and put off fumes. When finished with catalyzed chemicals, or if they start to build up heat, submerse completely in water until cool.

BOTTOM PAINT

If your boat is left in the water for more than a few days at a time, the hull bottom below the waterline should be painted with anti-fouling paint to protect it from marine growth and barnacles that hinder performance. Since anti-fouling paint slowly dissolves, yearly inspection and cleaning of the hull bottom to prevent marine growth is advised. Repaint when necessary. To help prevent blistering, use an epoxy barrier coat to be applied in conjunction with the anti-fouling paint.

CANVAS

Grady-White's canvas is made using the highest quality vinyl and latest sewing techniques. The canvas will not be completely leak proof. The seam holes in your canvas may stretch and tend to leak. However, you can correct this problem by applying Apseal® or Uniseal[™] to the seams.

Please understand that Grady-White does not warrant the fit and design of the canvas to be entirely watertight.

Maintenance

To maintain your boat's top and other canvas follow these guidelines:

Fabric should be cleaned regularly to prevent the buildup of soil and soil penetration of the fabric. Simply brush off any loose dirt, hose down canvas and clean with a mild solution and warm water. Do not use petroleum-based or ammonia cleaners on canvas or clear vinyl as they will yellow. For heavily soiled fabric, remove from the frame. Soak the fabric in a solution of 1/2 cup (.12 L) of Clorox® and 1/4 cup (.06 L)of Ivory® or Lux® soap per 1 gallon (3.8 L) of warm water. Let soak until mildew and stains can be brushed out with a common kitchen brush. Rinse thoroughly with cold water until all soap is removed. Allow fabric to air dry completely. **Do not steam press or dry in an electric or gas dryer.** This will damage the canvas fabric. Water repellent was applied to your canvas during manufacturing. The repellent may have diminished after extended cleaning. Re-treatment of the fabric is recommended. Do not use wax-based products. Use a water based repellent like Apseal® or Uniseal®. Scotchguard® is effective for short-term use only.

Snaps and Zippers

To protect the snaps and zippers on your boat's canvas and cushions from corrosion and binding, Grady White includes a snap/zipper assist tool and a tube of lubricant (E-Z Snap®) in your owner's packet. The lubricant, manufactured by IOSSO (part number 10909), should be applied per the manufacturer's directions during the initial use of your canvas and cushions. The lubricant should be reapplied every 3 months or sooner depending on your boating environment and usage. The snap/zipper assist tool included in your owner's packet should be used whenever you remove the canvas, cushions, or operate the zippers to prevent damaging or tearing the material. Contact your dealer if you need to replace your assist tool or reorder the lubricant.

Vinyl

- •Clean clear vinyl thoroughly with denatured alcohol and apply a protective layer of clear wax. **Do not** use paste wax, as it will turn the vinyl yellow. This process should be repeated as necessary to maintain the protective wax coating.
- •Store and secure canvas before trailering.
- •Dry all canvas before storing to prevent mildew.
- •Remove the top, front, and side panels. **Roll** them for storage. This is necessary to prevent the front and side vinyl pieces from cracking. **Never fold these pieces!**

Storage

Consider the following steps when putting your bimini/vista top canvas option in the stored position:

- •Fold the top and zip it into the canvas cover provided.
- •Pivot the covered top into the stowed position on the foredeck. The canvas cover is equipped with a strap on each side and an eyelet in each strap. Place the eyelets over the male fasteners located on the port and starboard foredeck.
- •Twist the male fastener 90 degrees to engage.



Secure the folded top when in the stowed position to prevent damage or the loss of your canvas.

Upholstery

Your exterior vinyl upholstery may be cleaned with a mild solution of household detergent and fresh water. Commercial cleaners for vinyl also work well. Since the seams of your exterior upholstery are not waterproof, your upholstery should be stored in the cabin or covered when not in use. Exterior cushions will trap moisture between themselves and the gel coat. If a cushion is not removed to allow the moisture to dry, blistering of the gel coat may occur. Cockpit bolsters may be removed if you desire. These bolsters clip onto brackets mounted to the deck structure. Screws are then installed through the underside of the bolster to hold them in place. Most cabin cushions are removable and may be dry-cleaned or steam cleaned.

Do not machine wash cabin fabrics.

POLYETHYLENE/PLEXIGLASS/VINYL

In the cockpit area of your boat, plexiglass and vinyl are used for trim and polyethylene is used for the toe rails and rod racks. Routine maintenance for vinyl should include regular cleaning with soapy water and the application of a surface protector at least twice per year. Polyethylene can be cleaned with products such as 409[®] or any spray and wipe cleaner. Plexiglass can be maintained with mild soap and water and a soft cloth.

SCUPPERS

Grady-White boats have self-bailing cockpits meaning water on the cockpit floor drains by gravity through large aft scuppers and **not** into the bilge. The aft drains (scuppers) have an external scupper flap assembly that restricts the flow of water back into the boat. Inspect the flaps periodically to make sure they are free of debris. The scupper flaps may need periodic replacement if the rubber becomes damaged or no longer seals properly in the thru-hull.

CAULKING/GASKET

Deck fittings, bow rails, windows, hatches, etc. have been caulked or gasketed with the highest quality material to ensure a waterproof joint with the boat. However, the working action of normal use will tend to flex the joint and eventually break down the seal between them. Periodically inspect the caulking or gaskets for leaks. Recaulk or replace the gaskets as necessary, or have your dealer do the repair.

HARDWARE/STAINLESS STEEL RAILS

The hardware on your Grady-White is made of laboratory grade 316 stainless steel and needs regular cleaning to maintain its "less staining" properties. The key to maintaining your stainless steel is to keep it clean with a mild solution of soap and **fresh** water. Remove salt or dirt from your stainless steel on a regular basis.

HARDWARE MOUNTING

Ensure all holes are sealed properly when mounting hardware in the boat surface. Sealing will prevent water leakage. This is crucial in fiberglass areas that have been reinforced with plywood. A hole sealed improperly allows water inside the fiberglass leading to saturation of the plywood reinforcement.

MAINTENANCE PROCEDURE FOR ANODIZED ALUMINUM COMPONENTS

(Lean Bars, Rod Holders, T-top and Hardtop Frames, Outriggers, Etc.)

Due to the nature of anodized aluminum and the harsh exposure conditions of the marine environment, it is important to follow a **required maintenance procedure**. Failure to follow a preventative maintenance procedure will most likely result in aluminum pitting.

These parts must be washed periodically with a very mild soap and water solution. Grady-White recommends washing with a mild soap (such as Ivory® Liquid) after each use and every two to three weeks if stored in an outside marine environment. Strong cleaners and soaps must not be used. Never use abrasive cleaners or products that contain chlorine bleach. These products can remove the anodized coating.

Give special attention to the upper tubes of a hardtop or T-top frame. The area just below the top is shielded by the canvas or fiberglass top and does not receive the natural rinse that rainwater provides. Failure to thoroughly clean and maintain this area will allow contaminates that attack the anodized aluminum to remain on the frame.

For maximum protection, coat parts with a non-abrasive metal protector. The best protectors will displace moisture, remove contaminates, and leave a wax film protecting the anodized aluminum. Follow the application guidelines for the product you choose. A sample of one metal protector has been provided with your boat.

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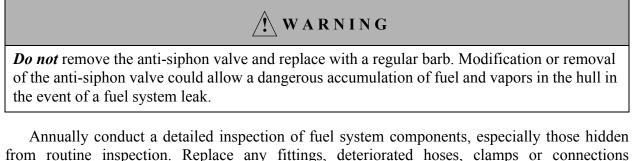
Boeshield T-9 PMS Products Inc. 76 Veterans Dr. Holland, MI 49423 800-962-1732 www.boeshield.com Aluma Guard Rupp Marine, Inc. 4761 Anchor Ave. Port Salerno, FL 34992 866-477-2678 www.ruppmarine.com Premier Polish Aquatech by Nautical Choice 6726 Netherlands Drive, Suite 200 Wilmington, NC 28405 800-853-7760 www.aquatech-marine.com

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Do not use abrasive cleaning products, pads, steel wool or steel brushes. These products will damage the finish.

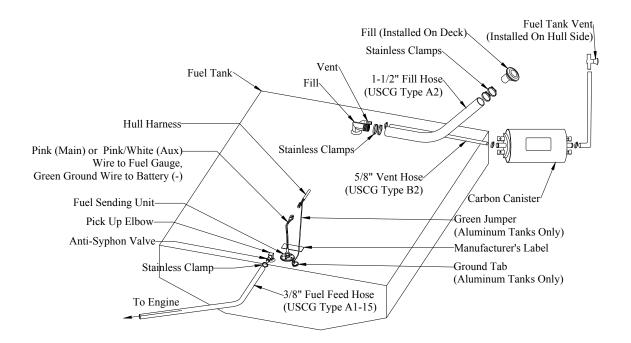
FUEL SYSTEM MAINTENANCE

To determine whether a fuel flow problem is in your fuel system or your engine, follow this simple method. Connect a portable tank to the engine and operate the engine. If the problem persists, the likely cause is with the engine itself. If the problem goes away, the source must be in the boats' fuel system. One component that should be inspected if a restriction occurs is the anti-siphon valve. If fuel does not flow properly through this part, it must be cleaned and/or replaced.



immediately. Fuel filter/water separators should be replaced at least annually.





FUEL TANK COMPARTMENT

The fuel tank compartments need to be rinsed periodically especially when used in a saltwater environment. Dirt accumulation attracts salt, creating salt crystals. Salt crystals can corrode most metal surfaces if left untreated over a period of time. To help protect your fuel tank from corrosion, rinse the compartment with **fresh** water. After rinsing, make sure all water is drained from the compartments. Remove the access plates from fuel tank lids and inspect this area for leaks or unsecured lines.

The access plates on your fuel tank lids keep the fuel compartments sealed. Over time, the opening and closing of these plates causes the o-rings to wear out. Replace these o-rings as necessary to maintain the watertight integrity of the plates.

SHOWER SUMP

The shower in the head compartment and condensation from the air conditioning drain into a contained "sump" which is used to prevent hair, soap, scum and bacteria from accumulating in the bilge and creating odors. This sump should be cleaned regularly. The sump pump box contains a filter. Remove the filter and rinse with water to clean. The filter should always be installed when using the shower to prevent the sump pump from becoming clogged.

BATTERIES

Proper battery power is essential to the operation of your vessel. For this reason, Grady-White has carefully chosen batteries with cranking ability and reserve capacity sufficient to meet your needs. Grady-White uses Deka brand marine batteries, either the Master 27M6 or Intimidator 8A27M, depending on the boat model. If your boat is equipped with batteries not installed at the factory, consult with the battery manufacturer for proper care and maintenance instructions and the engine manufacturer for appropriate battery specifications. Replacements batteries should always be of the same brand, model, age and size. Never mix different types of batteries.

The Marine Master 27M6 is a wet cell maintenance free battery that utilizes demineralized electrolyte and calcium alloy grids. These features reduce water loss and extend the life of the battery. However, this battery is maintenance accessible in the unlikely event a charging malfunction occurs. Wet cell batteries must be secured in a non-metallic tray to contain electrolyte spills.

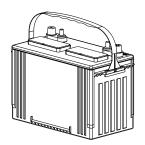
The Intimidator 8A27M is an absorbed glass mat (AGM) battery that is completely spill proof and maintenance free. AGM batteries recharge faster than conventional batteries and have a higher tolerance to deep discharge for more severe applications. AGM batteries are subject to permanent damage if used with a charging system not compatible with this technology, which should be taken into consideration if using a charging system other than those installed on your boat.

Batteries contain electrolytes and acids that can be harmful and volatile. They can also present an electrical hazard. When handling or servicing batteries, exercise caution and follow these guidelines.

- Avoid contact between skin, eyes, and clothing. Protective gloves and eye wear should be worn when servicing to minimize risk.
- Batteries can produce explosive gases. Ventilate when charging. Keep sparks, flames and cigarettes away at all times.

- An insulated boot should cover battery terminals in normal use. Never allow anything metal to bridge between the positive and negative terminals which could arc or create a burn hazard.
- Keep battery terminals clean by scrubbing them with a stiff brush and a mixture of baking soda and water. Afterwards, apply a light coat of grease or corrosion preventative.
- Batteries should be secured to minimize movement when the boat is in use.

This is not a complete set of guidelines. It is your responsibility to safely maintain your batteries and avoid injury. Use good judgement and remain alert when working with batteries. In the event of an accident, immediately seek prompt medical attention.



🕂 WARNING

Do not allow any electrically conductive material to make contact with both the positive and negative terminals at the same time (i.e. a hand tool used when disconnecting and reconnecting battery cables). A short of this nature can cause severe burns and create dangerous sparks which could result in personal injury and/or property damage.

When disconnecting and reconnecting battery cables, the black cable must be connected to the negative terminal and the red cable must be connected to the positive terminal. Reversing these connections will immediately damage your system.

Never disconnect the battery when the engine is running. This can cause damage to the charging system. When replacing your battery, use the same brand and type as the factory installed battery. If this is not available, reference your engine Owner's Manual for recommended battery type and required performance specifications.

LED LIGHTING

LED (light emitting diode) fixtures do not have bulbs and are not serviceable. LED's have extremely long life and should not need replacement during the life of the boat. In the event of damage or malfunction, the entire light assembly should be replaced. See your Grady-White dealer for replacement LED lights.

370 DC ACCESSORY WIRING COLOR - FUSE/BREAKER

Accessory	Wire	Amperage	Location
Lights			
Bow Light	14 ga. Gray	10.0	Helm Accessory Panel
Cabin Lights	16 ga. Blue/Green	20.0	AC/DC Panel
Cockpit Lights	16 ga. Blue/Yellow	10.0	Helm Accessory Panel
Hardtop Dome Light	16 ga. Blue/Gray	5.0	Fuse Block
Livewell Light	16 ga. Blue/Red	w/Livewell Pump	Cockpit Accessory Panel
Mast Light	14 ga. Gray/Red	w/ Bow Light	Helm Accessory Panel
Panel Lights	16 ga Dark Blue	w/ Nav Lights	Helm Accessory Panel
Spreader Lights	14 ga Dark Blue/White	10.0	Cockpit Accessory Panel
Pumps			
Bilge Pump (Aft):	40	0.0	Itteles Assesses Devel
Rule 1500 Auto Float Switch (Aft)	16 ga. Brown 16 ga. Brown/White	8.0 8.0	Helm Accessory Panel Battery Select Box
Bilge Pump (Forward):	To ga: Brown/Wille	0.0	Ballery Select Box
Rule 1500	16 ga. Brown/Black	8.0	Helm Accessory Panel
Auto Float Switch (Forward)	16 ga. Brown/Red	8.0	Battery Select Box
Head Pump (Discharge)	14 ga. Orange/Gray	10.0	AC/DC Panel
Head Pump (Vacuum)	14 ga. Orange/Red	10.0	AC/DC Panel
Livewell Pump: Sentry 1100 GPH	16 ga. Orange/Brown	6.0	Cockpit Accessory Panel
Power Assist Pump	8 ga. Red	50.0	Bow Thruster Battery Compartment
Shower Sump Pump (Float Switch)	16 ga. Brown/Orange	2.5	AC/DC Panel
Washdown Pump	12 ga. Orange/Brown	15.0	Cockpit Accessory Panel
Water Pressure Pump	12 ga. Orange/Blue	15.0	AC/DC Panel
Anchor Windlass			
Main Positive	2 ga. Red	90.0	Battery Select Box
Positive to Switches	14 ga. Red	5.0	In-line @ Solenoid
Down	14 ga. Green/Orange	N/A	N/A
Up	14 ga. Blue/Orange	N/A	N/A
Windshield Wiper System			
Park	14 ga. Orange	w/ power to switch	Helm Accessory Panel
	14 ga. Orange/Purple		
Center; Port & Starboard	14 ga. Orange/Green	20.0	Helm Accessory Panel
	14 ga. Orange/Black		
Washer Solenoid Valves	14 ga. Orange/Pink	10.0	Helm Accessory Panel
Miscellaneous			
12 Volt Accessory Outlets	10 ga. Red/Orange	15.0	Fuse Block
Amplifier	10 ga. Red	10.0	Fuse Block
Amp Remote	16 ga.	N/A	N/A
Accessory Negatives (Branch)	Black ¹	N/A	N/A
Accessory Negatives (Mains)	2/0 or 6 ga. Black	N/A	N/A
AC/DC Panel Meter Negative	16 ga. Black/Yellow	N/A	N/A
Blower (Bilge)	10 ga. Brown/Yellow	4.0	AC/DC Panel
Bow Thruster Positive	4/0 Red	400.0	Bow Thruster Battery Compartment
CO Detectors	16 ga. Red/Black	1.0	In-line @ Positive Bus
Constant 12V (Memory, High Bilge Alarm)	16 ga. Red/Pink	10.0	Battery Select Box
	16 ga. Red/White Sender		
High Bilge Alarm Sender Wires	16 ga. Brown/Pink Return	N/A	At panel and Float switch
DC Main Positive	2/0 Red	50.0	Battery Select Box
DC Panel "Main" Positive	6 ga. Red	50.0	AC/DC Panel
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Electronics Box Ram	16 ga. White	10.0	Accessory Panel
Electronics Box Ram Fuse Block Positive	16 ga. White 6 ga. Red	10.0 N/A	Accessory Panel N/A
Fuse Block Positive	6 ga. Red	N/A	N/A
Fuse Block Positive Fuel Grounds	6 ga. Red 16 ga. Green	N/A N/A	N/A N/A
Fuse Block Positive Fuel Grounds Fuel Tank Sender (Aft)	6 ga. Red 16 ga. Green 16 ga. Pink/White	N/A N/A N/A	N/A N/A N/A
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¹ Wire gauge is the same as the gauge of the power wire to the corresponding component.

Chapter 7: Winterization and Storage

GENERAL

Boats stored during the winter or for an extended period of time require some routine maintenance. The boat and its systems should be checked for maintenance and repairs prior to and during the storage process. Arrange repairs during the storage period to reduce downtime during your boating season.

Avoid costly damage and delay when launching your boat by having it stored and winterized properly. This information is presented as a general guide; the actual storage should be performed by a professional and qualified dealership. See page 71, in *Sportfish, Cruisers, Yachts Owner's Manual* for a checklist on winterizing and storage.

BOAT STORAGE

Grady-White boats are equipped with stern eyes and a bow eye. These eyes are for anchoring and trailering purposes, and should be inspected regularly to insure structural integrity.

WARNING Boats over 30' should not be lifted for storage using the bow and stern eyes. Use slings for lifting.

Slings must be used for lifting your Grady-White to prevent damage to the boat. To avoid personal injury and property damage, it is advised to take extra precautions when lifting or moving the boat for storage.

While transporting a boat by a lift or fork lift, the structure should remain as close to ground level as possible. If slings are necessary for lifting or transporting, they should be in proper condition and tied together to prevent any movement (separating or slipping) which could cause damage to the boat. If fork lifts are used to move the boat, the forks should be padded, contoured to match the hull bottom, and in a secure location under the hull in alignment with the stringers. The forks should be long enough to prevent the boat from rocking forward and aft causing it to become unbalanced. Always verify the fork lift's capacity to ensure it is sufficient for the weight of the boat. Other conditions that should be considered before hauling, transporting, or storing your boat include overhead lines, ground conditions (frozen or soft), and storm conditions that may arise.

When storing your boat on the trailer, raise and block the trailer axle to prevent tire deterioration. This is an excellent time to lubricate and pack the wheel bearings per the manufacturer's instructions.

Make sure the keel, chines and transom are fully supported. Indoor storage is beneficial particularly if your climate produces freezing weather. The storage unit should not be airtight, but should be ventilated. Ventilation is extremely important both around and through the boat.

For outdoor storage, a canvas cover should be used to prevent "sweating". One method is to build a frame over the boat to support the canvas. It should be a few inches wider than the boat so the canvas will clear the rails and allow passage of air. The cover should be fastened securely so that winds cannot remove it or cause it to chafe the boat. A poor covering job will eventually cost more than the price of a well-made cover.

WARNING WARNING

Boats covered with plastic shrink wrap during storage must leave the fuel vent fitting outside of the enclosure to prevent the trapping of dangerous fumes.

CLEANING AND LUBRICATING THE BOAT

Clean and wax your boat before storage. If you store your boat in the water, there may be a layer of growth on the bottom. As it dries, this debris will harden. Clean, scrub and scrape the bottom promptly when the boat is removed from the water. Remove all marine growth and other foreign matter from the hull. Clean the inside of hull openings, thru-hull fittings and scupper drains. Inspect the hull for damage. Avoid harsh cleaners, citrus solutions and bleaches; these could have harmful effects on your boat's gel-coat and metal components.

Check cleats and rails for corrosion and tightness. Clean stainless steel as directed under "*Hardware/Stainless Steel Rails*" on page 6–5. Use a quality metal preservative like T-9® on metal surfaces to prevent salt water damage. Check for loose silicone, hinges and unseated gaskets. Replace or tighten where necessary. Heavy seas pounding and twisting the hull can cause leaks in your windows, doors and hatches. Check hinges for corrosion. Lubricate hinges as necessary.

DRAINING AND WATER SYSTEM

If the boat is stored out of water, remove the garboard drain plug to keep the bilge dry. Store your boat with the bow elevated for drainage.

Drain all water tanks, hoses, filters and pumps to prevent freeze damage. The freshwater system may be drained by running any faucet or shower until the tank is empty. When empty, turn the water pump off to prevent damage. Remove the filter on the freshwater pump inlet, remove any water and reinstall. Residual water will not damage the tank. If equipped with a water heater, the water heater must be drained individually after emptying the water tank. Drain the water heater by opening the drain faucet on the water heater. The water from the water heater will drain into the bilge. If desired, the freshwater system may have a non-toxic antifreeze for potable water systems added. To drain other systems, close seacocks and run the pumps until the lines are dry. Open the seacocks after lines are dry if the boat is stored out of the water. Draining will help prevent water stagnation in warmer climates.

HEAD SYSTEM

Empty toilet and holding tank making sure all water is cleared. Reference Owner's Packet for manufacturer's information on winterization. Water should be removed from deck pump-out hoses.

Drain portable heads. Remember to drain the upper and lower tanks. Water should be removed from deck pump-out lines.

BATTERIES

Fully charge the batteries before storing. A weak battery loses its charge more rapidly than a strong battery. Coat the battery terminals with grease to prevent corrosion.

ENGINES

See your engine Operator's Manual regarding the winterizing procedures. Follow instructions carefully, and your engine will withstand severe weather conditions. Change all filters. Check hoses and clamps. If you have developed any vibrations during the season, look for loose engine bolts, bent shafts or bent propellers.

FUEL SYSTEM

The fuel systems should be winterized by following the fuel system maintenance and fuel tank compartment instructions in the maintenance and service section. Tanks should be kept filled when the boat is not in use to reduce the accumulation of moisture and condensation. Add stabilizer to fuel that won't be used in 60-90 days. Use fuel stabilizer specifically designed for alcohol blended fuel if using E10 gasoline.

STORAGE CHECKLIST

In addition to winterization guidelines the following checklist can be used as a guide for storing your boat. Additional details should be added as needed for your personal application.

- Remove all loose items and personal effects.
- Remove any detachable and valuable equipment such as electronics. Store all electronics inside. Your compass should be covered for the winter. Ultraviolet rays from the sun will cloud the compass and make it difficult to read.
- Winterize all equipment as directed in the manufacturer's manuals.
- Store cushions indoors to prevent mildew.
- Clean the exterior and interior of the boat. Remove all grease, oil, salt spray, etc.
- Remove garbage. Clean storage areas, fish boxes, and livewells. Prop fishbox lids open.
- Lubricate hinges, valves, the backs of electrical panels, and other surfaces that will rust.
- Check underwater items. Hardware should be in good condition and tight.
- Inspect electrical systems and have any repairs performed.

GETTING BOAT OUT AFTER STORAGE

Before placing your boat in the water for the boating season, have the hull bottom sanded and reapply anti-fouling bottom paint if necessary. Leave as much equipment and personal effects as possible off the boat until after launch and final check.

PRIOR TO LAUNCHING

Start your own personalized list of items to check and perform prior to placing your boat in the water. The following list will give you some ideas and suggestions:

- Check all gear and replace if necessary.
- Check thru hull fittings for cleanliness, damage, and tightness.
- Check prop installation and tightness.
- Clean battery terminal posts with a wire brush or bronze wool. Apply a light coating of grease to posts to prevent corrosion.
- Check all wire connections for contact corrosion and tightness.
- Check hull seacock ball valves for easy operation and for condition of hose.
- Check operation of bilge pumps in manual and automatic modes.
- Check shower sump pump (if installed).
- Check operation of all electrical circuits.
- Check the hoses on the freshwater system, and close all valves, fill freshwater system and check for leaks.
- Perform maintenance on engines according to the manufacturer's manuals prior to returning them to service.
- Check all engine and steering control cables and linkage for operation. Lubricate cables and linkage as necessary.
- Check safety equipment including flares, fire extinguisher and first aid kits. Replace items as necessary.

AFTER LAUNCHING

- With the boat in the water, check all sources of possible leaks stem to stern.
- Thoroughly check the fuel system including lines, fittings, connections, valves, and filters for leaks.
- Connect to shore power (if installed). Check all electrical equipment, lights, water heater, air conditioning system, battery charger operation, etc.
- Check operation of toilet (reference manufacturer's manual).
- Test run engines and generator (if installed) as directed in manufacturer's manual.

Chapter 8: Express 370

Specifications

Beam-Amidship	13' 2" (4.0 m)
Bridge Clearance with Hardtop	10' 6" (3. 2 m)
Keel To Top Of Windshield Bar	11' 9" (3.6 m)
Centerline Length	36' 7" (11.2 m)
Centerline Length with Bow Pulpit	39' 3" (12 m)
Freshwater Capacity	54 Gallons (204 L)
Fuel Capacity - Main	177 Gallons (670 L)
Fuel Capacity - Aux	167 Gallons (632.1 L)
Hull Draft	29" (74 cm)
Engine Shaft Length	O/B: 25" (64 cm)
	Center: 30" (76 cm)
Transom Width	11' 4" (3.5 m)
Dry Weight	14,919 Lbs (6767 kg)
Steering Type	Hydraulic Tilt with Power Assist
Steering Hose Lengths	Helm to power assist-13' (4 m)
	Compensating line – 12' (3.7 m)
	Power assist to tees $-15'$ (4.6 m)
	Tee to stbd cylinder $-6'(1.8 \text{ m})$
	Tee to port cylinder $-9'$ (2.7 m)
Maximum Outboard HP	1050 HP (783 kW)

Optional Features

ACCESSORIES

- Cockpit door
- Grill (replaces cockpit cooler)
- Hardtop enclosure
- Outrigger kit 15 ft (4.6 m) radial hardtop mounted
- Outrigger kit 24 ft (7.3 m) Lee Pro Series (lay out)
- Underwater lighting
- Painted hull

- Seating aft wraparound lounge seat (replaces fold away bench seat)
- Seating port side mount cockpit bench seat
- Seating stbd side mount cockpit bench seat
- Sirius satellite radio system
- Yamaha Helm MasterTM control system

Operation Of Standard Features

ACCESSORY SWITCH PANELS

At the helm you will find an accessory switch panel. An additional switch panel is located above the port bait station in the cockpit. The livewell, raw water washdown, and spreader lights switches make up this cockpit switch panel. Refer to the "370 DC Accessory Wiring Color - Fuse/ Breaker" on page 6–10 for overcurrent protection amperage ratings for each circuit. Also see "12V DC Accessory Switch Panel Diagram" on page 8–48 and "12V DC Cockpit Switch Panel Diagram" on page 8–50 for switch panel wiring diagrams. Consult your dealer for specific information or questions on the accessories included on your boat.

• Aft and Forward Bilge

These two-way switches serve as manual switches for each bilge pump. These switches operate independently of each other. Two circuit breakers located above each switch provide over-current protection at the panel for each bilge pump circuit.

• Cockpit Light

The cockpit lights (blue) provide illumination in the cockpit and helm areas. This switch also activates the lighted cup holders. A circuit breaker located above this switch provides overcurrent protection for this circuit.

• Electronics Box

This momentary switch activates the lift which opens and closes the raisable electronics box at the helm. A circuit breaker located above this switch provides over-current protection for this circuit.

• Hardtop Lights (optional)

This momentary switch activates the multi-colored recessed downlights. Depressing the switch one time turns the lights on. Subsequent pressing of the switch will cycle the lights through the colors. Press and hold for 3 seconds to turn lights off.

Note: Depressing/cycling the switch too quickly may cause the light colors to be unsynchronized. To reset the light colors, turn the lights off by pressing and holding for 3 seconds.

• Horn

This momentary switch activates a horn which meets the requirements of the USCG for sounding devices. A circuit breaker located above this switch provides over-current protection for this circuit.

• Livewell

This switch, located on the cockpit switch panel, activates the livewell pump and light. A circuit breaker located beside this switch provides over-current protection for this circuit.

• Navigational/Anchor Lights

This three-position switch (NAV-OFF-ANC) changes the lighting configurations to running or anchor lights. A circuit breaker located above this switch provides over-current protection for this circuit.

• Raw Water

This switch, located on the cockpit switch panel, activates the raw water washdown system. A circuit breaker located beside this switch provides over-current protection for this circuit.

• Spreader Lights

This switch, located on the cockpit switch panel, activates the hardtop spreader lights. A circuit breaker located beside this switch provides over-current protection for this circuit.

• Underwater Lights (optional)

This switch activates the underwater lights. A circuit breaker located above this switch provides over-current protection for this circuit.

• Washer

This momentary switch operates the windshield washer. Depress and hold the top of the switch until a sufficient amount of water is sprayed onto the windshield. A circuit breaker located above this switch provides over-current protection for this circuit.

• Windlass

This switch operates the anchor windlass. Depress the top of the switch to raise the windlass and the bottom of the switch to lower the windlass.

• Windshield Vent

This momentary switch activates the actuator which opens and closes the center vent in the windshield. A circuit breaker located above this switch provides over-current protection for this circuit.

• Wiper

This switch powers the windshield wipers. A circuit breaker located above this switch provides over-current protection for this circuit.

• Accessory

Switches and breakers labeled "ACC" are blank. They may be used for non-factory installed accessories. A circuit breaker located above this switch provides over-current protection for this circuit. See "370 DC Accessory Wiring Color - Fuse/Breaker" on page 6–10 for recommended breaker amperages. Switch labels are available from your dealer for non-factory installed options.

ΝΟΤΙΟΕ

Use anti-corrosion spray on the back of panels and on exposed wires to prevent the rust or corrosion that could lead to an electrical system failure.

Other Switches

• Trim/Tilt

The trim/tilt switch is located on the throttle control. Trim changes the angle of thrust of the engine (reference "*Trim*" on page 4-1). Tilt raises the drive unit for trailering.

• Trim Tab

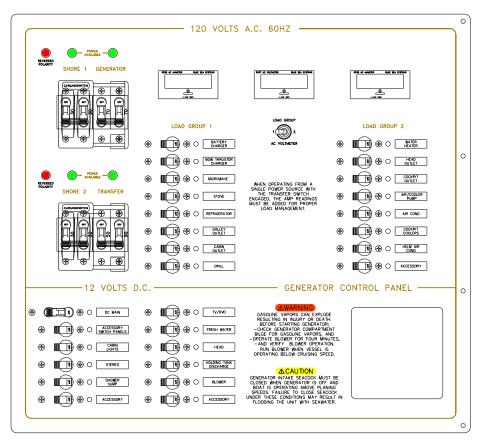
These switches control the hydraulic trim tabs used for adjusting the attitude of the boat. See *"Trim Tabs" on page 8–21* for more details.

ΝΟΤΙΟΕ

Use anti-corrosion spray on the back of panels and on exposed wires to prevent the rust of corrosion that could lead to an electrical system failure.

AC/DC PANEL

The Express 370 AC/DC panel is located on the aft wall of the cabin. AC and DC powered switches are noted below. See "AC Wiring One-Line Diagram" on page 8–45 for a wiring diagram.



120V AC presents a high voltage shock hazard. All power supplies should be turned off and disconnected before accessing the wiring behind the AC panel. Service to the AC wiring should be performed by a qualified marine electrician.

AC Power Distribution – Shore 1, Shore 2, and Generator

The AC power distribution switches on the AC/DC panel permit you to operate your AC accessories by either shore power via the shore 1 circuit or the shore 2 circuit or by generator power. Each shore circuit is a 120 volt A.C. 60 hertz circuit designed to support a load of 30 amps. When the shore 1 distribution switch is turned on, power is supplied to load group 1. Likewise, when the shore 2 distribution switch is turned on, power is supplied to load group 2. When operating from generator power, turning on the generator distribution switch supplies power to load group 1 — the switch configuration will not permit the shore 1 and generator switches to be turned on at the same time. Turning on the transfer switch allows both load groups to receive power from either shore 1 or the generator — the switch configuration will not permit the shore 2 and transfer switches to be turned on at the same time.

Using Separate Shore 1 and Shore 2 Shore Connections

To use separate shore connections, first ensure shore 1 and shore 2 are connected to shore power sources. See "*Connecting The Shore Power*" on page 8–19 for instructions on how to connect to shore power. When connected to separate shore 1 and shore 2 power sources, turn on the shore 1 and shore 2 distribution switches to provide power to each load group. Use the toggle switch beneath the A.C. voltmeter to monitor the voltage being supplied to each circuit. Use the two amperage meters on the panel to manage the load on each circuit; the amp readings should not exceed 30 amps* on either meter.

* 15A for international boats outside North America

Using One Shore Connection Only

To use one shore connection only, ensure the shore 1 circuit is connected to shore power. See "*Connecting The Shore Power*" on page 8–19 for instructions on how to connect to shore power. With the shore 1 distribution switch turned on, power is supplied to load group 1. Set the toggle switch beneath the A.C. voltmeter to monitor the voltage being supplied to load group 1. Use the load group 1 amperage meter on the panel to manage the load; the amp reading should not exceed 30 amps.*

Accessories on load group 2 can receive power from the shore 1 connection by turning on the transfer switch. When both load group 1 and load group 2 are being powered the by shore 1 connection, the amp readings on each amperage meter must be added together to properly manage the load. The sum of the two amperage readings should not exceed 30 amps.*

Using Generator Power Only

To use the generator power only, ensure the generator is operating. For more information about the generator, see "*Generator*" on page 8-14. With only the generator distribution switch turned on, power is supplied to load group 1. Set the toggle switch beneath the A.C. voltmeter to monitor the voltage being supplied to load group 1. Use the load group 1 amperage meter on the panel to manage the load;

Accessories on load group 2 can receive power from the generator by turning on the transfer switch. When both load group 1 and load group 2 are being powered by the generator, the amp readings on each amperage meter must be added together to properly manage the load. The generator is capable of producing 55.8 amps continuous and 62 amps peak (intermittent). Accessories should be turned on one at a time, monitoring the load so that the maximum output is not exceeded.**

Using One Shore Connection and Generator Power

To use one shore connection along with generator power, first ensure shore 2 is connected to shore power and the generator is operating. See "*Connecting The Shore Power*" on page 8–19 for instructions on how to connect to shore power and "*Generator*" on page 8–14 for more information about the generator. Turn on the shore 2 distribution switch to provide power to load group 2 from the shore power supply. Turn on the generator distribution switch to supply power to load group 1 from the generator. Use the toggle switch beneath the A.C. voltmeter to monitor the voltage being supplied to each circuit. Use the two amperage meters on the panel to manage the load on each circuit. The amp reading for load group 2 should not exceed 30 amps*; the amp reading for load group 1 should not exceed 55.8 amps continuous and 62 amps peak (intermittent).**

AC Powered Accessory Switches

The AC powered accessories are divided into two load groups. See "AC Wiring One-Line Diagram" on page 8–45 and "120 Volt AC Accessory Locations" on page 8–41 for a layout.

• Air Conditioner

This load group 2 switch provides power to the air conditioner control panel. Operation of the unit is affected only by adjustments made on the unit's control panel. See "*Air Conditioner*" *on page 8–9* for more details on the air conditioner.

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• Air/Cooler Pump

This load group 2 switch provides power to the water pump relay which in turn powers the water pump for the air conditioner and cockpit coolers. This switch must be turned on to operate the air conditioner, but is not required for the cockpit coolers — the cockpit coolers will cool more efficiently with the water pump working. Also, the air conditioner seacock located in the aft rigging compartment (the remote arm is accessed through the fold down door behind the folding aft seat) must be open. See "*Air/Cooler Pump*" on page 8–10 for more details about the air/cooler pump.

• Battery Charger

This load group 1 switch operates the on-board battery charger designated for the aft four batteries. See "Operation Of Optional Features" on page 8–24 for more details about the battery charger.

• Bow Thruster Charger

This load group 1 switch operates the on-board battery charger designated for the dedicated bow thruster battery. See "*Operation Of Optional Features*" on page 8–24 for more details about the bow thruster charger.

• Cabin Outlet

This load group 1 switch activates the GFCI cabin outlet located forward of the refrigerator in the V-berth area. See *"Outlets" on page 8–17* for more details about the outlets.

• Cockpit Coolers

This load group 2 switch provides power to the control unit for the refrigeration unit used to cool the cockpit coolers. Refer to "*Cockpit Coolers System*" on page 8–12 for more detail concerning the operation of the cockpit coolers.

• Cockpit Outlet

This load group 2 switch activates the GFCI cockpit outlet located near the helm station. See *"Outlets" on page 8–17* for more details about the outlets.

• Galley Outlet

This load group 1 switch activates the GFCI galley outlet. See "*Outlets*" on page 8–17 for more details about the outlets.

• Head Outlet

This load group 2 switch provides current to the GFCI head outlet. See "*Outlets*" on page 8–17 for more details about the outlets.

• Helm Air

This load group 2 switch supplies power to the helm air conditioner control panel. Operation of the unit is affected only by adjustments made on the unit's control panel. See "Outrigger Kit –" on page 8–24 for more details on the helm air conditioner.

• Microwave

This load group 1 switch provides current to the microwave. See "*Microwave*" on page 8–17 for more details on the microwave.

• Refrigerator

This load group 1 switch provides current to the refrigerator located in the galley. See *"Refrigerator" on page 8–18* for more details concerning the refrigerator.

• Stove

This load group 1 switch provides power to the electric stove located at the galley. See *"Stove" on page 8–21* for more details about the electric stove.

• Water Heater

This load group 2 switch activates the eleven gallon water heater. Ensure the water heater is not empty before turning on this switch. See *"Water Heater" on page 8–23* for more details concerning the water heater.

DC Powered Accessory Switches

• DC Main

The main power switch must be in the "on" position to operate most DC accessories even if the specific accessory is not specifically wired to a switch on this panel.

• Accessory

These switches are not connected to factory installed accessories, but are provided for additional after market accessories.

Accessory Switch Panels

This switch provides power to the accessory switches on the helm and cockpit accessory switch panels. See "*Accessory Switch Panels*" on page 8–2 for more detail concerning these panels.

• Blower

This switch operates the bilge blower. See "Blower" on page 8–15 for more information.

• Cabin Lights

This switch provides power for all the lights located in the cabin. Refer to "*Cabin Lights*" on page 12 for more information on the individual switches within the lighting system.

• Freshwater

This switch powers the pump for the pressurized freshwater system, including the galley faucet, head faucet, and cockpit rigging station faucet. This switch also powers the freshwater level indicator in the head compartment. See *"Freshwater System" on page 8–13* for details about the freshwater system on your Express 370.

• Head

This switch provides power to the vacuum pump integrated within the head system. Without turning on this switch, the head will not operate. It also activates the tank manager level monitor panel in the head compartment. See *"VacuFlush*® *Head System" on page 8–22* for information about the head system.

• Holding Tank Discharge

This switch provides power to the discharge pump control for the head system. See *"VacuFlush*® *Head System" on page 8–22* for information about the head system.

• Shower Sump

This switch provides power to the pump located in the shower sump under the aft berth floor. The pump will not run until activated by the float switch. See "Shower Sump" on page 8-20 for more details.

• Stereo

This switch furnishes power to the stereo. See "Stereo" on page 8–21 for more detail on the stereo.

• TV/DVD

This switch provides power to the 12 volt fuse block which powers the TV and DVD player. See "*TV/DVD*" on page 8–22 for more information concerning the TV and DVD player.

AUXILIARY FUSE PANEL

The auxiliary fuse panel located at the center helm station behind an access door provides a source of power for electronics and additional accessories. Your model utilizes the automotive type fuses.



ACCESSORY OUTLET - 12 VOLT

Three 12-volt outlets are installed on your Express 370. One is in the cabin dinette area. Another is on the center helm station beneath the electronic controls facing aft. The third is in the port deckwing on the vertical surface in front of the cup holder. These outlets provide easily accessible power supplies for accessories such as cellular phones and spotlights. See "12 Volt DC Accessory Locations" on page 8–40 for a layout of all 12 volt DC accessories.

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These outlets cannot be used with a cigarette lighter.

AIR CONDITIONER

The air conditioning system, for both the cabin and the helm, operates on AC current only; therefore, the generator or shore power must be in use with load group 2 energized. The air conditioner switch on the AC/DC panel activates the cabin air unit's control pad located in the dinette area. The helm air conditioner switch on the AC/DC panel activates the helm air unit's control pad located in the galley area near the cabin door. The air/cooler pump switch must also be on and the air condition seacock must be open to supply these units with raw water. The thermostatic control is similar to household units. Supply vents for the cabin air are located in the galley, the dinette, the forward V-berth, the aft berth, and the head. Supply vents for the helm air are located in the port deckwing insert and beneath the port bench seat on the inboard side. The return vent for the cabin air is located in the dinette area while the helm air return vent is located beneath the port bench seat on the forward side. The cabin air conditioning unit is located beneath the forward dinette seat and the helm air unit is located beneath the port bench seat. The condensation drain for these units drains to the shower sump. Therefore, the shower sump pump should be switched on when using either air conditioner to remove any condensation. Refer to the Operation and Maintenance manual in your Owner's Packet for specific instructions on using these units. See "Air Conditioning Layout" on page 8-26 and "Helm Air Conditioning Layout" on page 8-27 for system layouts. See "120V Air Cond. & Cockpit Coolers Diagram" on page 8-46 for a wiring diagram.

NOTICE

If your boat is removed from the water, leaving the seacock open will drain the water in the air conditioning system. This may cause an airlock in the air conditioner water pump in subsequent operation. To prevent this drainage, close the air conditioner seacock. If the boat is being winterized, leave the seacock open so the water can drain. Then, remove any remaining water by blowing pressurized air through the system. See the Operation and Maintenance Manual included in your Owner's Packet for additional winterizing information.

CAUTION

To avoid restriction due to debris in the raw water intake strainer, turn off the air conditioner and close the intake seacock while docking or operating in shallow water.

Load group 2 on your distribution panel contains the air/cooler pump, air conditioner, helm air conditioner, and the cockpit coolers. Turning all of these accessories on at the same time will create a load that is greater than 30 amps.* This load will exceed the capacity of the shore 2 breaker causing it to trip. However, this tripping may be avoided in either of two ways. One option is to use generator power when you want to turn on all of these accessories at once. The transfer breaker has a 50 amp capacity and will not trip when all of these devices are started at the same time. Another option is to turn on these accessories in stages. The amperage draw of each accessory is at its highest level during initial startup. The total amperage draw from these accessories may be kept below 30A* by turning on each accessory individually, letting the startup phase finish (i.e. let the cabin cool down, etc.), and then turning on the next accessory.

AIR/COOLER PUMP

The air/cooler pump supplies raw water to the air conditioner, refrigeration unit for the cockpit coolers, and the helm air conditioner. This pump receives a signal from the pump relay for the air conditioner unit and cockpit coolers refrigeration unit when the air conditioner or refrigeration unit is operational. Also, the air conditioner seacock located in the aft rigging compartment must be open (the remote arm for this seacock is accessed through the fold down door behind the folding aft seat).

BATTERY CHARGER

This two bank battery charger is located in the aft rigging compartment near the four aft batteries. The generator must be running or the shore power must be connected with load group 1 energized for the charger to work. To activate the charger, turn the AC panel breaker switch to the "on" position. The charger has a built-in isolator that senses the charging needs of all the batteries and distributes charge accordingly. At the point that all batteries are nearly fully restored, the charger will automatically reduce the current being sent to the batteries to a maintenance level. There is a 40A in-line fuse in the positive charging lead to each battery bank. If the charger appears to be operating normally but the batteries do not recharge, check these fuses and replace as necessary. See this charger's Operation Manual in your Owner's Packet for further information on the charger. See the 11" x 17" drawing labeled "120 Volt AC Electrical Diagram" for wiring detail.

BATTERY SELECT SWITCH

The Express 370 is equipped with five batteries. One of the batteries is designated for the bow thruster and the steering power assist pump. It is located behind the fold-out helm table. The other four batteries are located in the aft rigging area under the drop-in box, and provide power for the remaining accessories as well as starting the outboard engines and generator. The four aft batteries are grouped into two banks, each bank consisting of two batteries wired in parallel.

There are two battery select switches on a dual engine boat and three battery select switches on a triple engine boat. One battery select switch is designated for each engine, with the accessories operating from the same switch as the starboard engine. See "Battery Wiring With Select Switches (Dual Engines)" on page 8–42 and "Battery Wiring w/Select Switches (Triple Engines)" on page 8–43 for battery wiring diagrams. In normal use, select position "1" on the starboard switch and position "2" on the port switch so that both battery banks will charge

simultaneously with the engines running. If the boat has triple engines, the center switch may be set in position "1" or "2". The fifth battery forward in the boat receives charge from an engine isolator lead (from the center engine on a triple, and the port engine on a dual). For emergency situations when neither battery bank alone will start the engines, select "1" & "2" on each switch. Return the switches to normal operation settings after starting the engines.

WARNING .

Never turn the battery select switch to the "off" position with an engine (including generator) running as this could damage the engine charging system or the diesel generator's control panel.

BILGE PUMP WITH FLOAT SWITCH

Your boat is equipped with automatic float switches adjacent to the bilge pumps. A float switch will enable the pump to come on automatically if a significant amount of water accumulates in the bilge. The float switches function independently of the battery select switches and can activate the bilge pump with the battery select switches in the "off" position. The bilge pumps are also equipped with switches at the helm. When a switch is in the "on" position, the pump will run continuously. The pump should not be left in the "on" mode unless someone is monitoring the system and can turn the pump off when the bilge is dry. When a switch is in the "off" position, the "off" position, the pump is off unless activated by the float switch.

To prevent damage to the bilge pump, do not run it dry for a prolonged period of time.

BILGE PUMP LOCATIONS

Your boat has two bilge pumps. One is located in the aft bilge rigging compartment and can be accessed through the aft rigging lid beneath the access panel in the generator subfloor. The second is in the rigging compartment under the access panel located on the floor of the helm area. See *"12 Volt DC Accessory Locations" on page 8–40* for a layout of all 12 volt DC accessories.

BOW THRUSTER

(not necessary with Yamaha Helm Master[™] control option)

The bow thruster aids in maneuvering your boat. The outboard engines can control the direction of the stern while the bow thruster moves the bow. Use the joystick control located at the helm to control the thruster. The emergency shut-off switch provides a simple method to quickly disconnect power from the thruster motor. Depress this button to disengage the thruster in the event of an emergency. Reference "*Bow Thruster & Power Assist Layout*" on page 8–37 for a layout diagram.

CAUTION CAUTION

To avoid damaging the sheer pin in the bow thruster lower unit, do not engage the thruster when the propeller is not submerged. Also, do not suddenly change direction of thrust without allowing the propeller time to stop.

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BOW THRUSTER CHARGER

This single bank battery charger is located beneath the aft starboard helm seat just forward of the bait station. The generator must be running or the shore power must be connected with load group 1 energized for the charger to work. To activate the charger, turn the AC panel breaker switch to the "on" position. The charger has a built-in isolator that senses the charging needs of the bow thruster battery and delivers charge accordingly (maximum output of 6 amps). There is a 10A in-line fuse in the positive charging lead to the battery. If the charger appears to be operating normally but the battery does not recharge, check this fuse and replace as necessary. At the point that the battery is nearly fully restored, the charger will automatically reduce the current being sent to a maintenance level. See this charger's Operation Manual in your Owner's Packet for further information on the charger. See the 11" x 17" drawing labeled "120 Volt AC Electrical Diagram" for wiring detail.

CABIN LIGHTS

The cabin light switch on the DC panel supplies power to all lighting in the cabin, head, and aft berth. This switch must be on for any light to function. The main cabin lighting is controlled by a switch located on the wire cover box near the cabin door entrance — this switch has two small concentric circles on it. This switch controls the recessed lights in the dinette and galley. Another switch is located beside the cabin lights switch. This switch controls the low-level lighting in the cabin steps and at the etched glass by the dinette. Two more switches are located forward of the microwave in the V-berth area. One controls the low-level lighting recessed above the V-berth walls. The other controls the two recessed lights in the V-berth. The three lights above the mirrored cabinet in the head are controlled by a wall switch on the forward head wall. The overhead light in the aft berth and the rail light in the galley have switches built into each light. See "12V DC Cabin Lighting Diagram" on page 8–51 for wiring detail.

COCKPIT COOLERS SYSTEM

The aft fishbox and port cockpit insulated coolers are also refrigerated. The cockpit coolers switch on the AC panel must be on to cool these boxes. It is not required to have the air/cooler pump switch on and the air condition seacock open to cool these boxes, but it is recommended. The raw water moving through the system will allow the refrigeration unit to cool the boxes more efficiently. If you choose to turn the air/cooler pump on, ensure the air condition seacock is open. Refer to "120V Air Cond. & Cockpit Coolers Diagram" on page 8–46 for wiring detail.

These boxes may be used as freezers or refrigerators by designating the set point temperature for each box. The set points for each box are set using the digital temperature switches in the cooler control panel located in the galley area near the cabin door. To establish the set point, first press set — SP text will appear on the display. Press set again — the value will appear on the display. Change the temperature set point to the desired value using the up and down arrows. Press set when the desired set point is displayed to enter this value. Press set and down simultaneously to exit programming or wait one minute and the switch will exit programming mode automatically. Please reference the owner's manual for this system included in the owner's packet for more detailed information.

COCKPIT SHOWER

To operate the cockpit showers located in the starboard rigging station and beside the aft fishbox near the transom door, the freshwater switch located on the AC/DC panel must be in the "on" position or a shore water supply must be connected. To operate the shower at the rigging station, pull out the hose and depress the lever on the back of the wand to spray water. For continuous or hands free operation, pull up on the lever until it reaches the locked position. The aft cockpit shower may be used by simply removing the shower wand from the storage cup and depressing the button on the shower head. To reinstall either shower wand, gently feed the hose down through the deck and return the faucet to the base. To supply the hot water to the cockpit showers, make sure the hot water heater is on *(reference "Water Heater" on page 8–23)*, then adjust the mixer knob located at the cockpit showers.

COCKPIT SWITCH PANEL

This panel is located above the starboard rigging station. It is used to operate those systems which are not included on the AC/DC panel or the accessory switch panel. The switches are backlit for low light situations and have individual breakers located above them. Refer to "Accessory Switch Panels" on page 8–2 for information regarding the operation of switches included on this panel.

COMPASS

The compass is located at the helm station in direct view of the operator when navigating the boat. Following the compass instructions included in the "Owners Packet" will help you make compensation adjustments.

FRESHWATER SYSTEM

The Express 370 comes with a pressurized freshwater system. The freshwater pump is activated by the freshwater switch on the AC/DC panel and supplies water from the 54 gallon (204.4 L) water tank to the freshwater components on board. The freshwater pump and accumulator tank can be accessed through the panel in the port wall of the aft berth compartment. The water tank is located aft, next to the transom. This freshwater pump is by-passed when connected to a shore water supply; therefore, the freshwater switch should not be on when connected to shore water. See "*Pressurized Freshwater System Layout*" on page 8–31 for a layout diagram.

FRESHWATER WASHDOWN

To operate the freshwater washdown, turn on the freshwater switch on the AC/DC switch panel. This system will now be pressurized at the "freshwater" washdown outlet. A hose with a spray nozzle attached may be used intermittently without turning the switch off in the same fashion as a home garden hose with a nozzle. The freshwater pump has an internal pressurization switch that will maintain water pressure as needed until the switch is turned off at the switch panel.

GENERATOR

The generator option enables you to use AC accessories without being attached to shore power. The diesel generator is a Fischer PandaTM 8 Mini, capable of producing 7500 peak watts^{**} (62 amps) and a constant 6800 watts^{*} (55.8 amps). The generator diesel fuel is supplied by a separate tank located in the aft rigging area. See "*Generator Layout*" on page 8–36 for a layout of the generator system.

Generator Control Panel

The generator control panel is located in the cabin at the bottom of the AC/DC panel. This panel is equipped with some monitoring functions. To learn more about these monitoring functions, reference the Fischer Panda owner's manual included in your owner's packet.

Amperage Requirements

The generator provides sufficient power to operate most accessories at the same time. A list of amperage requirements for all AC accessories is provided below. Use the amperage meters and volt meter on the AC panel to properly manage the load on the generator. The generator is capable of handling momentary peaks above its rated capacity. These peaks are normally related to the start-up of each accessory. In addition to the factory installed appliances, you should know the amperage requirements of any household objects you bring on board.

 Air/Cooler Pump 	2.1 Amps (1.1) 50H	z Running Amps
 Air Conditioner 	11.7 Amps (5.9) 50H	z Running Amps
Helm Air Conditioner	11.7 Amps (5.9) 50H	z Running Amps

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Battery Charger	6.3 Amps	(3.2) 50Hz	Maximum Amps
Bow Thruster Charger	2.0 Amps	(1.0) 50Hz	Maximum Amps
 Cockpit Coolers 	6.6 Amps	(3.3) 50Hz	Running Amps
Electric Stove	10 Amps pe	r burner(5.0) 50Hz	Maximum Amps
Hot Water Heater	12.5 Amps	(6.3) 50Hz	Maximum Amps
 Microwave 	12.1 Amps	(6.1) 50Hz	Maximum Amps
Refrigerator	2.5 Amps	(1.3) 50Hz	Maximum Amps

Starting the Generator

- 1. Ensure the shut-off valve on the diesel fuel tank is open.
- 2. Open the generator seacock located in the aft rigging compartment and accessed through the aft folding door behind the folding cockpit seat using the remote arm.
- 3. Ensure the generator transfer switch and any other load has been switched off.
- 4. Press the standby "ON/OFF" button on the generator control panel. The control light for "Standby" must light up.
- 5. Press the generator "RUN/STOP" button on the generator control panel. The engine will start after the automatic pre-glow phase.
- 6. Switch the generator transfer switch on and confirm the correct voltage is being supplied from the generator using the volt meter on the AC panel.
- 7. Switch on desired loads.

Stopping the Generator

- 1. Switch off all loads and the generator transfer switch. Stabilize the generator temperature by running for five minutes without load.
- 2. Press the generator "RUN/STOP" button on the generator control panel.
- 3. Close the generator seacock.

CAUTION

Do not leave the generator seacock open while the boat is in motion and the generator is off. You can use the generator while the boat is moving. However, when the generator is shut down the intake seacock should be closed immediately. If the seacock remains open, excessive seawater may be forced into the generator cooling system causing water to back up into the exhaust manifold.

4. Close the shut-off valve on the diesel fuel tank.

WARNING

Never turn the battery select switch to the "off" position with an engine (including generator) running as this could damage the engine charging system or the diesel generator control panel.

Blower

A blower is included to provide ventilation to the generator engine compartment and should run at least 4 minutes before starting the generator. Using the blower does not take the place of checking the engine compartment by sight and smell for gasoline vapors. The blower is located in the aft rigging compartment and can be accessed through the aft rigging lid.

Carbon Monoxide Detector

Two carbon monoxide detectors are installed in the cabin to serve as a warning system for exposure to poisonous carbon monoxide fumes. Carbon monoxide is a colorless odorless gas produced in the exhaust of combustion engines. It can accumulate in amounts that may be hazardous or fatal. This accumulation may occur very quickly in a boat with a defective exhaust or one in which the exhaust is re-entering the boat due to wind currents, low pressure areas in the cabin, or other means of air movement. A CO monitor provides an extra measure of safety, but it does not replace the need to regularly check the entire generator exhaust system including the exhaust manifold, hose and muffler condition, hose connection joint, etc. For proper operation and maintenance, refer to the literature provided by the manufacturer in the owner's packet.



End-of-Life (EOL): The carbon monoxide detector is equipped with a 5 year EOL timer, which operates continuously and independently from a lithium battery. When the timer has run for 4 years and 11 months from the date of manufacture, the unit will signal the first EOL alarm: The green LED will turn off, the red LED will turn on and the alarm will beep every 30 seconds. To temporarily reset the device to normal operation after the EOL alarm occurs, press and hold the test/silence button until both lights come on. It will be reset for 72 hours and this process can be repeated for 30 days. After 30 days the unit will continuously signal EOL and must be replaced, as it will no longer detect CO.

HARDTOP

Do not use the hardtop for storing heavy or large items such as a raft. The frame for the top is designed for continual use with antennas, radar, and outriggers. The additional weight caused by larger items such as a raft may cause damage to the frame structure.

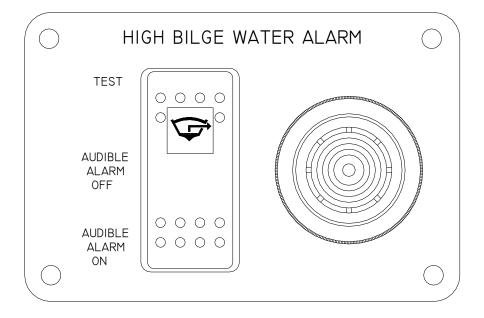
HEAD SHOWER

To use the head shower, the freshwater switch located on the AC/DC panel must be activated or a shore water supply must be connected to provide pressure to the hot and cold water supplies. Water flow is controlled by the shower mixer fixture and a conservation valve built into the shower head.

HIGH BILGE WATER ALARM

Your boat is equipped with a high bilge water alarm. Although some residual accumulation of water in the bilge is normal, this alarm will alert you if water reaches a high level that could impair operation of the boat or be damaging to equipment. It is activated by a float switch located in the forward bilge. This float switch is separate from the bilge pump system and only activates the high bilge water alarm. The alarm panel (pictured below) provides both audible and visual alert signals. This panel is located inside the cabin in the galley. When activated, the red light on the switch will be on and a high pitched tone similar to that of an in-home smoke detector will sound. This is the recommended position to leave this switch. With the audible alarm off, the red light will be the only indication of a high water situation.

Should the high bilge water alarm activate, immediately investigate to determine the source of water entry. Also, confirm your bilge pumps are working properly. If the situation cannot be quickly resolved, contact your dealer and remove the boat from the water. See "12V DC High Bilge Water Alarm Diagram" on page 8–57 for wiring detail.



LIVEWELL - RAW WATER

To operate the livewell, open the seacock with the livewell I.D. tag located beneath the center lid in the aft berth. The 1100 gph (4164 lph) livewell pump is screwed directly into this seacock. The livewell switch at the helm should be in the "on" position. Place the livewell standpipe in the drain located at the bottom of the livewell. Screw it down until the black flange makes contact with the flange on the drain fitting. Water will enter through a plenum along the side of the livewell and be distributed through a series of holes arranged vertically along the plenum. The water will rise to a depth even with the strainer on the standpipe and drain overboard. To evacuate debris and bait waste from the bottom of the box while the livewell is in operation, unscrew the standpipe approximately three turns to expose two 3/8" holes located in the threads of the standpipe base. This will allow a small amount of water to escape through these holes and remove any waste that has settled in the bottom of the livewell. See "*Livewell/Raw Water Washdown System Layout*" on page 8–29 for a layout diagram.

ΝΟΤΙΟΕ

If the livewell seacock is left open and the pump is not on, the boat's forward motion through the water will gradually fill the box. To prevent this inadvertent filling, close the seacock when the livewell is not in use.

Under certain conditions, placing the outboard engines in reverse will ventilate the water under the boat and create an air lock in the livewell pump. To prevent this situation from occurring, it is recommended the livewell be turned off prior to any high RPM or continuous reverse operation. If the livewell pump becomes air-locked, correct this situation by turning the pump off for 20 seconds.

MAIN CIRCUIT BREAKER

There is a 50 amp circuit breaker located in the panel beneath the battery select switches. This is the main breaker protecting the wiring supplying power to the accessory switch panel. This breaker may be manually tripped by moving the arm to the "off" position. If this breaker is tripped, moving the arm back to the "on" position will reset it.

MICROWAVE

The shore power must be connected or the generator must be operating with load group 1 energized for the microwave to function. A foam block has been provided to protect the glass platter inside the microwave when the boat is in motion. Ensure this block is in place when the microwave is not in use — remove before operation. Refer to the microwave operation and maintenance manual in your owner's packet for specific instructions on the safe and proper use of the microwave.

OUTLETS

Current is provided to all outlets by the generator or shore power. Each outlet is ground fault protected and switched individually at the AC panel. These outlets will operate any standard household appliance (i.e. blender, coffee maker). However, the total combined amperage, in addition to other AC accessories, must not overload the boat's generator or shore power output.

* 15A for international boats outside North America

POWER ASSIST HYDRAULIC STEERING

The engine ignition switches must be on for this system to function. The power assist hydraulic pump is activated simply by turning the steering wheel. The hydraulic pump senses the motion of the hydraulic fluid from the helm and pumps fluid in the cylinders at the engine accordingly. The power assist pump is installed in the starboard aft berth rigging compartment and can be accessed via the access panel in the aft berth wall. The power source for this pump is the bow thruster battery located behind the helm table. Over-current protection is provided by a 50A fuse located on the bow thruster battery. This system is compatible with multiple steering stations and the use of an autopilot. Refer to the owner's manual in your owner's packet for more information.

RAW WATER WASHDOWN

To operate the raw water washdown, open the seacock with the washdown I.D. tag located in the forward bilge beneath the sole floor rigging lid. Depress the raw water switch on the accessory switch panel. This system will now be pressurized at the raw water washdown outlets, located port side at the aft and bow. A hose with a spray nozzle attached may be used intermittently without turning the switch off in the same fashion as a home yard hose with a nozzle. The raw water pump has an internal pressurization switch that will maintain water pressure as needed until the switch is turned off at the switch panel. The pump is located in the forward starboard rigging compartment and may be accessed via the access panel in the aft storage area under the helm. See *"Livewell/Raw Water Washdown System Layout" on page 8–29* for a system diagram.

Refrigerator

The refrigerator is a double drawer design that includes a refrigerated top drawer and a frost free freezer and integrated ice maker in the bottom drawer. This unit operates on AC power only, requiring either the generator to be in operation or the shore power to be connected with load group 1 energized. To power up the unit, the refrigerator switch on the AC panel must be on as well as the ON/OFF button on the right side of the digital control panel located in the top drawer. The digital control panel also allows you to set the desired temperature of the refrigerator, temperature of the freezer, and operate the ice maker.

The ice maker produces ice using water supplied by the boat's freshwater system. Therefore, the freshwater switch on the DC panel must be on, or the boat must be connected to a shore water supply for the ice maker to function. A valve is installed inline with the freshwater supply to provide water to the unit and to serve as a means for winterizing the system. This valve is set in the winterized position (perpendicular to the supply line) at the factory. A 4" screw out plate located in the galley trash can storage compartment provides access to this valve. This valve must be turned parallel to the supply line prior to using the ice maker.

To winterize the ice maker, turn the valve perpendicular to the supply line allowing the small amount of water in the ice maker line to drain out through the valve and into the bilge. Then cycle the ice maker one time to remove any remaining water from the unit.

For additional information regarding troubleshooting, maintenance, or defrosting, please reference the refrigerator user's manual in your owner's packet.

SEACOCKS

Ball valve seacocks are installed on the thru hulls for the livewell, washdown, air/cooler pumps, generator systems and some head features. It is necessary for the seacocks to be in the "open" position for operation. The "open" position is identified by the orientation of the handle. If the handle is in line or parallel to the body of the valve, the seacock is in the "open" position. If the handle is perpendicular to the body of the valve, the seacock is in the "closed" position. For seacocks with remote arms installed, the "open" position can be obtained by pulling up on the remote arm attached to the seacock handles. Pushing down on the remote arm closes the seacock.

All seacocks should be in the "closed" position if not in use or if the boat is unattended to prevent the taking on of water if a plumbing component fails.

SHORE POWER

The shore power feature allows the use of AC equipment on board the boat. This equipment includes any permanently installed appliances such as a battery charger or water heater, or it may be a household item plugged into a receptacle. The shore power is utilized by connecting heavy-duty cables supplied with the boat to an appropriate external power source. These cables provide power to the boat's AC inlets that are wired to the AC panel (see "AC Power Distribution – Shore 1, Shore 2, and Generator" on page 8–4 for more detail). The AC panel allows for distribution to the various appliances and outlets. See the "AC Wiring One-Line Diagram" on page 8–45 for wiring specifics and "120 Volt AC Accessory Locations" on page 8–41 for component locations.

Always disconnect the shore power cable if leaving the boat unattended for an extended period of time.

Connecting The Shore Power

(Either Shore 1 or Shore 2)

- 1. Verify that the external power source is a 3 wire grounded system with amperage and voltage ratings compatible with the boat's AC system ratings.
- 2. Be sure there is sufficient cable length to allow for normal movement between the boat and the dock.
- 3. Turn all AC panel switches (including the appropriate distribution switch) to the "off" position. Turn the circuit breaker under the starboard gunwale to "off". Turn the circuit breaker at the dock outlet to "off".
- 4. Connect the shore power cable at the boat inlet first.
- 5. Connect the shore power cable at the dock outlet and turn the dock outlet circuit breaker to "on".
- 6. Turn the circuit breaker under the starboard gunwale to the "on" position. Note: Test circuit breaker monthly by pressing the test button and then resetting.

7. Turn the shore circuit breaker on the AC panel to the "on" position.



If the reverse polarity indicator on the AC panel is activated, immediately disconnect the shore power cable, and have a qualified electrician correct the fault.

Disconnecting The Shore Power

(Either Shore 1 or Shore 2)

- 1. Switch all circuit breakers at the boat's AC panel off (including the appropriate distribution switch).
- 2. Switch the circuit breaker under the starboard gunwale off.
- 3. Switch the circuit breaker off at the dock outlet.
- 4. Disconnect the shore power cable at the dock outlet first.
- 5. Disconnect the shore power cable at the boat inlet.

ΝΟΤΙΟΕ

Keep inlet covers closed tightly when not in use.

SHORE WATER

Your Express 370 is equipped with shore water plumbing. Simply attach any shore water supply to the freshwater inlet located on the transom in the motorwell area. The shore water plumbing by-passes the freshwater pump installed on your boat. Therefore, the freshwater switch on the DC panel does not have to be on when connected to shore water. All freshwater features on your boat are available for use when connected to shore water without depleting the supply in your water tank.

The freshwater supply to the boat should be turned off at the dock if not in use, or if the boat is unattended, to prevent flooding the boat if a plumbing component fails.

SHOWER SUMP

The shower sump is located under the floor of the aft berth and can be accessed by removing the cover board beneath the center cushion. The shower sump switch on the AC/DC panel must be on for the sump pump to operate. The sump collects and discharges drainage from the head shower and condensation from the air conditioner. The sump pump should be turned on whenever either are in use. The shower sump contains a filter which should always be installed when using the shower to prevent the sump pump from becoming clogged. See "*Cleaning*" on page 6-1 for maintenance information. Similar to a bilge pump, the sump pump is activated automatically by a float switch to discharge the collected water overboard via a thru hull.

Stereo

The stereo is a marine AM/FM receiver with an integrated iPod®/iPhone dock and a Bluetooth® adapter. A Sirius satellite radio tuner and antenna may be installed in lieu of the Bluetooth® adapter upon request. It is located above the microwave in the galley with one speaker above the galley, another above the dinette, two in the hardtop and two in the cockpit. There is an amplifier that operates the two speakers in the cockpit and is located near the stereo in the port cabinet. The unit can be remotely operated with the touch pad mounted at the helm station. Refer to the stereo's operation and maintenance manual in your owner's packet for specific instructions on using this unit. See "*Stereo Layout*" on page 8–39 for a drawing showing stereo system component locations.

Stove

Located at the galley, the Express 370 stove is a glass dual element cooktop which operates by AC current only. Therefore the generator must be operating or the shore power must be connected with load group 1 energized prior to use. Your stove is equipped with an integrated shutoff switch that is activated when the stove lid is in the "closed" position. Please review the factory provided information in your owner's packet for instructions on safe and proper use of this unit.

TRIM TABS

Trim tabs are electrically and hydraulically operated. The trim tab system includes a hydraulic pump, a switch with an integrated indicator, and an auto-retract feature. The switch controls the pump which lowers and raises the trim tabs. The indicator keeps you constantly aware of the trim tab's position. The auto-retract feature automatically raises the tabs every time the ignition switch is turned off.

Trim tabs are used to regulate the attitude of the boat while moving and will aid in trimming the boat fore and aft for a smoother ride. Trim tabs can improve the ride of your boat by adjusting where the water is hitting the keel line. In a slight chop, the waves may be hitting the keel of your boat around the helm area causing an uncomfortable ride. By adjusting the trim tabs and lowering the bow, the waves will hit the keel at a more forward point and soften the ride. Experimenting with trim tabs in various sea conditions will help you determine the best positions for your boat under different load conditions.



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Trim tabs are also useful in correcting a port or starboard running list. If the boat is listing to the port side, press the starboard trim tab switch toward "bow down". Press the port trim tab switch toward "bow down" to correct a starboard list. This will tend to lower the bow by pulling the higher side to a level position. If your bow is already in a low position and your tabs are down, you may correct a listing condition by pressing the trim tab switch toward "bow up". This will cause the low side to rise and level the boat. The running angle will also gradually improve.

Trim tabs in the extreme "bow up" positions will have no effect on the boat's ride. Trim tabs in the extreme "bow down" position will cause the boat to come on plane with minimum bow rise. Unless you are operating at low speeds or with considerable cockpit weight you will likely want to raise the tabs slightly when underway to avoid "plowing" water. With the tabs in the "bow down" position, you will be able to maintain a plane at the least possible RPMs.

See "12V DC Trim Tab Diagram" on page 8-55 for system wiring detail.

Trim Tab Pump Location

The Express 370 trim tab pump is located on the port hull side, and is accessed through the wall panel in the aft berth compartment. The hydraulic fluid should be checked on a seasonal basis.

TV/DVD

The television is a 19" (48cm) flat screen LED unit. It is located in a seperate TV cabinet forward of the v-berth. An A/B switch located beside the TV is used to change between broadcast antenna and shore cable reception. When the switch is set to A, the TV receives a signal from the broadcast antenna. Set the switch to B when connected to shore cable. The DVD/CD player is a separate unit located in the galley cabinet next to the stereo. Both the TV and the DVD/CD player receive power from the fuse block located behind the microwave. The TV system also includes auxiliary audio/video inputs which allow for external devices such as gaming systems to be connected to the TV using standard RCA cables.

CAUTION

The TV must be stored in the cabinet recess with the retainer latch engaged when the boat is underway. Failure to secure the TV when the boat is moving could result in injury or damage to the TV or mounting bracket.

VACUFLUSH[®] HEAD SYSTEM

The VacuFlush® head consists of a vitreous china bowl, vacuum pump with tank, and a holding tank. To operate the head, the head and freshwater switches on the DC panel must be in the "on" position. This provides power to the vacuum pump, and pressurizes the freshwater system. If a shore water supply is connected, the freshwater switch does not need to be on. Since this unit uses freshwater, it is not necessary to open a seacock prior to use. Instructions on the operation of your VacuFlush® head are as follows:

- 1. Verify that the switches on the DC panel are in the "on" position.
- 2. To add water prior to flushing, raise the flush lever on the bowl until the desired level is reached.

3. To flush, depress the flush lever sharply until contents clear the bowl. A sharp popping noise is normal when the vacuum seal is broken and flushing begins. Be sure to hold the lever down for 3 seconds.

N O T I C E

Do not dispose of sanitary napkins or other non dissolving items in the toilet. Also, do not attempt to flush facial tissue, paper towels, or large quantities of toilet paper.

Located on the outboard head wall is a monitor which displays the fill level of the holding tank. When the tank is filled, it can be discharged overboard or emptied through the deck pump-out fitting. Following are instructions on both operations:

Overboard Discharge

- 1. Open the discharge seacock located under the aft berth subfloor with the disch. I.D. tag. This seacock must be open prior to discharge to prevent damage to the discharge pump. To access, take out the center cushion and remove the compartment cover board.
- 2. Supply power to the pump at the DC panel using the switch labeled holding tank discharge.
- 3. Engage the pump using the key switch in the Tank Manager panel on the outboard head wall. Turn the switch to the start position momentarily and release. The key will return to the "auto-off" position. The discharge pump will run until the Tank Manager panel indicates the tank is empty and turn off automatically.
- 4. Turn the key to the "off" position.
- 5. Close the discharge seacock when the tank is empty.

Overboard discharge seacock must be sealed and secured in the closed position in accordance with the laws in your boating area.

Deck Pump-out

- 1. Remove the cap from the deck pump-out fitting located in the starboard walk around.
- 2. Connect a vacuum hose from a pump-out station to the deck fitting and run until the tank is empty. Replace the cap on the deck pump-out fitting.

See "VacuFlush® Head Layout" on page 8–30 for a layout diagram.

WATER HEATER

The generator must be operating or the shore power connected with load group 2 energized for the eleven gallon water heater to function. This accessory will provide hot water to the pressurized freshwater system. Follow the water heater operation and maintenance manual provided in the owner's packet for instructions and care of the water heater.

CAUTION

To avoid heating element failure, do not turn on the water heater unless it is filled with water.

Operation Of Optional Features

GRILL

The shore power must be connected or the generator must be operating for the grill to function. Refer to the Grill Operation and Maintenance manual in your Owner's Packet for specific instructions on the safe and proper use of the grill.

OUTRIGGER KIT -

15' (4.6 m) Top Mount Radial; 24' (7.3 m) Lee Pro Series

The optional outriggers spread the fishing lines being trolled from your boat and decrease the chance of entanglement.

- Advantages Advantages of outriggers include offering bait throughout a larger area behind the boat placing bait out of the wake zone, automatic drop back following strikes (which allows for fish to completely accept bait), and a reduction in unnecessary twisting action characteristic of artificial bait.
- Instructions For installation and use, reference the sheet included in your Owner's Packet.
- Care And Maintenance Outriggers should be washed with freshwater, mild soap, and a soft cloth. Never use abrasive cleaners on outriggers. A periodic waxing is suggested if your outriggers are exposed to salt water. The wax will provide a protective coating and seal the pores of the metal. A non-abrasive high quality marine or automotive wax is recommended. Before storage clean and wax the outriggers. During assembly grease all threads, bolts, and tubes where one section is inserted into another. Disassemble and regrease all applicable surfaces on an annual basis.

SIRIUS SATELLITE RADIO

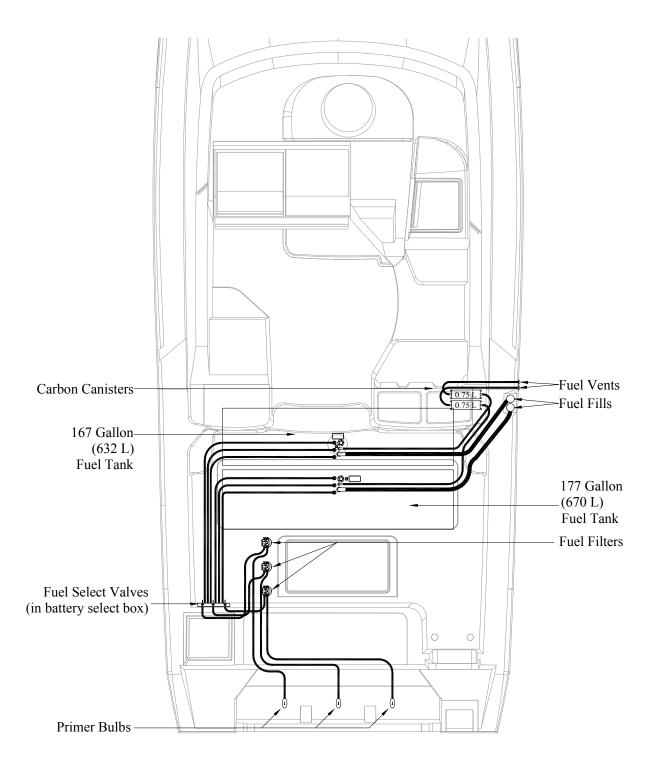
The Sirius satellite radio includes the Sirius satellite tuner and antenna which provides access to many channels of digital entertainment. The antenna is installed on the forward bow area away from any structure that may cause signal interference. The tuner is installed inside the galley behind the microwave. The tuner is controlled by the Sirius ready stereo installed on your boat.

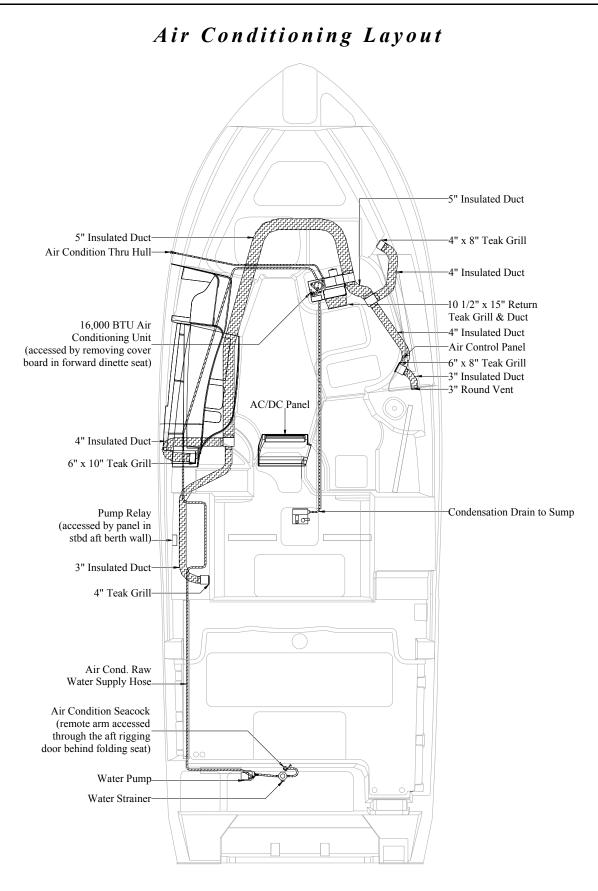
You may activate your subscription to Sirius online at <u>siriusradio.com</u> or by calling toll-free 1-888-539-SIRIUS. If you choose to call, a Sirius operator will walk you through the initial setup process. You will need the ESN number for your tuner, a major credit card, your boat in a location where the antenna is not blocked from receiving signal, and the Sirius tuner tuned to channel 184. You will find the ESN number attached to the warranty card for the tuner included in the owner's packet. You may also obtain this number using your Sirius ready stereo by following a few simple steps:

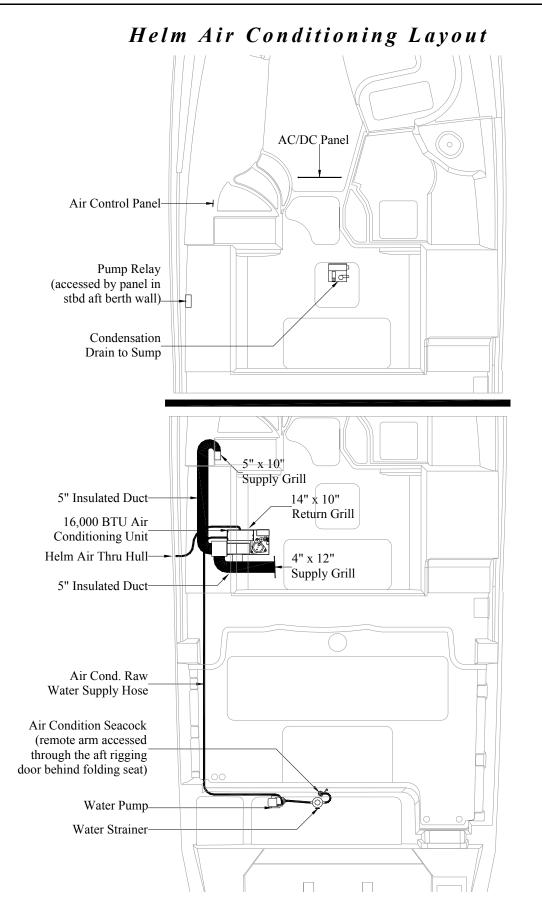
- 1. Press the antennae button repeatedly until "SIRIUS XM" appears.
- 2. Scroll until "Channel 1" appears.
- 3. Write the number down and exit screen.

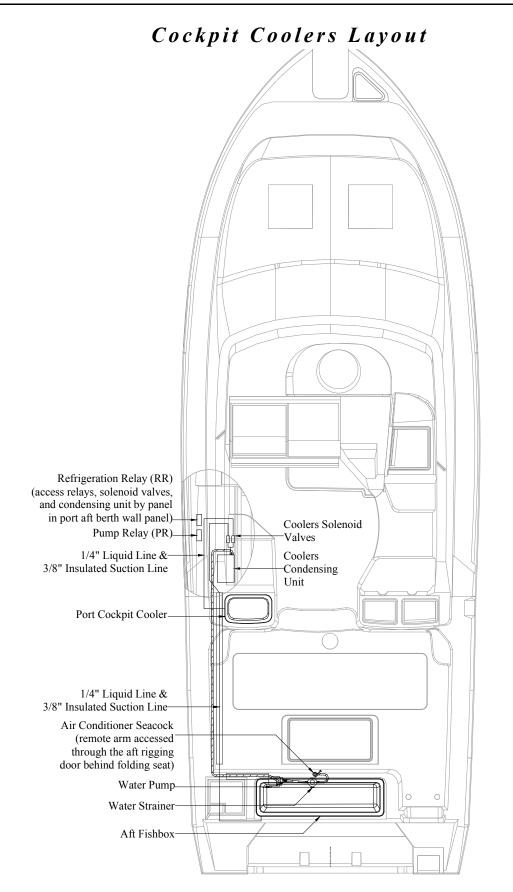
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Fuel System

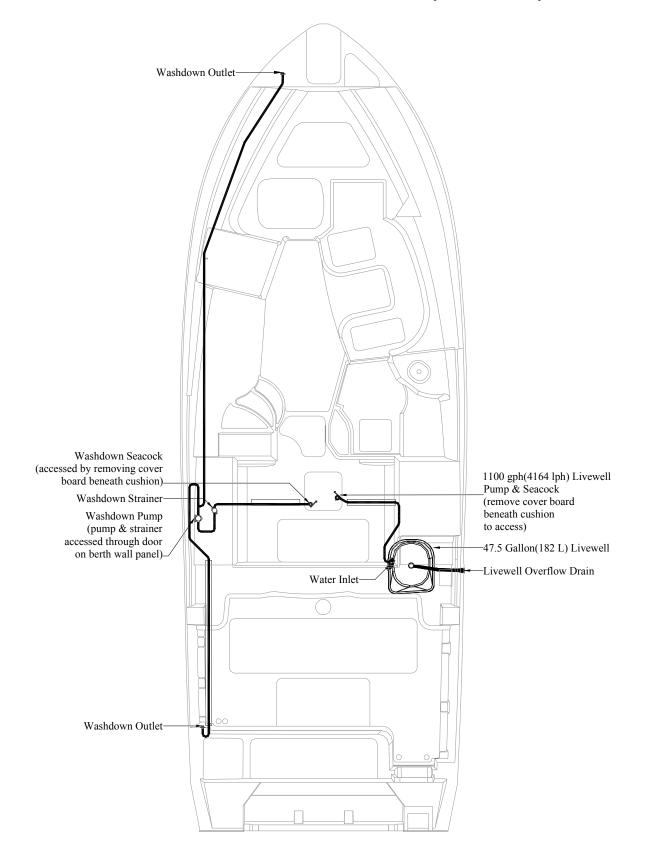


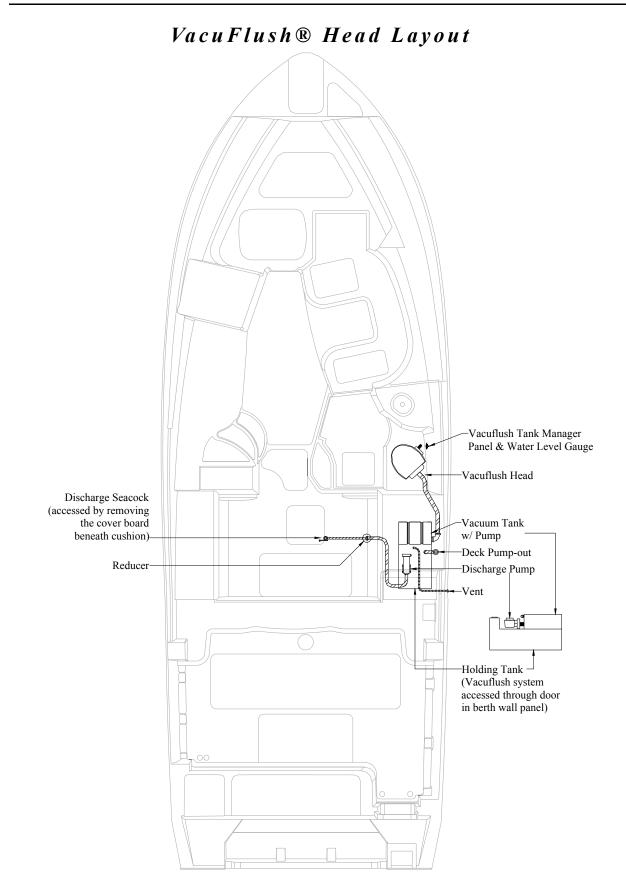


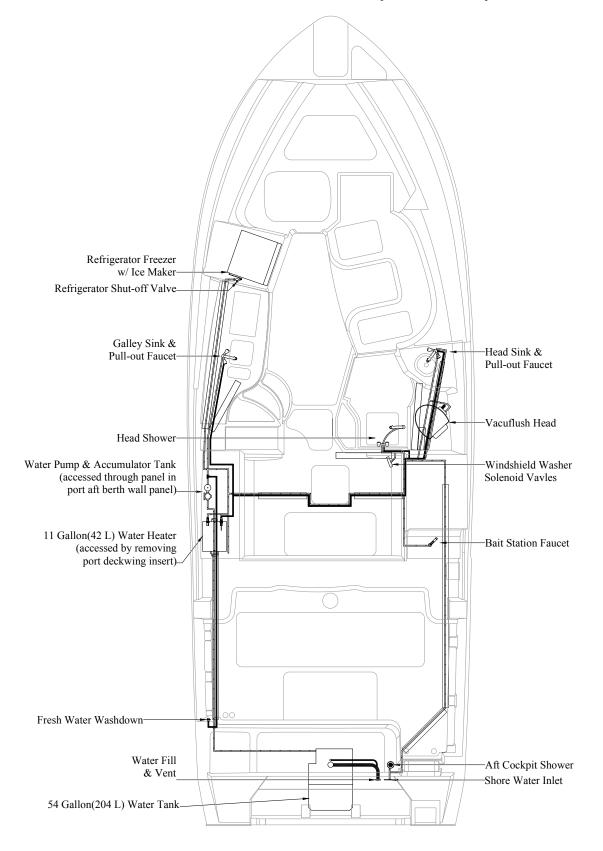




Livewell/Raw Water Washdown System Layout

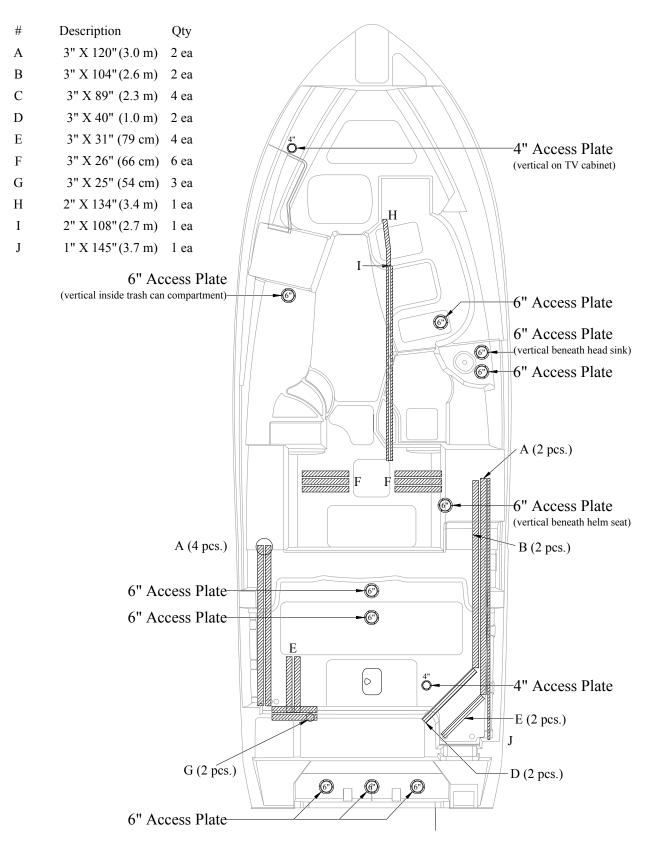




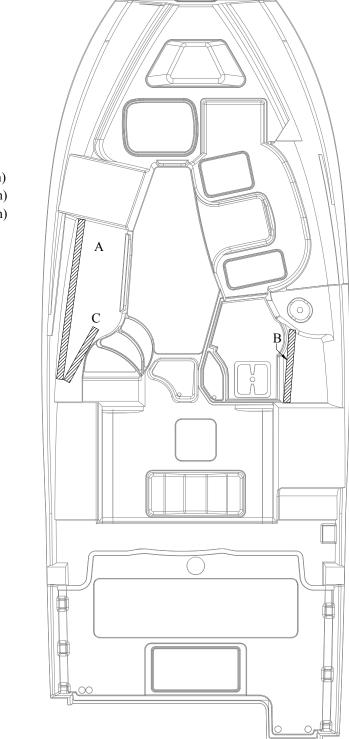


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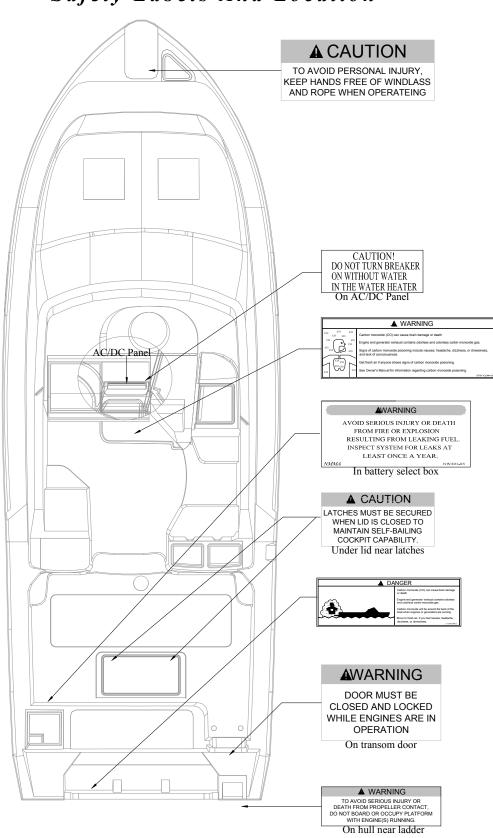
Access Plate And Hull Rigging Tube Locations



Liner Rigging Tubes



- # Description
- A 3" x 80" (2.0 m)
- B 3" x 36" (91 cm)
- C 3" x 30" (76 cm)



Safety Labels And Location

Thru Hull Detail

Description A Scupper Drains

C Gen Exhaust

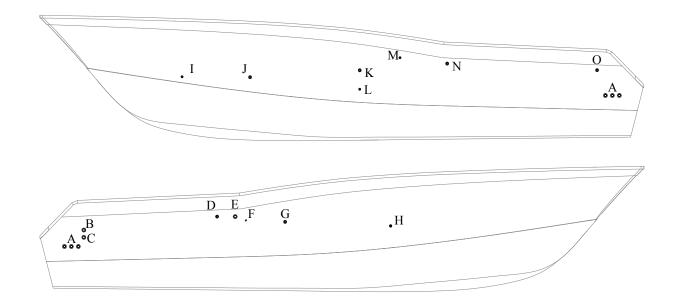
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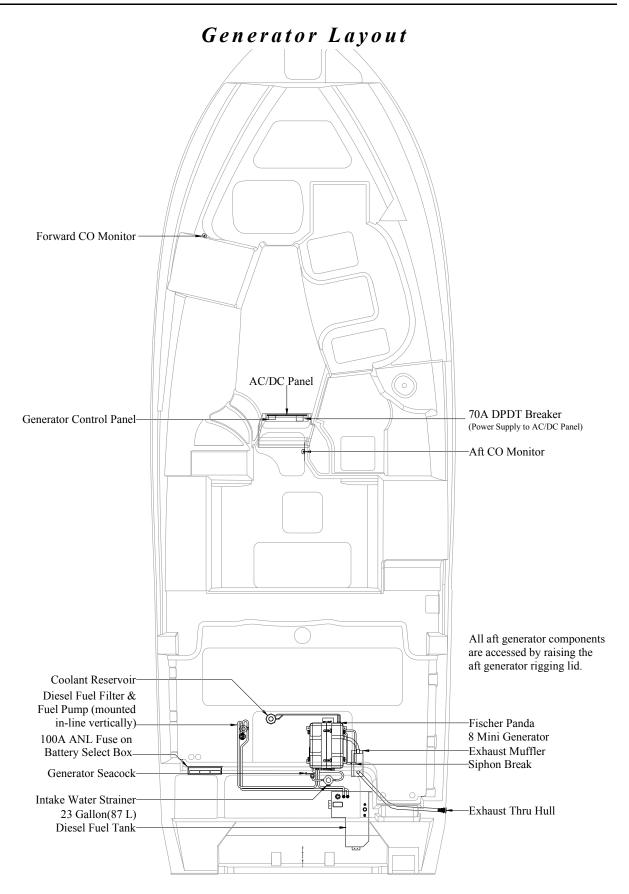
- # Description
- Air Conditioner Discharge Ι
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- K Fwd Bilge
- D Stbd Sink Drain

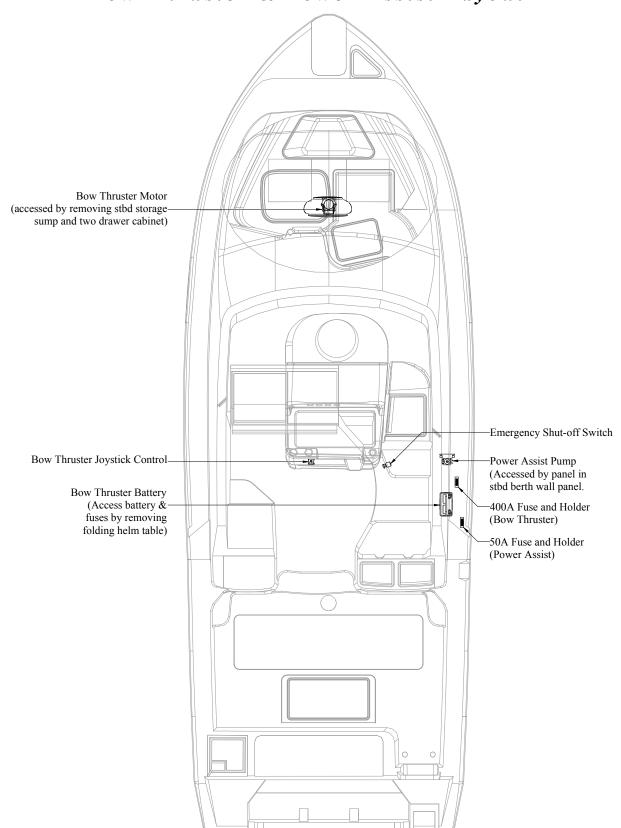
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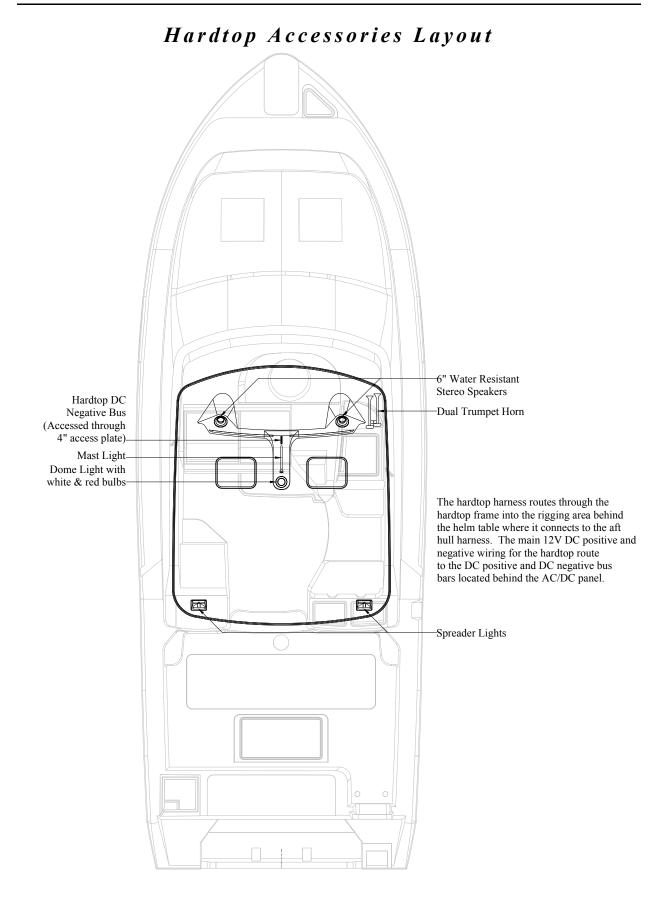
- E Livewell Drain/Overflow
- Head Vent F
- G Shower Sump
- H Head Sink Drain

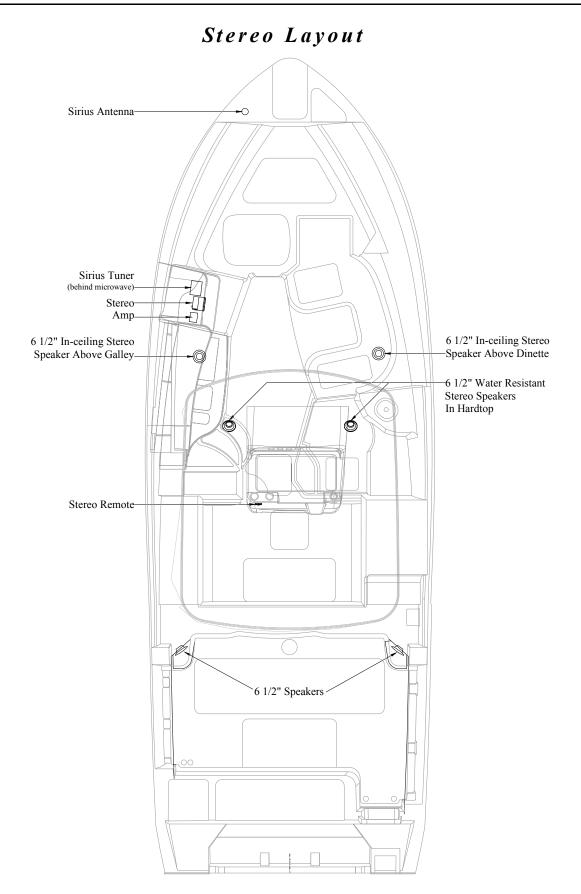
- Galley Sink Drain
- Condensor Drain L
- Water Heater Drain М
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- O Aft Bilge

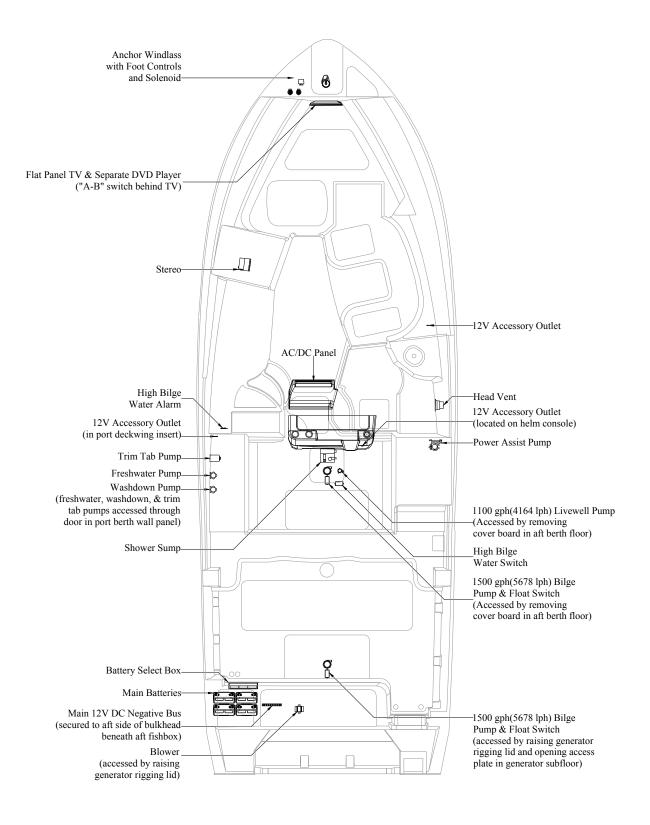




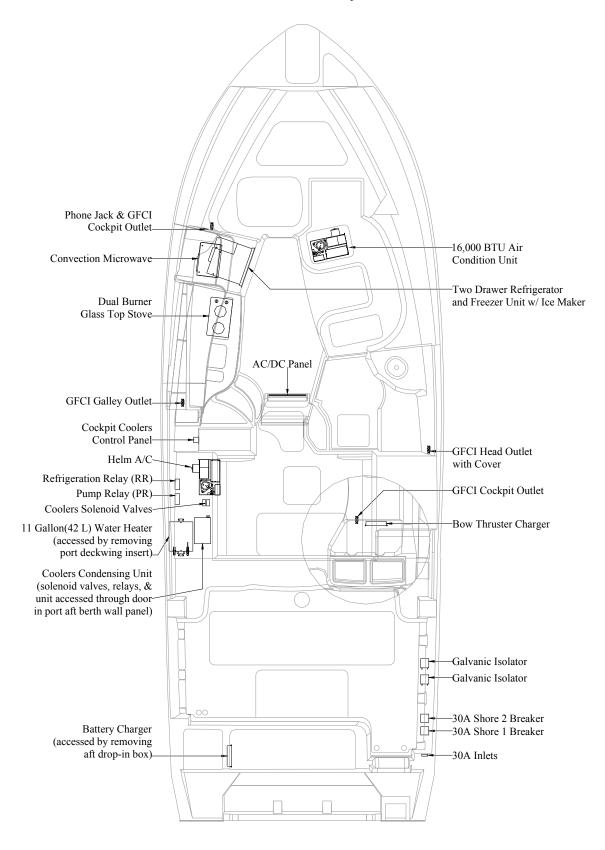






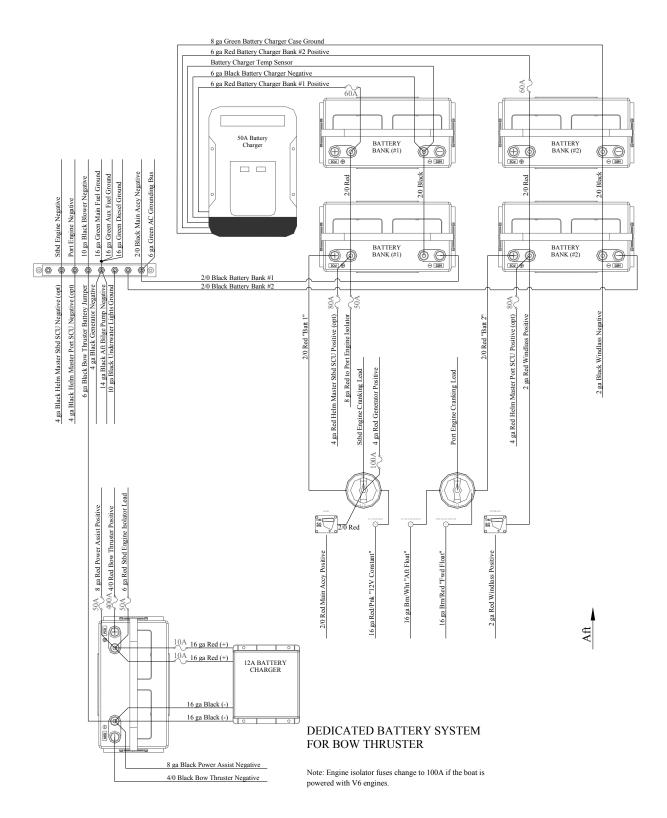


12 Volt DC Accessory Locations

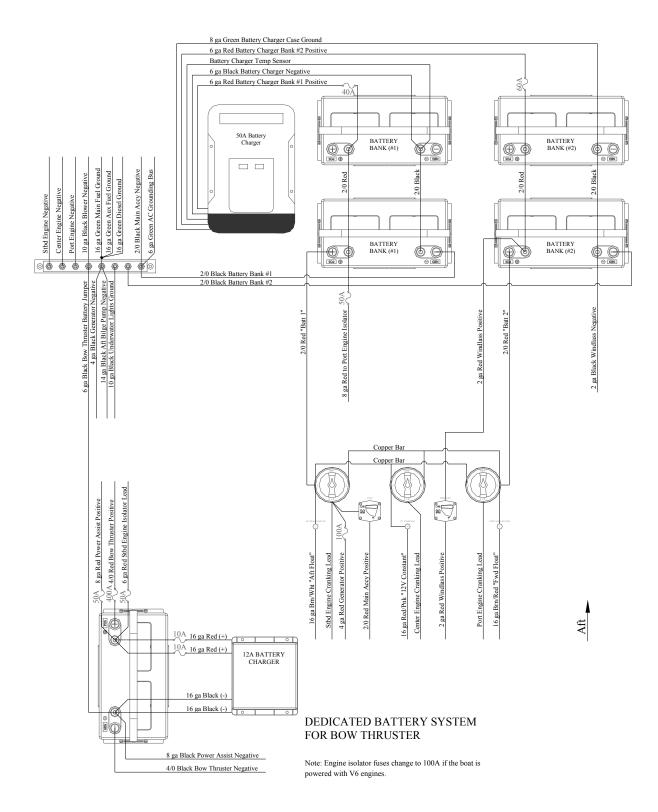


120 Volt AC Accessory Locations

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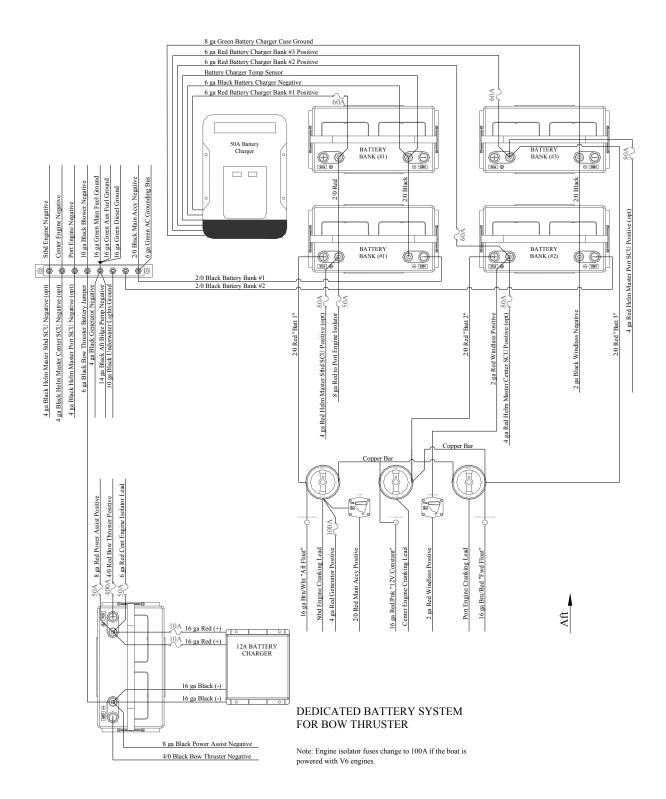


Battery Wiring w/Select Switches (Triple Engines)

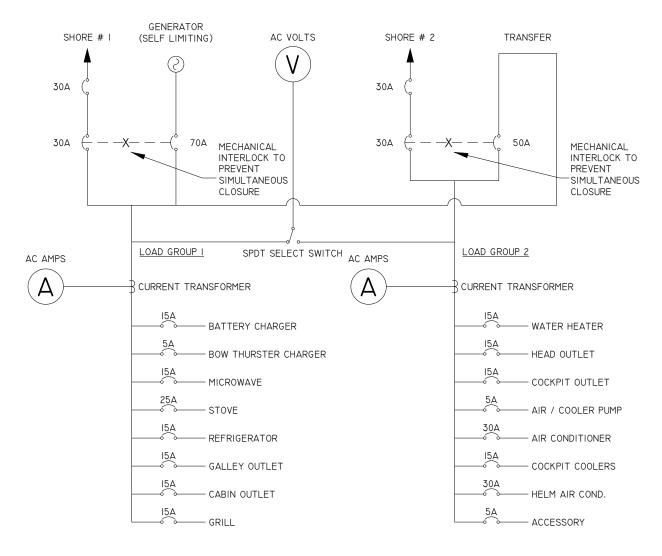


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Battery Wiring w/Select Switches (HelmMaster Opt.)



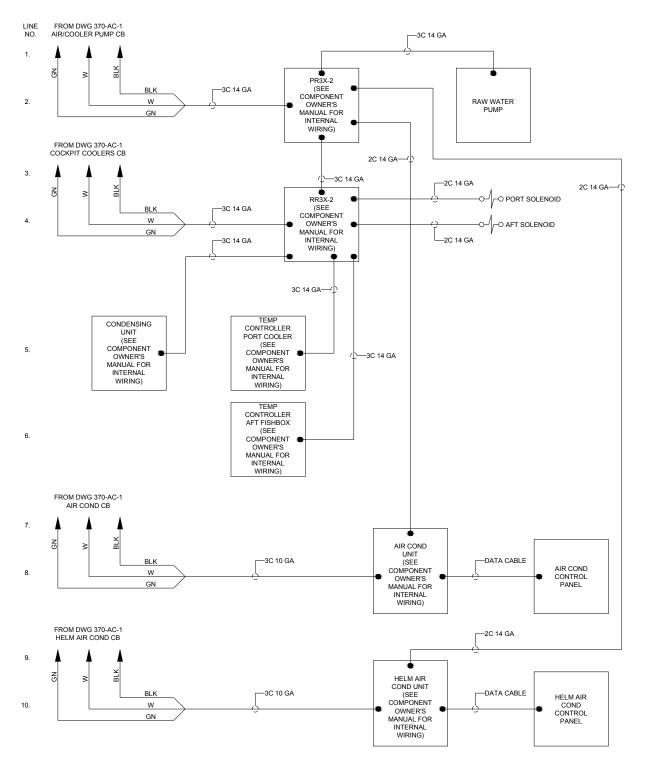
AC Wiring One-Line Diagram



NOTE:

WHEN OPERATING FROM A SINGLE POWER SOURCE WITH THE TRANSFER SWITCH ENGAGED, THE AMP READINGS MUST BE ADDED FOR PROPER LOAD MANAGEMENT.

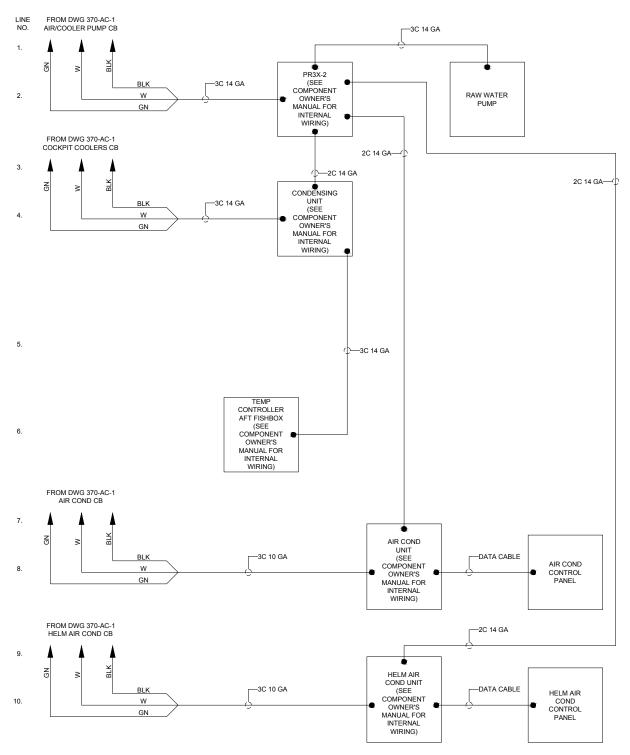




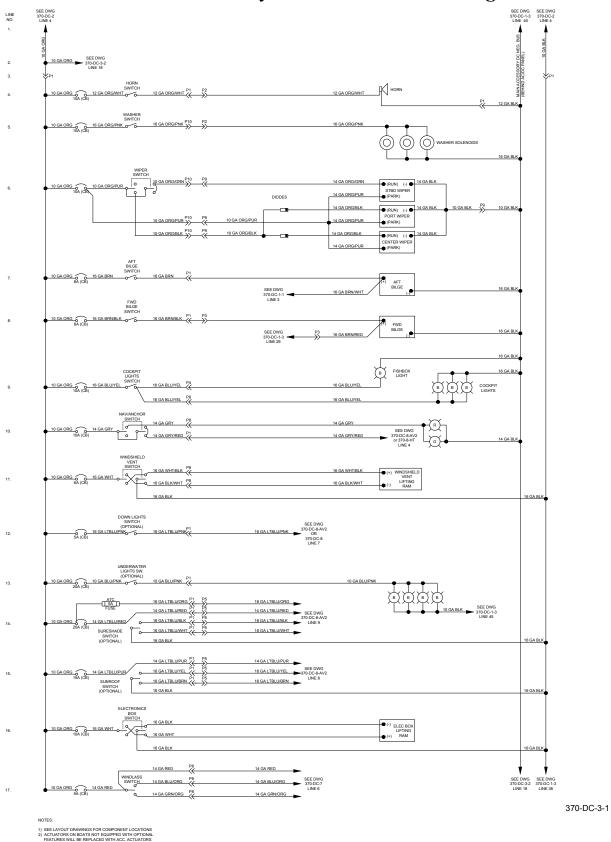
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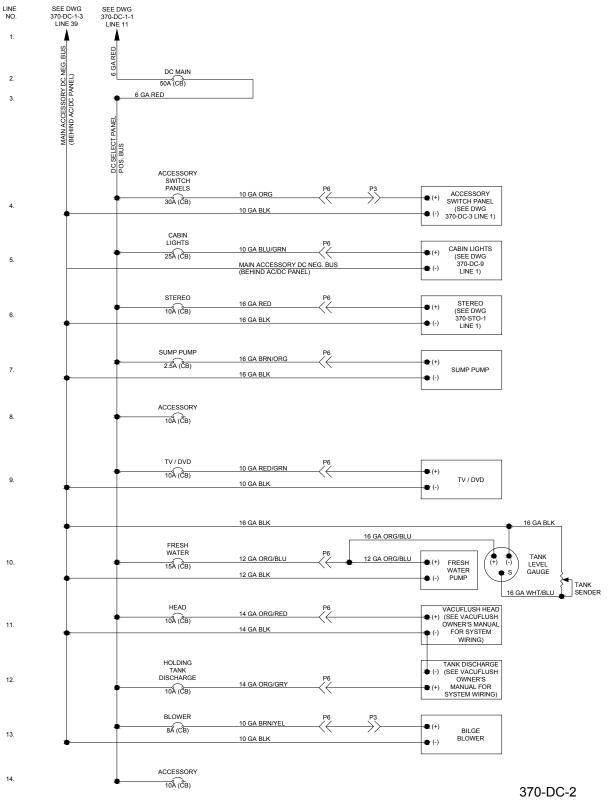
120V Air Cond., Cockpit Coolers & Grill Diagram







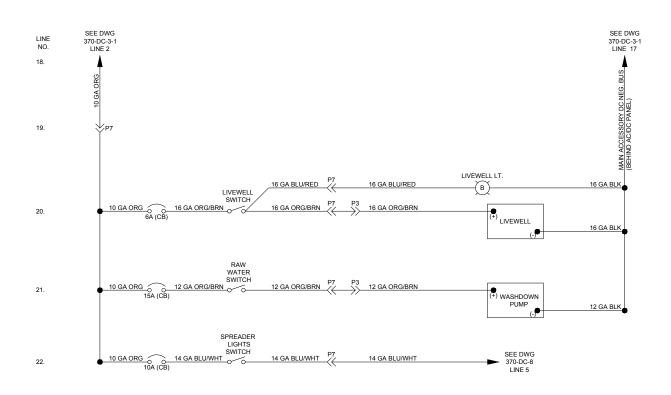
12V DC Accessory Switch Panel Diagram



12V DC Cabin Switch Panel Diagram

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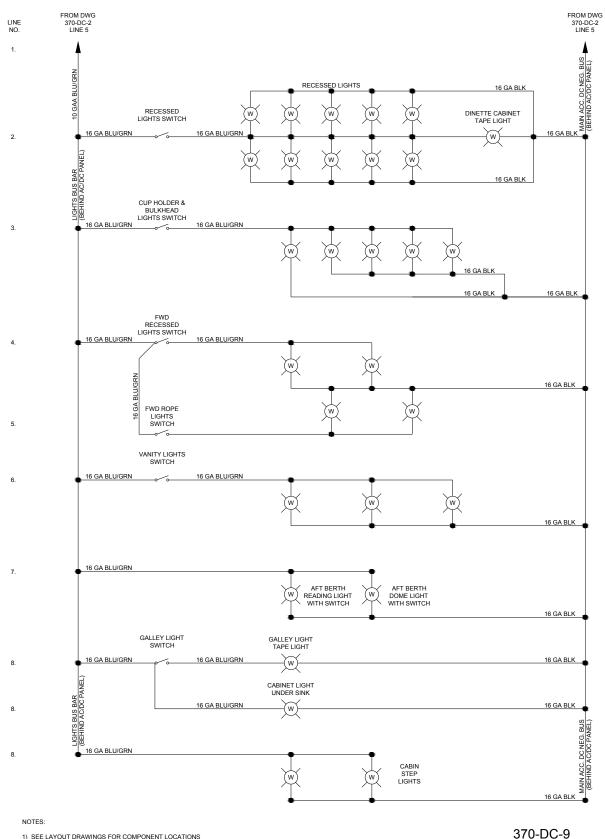


12V DC Cockpit Switch Panel Diagram

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 SEE LAYOUT DRAWINGS FOR COMPONENT LOCATIONS
 ACTUATORS ON BOATS NOT EQUIPPED WITH OPTIONAL FEATURES WILL BE REPLACED WITH ACC. ACTUATORS

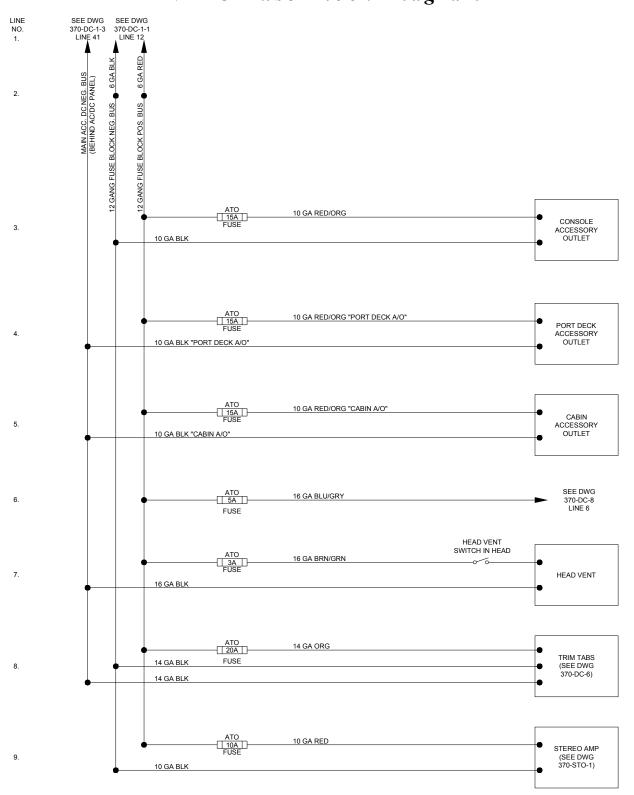
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12V DC Cabin Lighting Diagram

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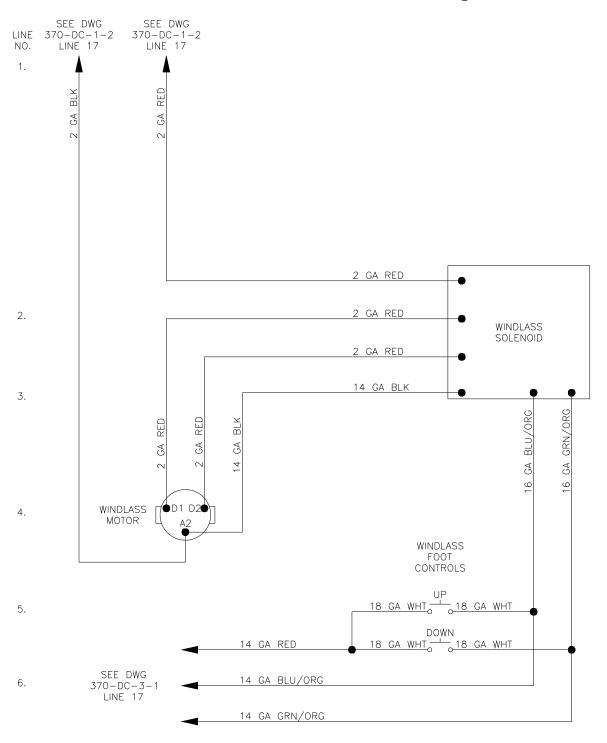


12V DC Fuse Block Diagram

NOTES:

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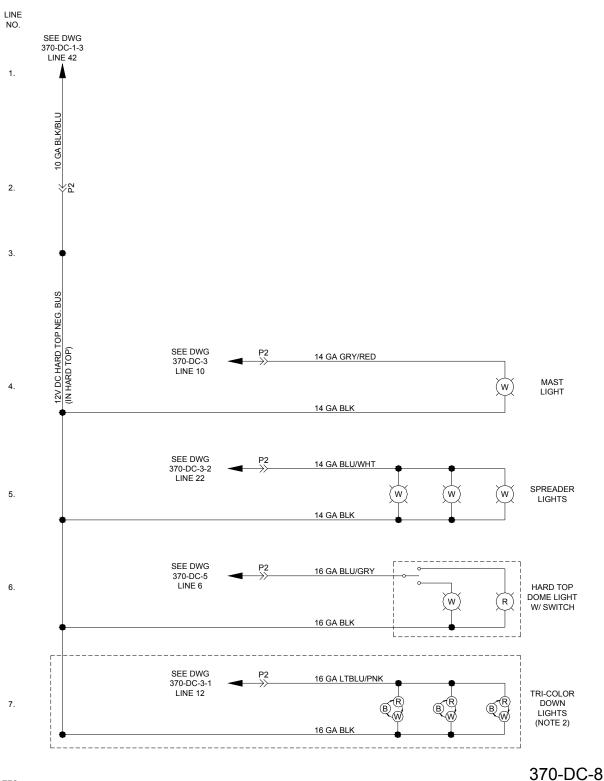


12V DC Anchor Windlass Diagram

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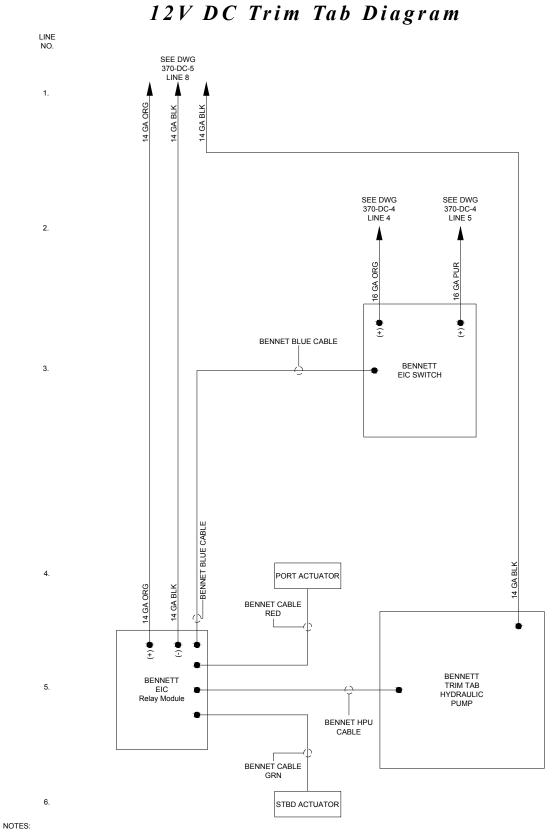


12V DC Hardtop Electrical Diagram

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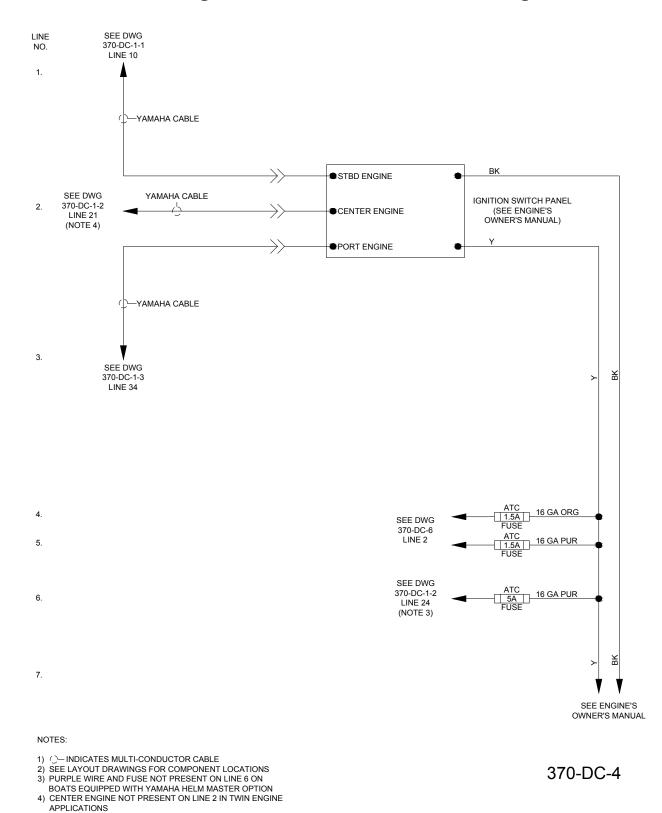
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2) TRI-COLOR DOWN LIGHTS ONLY PRESENT WITH ENCLOSED HELM OPTION

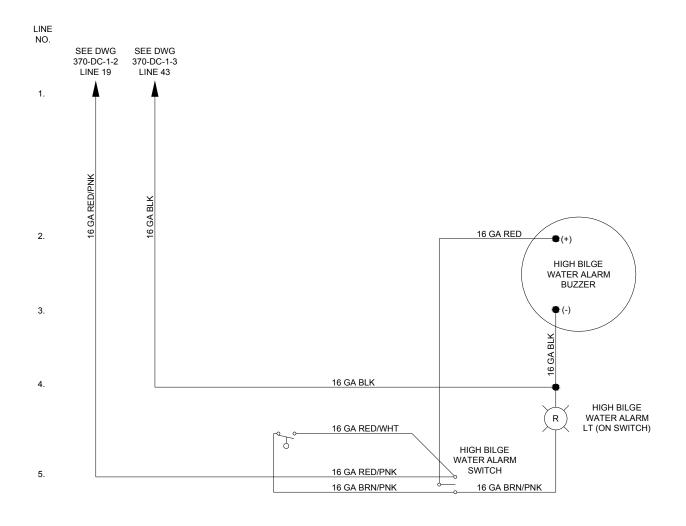


1) C-INDICATES MULTI-CONDUCTOR CABLE 2) SEE LAYOUT DRAWINGS FOR COMPONENT LOCATIONS

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12V DC Ignition Circuit & Trim Diagram

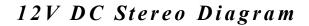


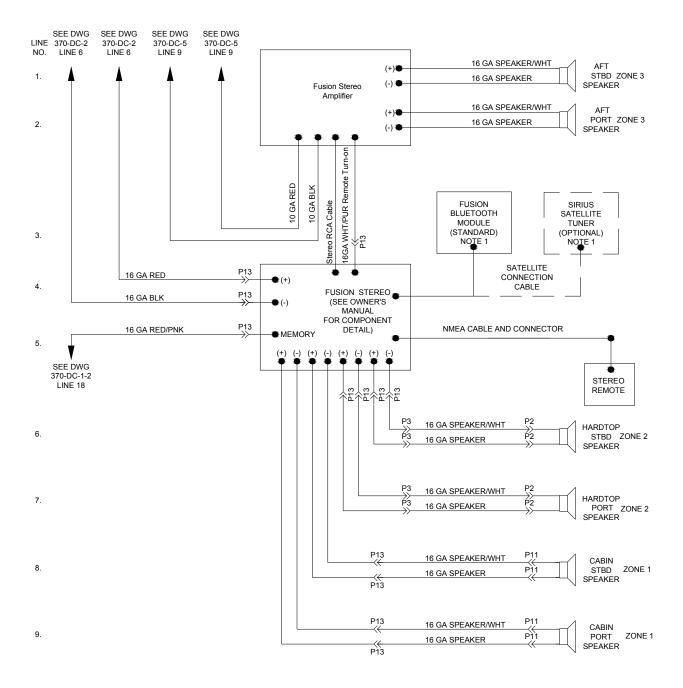
12V DC High Bilge Water Alarm Diagram

NOTES:

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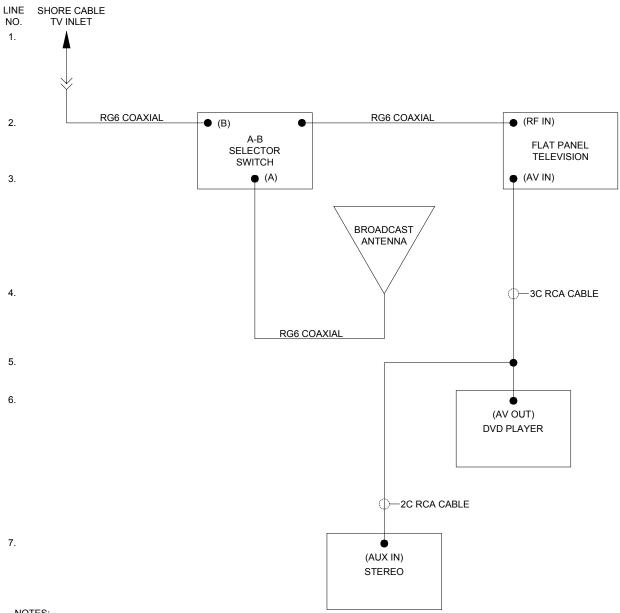


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1) BLUETOOTH MODULE IS DELETED WITH SATELLITE (SAT) OPTION 2) SEE LAYOUT DRAWINGS FOR COMPONENT LOCATIONS

TV/DVD Diagram

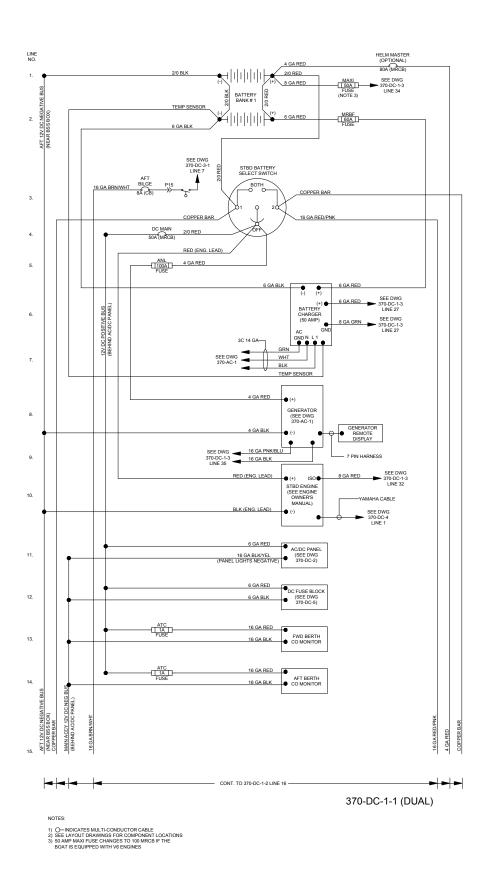


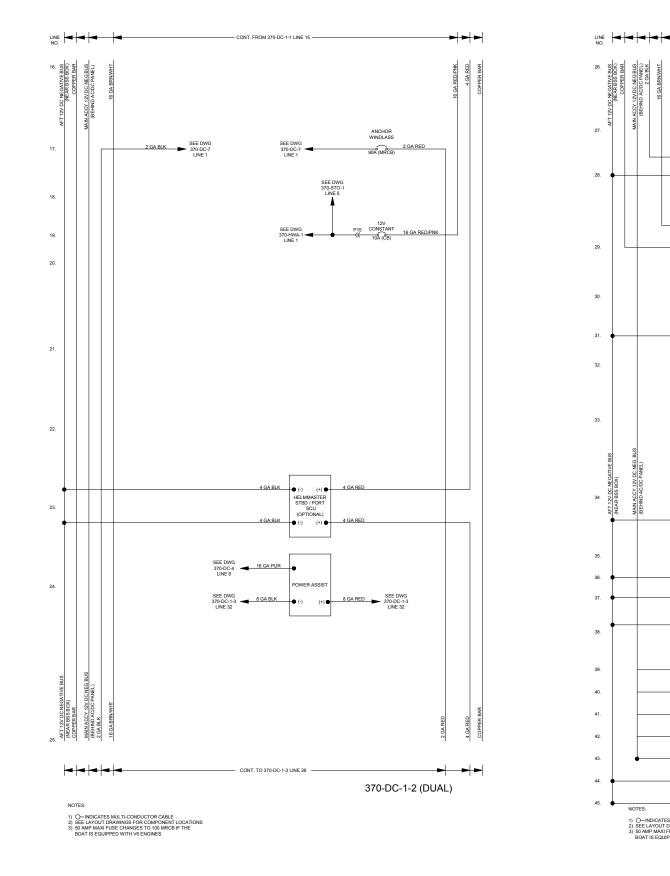
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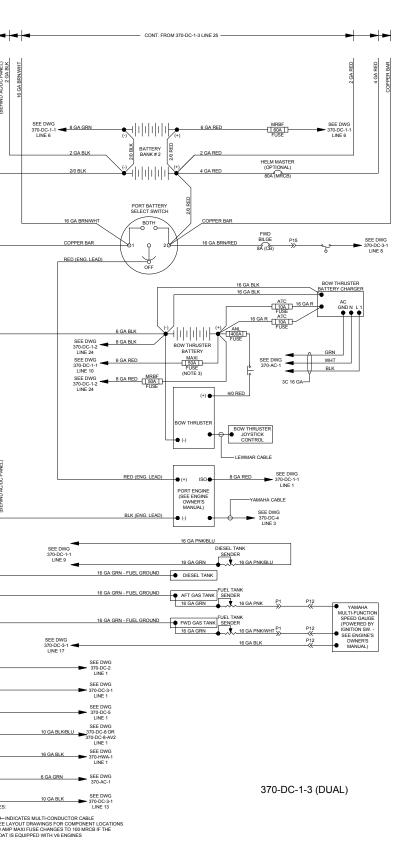
Electrical Plug Connection Detail

Plug No.	Plug Type	Plug Size	Plug Connection (Male to Female)
P1	Deutsch	6	AC Panel to Ext. Harness
P2	Mate-N-Lock II	12	Fwd Hull to DC Panel
P3	Deutsch	8	Cockpit Sw. Panel to Deck
P4	Mate-N-Lock II	9	Deck to Helm Sw. Panel
P5	Mate-N-Lock II	15	Aft Hull to Helm Sw. Panel
P6	Mate-N-Lock II	15	Aft Hull to Hardtop
P7	Mate-N-Lock II	15	Aft Hull to Fwd Hull
P8	Mate-N-Lock II	9	Aft Hull to Cockpit Sw. Panel
P9	Mate-N-Lock II	4	Aft Hull to Battery Select Panel
P10	Mate-N-Lock II	6	Deck to Fwd Hull
P11	Mate-N-Lock II	15	Fwd Hull to Stereo
P12	Mate-N-Lock II	4	Inst. Panel to Helm Sw. Panel
P13	Mate-N-Lock II	4	Sto. Rem. Ext. to Sto.
P14	Mate-N-Lock II	4	Sto. Rem. to Sto. Rem. Ext.
P15	Deutsch	6	Inst. Panel to Ext. Harness
P16	Mate-N-Lock II	6	Yamaha Speed/Fuel Gauge to Cockpit Switch Panel

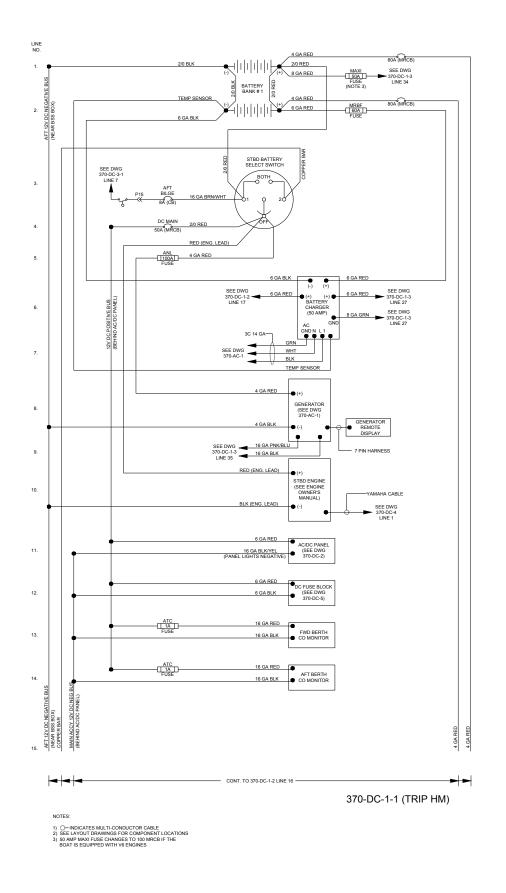
12 Volt DC Electrical Diagram - Dual Engines

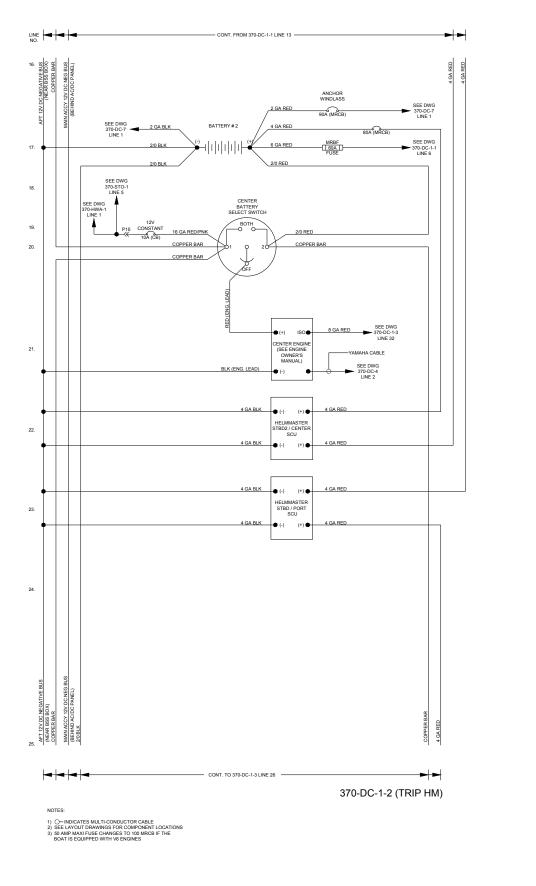






12 Volt DC Electrical Diagram - Triple Engines with Helm Master Option



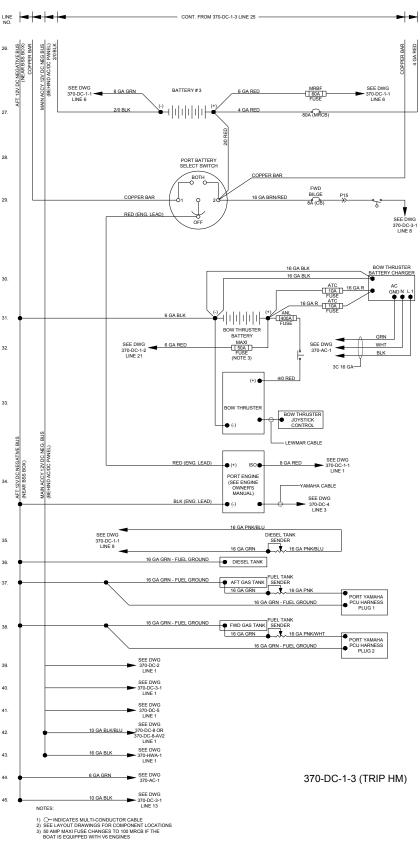


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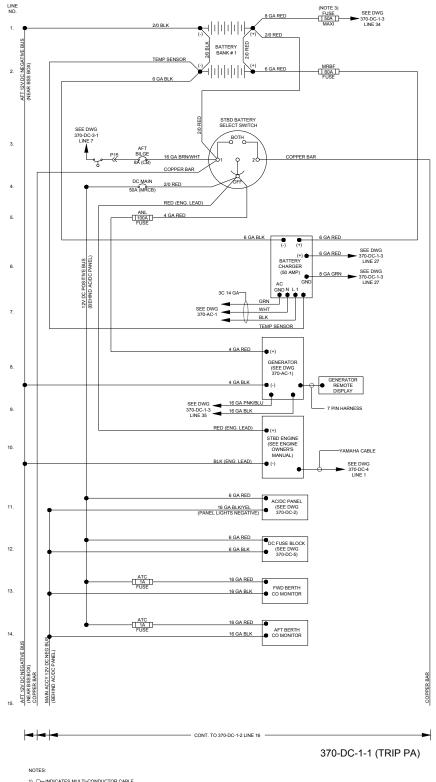
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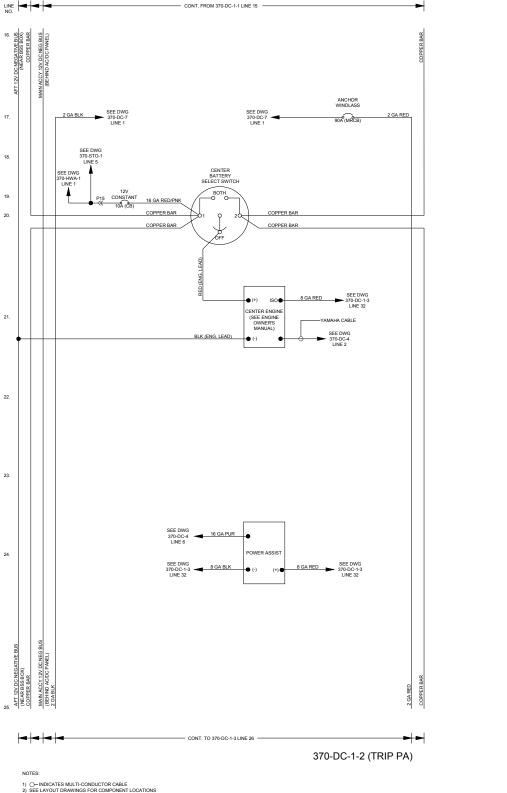
AFT 12V DC NEGAT (NEAR BSS BOX)

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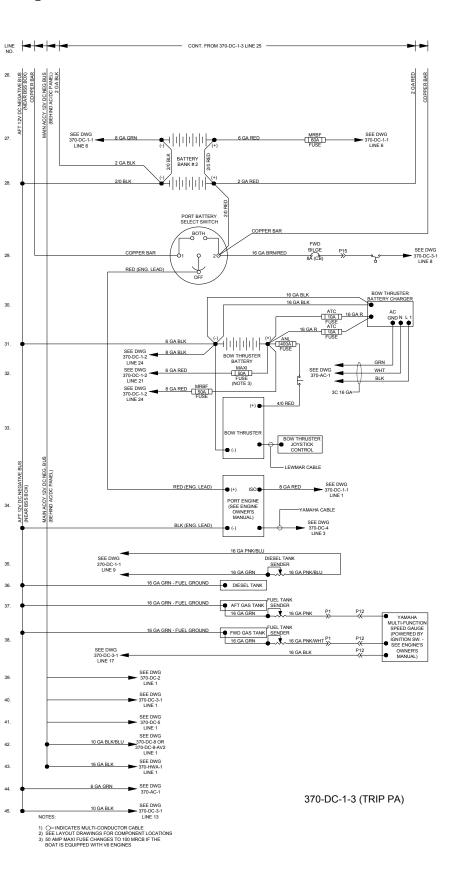
12 Volt DC Electrical Diagram - Triple Engines with Power Assist Option



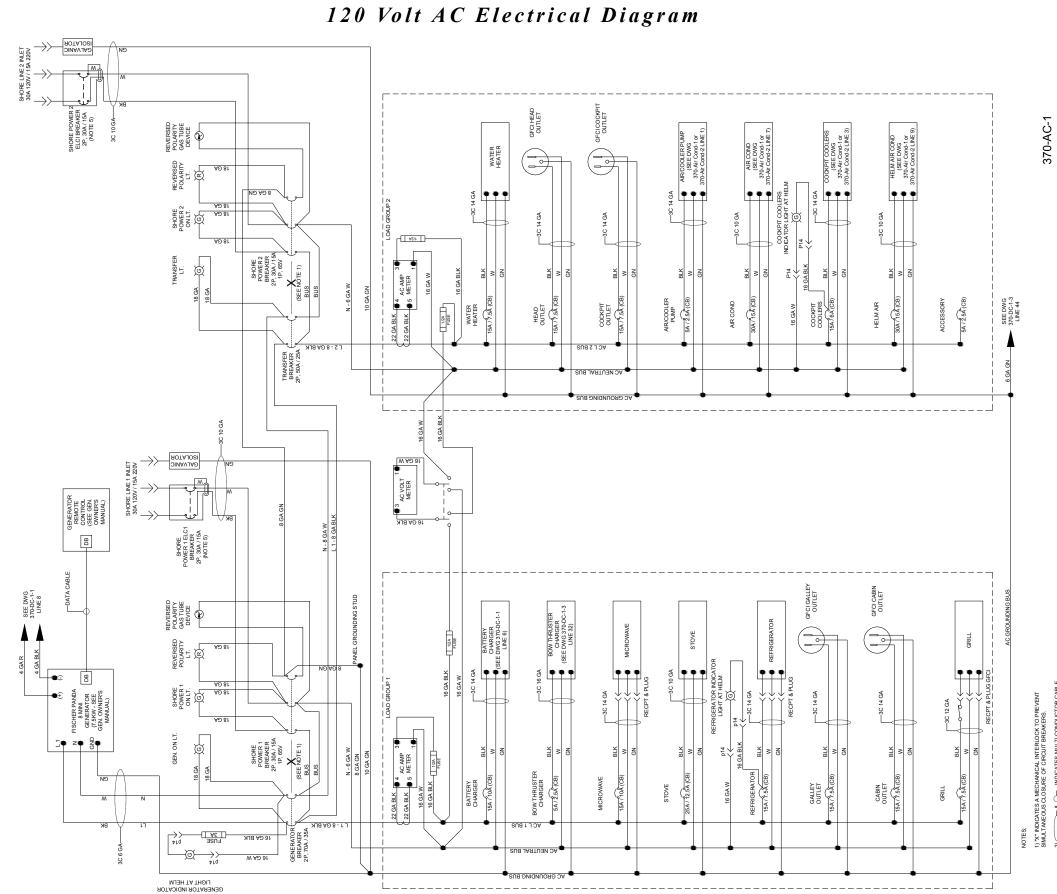


SEE LAYOUT DRAWINGS FOR COMPONENT LOCATIONS
 S0 AMP MAXI FUSE CHANGES TO 100 MRCB IF THE BOAT IS EQUIPPED WITH V6 ENGINES

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Chapter 9: Limited Warranty

REGISTRATION OF PURCHASE:

The "Federal Boat Safety Act of 1971" requires all boat manufacturers to maintain a record of all first retail purchasers and their current addresses for the purpose of notification in case of defective parts or equipment or in case of non-compliance with standards or regulations set forth by this act. Under the act, failure to complete and return your factory warranty card for our records will waive your right to notification of defect and/or repair at manufacturer's expense

FIVE YEAR HULL TRANSFERABLE WARRANTY

Grady-White warrants to the original retail purchaser of each new Grady-White boat that, under normal use, any structural hull defects covered by the warranty and reported within five (5) years from the date of delivery to the original retail purchaser will be repaired free of charge at Grady-White's sole discretion at either the Grady-White factory in Greenville, North Carolina, at an authorized Grady-White dealer location or other Grady-White approved location as elected by Grady-White. A structural hull defect is defined as a substantial defect in the boat's hull which causes the boat to be unsafe or unfit for use under normal operating conditions. Expenses for hauling out and transportation to and from the point of repair will be the responsibility of the owner. The owner will also be responsible to remove and reinstall, at their own expense, all outboard engines, (if directly related to damage in question), as well as any and all personal effects and electronics equipment. All repairs are subject to prior written authorization by Grady-White Boats, Incorporated. NO BOAT IS TO BE SENT TO THE GRADY-WHITE FACTORY AND NO REPAIRS MADE WITHOUT SUCH WRITTEN AUTHORITY.

The Five Year Structural Hull Warranty is transferable to the second and subsequent owners for the remainder of the five (5) years from the date of delivery to the original purchaser. There is no fee involved in the transfer of warranty to the new owner. The Grady-White Boats Transferable Warranty Form must be completed and returned to Grady-White at the time of sale. Upon receipt of this form, Grady-White will update its records to reflect the new ownership and warranty coverage will be provided for the remainder of the five (5) years.

ONE YEAR MATERIAL AND WORKMANSHIP WARRANTY

Grady-White further warrants to the original retail purchaser of each Grady-White boat that under normal use, defects in workmanship and material covered by the warranty and reported within one (1) year from the date of delivery to the original retail purchaser will be repaired or replaced free of charge at Grady-White's sole discretion at Grady-White's factory in Greenville, North Carolina, or at an authorized Grady-White dealer as elected by Grady-White. Expenses for hauling out and transportation to and from the point of repair will be the responsibility of the owner with all repairs subject to prior written authorization. NO BOAT OR PART THEREOF IS TO BE SENT TO THE GRADY-WHITE FACTORY AND NO REPAIRS MADE WITHOUT SUCH WRITTEN AUTHORITY.

Grady-White Boats, Inc. reserves the right to improve its product through changes in design or material without obligation to incorporate such changes on boats built prior to the implementation of respected change(s).

Exclusions:

This warranty specifically does not include the following:

- Damage caused by abuse, negligence, vandalism, lack of maintenance, improper storage, or accident.
- Any statements, representations, or warranties given by dealer or other third persons other than those provided within this warranty.
- Any unit which is part of a rental fleet, used for racing, or commercial purposes.
- Any unit which has been salvaged or declared a total loss.
- The following consequential damages: a) loss of time; b) inconvenience; c) towing charges; d) expenses for travel, lodging, telephone, and gasoline; e) loss or damage to personal property or loss of revenue; f) loss of use of the boat; g) storage fees for the boat.
- Equipment or accessories which are not installed by Grady-White or which carry their own individual warranties, including, but not limited to engines, outdrives, propellers, controls, steering, bilge pumps, electronics and any other part expressly warranted by the manufacturer thereof.
- Damage or deterioration of cosmetic surface finishes including gel coat cracking, crazing, blistering, discoloration, chalking or fading, chrome, plated or painted metal, aluminum and stainless steel finishes, plastics or acrylic materials, windshields, glass breakage, all vinyl upholstery and canvas, instruments and gauges, and leakage around windshields, windows, hatches, and other apertures.
- Failure of the owner to use, maintain, or store the boat as specified in the Grady-White owner's manual; and any other failure to provide reasonable care and maintenance. Normal wear and tear maintenance items are excluded from warranty coverage including but not limited to filters, bulbs, batteries, and bungees (refer to owner's manual for additional maintenance items).
- Any Grady-White boat which has been altered or modified from Grady-White factory specifications, including penetration of the hull by anyone other than Grady-White or a Grady-White authorized dealer following Grady-White factory specified procedures.
- Any failure or defect resulting from a previous repair not authorized by Grady-White.
- Any boat which has been overpowered according to the maximum Grady-White recommended engine horsepower specifications on the capacity plate affixed to the boat.

WARRANTY CLAIM PROCEDURES

Upon the discovery of a defect, the owner is to promptly contact the Grady-White dealer from whom the original retail purchaser purchased the boat who will affect the corrective action under this warranty upon prior written authorization from Grady-White Boats, Incorporated.

THESE WARRANTIES ARE EXPRESSLY MADE IN LIEU OF ALL OTHER WARRANTIES. DURATION OF ANY IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE OR OTHERWISE SHALL BE LIMITED TO AND COINCIDENT WITH THE DURATION OF THESE EXPRESSED WARRANTIES.

THIS WARRANTY SHALL NOT BE VALID UNLESS THE FACTORY WARRANTY POSTCARD IS PROPERLY EXECUTED AND MAILED WITHIN 10 DAYS OF THE PURCHASE OF YOUR GRADY-WHITE BOAT.



TRANSFERABLE WARRANTY FORM

(Not for original owner use *)

*	Note:	For	second	owner's	use in	transfei	ring i	remainder	of 5	vear	hull	structural	warranty.	
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Dec	llership or Previous Owner:						
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Ab	out Your Boat						
1.	What type of power is your boat equipped	with? □ Si	ngle OB 🛛 D	ual OB 🛛 🗖 Inb	oard/Outboard	1	
2.	What engine brand does your boat have?	Johnson	□ Mercury	□ Evinrude	🗖 Yamaha	□ Volvo	□ Other
3.	Engine horsepower (total if twin power)						
4.	Is your new Grady-White the first boat you	u've ever own	ned?				
	□ Yes → Please skip to question 5a □ No → Please tell us about your pre- Builder's name: _ Why did you sell to						
5a.	In which of the following ways do you use	e your Grady-	White? (Plea	ise mark all ap	plicable in c	olumn A.)	
5b.	In which <u>one</u> way do you use your Grady-			e mark <u>one</u> onl <u></u> B	-	-	

	Α	В
	Ways	One Way Use
	Use	Most Often
Casual cruising		
Casual fishing		
Serious offshore fishing		
Socializing/entertaining		
Watersports		
Other:		

6. Which of the following most influenced your selection of a Grady-White boat? (Please pick three or fewer reasons.)

About Grady-White	
Grady-White's overall reputation	
Previous experience with a Grady-White	
About the boat itself	
Cockpit layout	
Hull design/ride	
Resale value	
Safety/seaworthiness	
Styling	
Other:	

7. How would you rate the overall value received from your Grady-White?

□ Excellent	□ Good	🗖 Fair	D Poor	

8. How likely would you be to consider buying each of the following brands of boats in the future?

	Definitely	Might	Would Not	Don't	
	Consider	Consider	Consider	Know	
Boston Whaler					
• Century					
• Grady-White					
• Hydra-Sport					
• Mako					
• Pursuit					
• Searay					
• Wellcraft					
• Other:					
9. Which of the following mo	agazines do you su	bscribe to or	read often?		
□ Boating World	 Fisherman Magaz Florida Sportsman Offshore 	n DPowe	rboating & Sailing r & Motoryacht ater Sportsman	□ Sportfishing □ Wall Street Jo □ Other	ournal
<i>10. What is your age?</i> □ Und	der 25 🛛 25-3	34 □ 35-	44 🗆 45-54	□ 55-64	□ 65 or older
11. Which of the following be	st describes your e	ducational ba	ickground?		
□ Some High School □ High School Graduate		ollege or Techni Graduate		st-Graduate Work duate Degree or N	
12. What is your total annual	household income	<i>e?</i>			
□ Under \$30,000 □ \$30,000 - \$49,999 □ \$50,000 - \$74,999		- \$99,999) - \$124,999) - \$149,999	,) - \$174,999) - \$199,999) or more	
13. Does your family own a se	econd home, where	e you most oft	ten do your boating	g? □ Yes □ No	
<i>If yes, where is your sec</i> City,State	ond home?				_
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