#### **CROPLANDS**

## OPERATORS MANUAL SONIC BROADACRE

7000, 10000, 13000 MODELS



#### INTRODUCTION

#### **GENERAL MANAGER'S WELCOME**



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Sean Mulvaney
General Manager

#### Dear Customer

Congratulations on the purchase of your new sprayer and thank you for supporting another true blue Australasian manufacturer.

For over 50 years Croplands have been delivering spraying solutions and ongoing support for a variety of applications whilst investing in long term partnerships with our suppliers, distributors, end users and local communities. These partnerships are absolutely key in our commitment to support our products into the future.

At Croplands, we are committed to sourcing the very best technology from around the globe and adapting these products to our specific requirements. When these products don't yet exist, we innovate through continuous investment in our own research and development.

Croplands is a wholly owned subsidiary of Nufarm Ltd, the largest supplier of crop protection products in Australasia. This brings a unique understanding and collaborative approach to new market developments, challenges and opportunities.

Please take the time to thoroughly read this manual before you operate your sprayer. This will provide direction to ensure safe usage and help optimise the performance of your investment. Your feedback is welcome and valued.

We trust you will be happy with your sprayer and the level of supportour goal is to be your preferred spraying solutions partner from this point onwards.

Yours Sincerely

Sean Mulvaney General Manager







#### **SECTION 1**

#### IMPORTANT INFORMATION

#### **ABOUT THIS MANUAL**

This manual provides assembly, setting up, operating and maintenance instructions for the Croplands Sonic sprayer.

In addition to this manual, the sprayer will be delivered with the General Safety Manual (GP-SAFE-A) and all other relevant manuals.

Some features and options explained in this manual may not be installed on your sprayer.

Please pass on this manual with the sprayer at the time of resale for usage by the new owner.

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**Check online** as there may be more recent revisions of this manual. **www.croplands.com.au** 

#### **TERMINOLOGY**

These terms/symbols used throughout this manual:

| NOTE    | This Note sign is in place to convey useful information and will help you to identify the best possible way to operate the machine.   |  |  |  |
|---------|---|--|--|--|
| CAUTION | This Caution sign shows the potential for incident. An incident may include damage to the machine itself, or possible injury to the operator.                                   |  |  |  |
| WARNING | This warning sign shows the potential for risk or injury and highlights the need for steps to be taken to protect ones safety.  |  |  |  |
| DANGER  | This Danger sign will be used in areas where the highest risk is present. Always read the information on these signs and ensure you are taking steps to prevent risk or injury. |  |  |  |

#### NOTE

To convey useful operating information.



To stress potential dangers and the importance of personal safety.



To highlight potential injury or machinery damage.



Probability of death or serious injury if an accident occurs

#### **BEFORE OPERATING YOUR SPRAYER**

 Before attempting to use your sprayer, make sure you read all Operator Manuals for this sprayer including but not limited to:

This Operator's Manual, **and all other supplied manuals** for items such as controller, pump and PTO etc.



And properly understand:

- All Safety Issues.
- Assembly & Installation instructions.
- Calibration of the sprayer.
- Sprayer Operation.
- Sprayer Maintenance.

For details not covered by the manuals, please contact Technical Support on 1300 650 724.

- 2. Read and follow instructions on chemical manufacturers' labels.
- 3. Always wear applicable protective clothing.

#### **INTENDED USE**

Croplands sprayers are designed to be used for multipurpose spraying of herbicides, pesticides and fertilisers. The sprayer must not be used for any other purpose.

#### **SECTION 1**

#### IMPORTANT INFORMATION

#### **WARRANTY POLICY**

Each sprayer module will be delivered with a Specifications, Safety, Warranty & Delivery Booklet which includes:

- the sprayer's specification sheet including the sprayers unique serial number,
- a safety induction checklist,
- a delivery checklist and customer induction,
- the Croplands Warranty policy and warranty registration form.

We ask that our customers complete these forms in the presence of a Dealer and/or Croplands representative as a part of the sprayer's delivery process.

Always contact your Croplands Dealer first and foremost for warranty matters.

#### **NOTE**

For full conditions of warranty and warranty policy, please see the Specification, Safety, Warranty & Delivery booklet provided with this sprayer.



## SECTION 2 SAFETY

#### **SAFETY FIRST**

Please read and understand all supplied manuals, guides and safety decals before operating this sprayer. This includes the **Croplands** 

#### **Operators Safety Manual**

- as pictured here.

This manual is available on the Croplands website, or for printed versions contact Croplands customer support and ask for part number GP-SAFE-A (or later version if available).

STOP
BEFORE COMMENCING
operation, ENSURE you read
& understand this manual, its
contents, and any additional
information supplied.



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#### INTRODUCTION

Congratulations on your purchase of a Croplands SONIC Boomspray.

Croplands SONIC is a well known Australian manufacturer of premium quality boomsprays and has gained an enviable reputation for quality and reliability of its products, gained from years of contracting, listening and acting on the feed back from our customers.

Croplands SONIC sprayers are well known for their structural integrity, ease of use and extremely long life.

Croplands SONIC is dedicated to on-going research and development and to this end welcome any comments from the users of this product. Please examine the machine completely on receipt and report any damage or missing parts to your Croplands SONIC dealer as soon as possible. Every care has been taken with the assembly of this product, however due to transport, machine error or human error during assembly, problems can occur.

This machine has been water tested at the factory and every effort has been made to eliminate any water leaks. With proper care and maintenance this machine will give you many years of trouble free service.

**NOTE:** Specifications may change due to on-going development.

#### Intended Use:

Sonic Boomsprays are designed to be used for multipurpose spraying of herbicides, pesticides and fertilizers.

They are not to be used for pumping or spraying flammable materials.

#### **SAFETY REQUIREMENTS**



#### HAZARDOUS MACHINERY

MISUSE OR INCORRECT OPERATION COULD CAUSE SERIOUS INJURY OR DEATH

READ OPRERATORS MANUAL BEFORE OPERATING

FOLLOW ALL SAFETY PROCEDURES

SECURE BOOM BEFORE TOWING OR TRANSPORTATION

KEEP ALL SAFETY GAURDS IN PLACE WHILE THE MACHINE IS IN OPERATION

ENSURE ALL PEOPLE ARE WELL CLEAR BEFORE OPERATING THIS MACHINE

SOUND HORN BEFORE STARTING

STOP THE ENGINE AND REMOVE THE KEY/LOWER
HYDRAULICS AND RELEASE RESIDUAL PRESSURE BEFORE
WORKING ON THE MACHINE OR
IF THE MACHINE IS UNATTENDED

#### **BOOMSPRAY OPERATION**

- 1) Read your operator's manual thoroughly before operating the sprayer.
- 2) Do not under any circumstance ride on or allow anyone else on sprayer at any time.
- 3) Ensure boom is secured in the transport position before transporting on public roads.
- 4) Always ensure tank lid is closed before moving off **or** before tank rinse is operated.
- 5) Inspect hose fittings and jets daily for signs of wear.
- 6) Do NOT couple or uncouple Hydraulic connectors under pressure. If hydraulic fluid enters skin seek medical attention immediately as gangrene can occur.
- 6) Always read chemical manufactures labels before use (READ THE LABEL, HEED THE LABEL).
- 7) Always observe all warnings on chemical containers. Always dispose of chemical containers and mixed chemicals in accordance with local and State laws.
- 8) Do not disconnect hoses, jets or filters while sprayer is operating.
- 9) Never under any circumstance enter the main tank without the appropriate safety equipment.
- 10) Always keep chemicals in a safe place out of the reach of children.
- 11) Do not contaminate dams, rivers or streams with spray or chemical containers. Fish and bees are particularly susceptible to chemical poisoning.
- 12) Some local community groups operate container-recycling services, it is advisable to take advantage of these.
- 13) Always **triple rinse** containers and **do not** burn them.

#### ROAD LAWS COMPLIANCE

Some models of Sonic Boomsprays will exceed legal dimension limits and will require the following to be towed on public roads:

- A pilot
- Oversize signs
- Flashing lights
- Flags

Sonic Boomsprays are not designed to exceed 40kph when towed or driven on a public road.



#### CHEMICAL SAFETY AND HANDLING

WEAR YOUR PPE EQUIPMENT

#### Personal Protection Equipment

A basic Personal Protection Equipment kit has been provided for the operator in the equipment tool box located at the front hitch. Please wear this equipment when handling or dealing with chemicals, pesticides etc.

PPE equipment should be kept in good working order:

- Inspect regularly; equipment should be fit for purpose, no holes, no liquid penetration etc.
- Change respirator filters as recommended by safety equipment manufacturer.
- Contaminated equipment should be replaced

#### **SONIC Safety kit contains:**

1x Disposable coverall (XL)

1x Safety goggles anti-fog (Clear)

1x Eye wash bottle

1x Nitrile gloves, long (XL) / pair

1x Half face respirator with twin chemical filters



#### **SAFETY**



#### **CHEMICAL HAZARD**

BEFORE MIXING OR APPLYING ANY CHEMICALS WITH THIS MACHINE

1.) READ LABELS ON CHEMICAL CONTAINERS AND FOLLOW ALL INSTRUCTIONS

2.) WEAR A MASK, GOGGLES, GLOVES AND PROTECTIVE CLOTHING AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHEMICAL MANUFACTURER

#### CHEMICAL SAFETY AND HANDLING

- All chemicals and pesticides are dangerous when handled incorrectly or carelessly.
- They can be a danger to humans, crops and animals.
- The safe handling and application of chemicals and pesticides is of the utmost importance to the operator and the rest of the farming community.
- You are legally required to obtain Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) for hazardous mate-rials and make them available to the people using the material
- Read the MSDS sheet and the container label and follow all instructions.
- Be aware of its effect on adjacent crops (chemical drift) and or animals (bees, fish) or humans.
- Does it have a withholding period?
- Use the appropriate safety clothing for the chemicals being used. "The operator is at the greatest risk when handling the concentrate".
- Triple rinse all containers before disposal. "It makes sense to use all the chemical, you paid for it".
- Dispose of containers at a designated disposal site.
- Do not mix more chemicals than is necessary. "It is a costly waste".
- Always wash as soon as possible after spraying.
- Wash before eating or drinking.
- Always have clean water on hand in case of contamination in the field.
- Always keep chemicals in a safe place and away from children.
- Use activated charcoal cabin filters where available and appropriate.
- Do not enter cabins wearing contaminated safety clothing

  Safety Gear is available from your SONIC dealer or reputable chemical resellers and safety equipment suppliers.

#### **EMERGENCY PROCEDURES**

Read the MSDS sheets to determine emergency procedures for all materials, and ensure that the emergency facilities specified are always available.

#### **MACHINE SET UP**



#### **BATTERY EXPLOSION**

MAY OCCOUR IF INCORRECTLY CONNECTED
ALWAYS CONNECT POSITIVE TERMINAL FIRST
MAKE FINAL CONNECTION OF NEGATIVE TERMINAL AWAY
FROM BATTERY TO ENSURE THERE ARE NO SPARKS NEAR
THE BATTERY

#### **Fitting of Computer**

Always fit computer first before setting up any other part of Machine. Power wire for computer must be connected to battery. Please refer to computer manual for this set up. All electrics are 12 Volt DC and negative earth.

#### **Programming of Computer**

Programming of computer is set from factory.

The following should be checked: (if factory fitted computer)

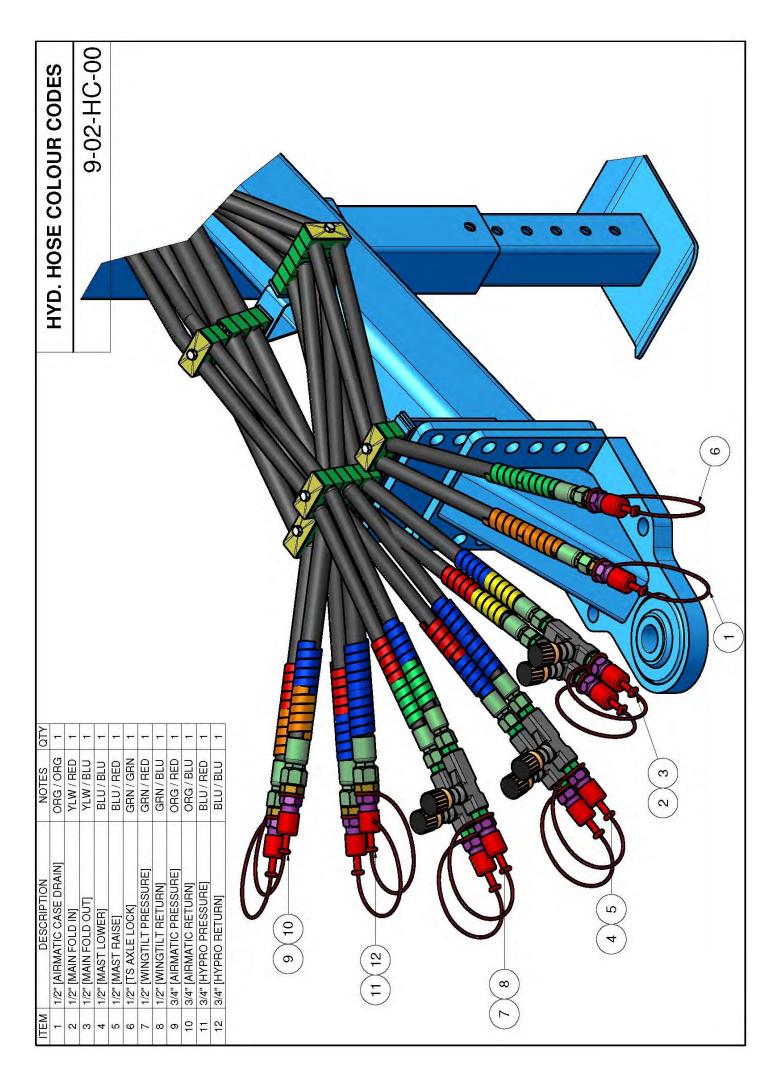
| Wheel Calibration         |            |
|---------------------------|------------|
| Flow Calibration          |            |
| Section Width Calibration |            |
| Section 1                 | Section 6  |
| Section 2                 | Section 7  |
| Section 3                 | Section 8  |
| Section 4                 | Section 9  |
| Section 5                 | Section 10 |

#### MACHINE SET UP

- Connecting Hydraulics: The hydraulic hoses for boom functions are colour coded for easy identification, Refer to Page 13 for colour coding.
  - **Note:** The Hypro pump should have it's Return line connected to a **Motor Return port** on the trac-tor, please refer to recommendations on Page 14.
- Unfolding Boom: Make sure machine is in an open area with enough space to fold the wings in and out safely and ensure all people and vehicles are at a safe distance.
- Lift wings upwards out of cradle by using either the wing tilt or rear mast lift
- Operate the control valve very carefully to ascertain which way the booms move.
- If required swap the hoses around to suit operators preference for the remote switches in the tractor cab.
- Carefully and Slowly unfold booms to the fully open position
- If booms move too fast, adjust the hydraulic flow rate in the tractor remote settings.
- If the tractor is not fitted with a hydraulic flow control valve, use the flow control valves that can be supplied by Sonic Boomsprays (Fig.1). Adjust valve to smooth folding speed then lock off valve with allen key grub screw fitted.



Fig.1 Hydraulic Flow Control Valve



PENTAIR
HYPRO'-SHURFLO'

#### HYPRO HYDRAULIC MOTOR



#### **IMPORTANT: LOW PRESSURE RETURN** (Motor Return)

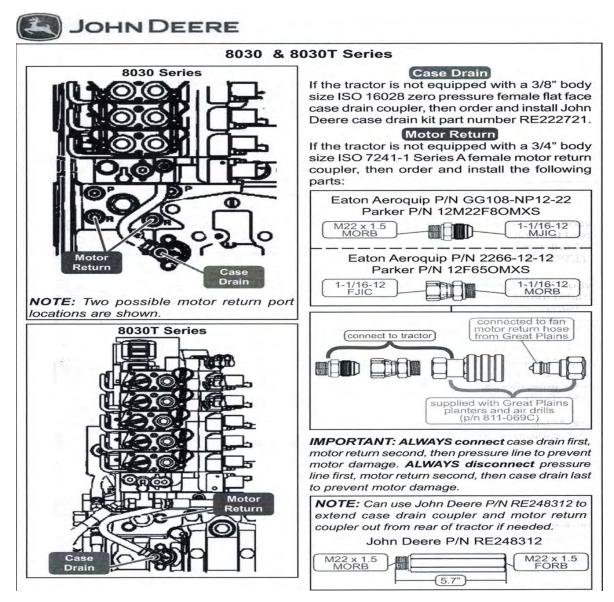
Hypro recommend that the return pressure line uses a low pressure return (Motor Return) for the return of oil. Low pressure return ports (Motor Return) vary from tractor to tractor.

- Return line must go to a low pressure return port (Motor Return) (Not straight back to remote or case drain line). Call Sonic Boomsprays/Dealer if you want help with individual tractors
- Return hoses should be installed first then pressure line when connecting the pump to the tractor and this order should be reversed when unplugging hoses. (This avoids pressure spikes).
- When turning the pump off you must us the float decent. If you don't have the correct fittings please contact Sonicboomsprays/Dealer with your tractor details for correct fittings.

#### **Hydro Motor R.P.M. Setup:**

The best way to do this is to have all spray lines and control valve open. Adjust hydraulic speed of pump until you have a pressure read out of between 400kpa - 700kpa on pressure gauges, situated at the front of the boom. This will give maximum speed necessary for all spraying conditions.

#### **Example:**



#### MACHINE SET UP

#### **Fold Around Mudguard Models:**

To access Sprayer work area, un-clip transport safety chains and fold booms out slightly. Lift booms to full height.

#### **Fold Over Mudguard Models:**

If sprayer is fold over the mudguard model, booms will already be at full height and you will be able to access the work area.

Note: Check engine oil and fuel levels before operating machine.

- On initial operation it is strongly suggested that you re-tension your wheel nuts and thereafter check at regular intervals (Page 17).
- Check all tyre pressures and make necessary correction (Page 17).
- After first tank load, check all U bolts, turnbuckles, dee shackles, bolts, nuts and hose clamps.
- Grease all pivot and suspension points. (Refer to Lubrication section)
- Check main tank suction filter, as a range of foreign particles can be present in the system, although all care is taken during assembly.

#### SONIC CONTROLLER



#### SONIC Tractor Harness (WL13.100853)

Suit SONIC controller:

- P1: Main charge line and CAN plug, bolt at rear of tractor using mount provided.
- P2: Main CAN functions, plug into rear of SONIC controller screen
- P3: Diagnostic plug, SONIC Technician use only
- P4: Positive terminal for charge line, connect to +12v Tractor battery
- P5: Negative terminal for charge line, connect to -12v Tractor battery
- **P8:** Ignition power, connect to an ignition terminal so the SONIC controller turns ON/OFF in conjunction with the tractor key. Consult your Tractor dealer for a suitable connection point.
- F1: Main circuit breaker (60A, push red button to reset)

For more detailed information reference: Wiring diagram section.

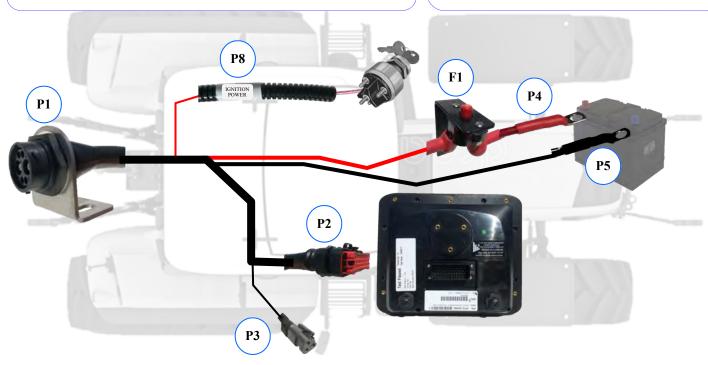
#### SONIC Controller (CP13.100850)

Touch screen control

#### **Functions:**

- SPRAYING LIGHTS: Spray lights ON/OFF
- **ENGINE STOP:** Turns OFF petrol driven liquid pump (If optioned)
- SPRAY: Switches Flush On The Go valve, draw liquid from the Main Spray tank (Optional Extra)
- FLUSH: Switches Flush On The Go valve, draw liquid from the Flush tank (Optional Extra)
- **STROBE:** Flasher ON/OFF
- AGITATE: Switches ON/OFF electric agitation (Optional extra)
- LINE FLUSH: Open/Close self contained flushing system or use to prime spray lines (Optional extra)
- FENCE JET LEFT: Turn L/H fence jet ON/ OFF (Optional extra)
- **FENCE JET RIGHT:** Turn R/H fence jet solenoid ON/OFF (Optional extra)
- TILT LEFT: Isolate tilt hydraulics to tilt left hand wing assembly then press the corresponding TILT button UP/DOWN on your tractor remotes (Optional extra)
- TILT RIGHT: Isolate tilt hydraulics to tilt right hand wing assembly then press the corresponding TILT button UP/DOWN on your tractor remotes (Optional extra)
- tor remotes (Optional extra)

  TANK DRAIN: Open/Close Tank drain valve (Optional extra)
- SPLIT FOLD: Isolates small wings, fold out main wings only, Refer to Pg. 31 (Optional extra)
- FULL FOLD: Fold out complete wing assembly, Main wing and Small wing together.
  (Hydraulic chain fold option only)
- SPARE #1: Spare switch function
- SPARE #2: Spare switch function



#### WHEEL & TYRE MAINTANENCE

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR TORQUE SETTINGS & INSPECTION INTERVALS

Minimum recommended tension intervals for agricultural wheels:

#### **INITIAL FITMENT**

Re-tension at: 4 hours of operation

8 hours of operation 16 hours of operation 24 hours of operation 48 hours of operation

Alternatively, after the first 50km and subsequently every 100kms, the stud bolt nuts are to be tightened by means of a tension wrench and with the torque values listed below.

Ongoing inspection and re-tensioning should be done in accordance with daily wheel/tire inspection procedures. These inspection periods may vary depending on the vehicle operating conditions.

| METRIC    |                             |                               |  |  |  |
|-----------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|--|--|--|
| STUD SIZE | <b>TORQUE (Foot Pounds)</b> | <b>TORQUE (Newton Meters)</b> |  |  |  |
| M12       | 55ft.lbs                    | 74Nm                          |  |  |  |
| M14       | 88ft.lbs                    | 118Nm                         |  |  |  |
| M16       | 135ft.lbs                   | 182Nm                         |  |  |  |
| M18       | 200ft.lbs                   | 270Nm                         |  |  |  |
| M20       | 250ft.lbs                   | 337Nm                         |  |  |  |
| M22       | 250ft.lbs                   | 337Nm                         |  |  |  |
| M24       | 250ft.lbs                   | 337Nm                         |  |  |  |

| IMPERIAL  |                             |                        |  |  |  |
|-----------|-----------------------------|------------------------|--|--|--|
| STUD SIZE | <b>TORQUE</b> (Foot Pounds) | TORQUE (Newton Meters) |  |  |  |
| 7/16"     | 55ft.lbs                    | 74Nm                   |  |  |  |
| 1/2"      | 55ft.lbs                    | 74Nm                   |  |  |  |
| 9/16"     | 88ft.lbs                    | 118Nm                  |  |  |  |
| 5/8"      | 135ft.lbs                   | 182Nm                  |  |  |  |
| 3/4"      | 200ft.lbs                   | 270Nm                  |  |  |  |
| 7/8"      | 250ft.lbs                   | 337Nm                  |  |  |  |

#### TYRE PRESSURES

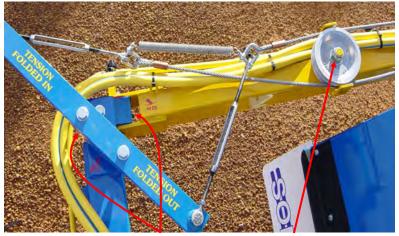
| TYRE                 | MIN – MAX PRESSURE | LOAD INDEX -<br>SPEED SYMBOL | SPEED RATING<br>PER TYRE |
|----------------------|--------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 24 x 32 TT (BKT)     | 30-35 PSI          | 163A6                        | 4,875Kg @ 30Kph          |
| 20.8 x 42 TT (BKT)   | 30-35 PSI          | (12 Ply) 157A6               | 4,125Kg @ 30Kph          |
| 540/65 R34 TT (OZKA) | 35-40 PSI          | 152D/155A8                   | 3,875Kg @ 40Kph          |
| 540/65 R28 TT (BKT)  | 35-40 PSI          | 149D/152A8                   | 3,550Kg @ 40Kph          |
| 18.4 x 28 IL (BKT)   | 35-40 PSI          | 157A8                        | 4,125Kg @ 40Kph          |
| 16.9 x 28 IL (BKT)   | 35-40 PSI          | 152A8                        | 3,550Kg @ 40Kph          |
| 15.5 x 24 TT (BKT)   | 65-70 PSI          | 163A8                        | 4,875Kg @ 40Kph          |
| 6.0 x 9.0 (J/WHEEL)  | 25-32 PSI          | N/A                          | N/A                      |

Tyre pressure has a direct effect on the tyres load rating and speed capacity

#### **LUBRICATION**

- 1) All petrol engines are 20w50 engine oil. This should be changed after the first 50 hours and then every 100 hours thereafter.
- 2) Grease all nipples according to grease schedule on grease point.
- 3) Do not ignore if grease does not penetrate bush in suspension. (Remove pin/bush, clean and re-assemble or suspension failure may result)

#### **Grease Points:**



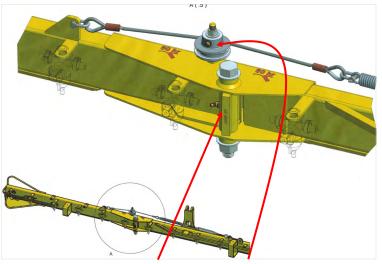
Main Wing Pivot(2) & Fold Pulley(1): 50 Hours



Outer Fold Pulley(1): 50 Hours

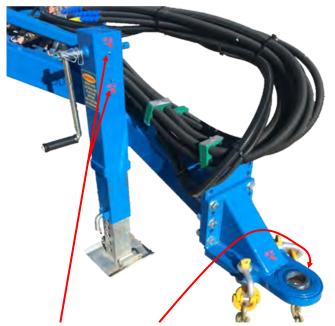


Fold pivot(2) & Outer pivot(2): 50 Hours



Break Away pivot (2) & Pully(2): 50 Hours

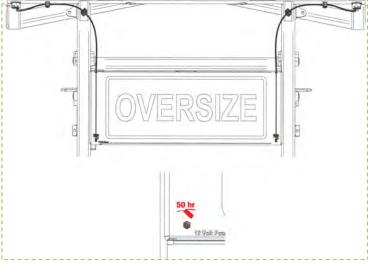
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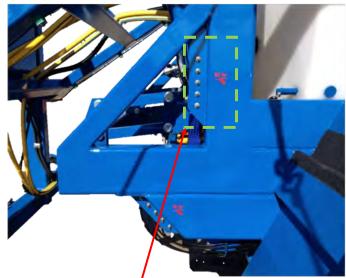


Jack (2) & Hitch (1): 50 Hours

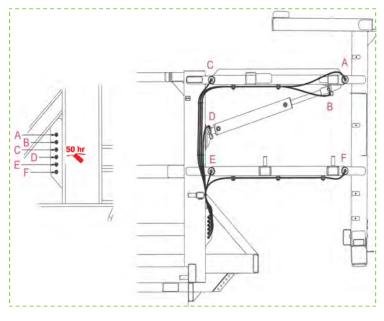


Top Arms (2): 50 Hours

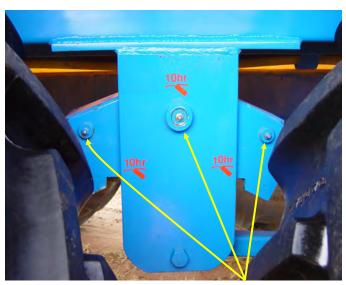




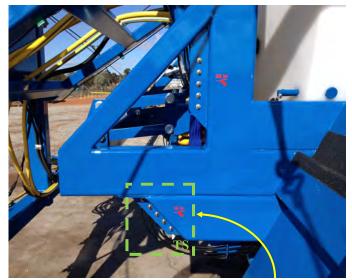
Parallel Arms (12): 50 Hours



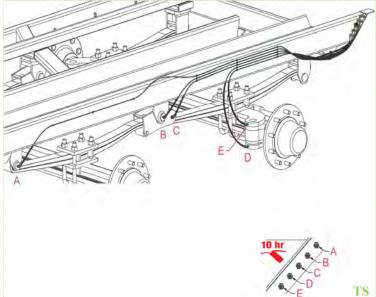
## AXLE & SUSPENSION LUBRICATION



**Tandem Suspension Rocker (6): 10 Hours** 

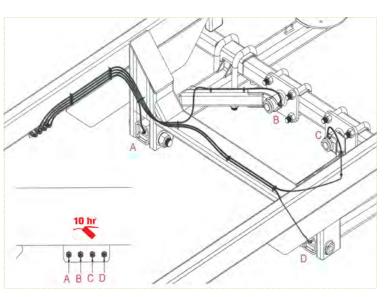


Tandem Steer Axle/Suspension (10): 10 Hours





Single & Tandem Air Bag (4): 10 Hours

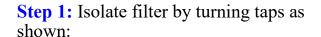


#### GENERAL MAINTENANCE

- 1) Check and clean engine air filter on a weekly basis Daily in dusty conditions.
- 2) Check and clean all spray filters daily or more often in adverse chemical conditions. Clean filters with a tooth brush and water.
  - DO NOT use pressure cleaners on filters. Check for splits and tears.
- 3) Flush boom out with clean water at the end of each day. Use boom clean if necessary. Flowables and granules can settle out of suspension. Agitate properly before rinsing out.
- 4) Wash boom down thoroughly with clean water at the end of each day.

Good Housekeeping is paramount with chemical and liquid fertilizers

#### PRESSURE FILTER MAINTENANCE



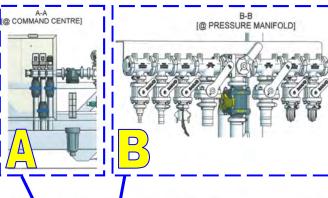
TAP to  $\overline{OFF}$ :  $\triangle$  (COMM BOX x3)

TAP to FILL: (STALKER x1)

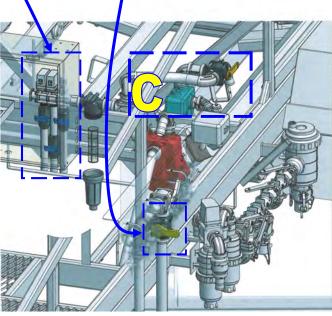
(HYPRO x1)



Step 2: Locate Pressure Filter near Com Box



**Step 3:** Remove bottom cap to drain liquid





**Step 4:** Remove filter bowl, clean filter element & Re-Assemble

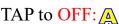
Reset taps to original position

#### SUCTION FILTER MAINTENANCE

#### **Suction Filters**



**Step 1:** Isolate filters



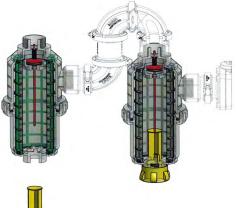


Step 2: Remove yellow check valve to stop liquid flow from top:

- Push up on yellow handle
- Then twist Anti Clockwise until it stops and pull down Note: (Liquid flow should stop after a few seconds)



**Step 3:** Remove bowl retaining ring, then remove bowl & clean filters



Step 4: Re-fit filters,

#### Please note:

- Filters go in Flat side up
- Bowl must be fitted next (without yellow valve)
- Fit yellow valve last ensuring it goes in straight. (must align with internal plunger rod)
- Turn tap back on:



#### 3" Suction Filters

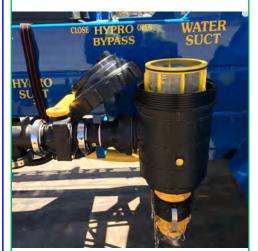


**Step 1:** Isolate filter

TAP to OFF: 🔁



- Remove Camlock to drain remaining liquid

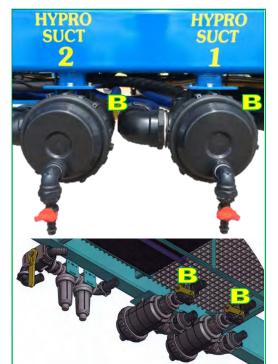


**Step 2:** Remove bowl retaining ring, then remove bowl & clean filter

Step 4: Re-fit in reverse and open tap

#### **FILTER MAINTENANCE**





Step 1: Isolate filter

TAP to OFF:

• Open tap (Red handle) to drain excess liquid from pump suction hose



Step 2: Remove bowl retaining ring, then remove bowl & clean filter

**Step 4:** Re-fit in reverse and open taps



**Step 2:** Remove bottom cap to drain liquid



**Step 3:** Remove filter bowl, clean filter element & Re-Assemble

• Reset taps to original position



#### 126 Series - PRESSURE FILTER

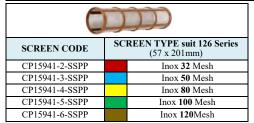
# AA126ML-F75

Please note: Fully Stainless steel SCREENS are available on request: 80 Mesh = CP12290-4-SS 100 Mesh = CP12290-8-SS

#### **Pressure Filters 126 Series**

- 1.1/2" BSPT (F) threads or 75 Series Flange
- Cartridge Ø 57 x 201mm
- Filtering capacity 291 1/min with 5 PSI pressure drop
- VITON® gaskets

| FILTER CODE     | INLET & OUTLETS   | SCREEN TYPE |               | DESCRIPTION                                       |
|-----------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------|---|
| AA126ML-6-100   | 1.1/2" (F) BSP    |             | Inox 100 Mesh | FILTER – 126 Series 1.1/2" INLINE ( <b>100</b> #) |
| AA126ML-6-120   | 1.1/2" (F) BSP    |             | Inox 120 Mesh | FILTER – 126 Series 1.1/2" INLINE ( <b>120#</b> ) |
| AA126ML-F75-100 | FLANGED 75 Series |             | Inox 100 Mesh | FILTER – 126 Series 75 FLANGE (100#)              |
| AA126ML-F75-120 | FLANGED 75 Series |             | Inox 120 Mesh | FILTER – 126 Series 75 FLANGE ( <b>120</b> #)     |





Please note: 120 Mesh is not covered under ISO standard

#### 317 Series - 2"

#### Suction filters 317 Series with valve

- 2" BSP threads
- Filtering capacity 200-260 l/min
- Automatic shut-off valve to clean filter
- Cartridge Ø 108 x 286mm
- VITON® gaskets



| FILTER<br>CODE | F (BSP) | s | SCREEN TYPE      | h<br>(mm) | DESCRIPTION  |
|----------------|---------|---|------------------|-----------|--|
| 317 22474      | 2"      |   | Inox 100/32 Mesh | 20        | FILTER - 2" SUCTION (100/32#) COMPLETE [YEL] C/VALVE |
| 317 22050      | 2"      |   | Inox 120/32 Mesh | 20        | FILTER - 2" SUCTION (120/32#) COMPLETE [YEL] C/VALVE |
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| SCREEN CODE SCREEN TYPE suit 2 (108 x 286mm) |  |                  |  |  |
|--|--|------------------|--|--|
| 317 2002.030                                 |  | Inox 32 Mesh     |  |  |
| 317 2003.030                                 |  | Inox 50 Mesh     |  |  |
| 317 20035.030                                |  | Inox 80 Mesh     |  |  |
| 317 2004.030                                 |  | Inox 100 Mesh    |  |  |
| 317 2204.030                                 |  | Inox 100/32 Mesh |  |  |
| 317 2205.030                                 |  | Inox 120/32 Mesh |  |  |



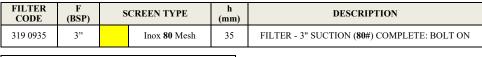
Please note: 120 Mesh is not covered under ISO standard

#### ARAG

#### 319 Series - 3" SUCTION

#### Suction filters 319 Series

- 3" BSP threads
- Filtering capacity 400-800 l/min
- Cartridge Ø 145 x 320mm
- VITON® gaskets

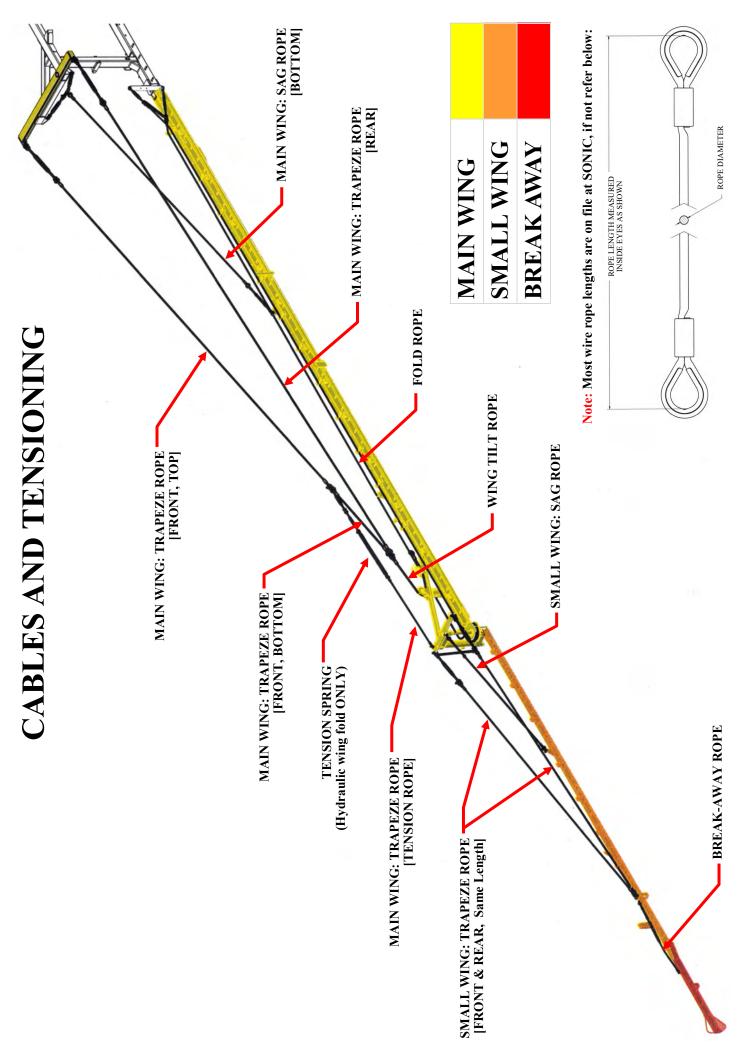




| SCREEN CODE   | SCREEN TYPE suit 3"<br>(145 x 320mm) |  |  |  |
|---------------|--------------------------------------|--|--|--|
| 335 2002.030  | Inox 32 Mesh                         |  |  |  |
| 335 2003.030  | Inox 50 Mesh                         |  |  |  |
| 335 20035.030 | Inox 80 Mesh                         |  |  |  |
| 335 2204.030  | Inox 100/32 Mesh                     |  |  |  |



Please note: 120 Mesh is not covered under ISO standard



It is very important that all cables are adjusted correctly for optimum performance. All cables are adjusted by turnbuckles which all have a locking nut. To adjust, undo locking nut, adjust to correct tension and reset locking nut.



#### MAIN WING how to level

The aim is to have the wing beam supported by all the wire cables when in transport position and also when in the spray position. To check levelness of boom:

- 1) Park the machine on level ground where possible, this will help when eyeballing wing level
- 2) Fold out the wing assembly completely, then lift boom until jockey wheels are not touching the ground.
- 3) The wings should be level with the mast's lower beam, known as the CENTRE BEAM, Ref. Page. 28.

#### To adjust UP or DOWN:

If the Main wing is slopping down or up too high:

- 1) Take all the weight off the cables and turnbuckles by lifting the end of main wing up until main support cables become loose.
- 2) Adjust the main wing trapeze turnbuckles: Tighten to go up & loosen to go down.

  Please Note: Adjust both turnbuckles evenly (E.g. If you adjust the Front turnbuckle = 3 turns then adjust the Rear turnbuckle = 3 turns)
- 3) Lower the main wing to check the adjustment made.
- 4) Stand at end of wing and make sure Main wing is in line with main upright (Centre beam).
- 5) If still slopping down repeat procedure, adjusting as required, until main wing becomes parallel with the centre beam arm on the parallel lift.
- 6) Adjust as required and tighten up the locknuts. Also refer to Pages 26-28 for images

#### To adjust FRONT to BACK:

The front to back adjustment should be done in conjunction with the up and down adjustments when possible. It is acceptable if wing is slightly bias towards the front of the machine and slightly up.

- 1) Repeat steps 1-3 above when adjusting
- 2) To adjust the wing Forward: Tighten the front turnbuckle while loosening the rear turnbuckle to compensate for boom level
- 3) To adjust the wing Backward: Tighten the rear turnbuckle while loosening the front turnbuckle to compensate for boom level
- 4) Repeat steps 4 & 6 above until wing is in the desired position

#### SAG ROPE

The main wing should not be bowing up in the centre (**NO** Sad smile), if you can't get them dead straight, it is acceptable for the wing to be slightly bowed down in the middle (Happy smile). This keeps the weight focused on the Main trapeze cables as its designed to be.

- 1) **Transport Position:** Adjust the bottom turnbuckle (No. 5) on the main wing centre support cable, whilst the boom is in the FOLDED IN position. This turnbuckle should be adjusted until the centre of main wing is straight and level. Refer to Page 28-29.
- 2) **Spray Position:** Adjust the top turnbuckle (No.6) on the main wing centre support cable, near the mast whilst the boom is in the FOLDED OUT position. This turnbuckle should be adjusted until the centre of main wing is straight and level. Refer to Page 28-29.
- 3) Fold the boom IN and OUT a few times to check your adjustments look correct.
- 4) Adjust as required and tighten up the locknuts.

#### SMALL WING how to level

SMALL WING

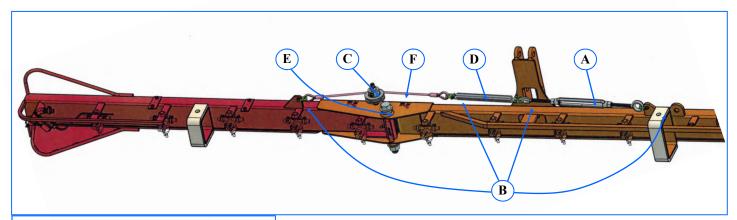
If the outer (Small wings) need adjusting, use the same procedure as with the main wing shown above.

#### **BREAK AWAY**



#### **BREAKAWAY** adjustment

If the breakaway does not return completely, tighten turnbuckle to suit. Do not over tighten. Adjust the tension just enough so that the breakaway returns softly. If the breakaway still isn't returning correctly, check that the bolt has sufficient grease and moves freely. Possibly replace spring if it looks fatigued or over extended.

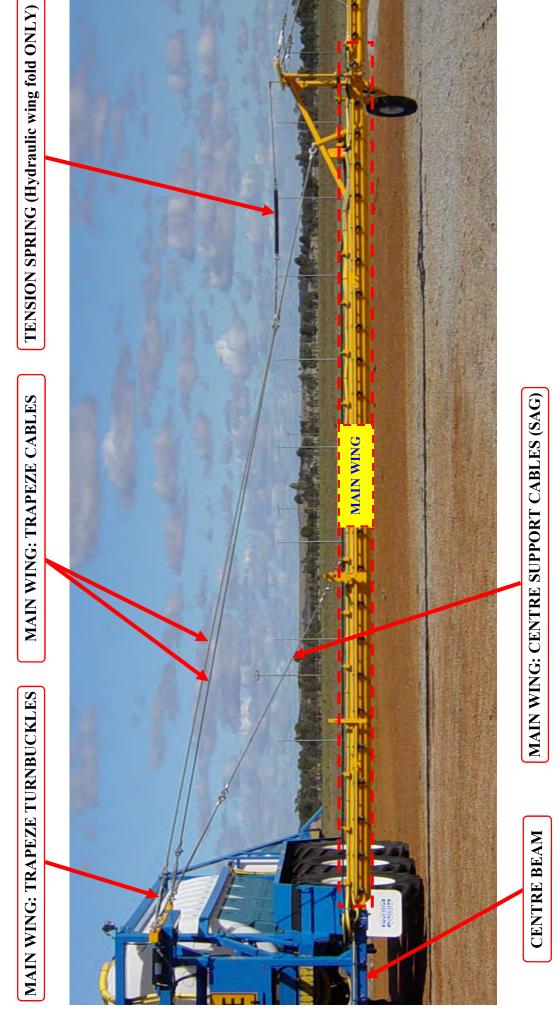


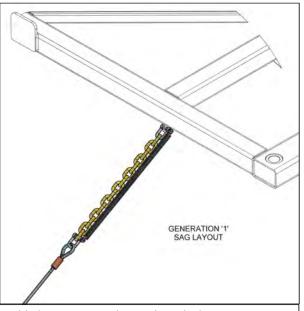
- A) 12mm Stainless Turnbuckle (Eye/Eye)
- B) 6mm Stainless Dee
- C) 70mm Alloy pulley
- D) Break Away Spring (S/S) (QA74840) E) Bolt H/T (7/8" UNC x 7.1/2")
- F) Break away wire rope (530mm or 755mm)

#### MAIN LIFT UPRIGHT (MAST POST)

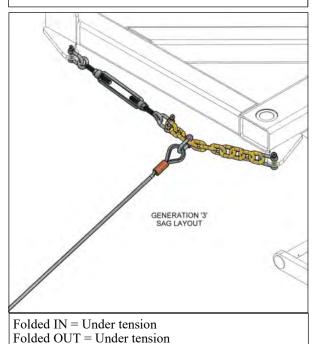


**END OF MAIN WING** 

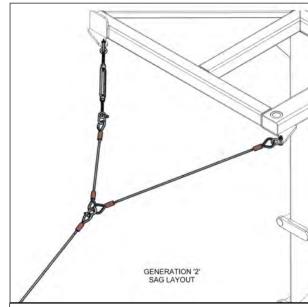




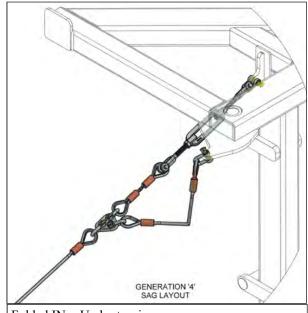
Folded IN = Not under tension, slack Folded OUT = Under tension



TOP: Turnbuckle No.6



Folded IN = Under slight tension, mostly slack Folded OUT = Under tension



Folded IN = Under tension Folded OUT = Under tension



**BOTTOM:** Turnbuckle No.5

#### **Fold Cable Adjustment**

When adjusting the fold cable, the aim is to have the secondary wing (**Small wing**) inline with the main wing when the wings are open and the operator is spraying. So the small wings shouldn't be hanging back while driving down the paddock.

When the wings are folded into transport position, the secondary wing (Small wing) should be sitting tight against the crash pad.

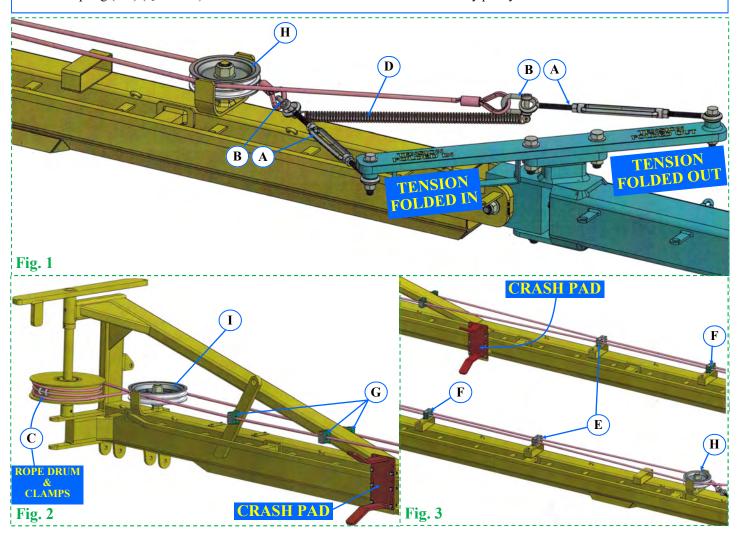
#### To Adjust:

- 1) Open your wings completely to the spray position
- 2) Loosen both adjustment turnbuckles so they are fully open (Fig. 1)
- 3) Loosen the wire rope clamps on the outside drum (Fig.2) and adjust the rope so the Folded **Out** side is tight and all the slack is on the Folded **In** side back at the adjustment turnbuckles (Fig.1)
- 4) Once your happy the cables are good, tighten the cable clamps on the drum (Fig.2)
- 5) Tighten the **Folded Out** turnbuckle until the small wing is inline with the main wing, tension should be good and tight.
- 6) Fold the boom back into transport position
- 7) Tighten the **Folded In** turnbuckle until the small wing is touching the crash pad (Fig.3), also shown on the previous page **A**. Tension should be firm but not too tight.
- 8) Fold the wings fully in and fully out, adjust tension turnbuckles as required.
- 9) Close off the lock nuts on the turnbuckles and check that the pins on the Dee shackles are tight.

#### Parts:

- A. 12mm Stainless Turnbuckle (Eye/Eye)
- B. 10mm Stainless Dee
- C. 10mm (S/S) Wire rope clamp
- D. Fold Spring (S/S) (QA99153)

- E. Alloy wire rope guide, double eye
- F. Poly hose clamp 22mm, double eye
- G. Poly hose clamp 22mm, single eye
- H. 6" Alloy pulley
- I. 8" or 9" Alloy pulley



#### HYDRAULIC END WING FOLD

The sonic hydraulic end wing fold is an Optional extra and gives you the ability to spray with the Small wing folded in, effectively shrinking your wing span for those tighter sections in a paddock. This is achieved through a series of valves and re-phasing rams.

#### FULL Fold

- 1) To spray in the normal fully open position select FULL FOLD on Sonic controller
- 2) Press and hold the corresponding FOLD OUT Hydraulic remote switch in your tractor, until the wings are fully un-folded.

#### **SPLIT Fold**

You should only select the split fold function when the boom is **folded IN fully** 

- 1) To spray with the Small wings folded IN, select SPLIT FOLD on Sonic controller, this isolates the hy-draulics for the small wing so the Main wings will open but NOT the Small wings.
- 2) Press and hold the corresponding FOLD OUT Hydraulic remote switch in your tractor, until the wings are fully un-folded.

#### **SPLIT Fold while spraying**

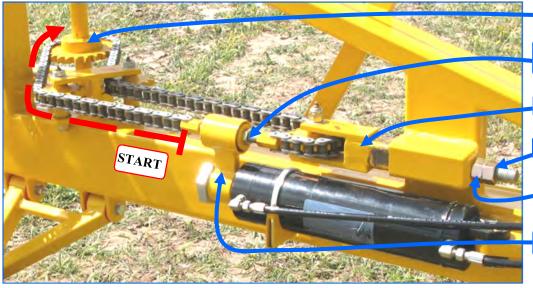
You must Fold IN the wings completely to select or un-select the Split fold function so:

- 1) Fold in your wings completely by holding the corresponding FOLD IN Hydraulic remote switch in your tractor.
- 2) Press the SPLIT FOLD function on the sonic controller, this isolates the hydraulics for the small wing so the Main wings will open but NOT the Small wings.
- 3) Press and hold the corresponding FOLD OUT Hydraulic remote switch in your tractor, until the wings are fully un-folded.

#### Adjusting the chain:

- 1) Starting in the fully Folded OUT position
- 2) Undo lock nuts fully on the chain equalizer and loosen chain.
- 3) Centre the all thread on the Equalizer and loosely tighten the lock nuts to hold it in position
- 4) Hold the Small wing in place so its fully open and in-line (Parallel) with your main wing
- 5) Starting at the Equalizer (Ref. Start): Adjust the chain links around the Large sprocket (Ref. Red Line) so the chain is taught on that side, adjust the Equalizer slightly to align with the sprocket teeth, if required, while keeping it central as possible
- 6) Undo lock nut on chain tensioner and Tension the rest of the chain by winding in the inside adjustment nut. Chain should be quite firm, about 3-5mm movement at the most.
- 7) Lock off all lock nuts and check that everything is moving correctly by folding in and out.





LARGE SPROKET

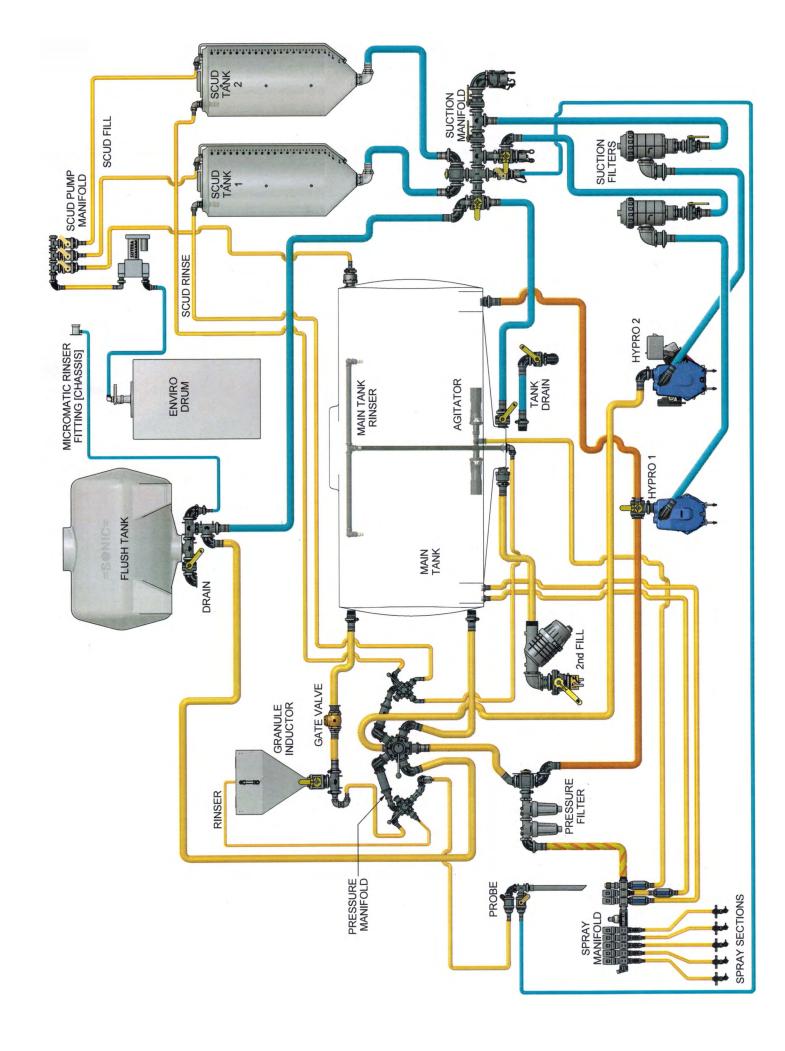
CHAIN DRIVE: EQUALIZER & LOCK NUTS

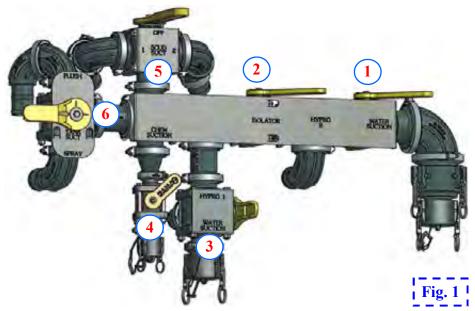
CHAIN DRIVE: TENSIONER

TENSIONER: LOCK NUT

TENSIONER: ADJUSTMENT NUT

CHAIN DRIVE: LOAD ARM





#### **Suction Manifold:**

The suction manifold is used by the operator to get fluid too the pumps, weather it's spraying or filling. Valve functions:

- ♦ ♦ WATER SUCTION (Used to fill fresh water into boom from an external source)
- Solution is Solution is Solution in ISOLATOR (Isolates right side of the manifold from the left)
- ♦ HYPRO 1 (Suction point for Hypro 1, turn tap to suck fluid from an external source)
- ♦ CHEM SUCTION (Can use either pump to suck chemical from an external source)
- SCUD SUCT, 1 or 2 (Can use either pump to suck chemical from scud tanks, turn tap to select tank source)
- TANK SUCT, Spray or Flush tank (Turn to select fluid source from either Flush Tank or Main Spray tank)



#### **Pressure Manifold:**

The multi directional rotary valves on the pressure manifold (Fig.2) are a simple operating platform. Basically get the fluid from the pump to the manifold and turn the handle so the arrow is pointing at the function you want to perform.



#### **6-Way Tap Functions:**

Feed IN (From behind) — SPRAY — Fill MAIN TANK — Fill FLUSH TANK — Pressure to GRANULE INTUCTOR + PROBE (Tap B) — Pressure to RINSERS (Tap C)



#### 5-Way Tap Functions:

Feed IN (From behind) — Pressure to GRANULE INDUCTOR VENTURY — Rinse GRANULE INDUCTOR HOPPER — Pressure to FLUSH PROBE (Eg. Rinse chemical drums or pressure to external hose reel)

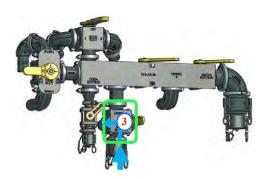


#### **5-Way Tap Functions:**

Feed IN (From behind) — Rinse SCUD TANK No.1 — Rinse SCUD TANK No.2 — Rinse MAIN TANK

#### FILL Main Tank from external source using Hypro1:

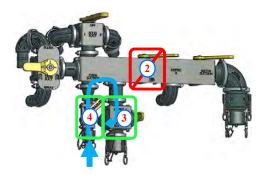
- 1) Switch the 3-way tap on top of the pump to FILL (Hypro1)
- 2) Switch the 3-way
- 3 tap on the Suction manifold to FILL
- 3) Remove the dust
- cap, connect up your hose and activate pump





#### FILL Chemical directly to main tank with Hypro1:

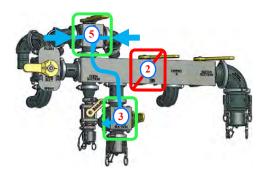
- 1) Switch the 3-way tap on top of the pump to FILL (Hypro1)
- 2) Switch the 3-way
- (3) tap on the Suction manifold to SPRAY
- 3) Turn **OFF** the ISO-
- (2) LATOR tap on the Suction manifold
- 4) Remove the dust cap on the
- CHEM SUCTION tap
- 5) Turn ON the CHEM SUCTION tap (4) and activate pump





#### **EMPTY Scud Tanks** directly to main tank using **Hypro1**:

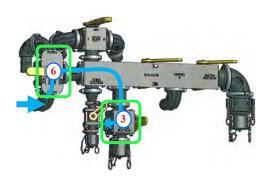
- 1) Switch the 3-way tap on top of the pump to FILL (Hypro1)
- 2) Switch the 3-way
- (3) tap on the Suction manifold to SPRAY
- 3) Turn **OFF** the ISO-
- (2) LATOR tap on the Suction manifold
- 4) Switch the 3-way SCUD whichever tank you wish to empty
- SUCT tap on the Suction manifold to (Scud 1 or 2)





#### **SPRAY** using **Hypro1**:

- 1) Switch the 3-way tap on top of the pump to SPRAY (Hypro1)
- 2) Switch the 3-way
- (3) tap on the Suction manifold to SPRAY
- 3) Switch the 3-way
- tap on the Suction manifold to SPRAY
- 4) Switch the 3-way
- tap @ pressure filters to HYPRO 1
- 5) Activate your pump & use GPS controller to set application rate, pressure etc. and start spraying

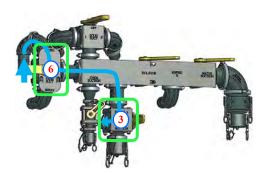






#### FLUSH using Hypro1:

- 1) Switch the 3-way tap on top of the pump to SPRAY (Hypro1)
- 2) Switch the 3-way
- (3) tap on the Suction manifold to SPRAY
- 3) Switch the 3-way
- tap on the Suction manifold to FLUSH
- 4) Switch the 3-way
- tap @ pressure filters to HYPRO 1
- 5) Activate your pump, use GPS controller to activate section valves etc, open section flush taps on wings and flush your lines as required

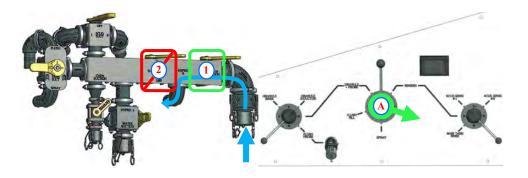






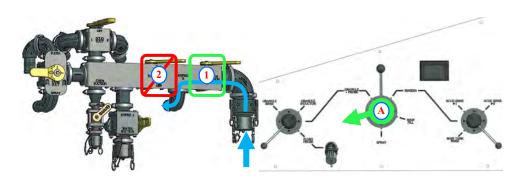
#### FILL Main Tank from external source using Hypro2:

- 1) Switch the 6-way
- (A) tap on the Pressure manifold to MAIN FILL
- 2) Turn **OFF** the ISO-
- (2) LATOR tap on the Suction manifold
- 3) Turn ON the WATER SUCifold
- 1 TION tap on the Suction man-



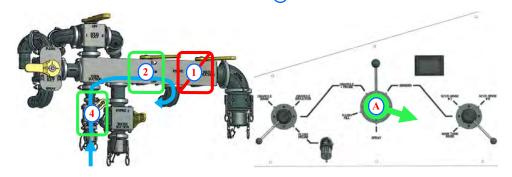
#### FILL Flush Tank from external source using Hypro2:

- 1) Switch the 6-way tap (A) on the Pressure manifold to FLUSH FILL
- 2) Turn **OFF** the ISO-
- (2) LATOR tap on the Suction manifold
- 3) Turn ON the WATER SUCmanifold
- TION tap on the Suction



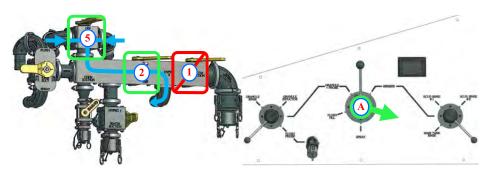
#### FILL Chemical directly to main tank with Hypro2:

- 1) Switch the 6-way
- (A) tap on the pressure manifold to MAIN FILL
- 2) Turn ON the ISO-
- (2) LATOR tap on the Suction manifold
- 3) Turn **OFF** the WATER manifold
- 1 SUCTION tap on the suction
- 4) Remove the dust cap on the CHEM  $_{\bigcirc}$  SUCTION tap



### EMPTY Scud Tanks directly to main tank using Hypro2:

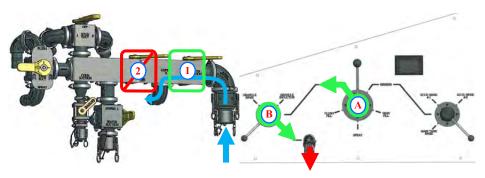
- 1) Switch the 6-way (A) tap on the pressure manifold to MAIN FILL
- 2) Turn ON the ISO-
- 2 LATOR tap on the Suction manifold
- 3) Turn **OFF** the WATER tion manifold
- 1 SUCTION tap on the Suc-
- 4) Switch the 3-way SCUD SUCT tap (5)
  - on the Suction manifold to



### RUN Flush Probe using external water source with Hypro2:

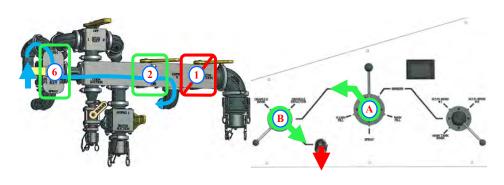
- 1) Turn **OFF** the ISOLATOR
- (2) tap on the suction manifold
- 2) Remove the dust cap @ WA-
- TER SUCTION, connect up your hose
- 3) Turn ON the WATER SUCTION tap on the Suction manifold
- 4) Remove the dust cap @ FLUSH
- PROBE, connect up your hose

- 5) Switch the 6-way PROBE
- tap on the pressure manifold to GRANULE +
- 6) Switch the 5-way
- tap on the pressure manifold to FLUSH PROBE



### **RUN Flush Probe** using Flush tank as water source with **Hypro2**:

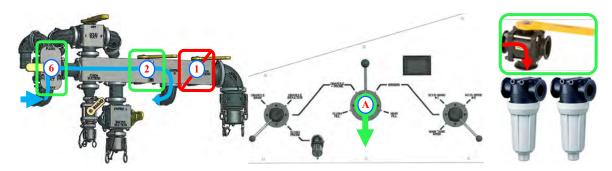
- 1) Turn **OFF** the WATER SUCTION
- 1 tap on the suction manifold
- 2) Turn ON the ISOLATOR
- (2) tap
- on the Suction manifold
- 3) Switch the 3-way TANK
- SUC-
- C- 6 TION tap on the Suction mani-
- fold to FLUSH
- 4) Remove the dust cap @ FLUSH PROBE, connect up your hose
- 5) Switch the 6-way PROBE
- tap on the pressure manifold to GRANULE +
- 6) Switch the 5-way
- (B) tap on the pressure manifold to FLUSH PROBE



### **SPRAY** with **Hypro2**:

- 1) Switch the 6-way (A) ta
  - (A) tap on the pressure manifold to SPRAY
- 2) Turn ON the ISO-
- (2) LATOR tap on the Suction manifold
- 3) Turn **OFF** the WATER manifold
- 1 SUCTION tap on the suction

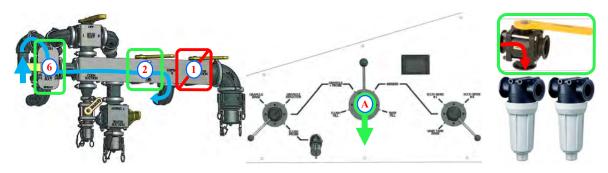
- 4) Switch the 3-way
- tap on the Suction manifold to SPRAY
- 5) Switch the 3-way tap @ pressure filters to HYPRO 2
- 6) Activate your pump & use GPS controller to set application rate,



### FLUSH with Hypro2:

- 1) Switch the 6-way
- (A) tap on the pressure manifold to SPRAY
- 2) Turn ON the ISO-
- (2) LATOR tap on the Suction manifold
- 3) Turn **OFF** the WATER manifold
- 1 SUCTION tap on the suction

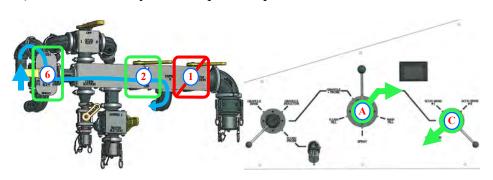
- 4) Switch the 3-way
- tap on the Suction manifold to FLUSH
- 5) Switch the 3-way tap @ pressure filters to HYPRO 2
- 6) Activate your pump, use GPS controller to activate section valves etc,



### RINSE Main tank using Flush tank water source with Hypro2:

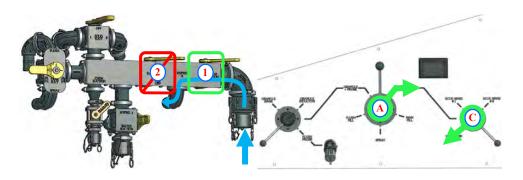
- 1) Switch the 6-way
- (A) tap on the pressure manifold to RINSERS
- 2) Turn ON the ISO-
- (2) LATOR tap on the Suction manifold
- 3) Turn **OFF** the WATER manifold
- SUCTION tap on the suction

- 4) Switch the 3-way
- tap on the Suction manifold to FLUSH
- 5) Switch the 5-way
- tap on the pressure manifold to MAIN TANK



### RINSE Main tank using external water source with Hypro2:

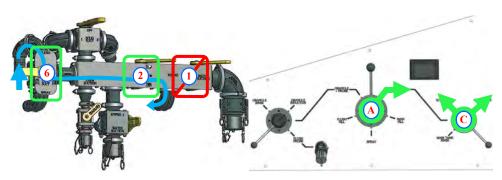
- 2) Turn **OFF** the ISO-
- 2 LATOR tap on the Suction manifold
- 3) Turn ON the WATER SUC-
- TION tap on the suction manifold
- 4) Switch the 5-way tap on the pres-RINSE
- sure manifold to MAIN TANK



### RINSE Scud tanks using Flush tank water source with Hypro2:

- 1) Switch the 6-way
- (A) tap on the pressure manifold to RINSERS
- 2) Turn ON the ISO-
- (2) LATOR tap on the Suction manifold
- 3) Turn **OFF** the WATER manifold
- 1) SUCTION tap on the suction

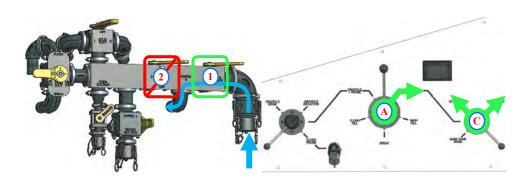
- 4) Switch the 3-way
- tap on the Suction manifold to FLUSH
- 5) Switch the 5-way tap on the pressure manifold to SCUD RINSE 1 or



### RINSE Scud tanks using external water source with Hypro2:

- 1) Switch the 6-way
- (A) tap on the pressure manifold to RINSERS
- 2) Turn **OFF** the ISO-
- (2) LATOR tap on the Suction manifold
- 3) Turn ON the WATER SUC-
- TION tap on the suction manifold

- 4) Switch the 5-way RINSE 1 or 2
- B tap on the
- pressure manifold to SCUD

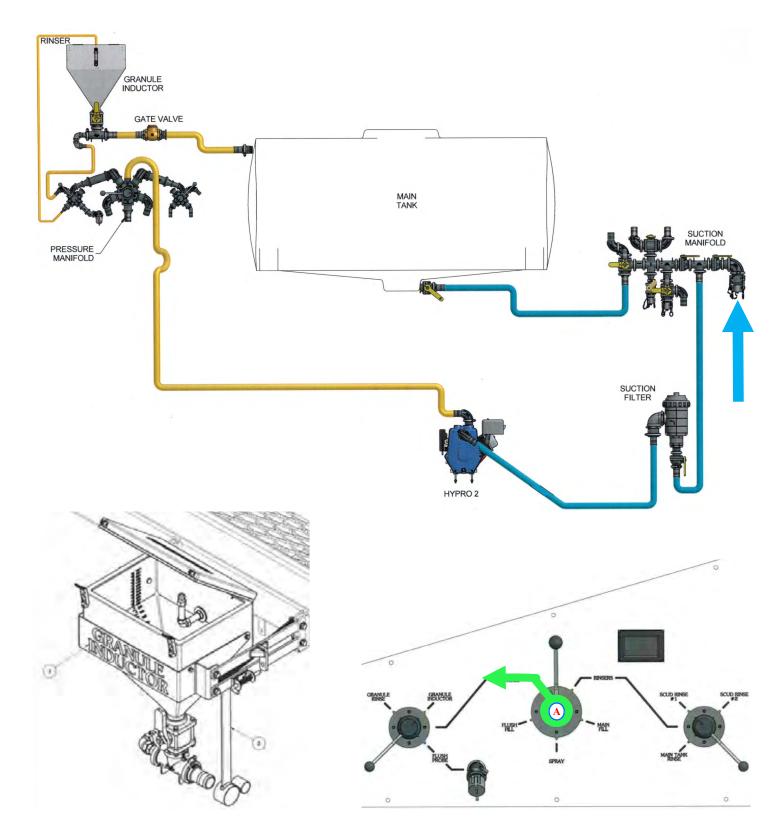


### **GRANULE INDUCTOR**

The SONIC Granule Inductor is a venturi type, dry hopper. It is suitable for loading: Granules, liquids and powders.

### To operate:

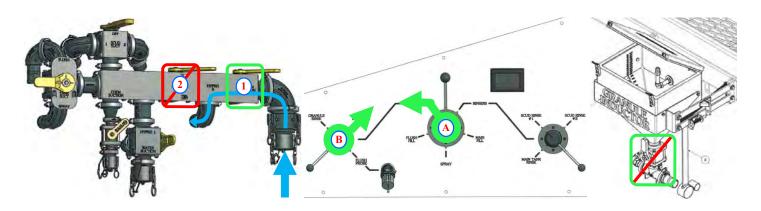
- 1) Connect up your water source to run the inductor.
- 2) Set pump so it's running at 3/4 throttle.
- 3) Preferably have your Main tank 1/4 to 1/3rd full before running granule inductor to minimise foaming and to reduce chances of granules settling.
- 4) Follow steps on the following Page 41:



### **GRANULE INDUCTOR**

### **RUN Granule Inductor** using external water source with **Hypro2**:

- 1) Turn OFF the ISOLATOR tap (2) on the suction manifold
- 2) Turn ON the WATER SUC-
- 1 TION tap on the suction manifold
- 3) Remove the dust cap, connect up
- your hose and activate pump
- 4) Open the lid on the Granule inductor and pour in your liquids or granules
- 5) Switch the 6-way tap on the pressure manifold to GRANULE + PROBE
- 6) Switch the 5-way tap on the pressure manifold to GRANULE INDUCTOR to get the Venturi at the base of the hopper going
- 7) Open the tap at the bottom of the hopper until the hopper is empty Please Note. Make sure the lid stays open, a closed lid will create a vacuum and you'll struggle to open it again
- 8) Close the tap at the bottom of the hopper 1st, then close the lid

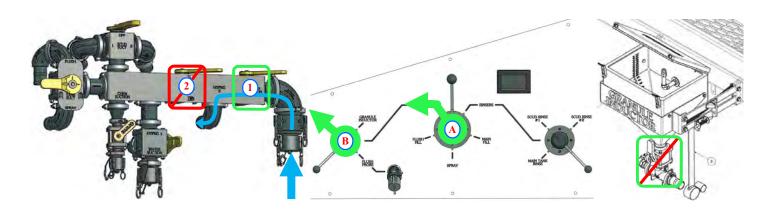


### RINSE Granule Inductor using external water source with Hypro2:

- 1) Turn **OFF** the ISOLATOR
- (2) tap on the suction manifold
- 2) Turn ON the WATER SUC-
- TION tap on the suction manifold
- 3) Remove the dust cap, connect up
- your hose and activate pump

- 4) Switch the 6-way
- (A) tap on the pressure manifold to GRANULE + PROBE the hopper
- 5) CLOSE the lid on 6) Switch the 5-way
- tap on the pressure manifold to GRANULE RINSE
- 7) When finished rins-
- ing, Switch the 5- way tap on the pressure mani-
- fold to GRANULE INDUCTOR

  8) OPEN the lid 1st, then open the tap at the base of hopper to empty
  - Please Note. Make sure the lid stays open, a closed lid will create a vacuum and you'll struggle to open it again
- 9) Once empty CLOSE the bottom tap 1st, then the lid
- 10) Move on to the next task, turn taps as required



### SONIC SCUD CHEMICAL TRANSFER

#### Intro

The SCUD chemical metering unit is quick, clean and safe. The chemical is transferred from the Envirodrum to the boom tank in a closed system, which protects the operator from toxic chemical fumes and chemical splash. The SCUD system includes a 200ltr SCUD tank fitted to the boom enabling large quantities of chemical to stored and transported for remote filling stations. An electric Sotera double diaphragm SCUD pump is fitted as standard when a scud kit is optioned and is capable of shifting up to 50 ltrs of chemical per minute allowing chemical to be transferred in a short time frame, which is ideal for chemicals with rates upwards of 1 ltr/ha. The SCUD system is a proven product. Response from farmers has been excellent, it's simplicity and safety give it the edge over any other system on the market.

The SCUD system is very simple to use, so once it's mounted onto your boom there is no more set up required. Have your Envirodrums set up so that when you arrive at your water fill-up point the Micromatic coupler hose will reach the Envirodrums. Ensure the main spray system is in agitate mode before filling and follow the instructions to follow.

#### To operate:

- 1) After connecting water supply to fill the Main tank, remove the Micromatic male coupler from Micromatic female rinser and connect to Envirodrum, by turning clockwise (similar to a light bulb fitting).
- 2) Push down the handle of Micromatic male coupler to open the Micromatic drum valve (Note: It should click down into place). The system is now open and ready for the SCUD pump to be turned on. (Note: Before switching the SCUD pump on always check to make sure SCUD tank is empty)
- 3) Open the corresponding tap on the scud manifold to fill relevant SCUD tank.
- 4) Lift the metal lever on the right hand side of the SCUD pump to switch the pump on. You should see the chemical start filling into the bottom of the SCUD tank. If it's not filling then make sure the Micromatic coupler is connected properly and that the handle is pushed down all the way. If this does not solve the problem try another Envirodrum, in case the first one was faulty. If this fails check your SCUD pump.
- 4) When chemical fills to the required amount of litres (E.g. Read off the side of the calibrated SCUD tank), switch off SCUD pump. You can also stop the flow by releasing the Micromatic male coupler from the Envirodrum.
- 5) When you are satisfied that you have the right amount of chemical, remove the Micromatic male coupler from the Envirodrum (Unclick and turn anti-clockwise).
- 6) Re-connect the handpiece to the Micromatic female rinser (turn clockwise) and engage the handle of the male coupler until it clicks down into place (similar to step 2).

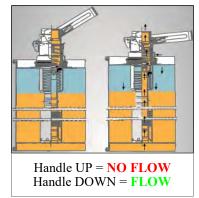
#### To Rinse:

1) Turn SCUD pump on again (for approximately 10 seconds), this will allow fresh water to flow from the Micromatic female rinser through the Micromatic male coupler into the SCUD pump and then into the SCUD tank. This flushes the chemical out of the system so you always have clean water left in the system.

Note: Once you've finished rinsing the SCUD system. Be aware that if you leave the handle fully engaged the system will be open. **Disengage** the handle to stop liquid flow. Head pressure from the flush tank could cause liquid to flow through the pump into your scud tank, giving you a false reading in the scale.









### **SCUD INSTRUCTIONS**

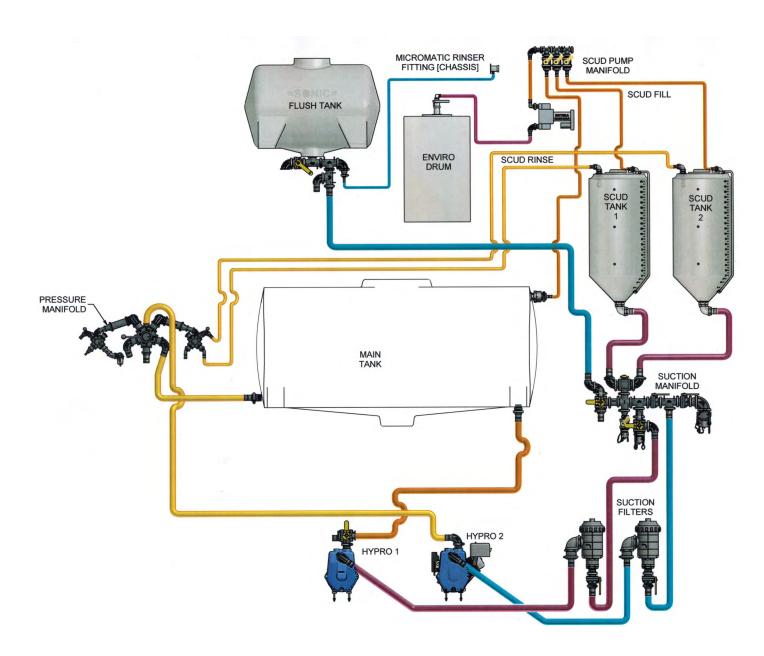
### FILL Main Tank directly using SCUD Pump:

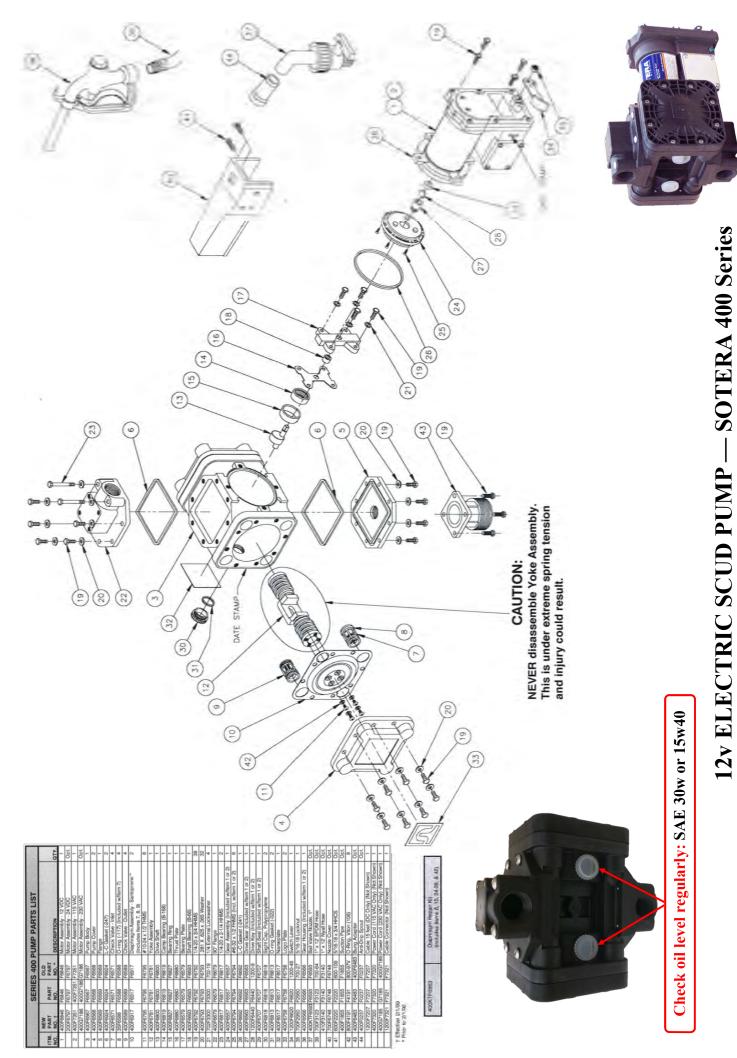
- 1) Connect up your suction hose to the chemical drum, so the Micromatic handle is locked down as described on previous page.
- 2) Open the corresponding tap for your MAIN TANK.
- 3) Switch on the pump until desired amount has been loaded into the tank.
- 4) Turn off the pump and disconnect your Micromatic male coupler from chemical drum.
- 5) Connect the Micromatic male coupler to the Female Rinser and engage handle.
- 6) Turn pump back on long enough to flush fresh water through the system.
- 7) When system is clean, Turn off and disengage handle to cut off the flow.
- 8) If you have another chemical going into the same batch repeat steps above.

#### **SERVICING**

Check oil level periodically. The oil level should be level with the bottom edge of the sight caps located on the front of the pump body. Replace oil annually with approximately 500 mls of automotive grade SAE 30W (or 15w40) through one of the site cap holes.

For more detailed service and parts information consult the Sotera Owner's Operation & Safety Manual (as supplied).





### HIGH FLOW SCUD CHEMICAL TRANSFER

#### **INRO**

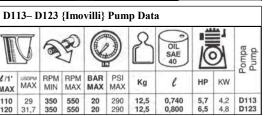
The high flow SCUD chemical transfer unit is quick, clean and safe. This pumping system is capable of higher flows than the electric driven unit, with a potential of up 110 l/min compared to the 50 l/min potential of the electric setup (Note: Fittings and couplers used may restrict full flow). There are two options for driving the pump. The pump can be fitted with either a Hydraulic driven or a Petrol driven motor. Procedures for filling and flushing are the same as described for the electric unit on previous pages, only difference being how the motor is switched on and off. The Hydraulic motor can be switched off via the hy-draulic ball valve under the motor. The Honda motor can be switched off via the standard ON-OFF switch on the motor. (Note: Max RPM is 550rpm for these diaphragm pumps: Pre-set at SONIC factory)

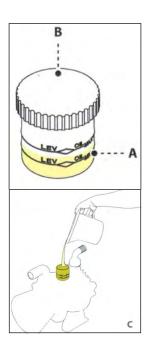
#### SERVICING

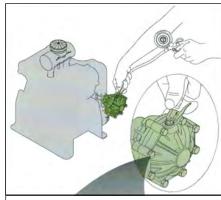
- Check oil level periodically. The pump should be level and cold when checking and the oil level should be between the marked MAX-MIN markings on the reservoir bottle.
- If necessary, top up the oil, using the recommended oil from your pump user manual.
- Replace oil annually as per user manual provided.
- Check Diaphragm pressure periodically

For more detailed service and parts information consult the Manufacturers Owner's Operation & Safety Manual (as supplied).





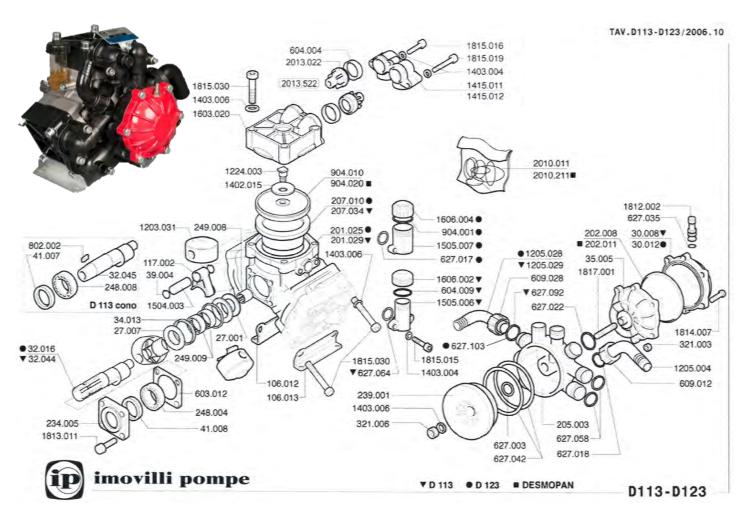




Checking the inflation pressure
If the pump has a pressure accumulator, check its level of inflation with the pump at a stand-still, using an tyre inflation gun with a pressure gauge. The accumulator is inflated by the manufacturer to the maximum pump pressure. Refer to the table below for desired pressure setting.

| 113-112 | 5 (movini) | Pressure Ac | The contract |
|---------|------------|-------------|--------------|
| BAR     | PSI        | BAR         | PSI          |
| 20      | 290        | 8           | 115          |
| 15      | 215        | 7           | 100          |
| 10      | 145        | 5           | 70           |
| 5       | 70         | 3           | 40           |

### HIGH FLOW SCUD PUMP — IMOVILLI D113 & D123 Series



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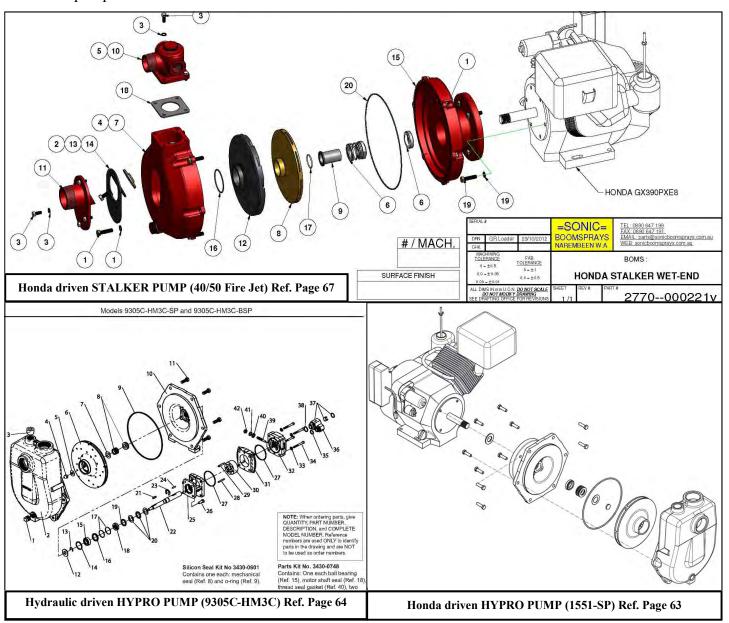
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| 27.001    | Anello spallamento A.          | 4        | 627,035 ♦ | ■ Guarn, OR Ø 12 x 6 x 3   | 1       |
| 27.007    | Anello spallamento B.          | 2        | 627.042 ♦ | ■ Guarn, OR 109104   | 2       |
| 30.008    | Accumulatore sup. D 113        | 1        | 627.058 ♦ | ■ Guarn, OR Ø 25 x 31 x 3  | 6       |
| 30.012    | Accumulatore sup. D 123        | 1        | 627.064 ♦ | <ul> <li>Guarn, OR 3087 D 113</li> </ul>   | 1       |
| 32.016    | Albero pompa D 123 cardano     | 1        | 627.092 ♦ | ■ Guarn. OR 3131   | 1       |
| 32.044    | Albero pompa D 113 cardano     | 1        | 627,103 ♦ | ■ Guarn, OR Ø 38.5 x 32.5 x 3  | 2       |
| 32.045    | Albero pompa D 113 cono        | 1        | 802.002   | Linguetta 8 x 7 x 25 UNI 6604  | 1       |
| 34.013    | Anello unione                  | 2        | 904.001 ♦ | ■ Membrana polmone olio D 123  | 1       |
| 35.005    | Accumulatore inf.              | 1        | 904.010 ♦ | Membrana gomma   | 3       |
| 39.004    | Anello arresto Ø 16            | 6        | 904.020   | Membrana desmopan  | 3       |
| 41.007 ♦  | ■ Anello radiale Ø 30 x 47 x 7 | -1       | 1203.031  | Pistone  | 3       |
| 41.008 ♦  | ■ Anello radiale Ø 35 x 47 x 7 | 1        | 1205.004  | Portagomma curvo Ø 25 x 1"   | 1       |
| 106.012   | Base pompa SX                  | 1        | 1205.028  | Portagomma curvo Ø 40 x 1"1/2 D 123  | 1       |
| 106.013   | Base pompa DX                  | 1        | 1205.029  | Portagomma curvo Ø 30 x 1*1/2 D 113  | 1       |
| 117.002   | Biella                         | 3        | 1224.003  | Perno bloccaggio membrana  | 3       |
| 201.025   | Carter D 123                   | 1        | 1402.015  | Rondella richiamo membrana   | 3       |
| 201.029   | Carter D 113                   | 1        | 1403.004  | Rondella Bis. Ø 8 UNI 1750   | 12      |
| 202.008 ♦ | Camera aria gomma              | 1        | 1403.006  | Rondella Bis. Ø 10 UNI 1750  | 9       |
| 202.011   | Camera aria desmopan           | 4        | 1415.011  | Raccordo collettore  | 2       |
| 205.003   | Collettore aspirazione         | 1        | 1415.012  | Raccordo collettore con tappo  | 1       |
| 207.010   | Cilindro D 123                 | 3        | 1504.003  | Spinotto Ø 16 x 60   | 3       |
| 207.034   | Cilindro D 113                 | 3        | 1505.006  | Serbatojo olio D 113   | 1       |
| 234.005   | Coperchio cuscinetto           | 1        | 1505.007  | Serbatojo olio D 123   | 1       |
| 239.001   | Coperchio coll.asp             | 1        | 1603.020  | Testata  | 3       |
| 248.004   | Cuscinetto a sfere 6007        | 1        | 1606.002  | Tappo serbatoio olio D 113   | 1       |
| 248.008   | Cuscinetto a sfere 6206        | 1        | 1606.004  | Tappo serbatoio olio D 123   | 1       |
| 249.008   | Cuscinetto a rullini HK 20/30  | 1        | 1812.002  | Valvola aria   | 1       |
| 249.009   | Cuscinetto a rullini HK 40/16  | 2        | 1813.011  | Vite TE M8 x 20 - 8.8 UNI 5739   | 4       |
| 321.003   | Dado es. M 8 UNI 5587          | 6        | 1814.007  | Vite TE M8 x 40 - 8.8 UNI 5737   | 6       |
| 321.006   | Dado es. M10 UNI 5587          | 1        | 1815.015  | Vite TCEI M8 x 35 - 8.8 UNI 5931   | 2       |
| 603.012 • | ■ Guarn, coperchio cuscinetto  | 1        | 1815.016  | Vite TCEI M8 x 40 - 8.8 UNI 5931   | 3       |
| 604.004 ♦ | ■ Guarn, valvola A-M           | 6        | 1815.019  | Vite TCEI M8 x 60 - 8.8 UNI 5931   | 6       |
| 604.009 ♦ | ■ Guam. Ø 23 x 32 x 2 D 113    | 1        | 1815.030  | Vite TCEI M10 x 65 - 8.8 UNI 5931  | 12      |
| 609.012   | Girello Ø 1" RS                | 1        | 1817.001  | Vite prigioniera inox  | 1       |
| 609.028   | Girello Ø 1°1/2 RS             | 1        | 2010.011  | Set guarnizioni ♦  | 1       |
| 627.003 ♦ | ■ Guarn, OR 109                | 1        | 2010.211  | Set quarnizioni desmopan ■   | 1       |
|           | ■ Guarn, OR 3075 D 123         | 1        | 2013.022  | Gruppo valvola A-M   | 6       |
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### **SPRAY PUMPS**

Flush pump with fresh water on completion of each days spraying. This will pro-long the life of the pump. Running the pump dry can lead to premature seal failure. If the seal should leak, liquid will emerge between the motor and the pump housing. Should this occur it is recommended that the shaft seal (Mechanical seal) in the pump be replaced. In some cases liquid can penetrate engine seal and cause complete engine failure.

Pump can remain on machine to replace seal.

- If possible flush pump with fresh water, then drain all liquid out of pump.
- Remove all bolts from pump housing
- Prise housing apart.
- Remove diffuser from impeller. (Stalker only)
- Remove impeller (Refer pump owners manual).
- Prise the spring loaded side of the seal off the shaft with a screwdriver.
- Prise Ceramic ring (White) out of the back plate
- Clean pump housing where seal is seated and lubricate.
- Replace new seal, making sure that the two hard surfaces face each other.
- Bed Ceramic seal into housing take care not to scratch, chip or crack, a little lubrication helps.
- Replace impeller and tighten (Use thread lock on the nut where applicable: Hydraulic driven Hypro).
- Replace housing and take care to line up evenly to ensure that the O-ring seals don't get pinched.
- Prime pump and run with some fresh water to check for leaks.



### PRE SEASON MAINTENANCE

- 1. Lift and unfold machine to ensure booms fold out and outriggers perform correctly.
- 2. Check all turnbuckles for defects or deformities, are pins in place, adjust as necessary & tighten lock nuts.
- 3. Check all Dee shackles are in place, inspect for defects, tighten pins
- 4. Check all cable clamps are tight and that the cables are not frayed.
- 5. Put some water in all tanks and operate machine in a stationary position to make sure there are no leaks.

  Note. It is common for O-rings and rubber washers to contract when the unit is not used for a long period.

  Most of these recover their shape quickly but sometimes they may need attention.
- 6. Open and close all motorised valves to check they are functioning correctly (Eg. Sections, control valves, dump valves, Flush On The Go valve, Tank Drain etc.)
- 7. Grease suspension and all pivot points. (Pg. 18-20)
- 8. Change oil in motors
- 9. Clean air filters
- 10. Remove and check all chemical filters on unit and make sure they are clean.
- 11. Check all nozzles and make sure they are clean.
- 12. Check all tyre pressures. (Pg.17)
- 13. Jack up all tyres and check wheel bearings for excess movement there should very minimal play in the bearings.
- 14. Most monitors require maintenance and possible updates. Depending on monitor used, it is a good idea to contact the manufacturer to see what you should do.
- 15. Re-calibrate Wheel Sensor. (Refer to Controller Owners Manual)
- 16. Re-calibrate Flowmeter. (Refer to Controller Owners Manual)

### END OF SEASON MAINTENANCE

- 1. Thoroughly decontaminate Boomspray with a suitable cleaning agent.
- 2. Flush several times with clean water.
- 3. Clean and decontaminate all filters.
- 4. Wash down entire Boomspray.
- 5. Lubricate all grease points.
- 6. Check manufacturer recommendation for off-season storage of engines.
- 7. Store out of direct sunlight.

## FLUSHING & DECONTAMINATION "A CLEAN MACHINE IS A SAFE MACHINE"

Boomspray should be washed down and the boom plumbing flushed out with clean water at the end of each day and at the end of every season. Use boom clean if necessary. Flowables and granules can settle out of suspension. Agitate properly before rinsing out. This includes cleaning filters, tanks, lines, pumps, jets and jet filters. It should also be thoroughly cleaned between different chemical groups, using an approved cleaning agent to avoid crop damage and or antagonism.

Good Housekeeping is paramount with chemical and liquid fertilizers

A fresh water tank (Flush tank) is fitted to facilitate the flushing of the Boomspray while away from a water source.

### **De-Contaminating the system:**

Flush the system with fresh water regularly and boom clean periodically

- 1) Select your fresh water source and the pump you wish to use.
- 2) Drain the Main tank to remove any residuals by opening the manual drain valve or (If optioned) press and hold the button for 3 seconds to activate the remote electric drain valve.
- 3) Close the drain valve once empty.
- 4) Switch pump to spray mode and switch to flush mode on your controller.
- 5) Switch all sections to ON, on your controller and activate master switch.
- 6) Open the flush taps at the ends of each section on the wings for 2-3mins to flush the lines.
- 7) Close the flush taps again and leave the fresh water flush through the jets for another 2-3mins.
- 8) Turn OFF you master switch.
- 9) Remove the mesh screens completely from your all your Filters and repeat steps 4-7, to flush the filter bodies and don't re-fit the mesh screens until the rest of the boom has been flushed.
- 10) With the master switch OFF and all your section valves OFF, open the dump valve and control valve to flush those lines back to main tank for 1-2mins.
- 11) Switch pump to Fill mode and turn relevant taps to fill Main tank to flush that fill line for 1-2mins.
- 12) Switch pump to Spray mode, switch pressure manifold tap to run Granule inductor only, this will flush fresh water through that bottom hose up into the main tank. Ensure the Granny pots drain tap is closed. Ref. Granule Inductor section.
- 13) Drain the main tank again, follow step 2.
- 14) With the drain valve still open Turn on the Main Tank Rinse until the liquid runs clear.
- 15) Close the drain valve.
- 16) Flush your spray lines and jets again by repeating steps 4-8 until liquid runs clear.
- 17) Repeat steps above for both pumps if required.
- 18) Clean all the Filter MESH SCREENS thoroughly and re-fit.

### **SCUD System:**

Flush the system with fresh water regularly and boom clean periodically

- 1) Connect and engage the Micromatic Male coupler with the Female rinser. Refer to Pg.42-43 for more de-tailed instructions.
- 2) Rinse line back to main tank for 1-2mins.
- 3) Rinse line to Scud tanks for 1-2mins.
- 4) Fill scud tank to around half way with fresh water.
- 5) Drain the scud tank again to flush the suction lines.
- 6) Run the Scud tank Rinser for 1-2mins and drain the residual once finished.

Boom cleaner can be added through the suction probe at the Pressure manifold or through the granule inductor: **Note.** When adding boom cleaning agent, follow the instructions on the label and procedures outlined by the cleaning agent manufacturer.

Once boom clean has been added, repeat the flushing procedure, as above.

"Ensure spray residues and rinsing solution are disposed of in accordance with local shire and state laws."

### **AIRMATIC**



#### Airmatic system:

This unique system is an optional extra and allows for complete control of the droplet size, thus allowing the operator to select the droplet size on the go, to suit the target or the conditions. The system then maintains this droplet size regardless of changes in sprayer speed or system pressure. This makes for worry free application and gives confidence to the operator that the best possible application is being done. The bi-fluid nozzle is able to produce the droplet size required for any application independent of the spray volume needed.

#### Airmatic controller:

The Airmatic controller regulates the flow of air to the AirJet nozzle by sensing the changes in the liquid pressure and adjusting accordingly. This enables the system to maintain a constant droplet size when the ground speed and/or liquid pressure changes. The Airmatic controller has pre-programed maximum and minimum limits for liquid and air pressure determined by the target droplet size selected. The system will alert the operator to vary the spraying speed accordingly.

**Six droplet size settings** - Choose among six industry standard drop size categories of Very fine (VF), Fine (F), Medium (M), Coarse (C), Very Coarse (VC) and Extremely Coarse (XC).

**Alarm mode** - When the system detects a variation in liquid pressure that is beyond the set pressure-to-air relationship, a flashing message on the display alerts the operator to "Drive Slower" or "Drive Faster." Likewise "Increase RPM" message will flash if the air compressor is working too slowly. This warning system helps ensure maximum reliability.

Wind Measurement - An optional anemometer measures wind velocity before spraying and advises the operator on which droplet size to use. A display message alerts the operator when it's too windy to spray.

Full Compatibility - The Airmatic controller can be used in combination with your GPS controller.

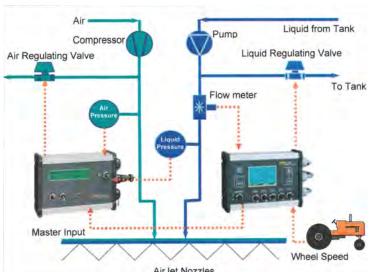
Constant droplet size - Droplets remain a consistent size over a wide range of spray volumes, speeds and pressures.

**Complete operator control** - With a simple touch of the finger the Airmatic controller can be adjusted to any of the six droplet categories. This can be done on-the-go when approaching drift sensitive areas.

**Reduce liquid carrier volumes -** Replacing much of the water or other carriers with air, allows the operator to use spray volumes at the lower end of the pesticide label requirements. This means less time spent hauling water and filling the sprayer.

One size fits all - The same size nozzle can be used for widely varying applications. For example, an AirJet can be used to apply both fungicides at high pressures and herbicides at low pressures in drift sensitive areas.





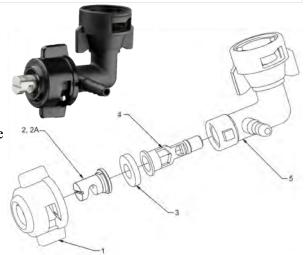
#### How it works:

- The liquid system delivers the spray solution to the AirJet nozzle mounted on the boom through conventional lines and hoses.
- An on-board air compressor delivers a regulated volume of air to each AirJet nozzle on the boom through a separate air handling system.
- The AirJet nozzle mixes the incoming air and liquid spray solution. This mixing causes atomization of the liquid and air then delivers the droplets to the target. This bi-fluid technology of the AirJet makes for easy control of the droplet size.
- The air pressure and liquid pressure are monitored and adjusted automatically by the Airmatic controller to maintain the selected droplet size.
- The Airmatic system is also divided and synced into sections with the same spacing as the liquid system. So when the liquid sections switch off the air sections switch off at the same time for even more accuracy.

Consult the Airmatic operators manual for more detailed info regarding controller setup

#### **How the AirJet Nozzle works:**

- A metering insert controls the liquid flow and air is feed into the nozzle through an opening perpendicular to the liquid stream. Six sizes of the metering insert are available (031, 035, 042, 052, 062, 100) to accommodate a wide variety of volume rates.
- By adjusting both the air and liquid inputs, you can control
  the droplet size over a broad range of pressures with the same
  nozzle.
- A specially designed Floodjet® spray tip is used to create a uniform spray pattern. When the air and droplet mixture exit the nozzle body they are deflected off the FloodJet® outlet surface and produce a typical flat spray pattern.















|      | -   |              | Parts List   |
|------|-----|--------------|--|
| ITEM | QTY | PART NUMBER  | DESCRIPTION  |
| 1    | 1   | CP22198-1-CE | Quick TeeJet Cap, Celcon (Black)   |
| 2    | 1   | 50678-10-SS  | FloodJet Tip, Stainless Steel (Standard)   |
| 2A   | 1   | 50678-10E-SS | FloodJet Tip, Stainless Steel (End of boom)  |
| 3    | 1   | CP19438-VI   | Seat Washer, Viton   |
| 4    | ì   | 23209-1-*    | Sub-Assembly, Consists of O-Ring, Viton & Orifice Insert (31, 35, 42, 52 or 62) Nylon (Black |
| 5    | 1   | CP49881-NYB  | Body, Nylon (Black)  |

Specify Orifice Insert Size - 31, 35, 42, 52 or 62

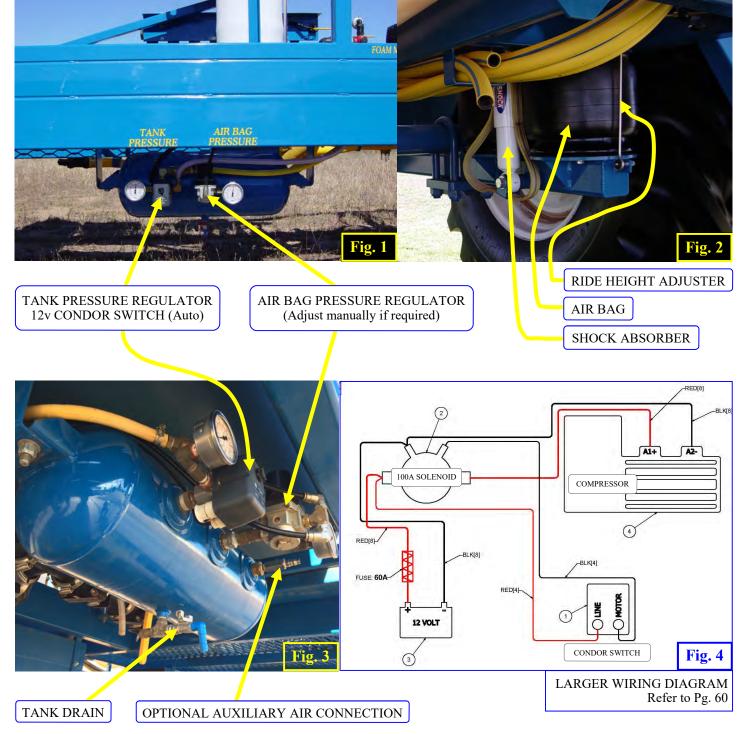
### AIR BAGS

#### **Introduction:**

A 12-volt stand-alone air compressor supplies air for the air bags. The air compressor has a pressure switch to maintain constant air pressure in the tank which switch's on the compressor automatically once the pressure goes below a pre-set range. The pressure for the air bags is pre-set from the factory at 80 PSI and should not need to be changed. If a change needs to be made, adjust the regulating valve on the air tank.

#### Points to note:

- Air bags can be used when deflated but this should be avoided or minimised.
- Air tank pressure should never exceed 155 PSI
- The 12v Condor switch (Fig.1 & 3) should be turned OFF when boom not in use for extended period. If an air leak occurs it will keep turning the compressor on until the battery goes flat.
- Ride level has been Pre-set from factory and shouldn't need adjusting (300mm Base Plate to Top Plate).
- If the ride height does need to be adjusted, this can be done by adjusting the ride height valve (Fig.2). Open the screw and move the rubber clamp up or down the rod to get desired result.



### TROUBLE SHOOTING

#### PRESSURE PROBLEMS:

Most pressure problems whether it is high pressure or low pressure will be caused by blocked filters

#### **Check Filters**

- 1) Shut down and isolate filters by closing appropriate taps.
- 2) Check for damage and clean filters

#### **Pressure Low**

- 1) Determine where pressure problem is by checking the manual pressure gauges on front of sprayer.
- 2) If getting a low pressure reading this means there is a problem on the pump side of the pressure take offs which are located in the command center under section valves (Black tubes).

### **Pressure High**

If high pressure reading high, this means there is a problem between the pressure take offs and the jets.

Check that controller has been programmed correctly and that

calibration settings have not been altered.

Inconsistent pressures across boom sections will be caused by one of

the following: Blocked jets, blocked thimble filters, broken T body, broken jet or split hose.

Ensure all taps are correctly positioned.

Low pressure can also be caused by 2nd spray line coming on too early.

Intermittent or no pressure reading on computer.

#### Check flow meter.

- Turn off the taps below the Control, Dump & Prop valves in the Command center, to isolate the mani-fold.
- Turn off the liquid feed from the pump side @ (Pressure filters).
- Remove flow meter and service.
- Check for any obstructions where the turbine spins.
- Blow on the turbine to get it spinning: The Turbine should spin quickly and quietly for around 20-30 seconds. A worn turbine will sound rattily and loose speed very quickly, stopping in 5-10 seconds.
- Replace the turbine if worn.

If the turbine isn't worn or has been recently replaced it's possible the sensor is faulty, so if the issue persists after accessing the turbine.

- Check that the wires, plugs and pins have a good connection and check for damage or corrosion.
- If all the above is ok, replace the sensor.



# Billericay Farm Services Air Bubble Jets



### Masters of Spray management

VMDs µm AT PRESSURES FROM 2.0 TO 7 BAR

| NOZZLE | 2.0 BAR | 3.0 BAR | 4.0 BAR | 5.0 BAR | 6.0 BAR | 7.0 BAR |
|--------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| 01     | 360     | 302     | 267     | 241     | 226     | 213     |
| 015    | 391     | 335     | 299     | 276     | 246     | 242     |
| 02     | 308     | 261     | 231     | 210     | 194     | 181     |
| 025    | 408     | 337     | 294     | 267     | 245     | 229     |
| 03     | 365     | 324     | 295     | 275     | 259     | 247     |
| 035    | 386     | 326     | 291     | 265     | 246     | 230     |
| 04     | 351     | 313     | 283     | 262     | 247     | 234     |
| 05     | 367     | 323     | 293     | 273     | 256     | 245     |
| 06     | 376     | 324     | 289     | 268     | 251     | 238     |

Very Fine Fine Medium Coarse Very Extremely
Coarse Coarse

Droplet sizing for Air Bubble Jets, Malvern Analyzer, using water, BfS Laboratory

Very Fine under 100 Micron 100-175 Micron 175-250 Micron 250-575 Micron Very Coarse 375-450 Micron Extra Coarse above 450 Micron

As per asae standards

### Suitable for all summer, in-crop and pasture spraying

### Reduce Drift and increase chemical efficacy for all year round spraying. Nozzle Calculator

Please go to <a href="www.bfs.uk.co">www.bfs.uk.co</a>, follow the link to application technology then click on nozzle calculator. This will enable you to put in your speed and volume and you will then give you a selection of nozzles to choose from with the droplet size being produced and % of driftables.

It is suggested that you choose a nozzle that will operate the majority of time between 3 and 4.5 bar, do not spray under two bar and do not be frightened to go to 7 bar if conditions suit.

### **Controlling Spray Drift Notes**

Professor Paul Miller, from the Chemical Application Group, Silsoe Research Institute, United Kingdom, urges growers and spray applicators to use a range of techniques to manage spray drift.

These include new air induction nozzle technology and keeping boom heights at minimum acceptable heights. He stressed that Air Induction Nozzles of the same specification can give a wide variation in performance in terms of droplet size and velocity distributions.

"Air induction nozzle designs giving a relatively small droplet size give good levels of efficacy with many product types and represent a good option for achieving drift control and improving product efficacy in a wide range of conditions", he said.

"We now recommend that air induction nozzles be used for all applications to UK cereal crops. This includes all fungicide applications and late season herbicide applications".

"High levels of spray drift control and chemical efficacy can be achieved when using boom sprayers fitted with the correct air induction nozzles".

Air Induction Nozzles that produce large droplets are known to perform consistently poorly at a range of volumes with certain chemical groups.

Air Induction Nozzles that produce small droplets (BfS) achieve similar results [chemical efficacy] to conventional flat fan nozzles but promote significantly better drift control.

Studies have shown that the Billericay Air Bubble Jet is capable of achieving drift reductions of more than 75%. LERAP, UK, 2003.

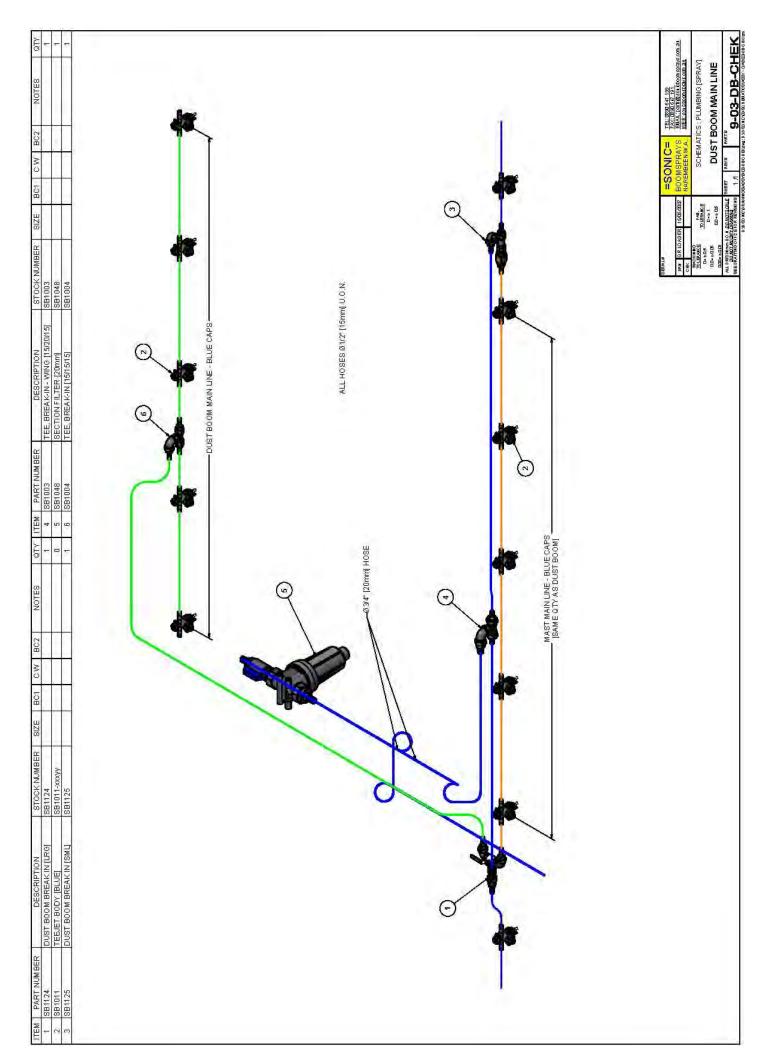
Tom Robinson application specialist at Syngenta says "Timeliness of application is still the single most important factor in yield maximization".

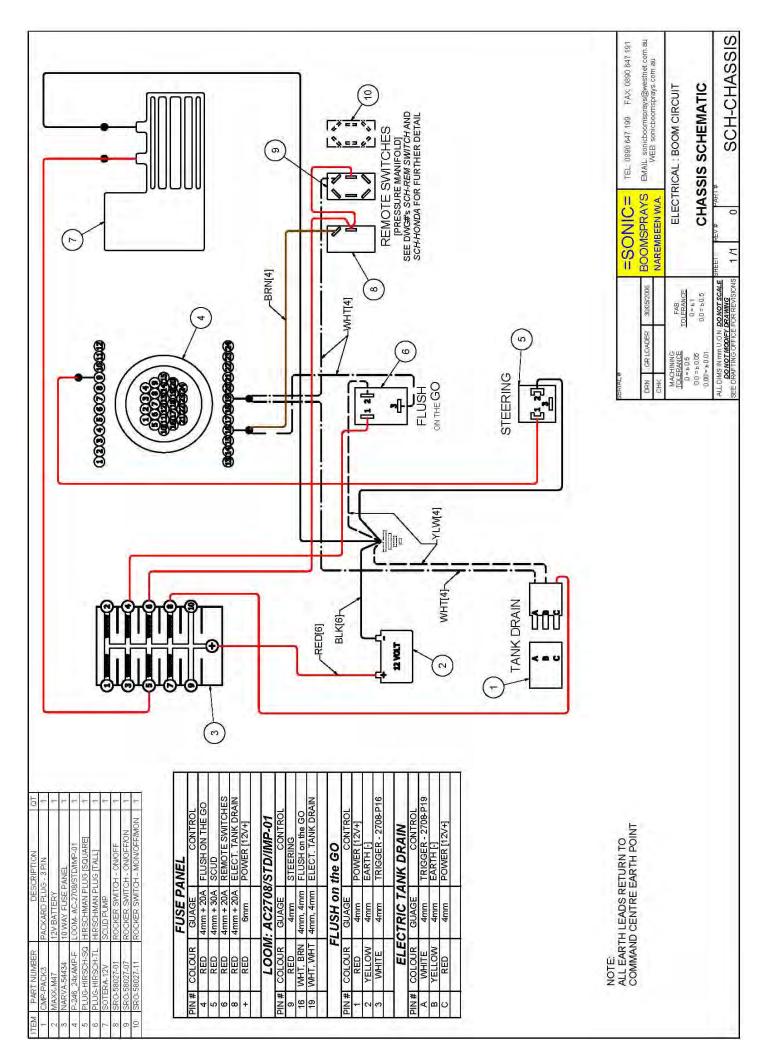
The BfS Air Bubble Jet, unlike some Air Induction Nozzles, produces differing sized droplet spectrums simply by altering operating pressures. This enables the spray applicator to choose a droplet size which is the most efficient at hitting the target and is best suited for the chemical product to be used and the prevailing weather conditions.

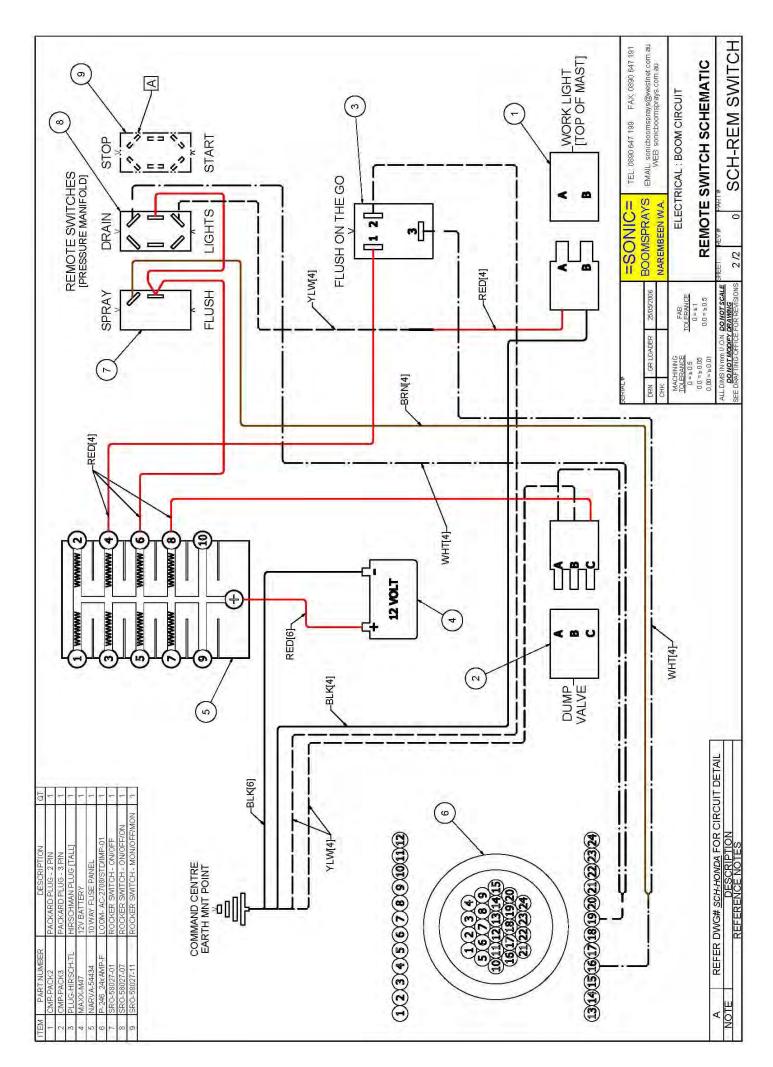
To increase herbicide contact with small targets, raising the inline pressure from 3bar to 6bar, will increases droplet numbers by 30%.

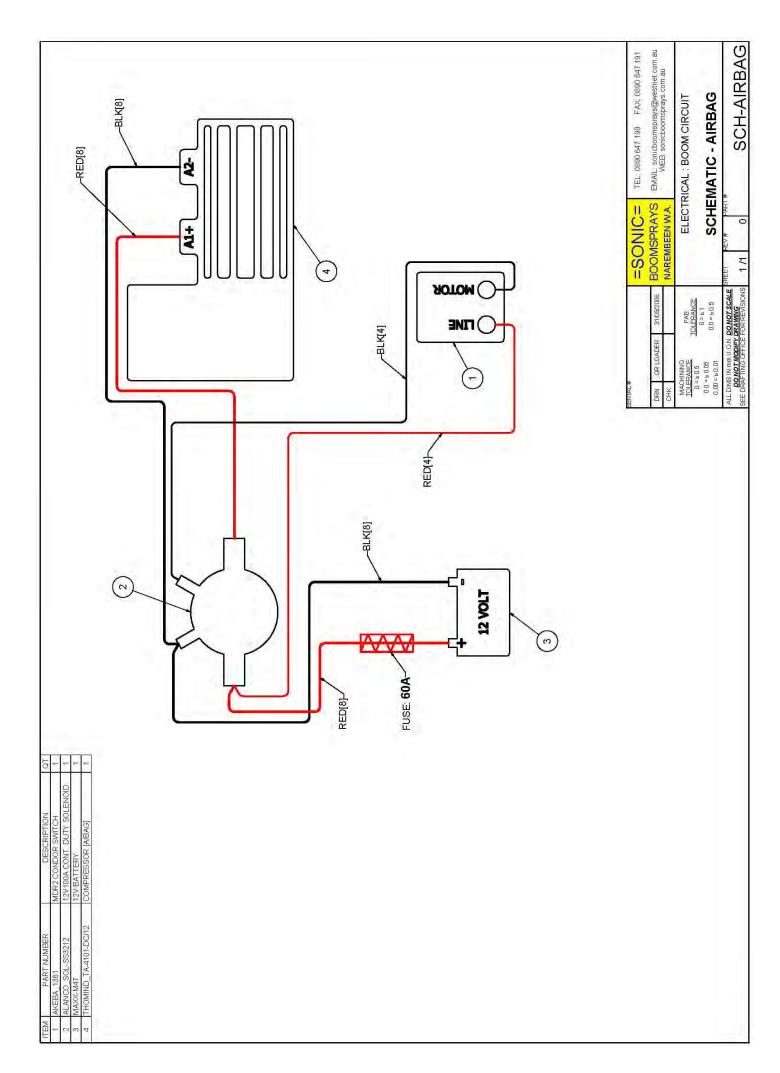
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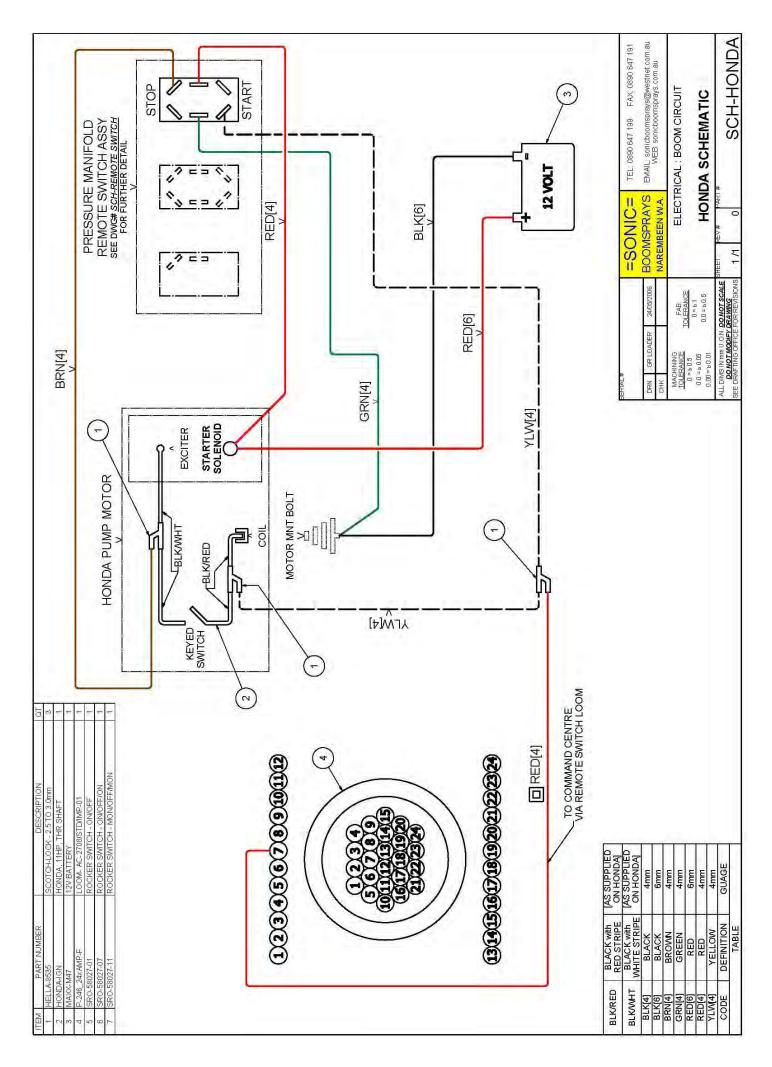
|            | Nozzle            | NEW AT THE      |            | 1.5.       |            |                | RHECT         |                |            |            |
|------------|-------------------|-----------------|------------|------------|------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|------------|------------|
|            | Pressure<br>(bar) | Flow<br>(I/min) | 6          | 8          | eed (kp    | h) at 50<br>12 | cm noz.<br>14 | zle spac<br>16 | ing<br>18  | 20         |
| W. W. W.   | 2                 | 0.33            | 65         | 49         | 39         | 33             | 28            | 24             | 22         | 20         |
| ORANGE     | 2                 | 0.40            | 80         | 60         | 48         | 40             | 34            | 30             | 27         | 24         |
| 01         | 4                 | 0.46            | 92         | 69         | 55         | 46             | 40            | 35             | 31         | 28         |
|            | 5                 | 0.52            | 103        | 77         | 62         | 52             | 44            | 39             | 34         | 31         |
| 121550     | 2<br>3            | 0.49            | 98         | 73         | 59         | 49             | 42            | 37             | 33         | 29         |
| GREEN      | 4                 | 0.60<br>0.69    | 120<br>139 | 90<br>104  | 72<br>83   | 60<br>69       | 51<br>59      | 45<br>52       | 40<br>46   | 36<br>42   |
| 015        | 5                 | 0.77            | 155        | 116        | 93         | 77             | 66            | 58             | 52         | 46         |
|            | 2                 | 0.66            | 132        | 99         | 79         | 66             | 57            | 50             | 44         | 40         |
| VELLOW     | 2                 | 0.80            | 162        | 121        | 97         | 81             | 69            | 61             | 54         | 49         |
| 607        | 4                 | 0.93            | 187        | 140        | 112        | 93             | 80            | 70             | 62         | 56         |
|            | 5                 | 1.04            | 209        | 157        | 125        | 104            | 89            | 78             | 70         | 63         |
| 35.55      | 2                 | 0.82            | 163        | 123        | 98         | 82             | 70            | 61             | 55         | 49         |
| LILAC      | 2<br>3<br>4       | 1.00            | 200        | 151        | 121        | 100            | 86            | 75<br>87       | 67         | 60         |
| 025        | 5                 | 1.15<br>1.30    | 231<br>259 | 174<br>194 | 139<br>156 | 116<br>130     | 99<br>111     | 97             | 77<br>86   | 70<br>78   |
|            | 2                 | 0.98            | 196        | 147        | 118        | 98             | 84            | 74             | 65         | 59         |
| BLUE       | 2 3               | 1.20            | 240        | 180        | 144        | 120            | 103           | 90             | 80         | 72         |
| 03         | 4                 | 1.39            | 277        | 208        | 166        | 139            | 119           | 104            | 92         | 83         |
|            | 5                 | 1.55            | 310        | 232        | 186        | 155            | 133           | 116            | 103        | 93         |
| 220000 220 | 2                 | 1.14            | 229        | 172        | 137        | 114            | 98            | 86             | 76         | 69         |
| BROWN RED  | 3                 | 1.40            | 280        | 210        | 168        | 140            | 120           | 105            | 93         | 84         |
| 035        | 4                 | 1.62            | 324        | 243        | 194        | 162            | 139           | 121            | 108        | 97         |
|            | 5                 | 1.81            | 362        | 272        | 217        | 181            | 155           | 136            | 121        | 109        |
| 100        | 2                 | 1.31            | 261        | 196        | 157        | 131            | 112           | 98             | 87         | 79         |
| RED        | 3                 | 1.60            | 320        | 241        | 193        | 160            | 138           | 120            | 107        | 96         |
| 04         | 4                 | 1.85            | 370        | 278        | 222        | 185            | 159           | 139            | 124        | 111        |
|            | 5                 | 2.07            | 414        | 311        | 249        | 207            | 178           | 155            | 138        | 124        |
| 20000      | 2                 | 1.63            | 327        | 245        | 196        | 163            | 140           | 122            | 109        | 98         |
| BROWN      | 3                 | 2.00            | 400        | 299        | 240        | 200            | 171           | 150            | 133        | 120        |
| 05         | 2<br>3<br>4<br>5  | 2.31            | 462        | 346        | 277        | 231            | 198           | 173            | 154        | 138        |
|            | -5                | 2.58            | 515        | 387        | 309        | 258            | 221           | 193            | 172        | 155        |
| CDEV       | 2                 | 1.96            | 392        | 294<br>360 | 235<br>288 | 196<br>240     | 168           | 147            | 131<br>160 | 118        |
| GREY       | 4                 | 2.40<br>2.77    | 480<br>554 | 416        | 333        | 277            | 206<br>238    | 180<br>208     | 185        | 144<br>166 |
| 06         | 5                 | 3.10            | 620        | 465        | 372        | 310            | 266           | 232            | 207        | 186        |
| ATT-11     | 2                 | 2.61            | 523        | 392        | 314        | 261            | 224           | 196            | 174        | 157        |
| WHITE      | 2                 | 3.20            | 640        | 480        | 384        | 320            | 274           | 240            | 213        | 192        |
| 08         | 4                 | 3.70            | 739        | 554        | 443        | 370            | 317           | 277            | 246        | 222        |
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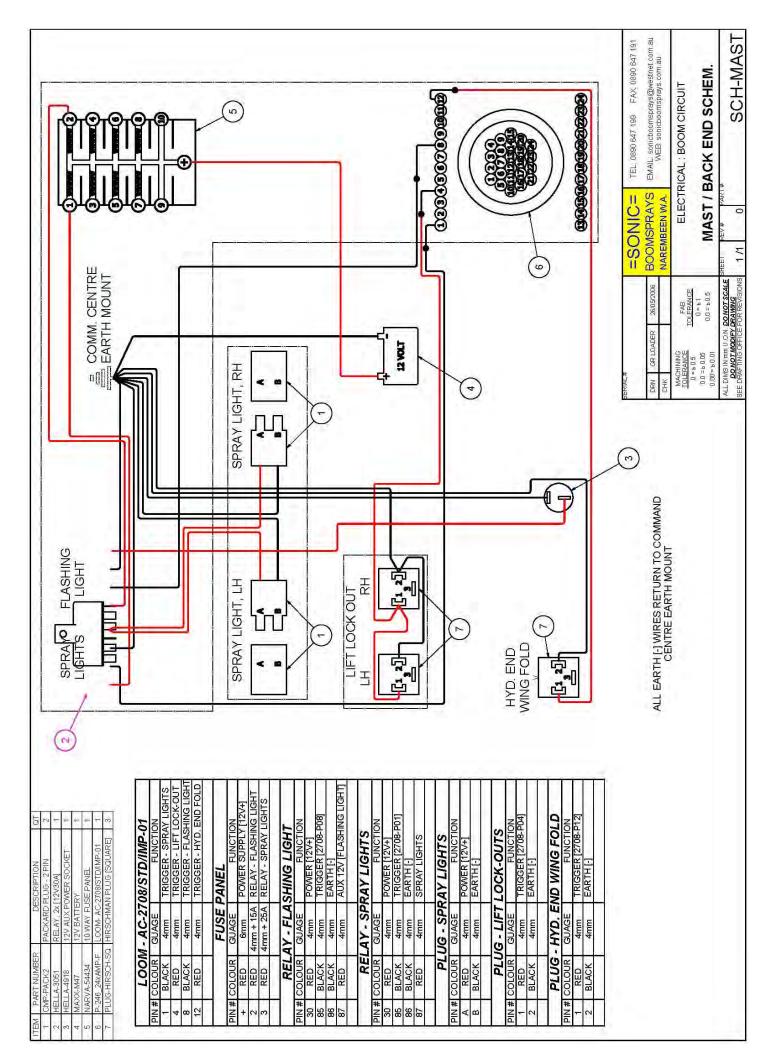


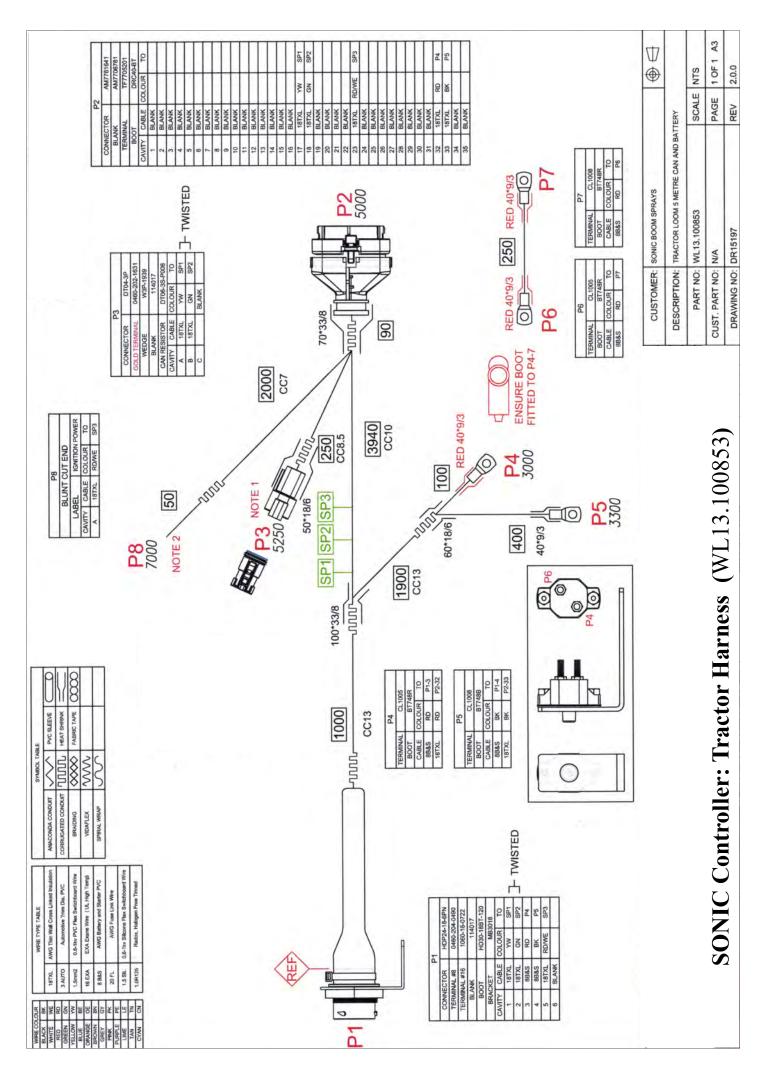


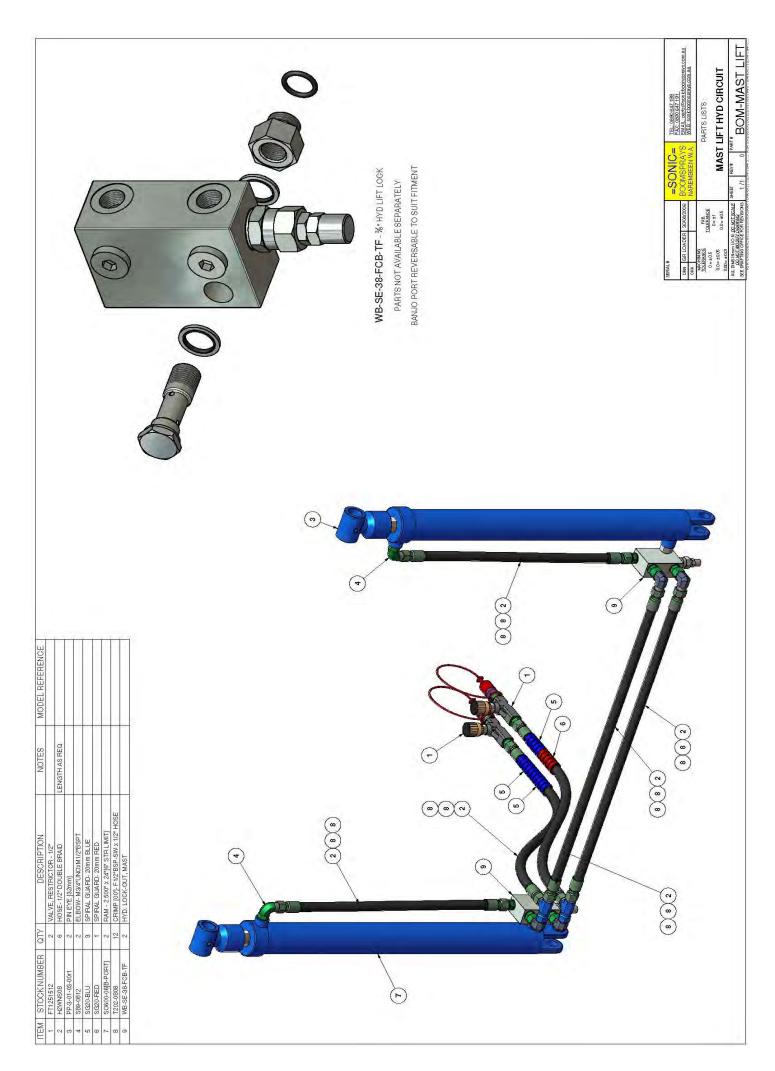


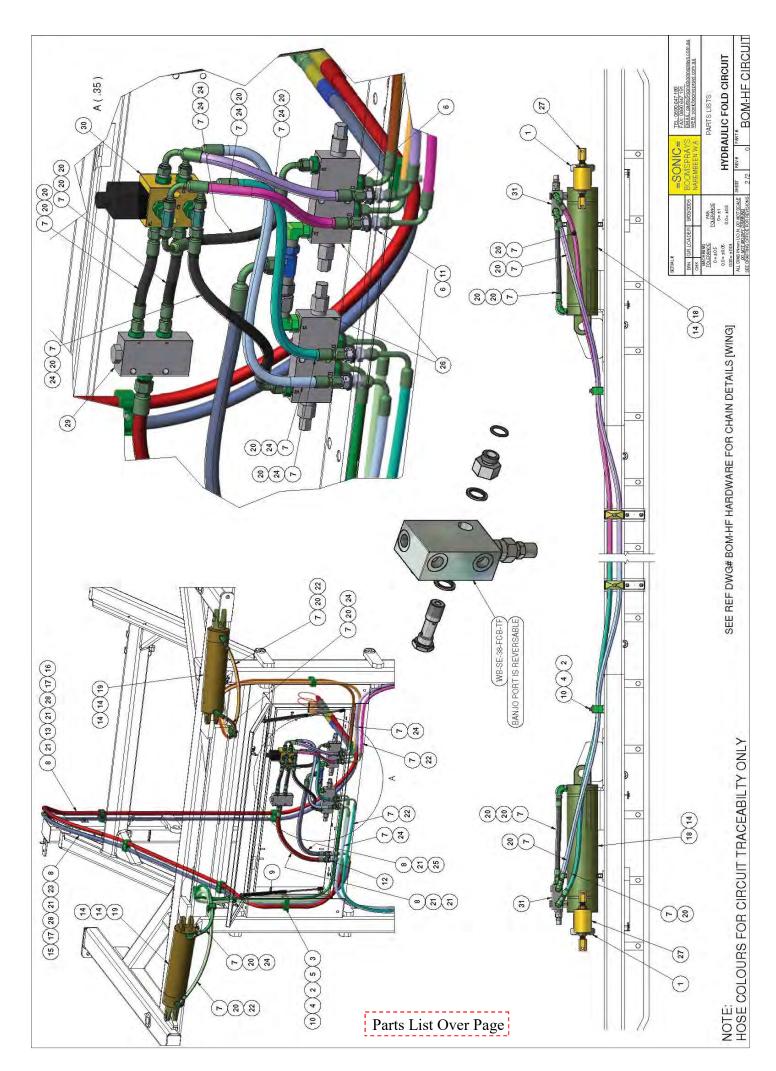






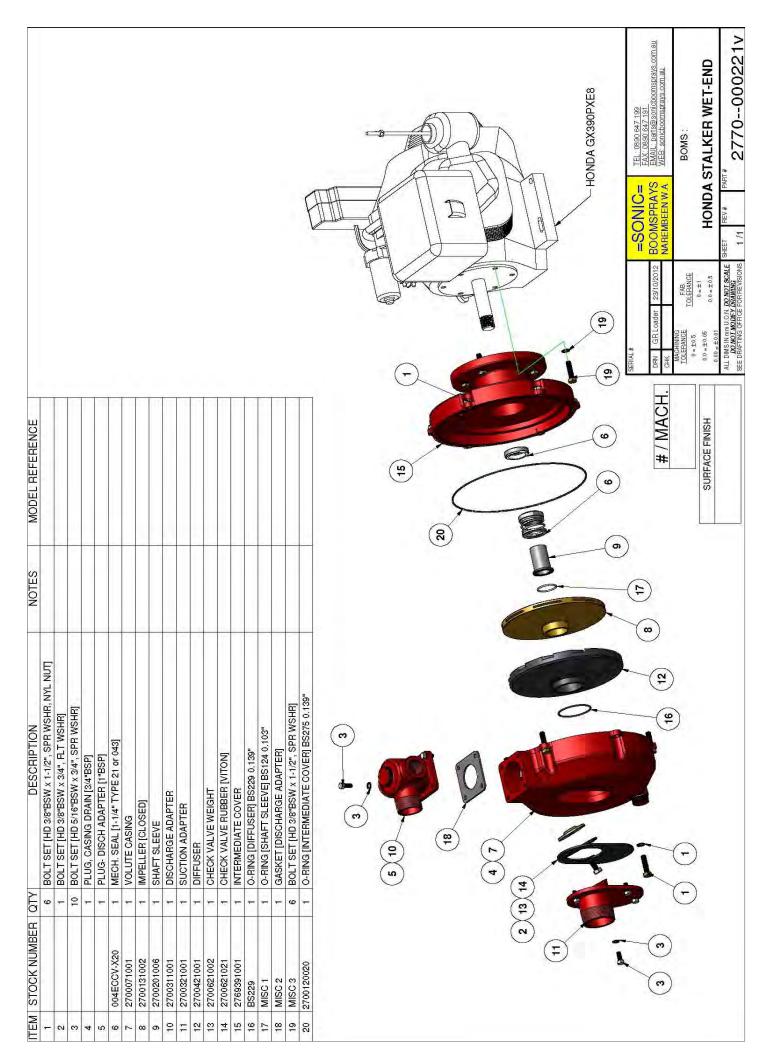






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| DESCRIPTION     | NUT - 2"UNF HALF | D18 DOUBLE CLAMP SHELL [GP2] | D22 DOUBLE CLAMP SHELL [GP3] | ADPIN3 COVER PLATE | BOLT, STACK - M8x1.25 x 30, S/S | GROMMET - 16x25x28 [5/8-1-9/8] | HYD HOSE - 3/8" DOUBLE BRAID | HYD HOSE - 1/2" DOUBLE BRAID | GAS STRUT [COMBOX] | BOLT, CLAMP - M8x1.25 x 45, S/S | BULKHEAD NIPPLE - 3/8"BSP | BULKHEAD NIPPLE - 1/2"BSP | ELBOW- F1/2"BSPP-SW x M1/2"BSPT | ELBOW- M3/4"UNO x M3/8"BSPT | SPIRAL GUARD- 20mm BLUE | SPIRAL GUARD- 20mm RED | SPIRAL GUARD- 20mm YLW | HYD. RAM - 4.00" x 12" x 2" ROD | HYD. RAM - 4.25" x 12" x 1.3/8" ROD | CRIMP [00]- F3/8"BSP-SW x 3/8" HOSE | CRIMP [00]- F1/2"BSP-SW x 1/2" HOSE | CRIMP [90]- F3/8"BSP-SW x 3/8" HOSE | CRIMP [90]- F1/2"BSP-SW x 1/2" HOSE | CRIMP [90]- F3/8"BSP-SW x 3/8" HOSE | CRIMP [90]- F1/2"BSP-SW x 1/2" HOSE | OVERCENTRE VALVE | LOAD ARM - 2"UNF [COMPLETE] | VALVE, RESTRICTOR - 1/2" | DIVERTER BLOCK | 6-PORT SELECTOR BLOCK |
| NOTES           |                  |                              |                              |                    |                                 |                                | LENGTHS AS REQ               | LENGTHS AS REQ               |                    |                                 |                           |                           |                                 |                             |                         |                        |                        |                                 |                                     |                                     |                                     | [LONG SERIES]                       | [LONG SERIES]                       |                                     |                                     |                  |                             |                          |                |                       |
| MODEL REFERENCE |                  |                              |                              |                    |                                 |                                |                              |                              |                    |                                 |                           |                           |                                 |                             |                         |                        |                        | WING [HF ALL]                   | MAST [RF RH, HF x2]                 |                                     |                                     |                                     |                                     |                                     |                                     |                  | ALL HYD. FOLD               |                          |                |                       |

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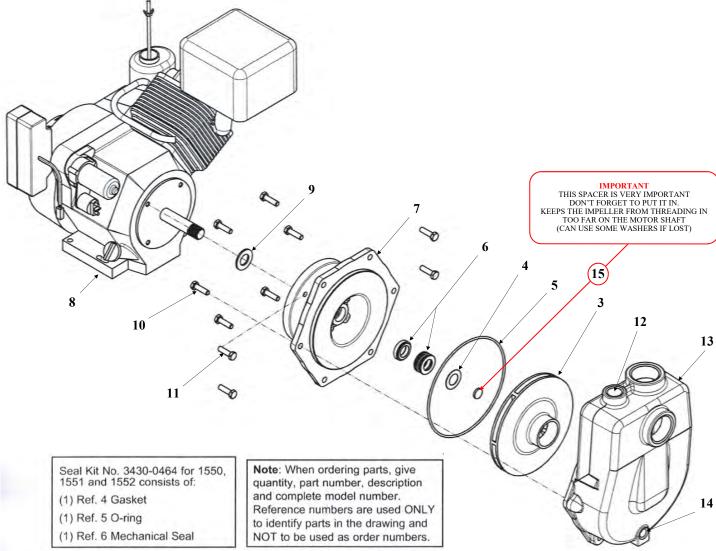




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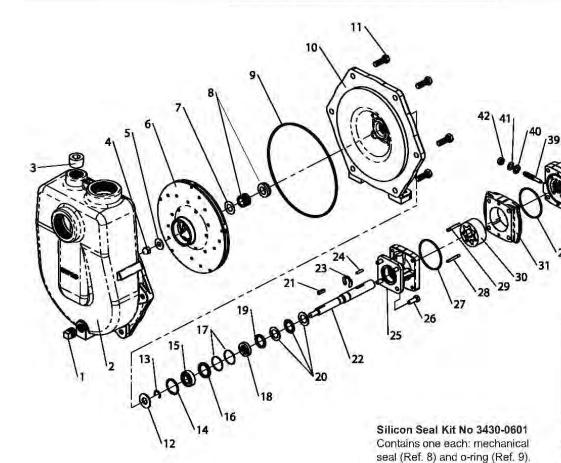


| Ref.<br>No. |   | Part No.   | Description                         |
|-------------|---|------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1           | 4 | 2406-0007  | Drain Plug                          |
| 2           | 1 | 0153-9200C | Pump Casing (includes SS wear ring) |
| 3           | 1 | 0404-9200P | Impeller (Nylon)                    |
| 4           | 1 | 1700-0121  | Gasket                              |
| 5           | 1 | 1720-0180  | O-ring                              |
| 6           | 1 | 2120-0034  | Mechnical Seal - Viton              |
| 7           | 1 | 0707-9200C | Flange                              |
| 8           | 1 | 2541-0037  | Honda engine (1550) (GX-270PA)*     |
| 8           | 1 | 2541-0050  | 13 HP PowerPro                      |

| Ref.<br>No. | Qty.<br>Req'd. | Part No.         | Description                     |
|-------------|----------------|------------------|---------------------------------|
| 8           | 1              | 2541-0051        | 13 HP PowerPro (Electric start) |
| 9           | 1              | 1410-0091        | Slinger Ring                    |
| 10          | 6              | 2210-0086        | Bolt                            |
| 11          | 4              | 2210-0098        | Bolt                            |
| 12          | 1              | 2406-0034        | Priming Port Plug (Standard)    |
| 12          | 1              | 2406-0036        | Priming Port Plug (BSP)         |
| 13          | 1              | 0152-9075C       | Pump Casing (Standard NPT)      |
| 13          | 1              | 0152-9075C1      | Pump Casing (BSP)               |
| 14          | 1              | 2406-0002        | Drain Plug                      |
| 15          | 1              | LZR04-1-05-15-06 | SHAFT SPACER (SONIC PART)       |

| A     | 2" NPT<br>OUTLET       | -J-   |
|-------|------------------------|-------|
|       | G<br>2" NPT<br>F INLET |       |
| B C D | LE                     | -K-L- |

| C  | imens |       |
|----|-------|-------|
| In | ches  | mm    |
| Α  | 21.69 | 550.9 |
| В  | 3.41  | 86.6  |
| С  | 0.59  | 15.0  |
| D  | 11.87 | 301.5 |
| E  | 0.13  | 3.3   |
| F  | 13.56 | 344.4 |
| G  | 16.05 | 407.7 |
| Н  | 5.06  | 128.5 |
| 1  | 17.30 | 65.0  |
| J  | 6.00  | 152.4 |
| K  | 4.14  | 105.2 |
| L  | 7.75  | 196.9 |



Hydraulic Motor Part No. 2500-0083C

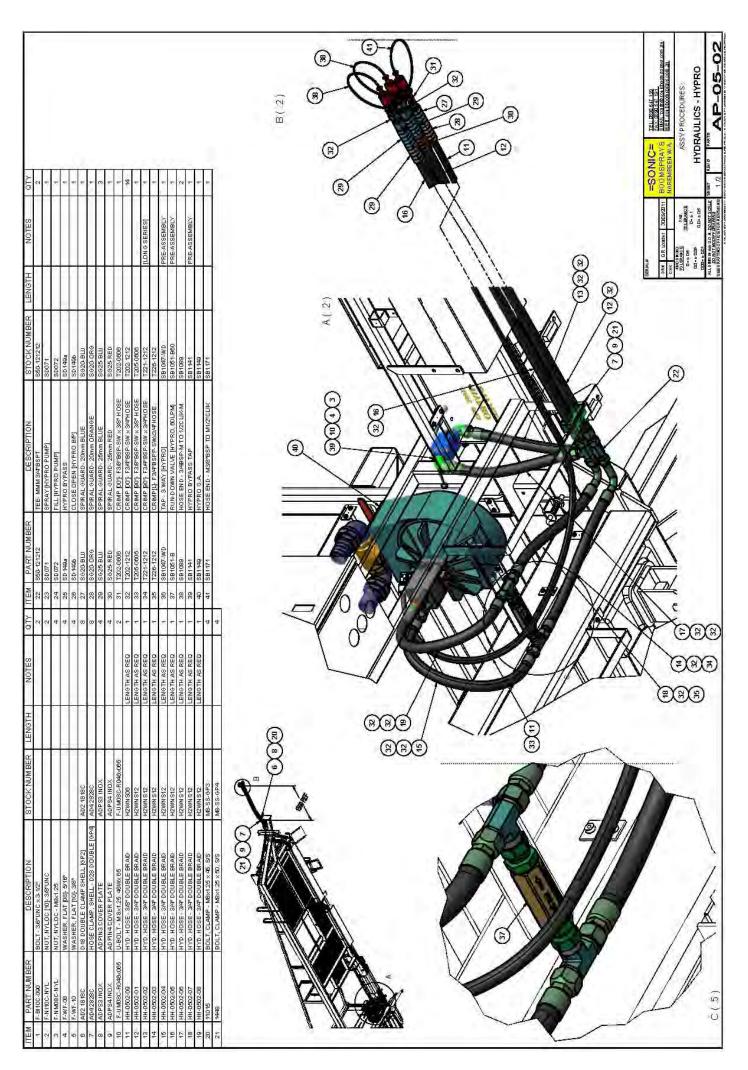
| Qty.<br>Req'd. | Part No.     | Description  |
|----------------|--------------|--|
|                | 2406-0002    | 1/2" NPT Drain Plug (SP model only)  |
| 1              | 2406-0035    | 1/2" BSP Drain Plug (BSP model only)   |
| 1              | 3430-0481SP  | Self Priming Chamber (SP model only)<br>Includes a stainless wear ring, plugs, & o-ring  |
| 1              | 3430-0481BSP | Self Priming Chamber (BSP model only)<br>Includes a stainless wear ring, plugs, & o-ring |
| 1              | 2406-0034    | 1" NPT Prime Port Plug (SP model only)   |
| 1              | 2406-0036    | 1" BSP Prime Port Plug (BSP model only)  |
| 1              | 2253-0002    | Impeller Nut   |
| 1              | 2270-0071    | Washer   |
| 1              | 0403-9200P1  | Impeller   |
| 1              | 1700-0100    | Rubber Gasket  |
| 1              | 2120-0009    | Mechanical Seal (Viton/Ceramic) (Std 9305C)  |
| 1              | 3430-0601    | Mechanical Seal (Silicon Carbide) (Optional)   |
| 1              | 1720-0180    | O-ring   |
| 1              | 0752-9200C   | Mounting Flange  |
| 6              | 2210-0086    | Hex Head Cap Screw   |
| 1              | 1410-0056    | Slinger Ring   |
| 1              | 1810-0014    | Snap Ring  |
| 1              | 1820-0013    | Retaining Ring   |
| 1              | 2000-0010    | Ball Bearing   |
| 1              | 1410-0131    | Cartridge, Front   |
| 2              | 1720-0268    | O-ring   |
| 1              | 2104-0010    | Lip Seal   |
| 1              | 1410-0130    | Seal Spacer  |
| 1              | 2029-0014    | Thrust Bearing Assembly  |

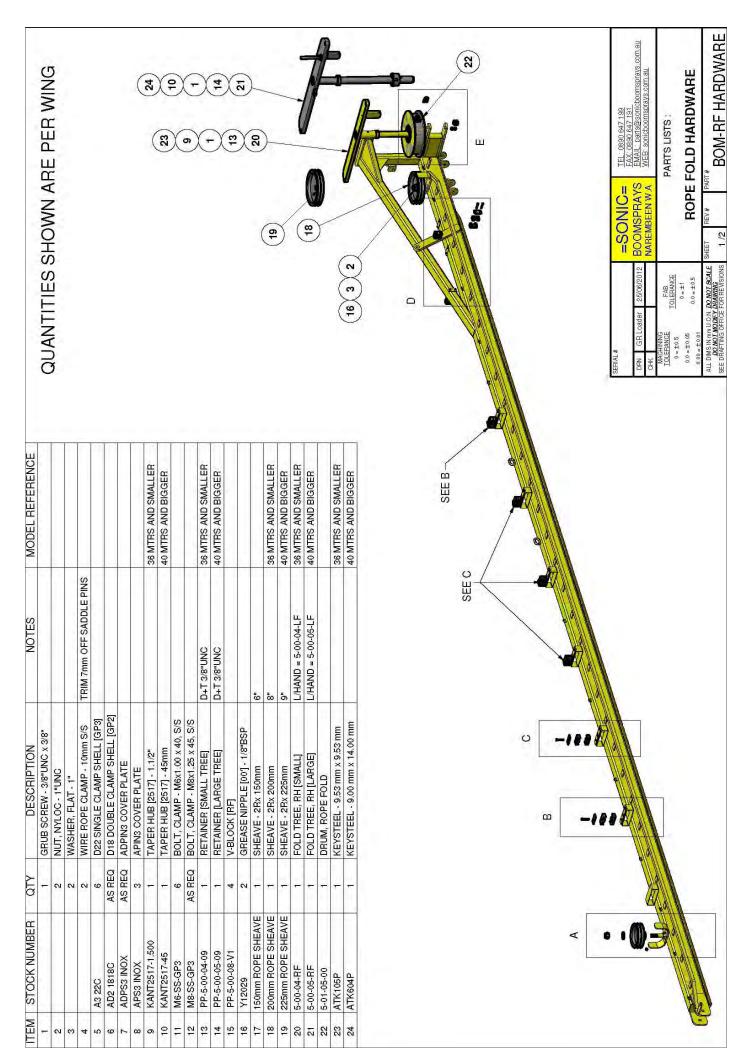
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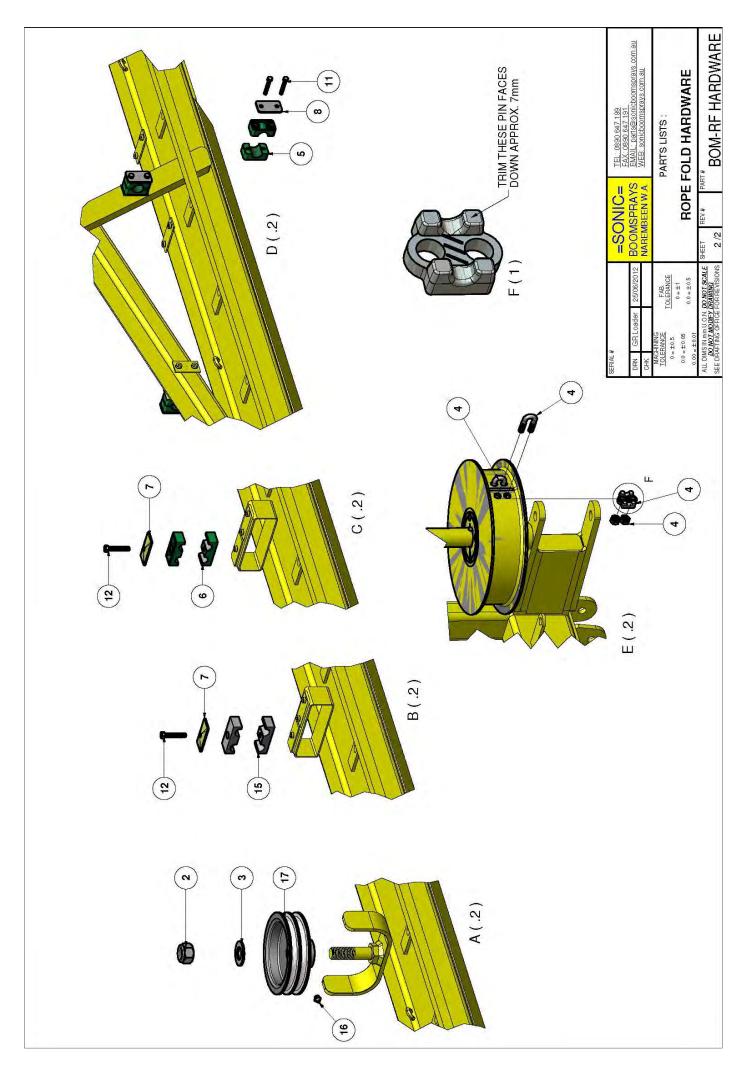
#### Repair Parts Kit No. 3430-0500 Contains one each: mechanical seal (Ref. 8), o-ring (Ref. 9), and rubber gasket (Ref. 7).

Parts Kit No. 3430-0748
Contains: One each ball bearing (Ref. 15), motor shaft seal (Ref. 18), thread seal gasket (Ref. 40), two cartridge o-rings (Ref. 17) and washer (Ref. 41); two each motor housing o-rings (Ref. 27), and port adapter o-rings (Ref. 35 & 38).

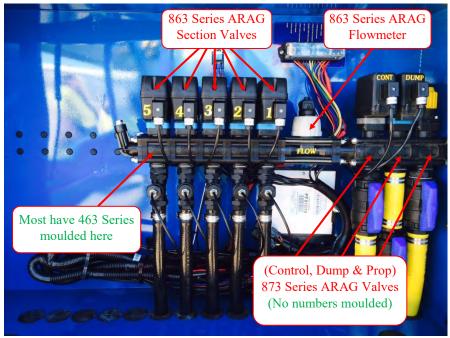
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|-------------|----------------|-------------|---|
| 21          | 1              | 1610-0053   | Square Key                                |
| 22          | 1              | 0537-2500   | Shaft                                     |
| 23          | 1              | 1810-0026   | Snap Ring                                 |
| 24          | 1              | 1610-0055   | Roll Pin                                  |
| 25          | 1              | 0150-2500C  | Motor Body (includes needle bearing)      |
| 26          | 4              | 2210-0005   | Hex Head Cap Screw                        |
| 27          | 2              | 1720-0110   | O-ring                                    |
| 28          | 1              | 1600-0052   | Dowel Pin                                 |
| 29          | 1              | 1600-0068   | Dowel Pin                                 |
| 30          | 1              | 3900-0024   | Gerotor                                   |
| 31          | Ť              | 0702-2500C1 | Gerotor Housing 1" wide                   |
| 32          | 1              | 0254-2500C2 | Motor End Plate (includes needle bearing) |
| 33          | 4              | 2270-0039   | Washer                                    |
| 34          | 4              | 2220-0044   | Cap Screw                                 |
| 35          | 1              | 1720-0108   | O-ring                                    |
| 36          | 1              | 3360-0021A  | Pressure Port Adapter (includes o-ring)   |
| 37          | 1              | 3320-0051A  | Tank Port Adapter (includes o-ring)       |
| 38          | 1              | 1720-0262   | O-ring                                    |
| 39          | 7              | 3220-0029   | Bypass Adjusting Screw                    |
| 40          | 1              | 1700-0047   | Gasket                                    |
| 41          | 1              | 2270-0027   | Washer                                    |
| 42          | 1              | 2250-0038   | Lock Nut                                  |
|             |                |             |   |







### **BOOM SECTIONS & VALVE BANK INFO**





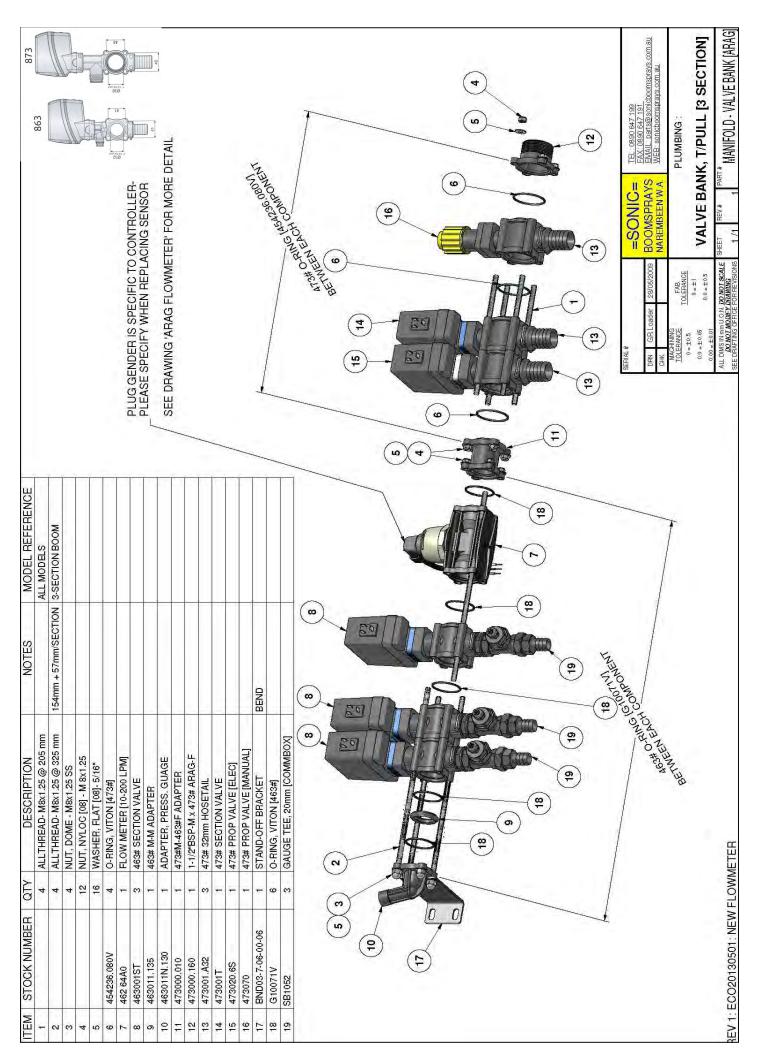


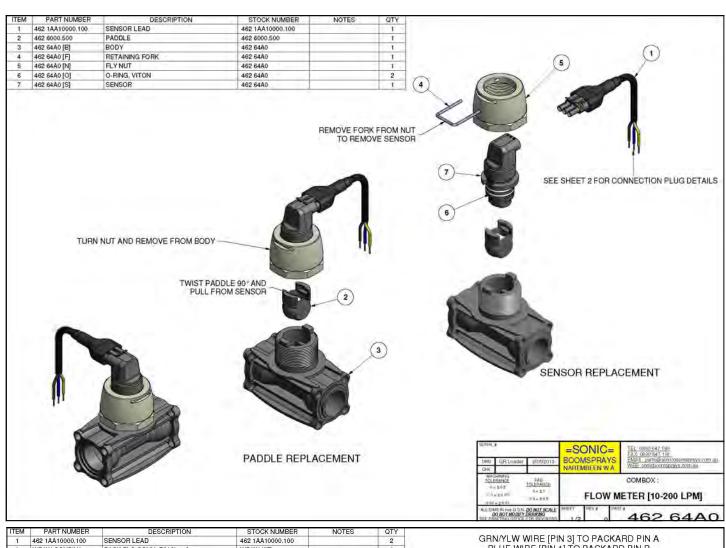


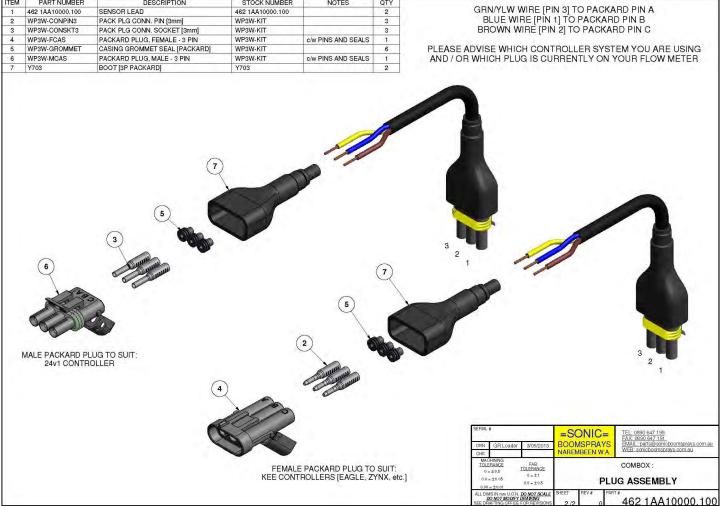


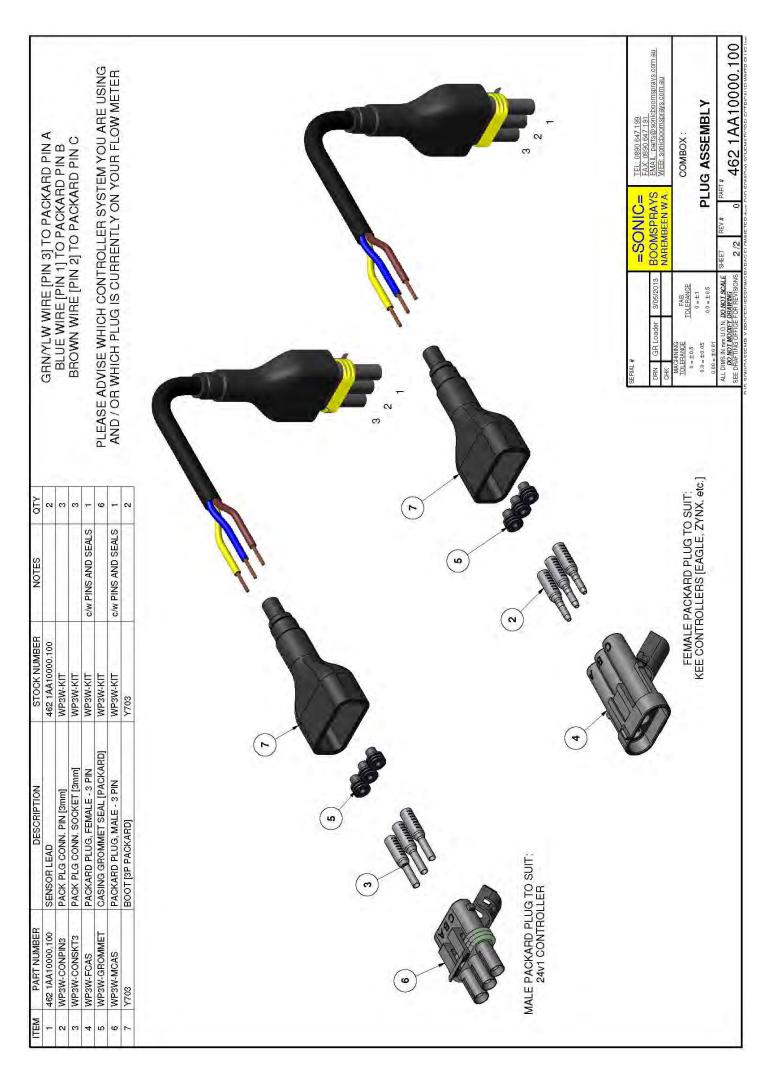
863 Series SECTION Valve 1.1/4" Through Port (Spring on plunger) 3 Pin [Blue Band]

873 Series CONTROL Valve 1.1/2" Through Port (Angle on plunger S/S) 3 Pin [Grey Band] 873 Series DUMP Valve
1.1/2" Through Port
(White plunger)
3 Pin [Blue Band]

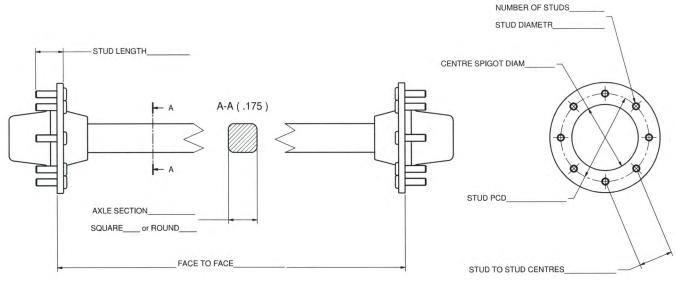








### **AXLE & HUB IDENTIFICATION**



- A. FAD (PUSH IN)
- TITAN or ANDI (BOLT IN)

MARTINS TRAILERS (SCREW IN)

- FAD (PUSH IN)
- G. BPW (PUSH IN)
- E. ADR (SCREW IN) F. BPW (SCREW IN)
- DUST CAP DETAILS:

SCREW IN \_\_\_\_ or PRESS IN \_\_\_\_ or BOLT IN \_

BRANDING: (FAD or TITAN or ANDI or MARTINS TRAILERS or ADR or BPW)



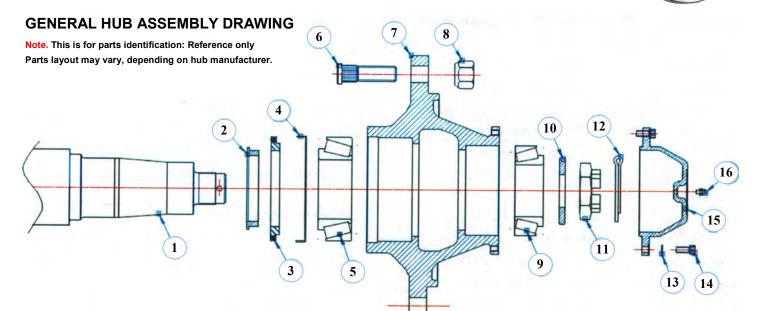












- 1) STUB
- 2) **SEAL RING**
- 3) SEAL
- **SEAL WEAR RING**
- **INNER BEARING** WHEEL STUD

- 7) HUB
- WHEEL NUT
- **OUTER BEARING**
- 10) AXLE WASHER
- 11) SLOTTED NUT 12) SPLIT PIN

- 13) DUST CAP WASHER
- 14) SOCKET HEAD CAP SCREW
- 15) DUST CAP
- 16) GREASE NIPPLE

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