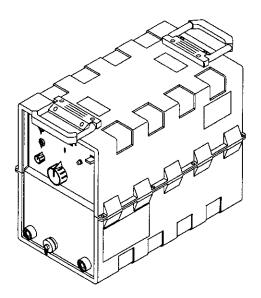


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OWNER'S MANUAL



XMT® 300 CC 50 Hz

- CC/DC Welding Power Source
- For GTAW, GTAW-P, And SMAW Welding
- 300 Amperes, 32 Volts DC At 60% Duty Cycle
- Uses Three-Phase Input Power
- Control Circuitry, 24 VAC, And Overheating Protection
- 14-Pin Remote Control Receptacle



- Read and follow these instructions and all safety blocks carefully.
- Have only trained and qualified persons install, operate, or service this unit.
- Call your distributor if you do not understand the directions.



- Give this manual to the operator.
- For help, call your distributor
 - or: MILLER Electric Mfg. Co., P.O. Box 1079, Appleton, WI 54912 414-734-9821

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Effective January 1, 1992 (Equipment with a serial number preface of "KC" or newer)

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 - Plasma Arc Cutting Power Sources
 - Semi-Automatic and Automatic Wire Feeders
 - Bobots
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 - * Process Controllers
 - Water Coolant Systems
 - * HF Units
 - Grids
 - * Spot Welders
 - Load Banks
 - * SDX Transformers
 - Running Gear/Trailers
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- 6. 90 Days Parts and Labor
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RECEIVING-HANDLING

Before unpacking equipment, check carton for any damage that may have occurred during shipment. File any claims for loss or damage with the delivering carrier. Assistance for filing or settling claims may be obtained from distributor and/or equipment manufacturer's Transportation Department.

When requesting information about this equipment, always provide Model Designation and Serial or Style Number.

Use the following spaces to record Model Designation and Serial or Style Number of your unit. The information is located on the rating label or nameplate.

Model		
Serial or Style No.		
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Date of Purchase		

Use above FORM number when ordering extra manuals.

After this manual was printed, refinements in equipment design occurred. This sheet lists exceptions to data appearing later in this manual.

CHANGES TO SECTION 6 – ELECTRICAL DIAGRAMS

Replace Figure 6-1. Circuit Diagram For Welding Power Source (see Pages 2 and 3 on this Errata Sheet)

Replace Figure 6-2. Wiring Diagram For Welding Power Source (see Pages 4 and 5 on this Errata Sheet)

CHANGES TO SECTION 8 - PARTS LIST

Change Parts List as follows:

**	Dia. Mkgs.	Part No.	Replaced With	Description	Quantity
25		137 197	161 136	NUT, .312-18 stl insert (Eff w/KE623992)	4
25		137 198	161 135	NUT, 10-32 stl insert (Eff w/KE623992)	4
25		601 836	Deleted	Eff w/KE577648	
. 25-10		134 838	168 579	CABLE, pwr No. 6mm 4/c 600V rbr jkt 4M lg	1
. 25-11	. PLG11	158 719	158 719	CONNECTOR & SOCKETS, (dia mkg chg was PLG17)	
				(Eff w/KE577648)	1
. 25-12	RC11	165 404	165 404	CONNECTOR & PINS, (dia mkg chg was RC17)	
				(Eff w/KE577648)	1
. 25-16	T1	146 287	166 780	TRANSFORMER, HF (Eff w/KE577648)	1
. 25-21		136 190	148 297	NUT, 10-32 push-on stl	4
				TRANSFORMER, current (Eff w/KE577648)	
				SPACER, case (Eff w/KE679384)	
. 27		042 418	042 418	CONNECTOR KIT, Dinse male 50 series (consisting of) .	1
	· · · · <u>· · ·</u> · · · · · ·		134 746	WRENCH, hex 5mm short	1
. 27-15	PL1	135 199	157 958	LIGHT, ind wht lens 28V (Eff w/KE577648)	1
				CIRCUIT CARD, control	1
. 29-32	01,2	152 101	163 //0	CAPACITOR, polyp film .34uf 700VDC	_
00.40		100 100	4 40 007	(Eff w/KE581846)	2
. 29-40	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	150 190	148 297	NUT, 10-32 push-on stl (Eff w/KE581846)	3
				BUS BAR, capacitor (Eff w/KE577648)	
. 30-49	C44.47	100 000	133 968	RECTIFIER, si diode RH (Eff w/KE581846) (consisting of) .]
				CAPACITOR	
				KIT, diode fast recovery	
				HEAT SINK, rect	
				CLAMP, capacitor 2.000dia (Eff w/KE581846)	
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BE SURE TO PROVIDE MODEL AND SERIAL NUMBER WHEN ORDERING REPLACEMENT PARTS.

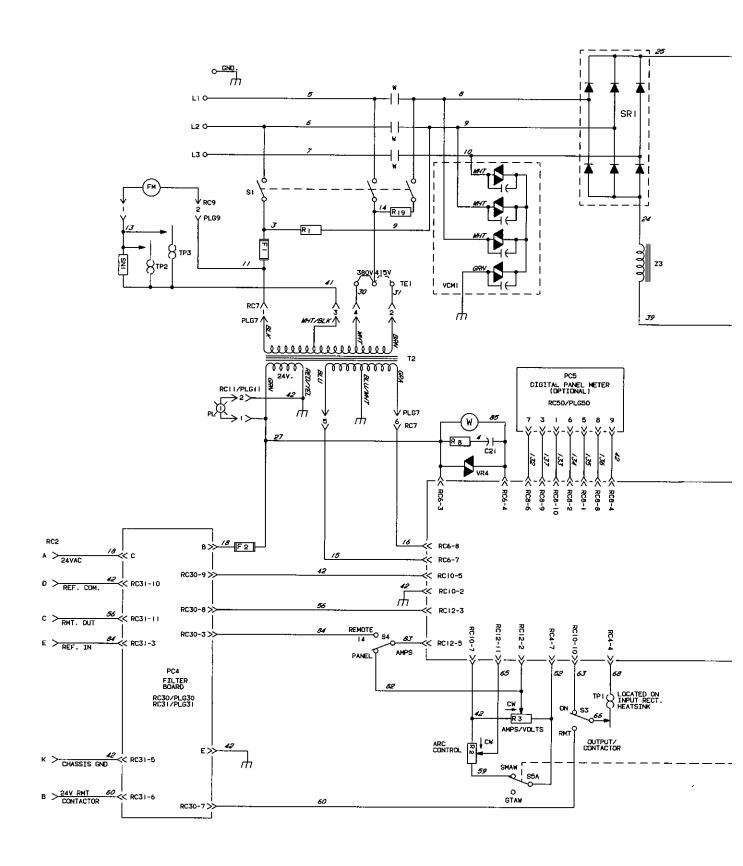
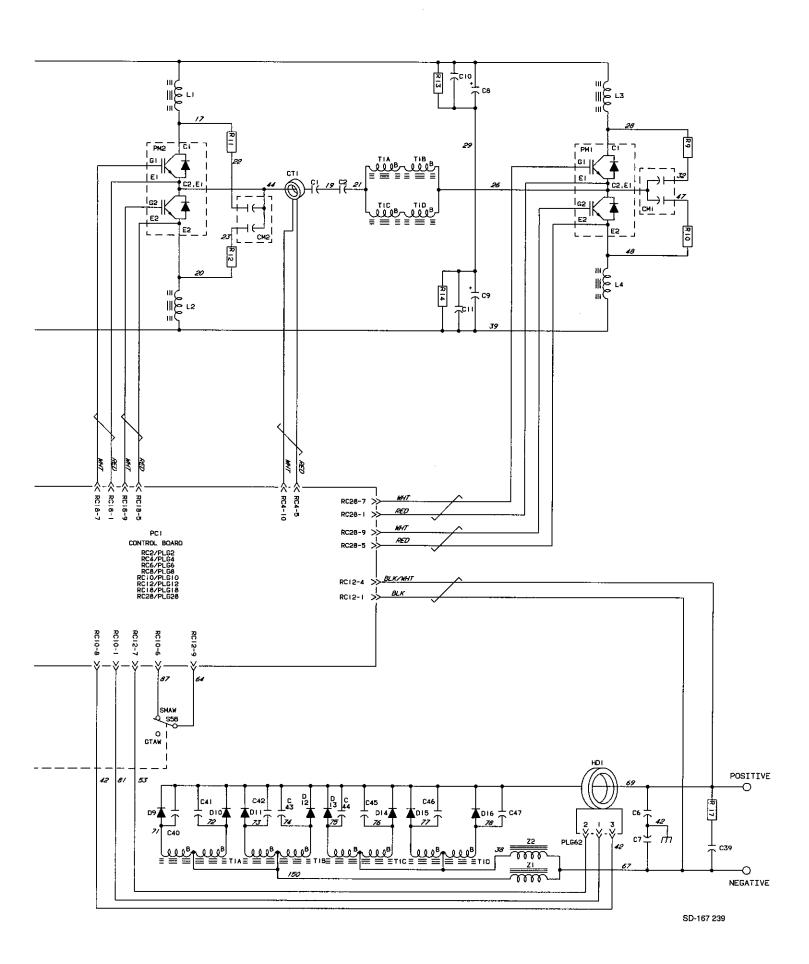


Figure 6-1. Circuit Diagram For Welding Power Source Effective With Serial No. KE581846



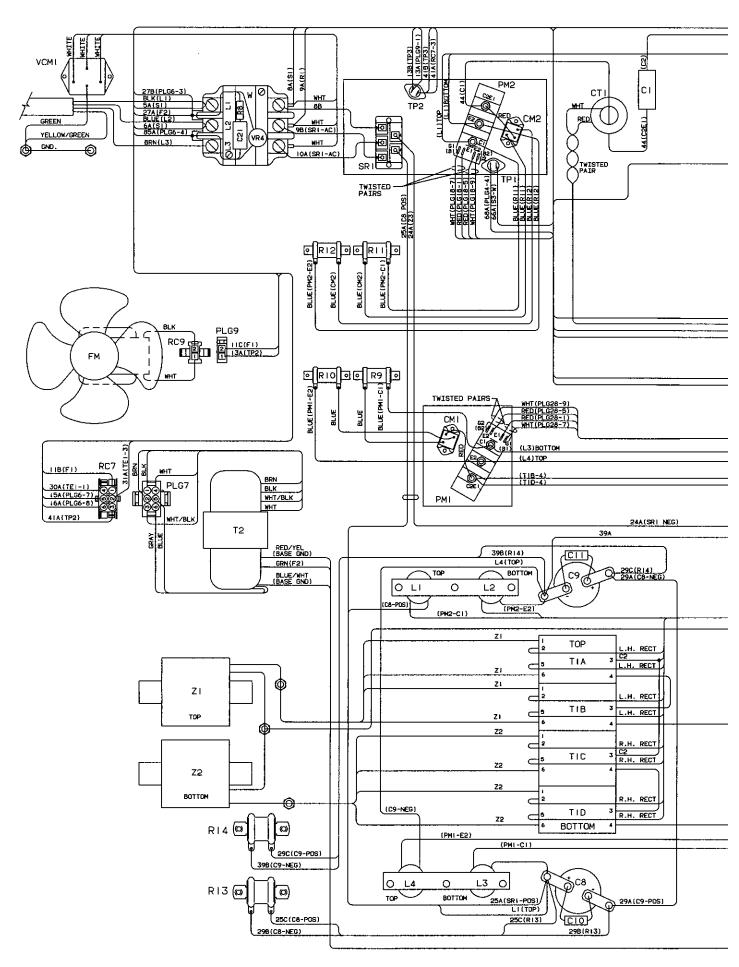
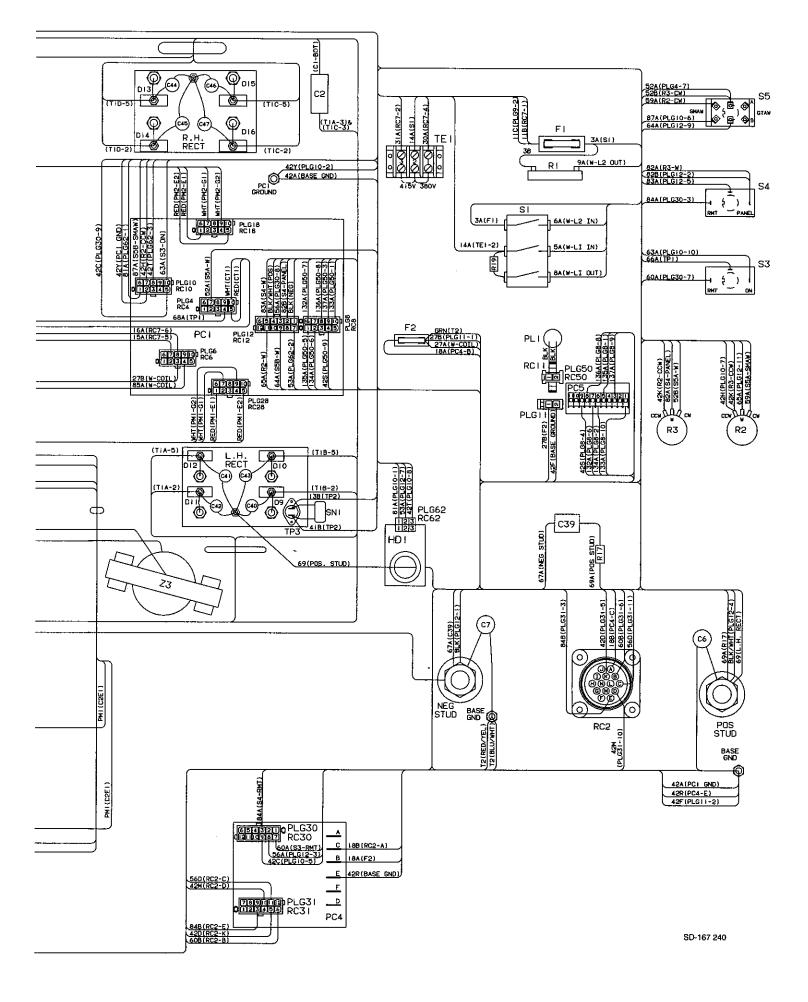


Figure 6-2. Wiring Diagram For Welding Power Source Effective With Serial No. KE581846



ARC WELDING SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

WARNING

ARC WELDING can be hazardous.

PROTECT YOURSELF AND OTHERS FROM POSSIBLE SERIOUS INJURY OR DEATH. KEEP CHILDREN AWAY. PACEMAKER WEARERS KEEP AWAY UNTIL CONSULTING YOUR DOCTOR.

In welding, as in most jobs, exposure to certain hazards occurs. Welding is safe when precautions are taken. The safety information given below is only a summary of the more complete safety information that will be found in the Safety Standards listed on the next page. Read and follow all Safety Standards.

HAVE ALL INSTALLATION, OPERATION, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR WORK PERFORMED ONLY BY QUALIFIED PEOPLE.



ELECTRIC SHOCK can kill.

Touching live electrical parts can cause fatal shocks or severe burns. The electrode and work circuit is electrically live whenever the output is on. The input power circuit and machine internal circuits are also live when power is on. In semiautomatic or automatic wire welding, the wire, wire reel, drive roll housing, and all metal parts touching the welding wire are electrically live. Incorrectly installed or improperly grounded equipment is a hazard.

- 1. Do not touch live electrical parts.
- 2. Wear dry, hole-free insulating gloves and body protection.
- Insulate yourself from work and ground using dry insulating mats or covers
- Disconnect input power or stop engine before installing or servicing this equipment.

- 5. Properly install and ground this equipment according to its Owner's Manual and national, state, and local codes.
- When making input connections, attach proper grounding conductor first.
- 7. Turn off all equipment when not in use.
- Do not use worn, damaged, undersized, or poorly spliced cables.
- 9. Do not wrap cables around your body.
- 10. Ground the workpiece to a good electrical (earth) ground.
- Do not touch electrode if in contact with the work or ground.
- Use only well-maintained equipment. Repair or replace damaged parts at once.
- 13. Wear a safety harness if working above floor level.
- 14. Keep all panels and covers securely in place.



ARC RAYS can burn eyes and skin; NOISE can damage hearing.

Arc rays from the welding process produce intense heat and strong ultraviolet rays that can burn eyes and skin. Noise from some processes can damage hearing.

NOISE

1. Use approved ear plugs or ear muffs if noise level is high.

ARC RAYS

- Wear a welding helmet fitted with a proper shade of filter (see ANSI Z49.1 listed in Safety Standards) to protect your face and eyes when welding or watching.
- 3. Wear approved safety glasses. Side shields recommended.
- 4. Use protective screens or barriers to protect others from flash and glare; warn others not to watch the arc.
- Wear protective clothing made from durable, flame-resistant material (wool and leather) and foot protection.



FUMES AND GASES can be hazardous to your health.

Welding produces fumes and gases. Breathing these fumes and gases can be hazardous to your health.

- Keep your head out of the fumes. Do not breathe the fumes.
 If inside, ventilate the area and/or use exhaust at the arc to remove welding fumes and gases.
- 3. If ventilation is poor, use an approved air-supplied respirator.
- Read the Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDSs) and the manufacturer's instruction for metals, consumables, coatings, and cleaners.
- Work in a confined space only if it is well ventilated, or while wearing an air-supplied respirator. Shielding gases used for welding can displace air causing injury or death. Be sure the breathing air is safe.
- Do not weld in locations near degreasing, cleaning, or spraying operations. The heat and rays of the arc can react with vapors to form highly toxic and irritating gases.
- 7. Do not weld on coated metals, such as galvanized, lead, or cadmium plated steel, unless the coating is removed from the weld area, the area is well ventilated, and if necessary, while wearing an air-supplied respirator. The coatings and any metals containing these elements can give off toxic fumes if welded.



WELDING can cause fire or explosion.

Sparks and spatter fly off from the welding arc. The flying sparks and hot metal, weld spatter, hot workpiece, and hot equipment can cause fires and burns. Accidental contact of electrode or welding wire to metal objects can cause sparks, overheating, or fire.

- 1. Protect yourself and others from flying sparks and hot metal.
- 2. Do not weld where flying sparks can strike flammable material.
- Remove all flammables within 35 ft (10.7 m) of the welding arc. If this is not possible, tightly cover them with approved covers.
- Be alert that welding sparks and hot materials from welding can easily go through small cracks and openings to adjacent areas.

- 5. Watch for fire, and keep a fire extinguisher nearby.
- Be aware that welding on a ceiling, floor, bulkhead, or partition can cause fire on the hidden side.
- 7. Do not weld on closed containers such as tanks or drums.
- Connect work cable to the work as close to the welding area as practical to prevent welding current from traveling long, possibly unknown paths and causing electric shock and fire hazards.
- 9. Do not use welder to thaw frozen pipes.
- Remove stick electrode from holder or cut off welding wire at contact tip when not in use.
- Wear oil-free protective garments such as leather gloves, heavy shirt, cuffless trousers, high shoes, and a cap.



FLYING SPARKS AND HOT METAL can cause injury.

Chipping and grinding cause flying metal. As welds cool, they can throw off slag.

- Wear approved face shield or safety goggles. Side shields recommended.
- 2. Wear proper body protection to protect skin.



CYLINDERS can explode if damaged.

Shielding gas cylinders contain gas under high pressure. If damaged, a cylinder can explode. Since gas cylinders are normally part of the welding process, be sure to treat them carefully.

- Protect compressed gas cylinders from excessive heat, mechanical shocks, and arcs.
- Install and secure cylinders in an upright position by chaining them to a stationary support or equipment cylinder rack to prevent falling or tipping.
- Keep cylinders away from any welding or other electrical circuits.
- 4. Never allow a welding electrode to touch any cylinder.
- Use only correct shielding gas cylinders, regulators, hoses, and fittings designed for the specific application; maintain them and associated parts in good condition.
- 6. Turn face away from valve outlet when opening cylinder valve.
- Keep protective cap in place over valve except when cylinder is in use or connected for use.
- Read and follow instructions on compressed gas cylinders, associated equipment, and CGA publication P-1 listed in Safety Standards

M WARNING

ENGINES can be hazardous.



ENGINE EXHAUST GASES can kill.

Engines produce harmful exhaust gases.

- 1. Use equipment outside in open, well-ventilated areas.
- If used in a closed area, vent engine exhaust outside and away from any building air intakes.



ENGINE FUEL can cause fire or explosion.

Engine fuel is highly flammable.

- 1. Stop engine before checking or adding fuel.
- Do not add fuel while smoking or if unit is near any sparks or open flames
- 3. Allow engine to cool before fueling. If possible, check and add fuel to cold engine before beginning job.
- 4. Do not overfill tank allow room for fuel to expand.
- Do not spill fuel. If fuel is spilled, clean up before starting engine.



MOVING PARTS can cause injury.

Moving parts, such as fans, rotors, and belts can cut fingers and hands and catch loose clothing.

- Keep all doors, panels, covers, and guards closed and securely in place.
- 2. Stop engine before installing or connecting unit.

- Have only qualified people remove guards or covers for maintenance and troubleshooting as necessary.
- To prevent accidental starting during servicing, disconnect negative (–) battery cable from battery.
- Keep hands, hair, loose clothing, and tools away from moving parts.
- Reinstall panels or guards and close doors when servicing is finished and before starting engine.



SPARKS can cause BATTERY GASES TO EXPLODE; BATTERY ACID can burn eyes and skin.

Batteries contain acid and generate explosive gases.

- 1. Always wear a face shield when working on a battery.
- Stop engine before disconnecting or connecting battery cables.
- 3. Do not allow tools to cause sparks when working on a battery.
- 4. Do not use welder to charge batteries or jump start vehicles.
- 5. Observe correct polarity (+ and -) on batteries.



STEAM AND PRESSURIZED HOT COOLANT can burn face, eyes, and skin.

The coolant in the radiator can be very hot and under pressure.

- Do not remove radiator cap when engine is hot. Allow engine to cool.
- 2. Wear gloves and put a rag over cap area when removing cap.
- 3. Allow pressure to escape before completely removing cap.

PRINCIPAL SAFETY STANDARDS

Safety in Welding and Cutting, ANSI Standard Z49.1, from American Welding Society, 550 N.W. LeJeune Rd, Miami FL 33126

Safety and Health Standards, OSHA 29 CFR 1910, from Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402.

Recommended Safe Practices for the Preparation for Welding and Cutting of Containers That Have Held Hazardous Substances, American Welding Society Standard AWS F4.1, from American Welding Society, 550 N.W. LeJeune Rd, Miami, FL 33126

National Electrical Code, NFPA Standard 70, from National Fire Protection Association, Batterymarch Park, Quincy, MA 02269.

Safe Handling of Compressed Gases in Cylinders, CGA Pamphlet P-1, from Compressed Gas Association, 1235 Jefferson Davis Highway, Suite 501, Arlington, VA 22202.

Code for Safety in Welding and Cutting, CSA Standard W117.2, from Canadian Standards Association, Standards Sales, 178 Rexdale Boulevard, Rexdale, Ontario, Canada M9W 1R3.

Safe Practices For Occupation And Educational Eye And Face Protection, ANSI Standard Z87.1, from American National Standards Institute, 1430 Broadway, New York, NY 10018.

Cutting And Welding Processes, NFPA Standard 51B, from National Fire Protection Association, Batterymarch Park, Quincy, MA 02269.

EMF INFORMATION



Considerations About Welding And The Effects Of Low Frequency Electric And Magnetic Fields

The following is a quotation from the General Conclusions Section of the U.S. Congress, Office of Technology Assessment, *Biological Effects of Power Frequency Electric & Magnetic Fields — Background Paper*, OTA-BP-E-53 (Washington, DC: U.S. Government Printing Office, May 1989): "... there is now a very large volume of scientific findings based on experiments at the cellular level and from studies with animals and people which clearly establish that low frequency magnetic fields can interact with, and produce changes in, biological systems. While most of this work is of very high quality, the results are complex. Current scientific understanding does not yet allow us to interpret the evidence in a single coherent framework. Even more frustrating, it does not yet allow us to draw definite conclusions about questions of possible risk or to offer clear science-based advice on strategies to minimize or avoid potential risks."

To reduce magnetic fields in the workplace, use the following procedures:

- 1. Keep cables close together by twisting or taping them.
- 2. Arrange cables to one side and away from the operator.
- 3. Do not coil or drape cables around the body.
- Keep welding power source and cables as far away as practical.
- Connect work clamp to workpiece as close to the weld as possible.

About Pacemakers:

The above procedures are among those also normally recommended for pacemaker wearers. Consult your doctor for complete information.

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SECTION 1 – SAFETY INFORMATION

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- Read all safety messages throughout this manual.
- Obey all safety messages to avoid injury.
- Learn the meaning of WARNING and CAUTION.

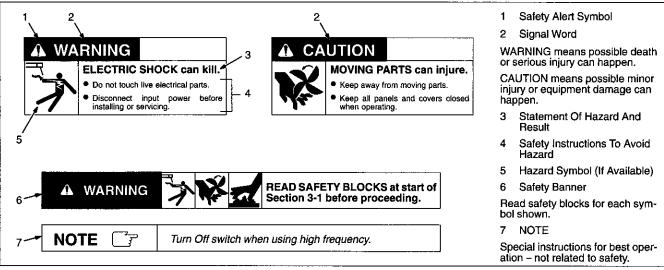


Figure 1-1. Safety Information

SECTION 2 – SPECIFICATIONS

Table 2-1. Welding Power Source

Specification	Description
Type Of Output	Constant Current (CC), Direct Current (DC)
Rated Weld Output	300 Amperes, 32 Volts DC At 60% Duty Cycle; 232 Amperes, 28 Volts DC At 100% Duty Cycle (See Section 2-2)
Type Of Input	380 Or 415 Volts AC; 50 Hz; Three Phase
Input Amperes At Rated Output	60% Duty Cycle: 25.0 A At 380 V, 23.2 A At 415 V 100% Duty Cycle: 17.2 A At 380 V, 16.7 A At 415 V
KVA/KW Used At Rated Output	16.4 kVA/11.3 kW
Amperage Range	5-375 A
Max. Open-Circuit Voltage	80 Volts DC
Welding Processes	Scratch Start Gas Tungsten Arc (GTAW), Scratch Start Gas Tungsten Arc - Pulsed (GTAW-P), Shielded Metal Arc (SMAW) Welding
Input Power Cord	13.1 ft (4 m)
Overall Dimensions	Length: 21-3/4 in (522 mm); Width: 12 in (305 mm); Height: 17-3/8 in (441 mm)
Weight	Net: 77 lb (35 kg); Ship: 82 lb (37 kg)
Options	See Rear Cover

2-1. Volt-Ampere Curves

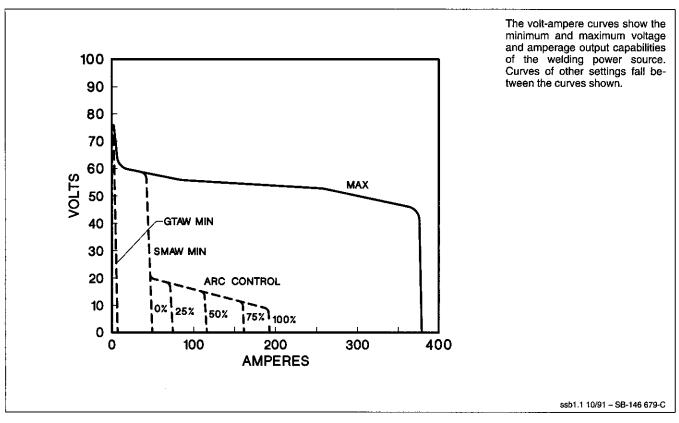


Figure 2-1. Volt-Ampere Curves

2-2. Duty Cycle

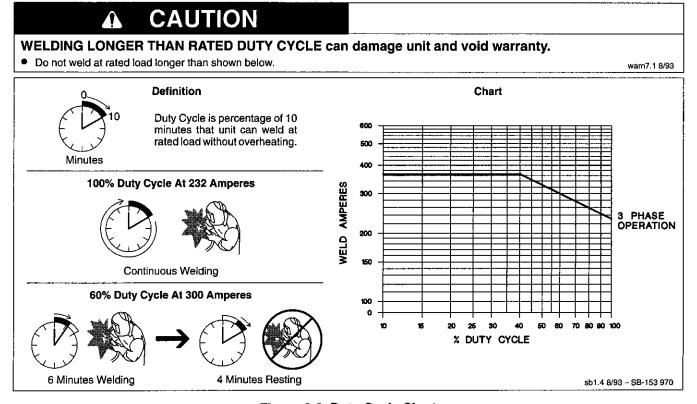


Figure 2-2. Duty Cycle Chart

SECTION 3 - INSTALLATION

3-1. Typical Process Connections

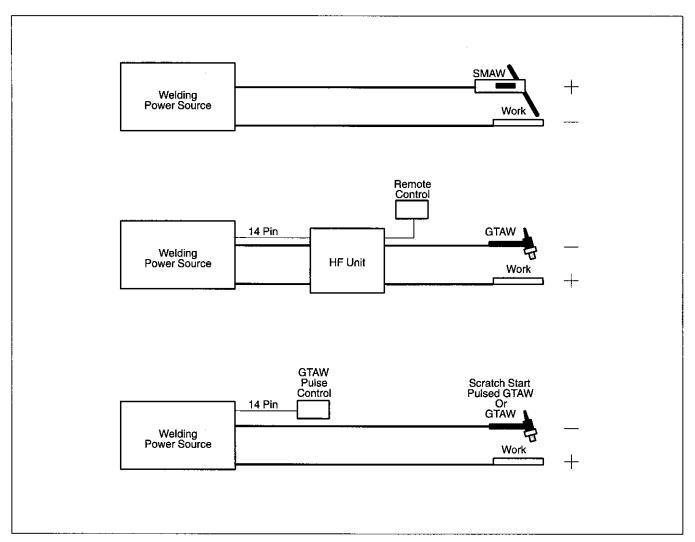
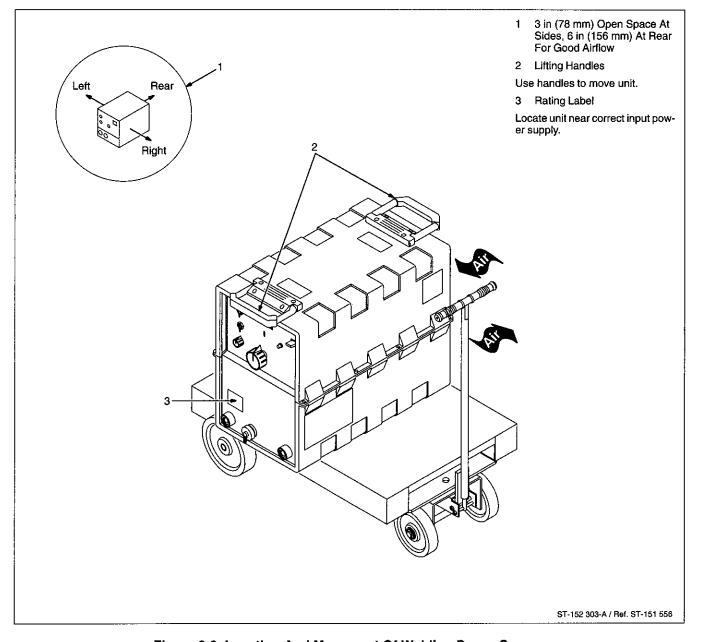


Figure 3-1. Typical Process Connections

3-2. Selecting A Location And Moving Welding Power Source

WARNING ELECTRIC SHOCK can kill. FUMES can be hazardous; LACK OF FRESH AIR AND PROPER VEN-Do not touch live electrical parts. TILATION can be harmful. Disconnect input power conductors from de-energized supply line BEFORE moving welding Do not breathe welding fumes. Place unit only where there is a good fresh air supply and proper ventilation. FIRE OR EXPLOSION can result from placing unit on, over, or near com-**FALLING EQUIPMENT can cause** bustible surfaces. serious personal injury and equipment damage. Do not locate unit on, over, or near combustible surfaces. Lift unit at handles. · Do not install unit near flammables. Have two persons of adequate physical strength lift **BLOCKED AIRFLOW causes over-**Move unit with hand cart or similar device of adeheating and possible damage to unit. quate capacity. Do not block or filter airflow. If using a fork lift vehicle, secure unit on a proper Warranty is void if any type of filter is used. skid before transporting.



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Figure 3-2. Location And Movement Of Welding Power Source

3-3. Selecting And Preparing Weld Output Cables

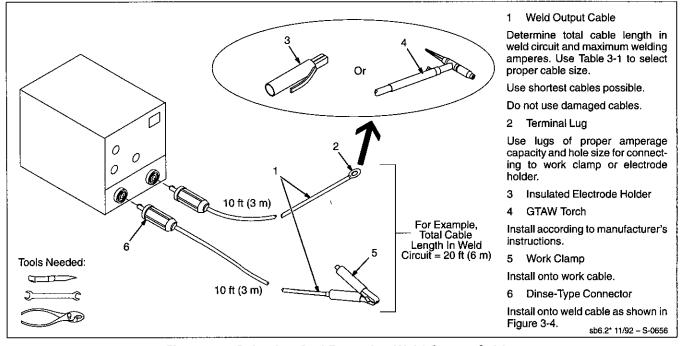


Figure 3-3. Selecting And Preparing Weld Output Cables

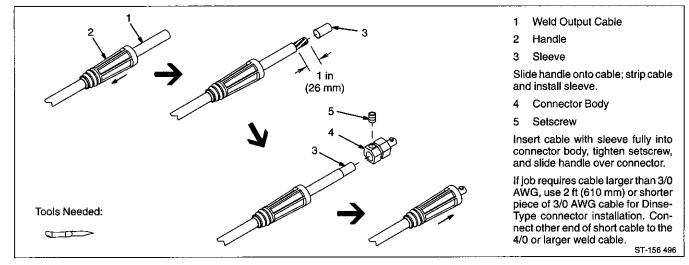


Figure 3-4. Dinse-Type Connector Assembly

Table 3-1. Weld Cable Size*

		Total Cal	ole (Copper)	Length In W	Veld Circuit N	lot Exceedin	ıg ·	
	100 ft (30	m) Or Less	150 ft (45 m)	200 ft (60 m)	250 ft (70 m)	300 ft (90 m)	350 ft (105 m)	400 ft (120 m)
Welding Amperes	10 To 60% Duty Cycle	60 Thru 100% Duty Cycle	10 Thru 100% Duty Cycle					
100	4	4	4	3	2	1	1/0	1/0
150	3	3	2	1	1/0	2/0	3/0	3/0
200	3	2	1	1/0	2/0	3/0	4/0	4/0
250	2	1	1/0	2/0	3/0	4/0	2-2/0	2-2/0
300	1	1/0	2/0	3/0	4/0	2-2/0	2-3/0	2-3/0
350	1/0	2/0	3/0	4/0	2-2/0	2-3/0	2-3/0	2-4/0
400	1/0	2/0	3/0	4/0	2-2/0	2-3/0	2-4/0	2-4/0
500	2/0	3/0	4/0	2-2/0	2-3/0	2-4/0	3-3/0	3-3/0

^{*}Weld cable size (AWG) is based on either a 4 volts or less drop or a current density of not more than 300 circular mils per ampere.

3-4. Connecting To Weld Output Receptacles

WARNING



ELECTRIC SHOCK can kill; ARCING can burn skin or damage electrical equipment.

- Do not touch live electrical parts.
- Turn Off welding power source before making any weld output connections.
- Do not change position of welding cable connectors while welding.
- Be sure connectors are secure in receptacles before welding.

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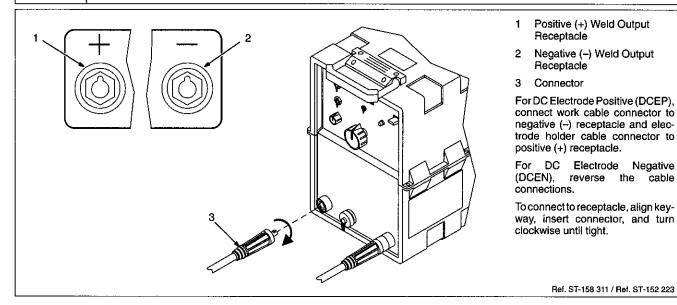


Figure 3-5. Connecting To Weld Output Receptacles

3-5. Remote 14 Receptacle Information And Connections

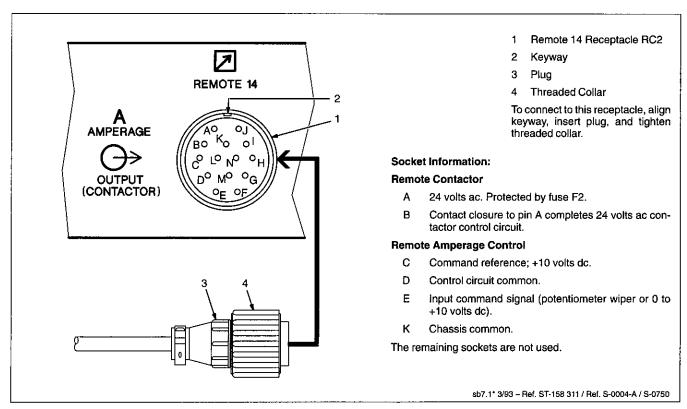


Figure 3-6. Remote 14 Connections

3-6. Connecting Input Power

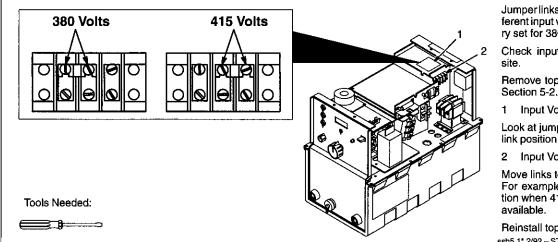
WARNING

ELECTRIC SHOCK can kill.

- Do not touch live electrical parts.
- Turn Off welding power source, and disconnect input power before inspecting or installing.
- Have only qualified persons install unit.
- Installation must meet National Electrical Code and all other codes.

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A. Positioning Jumper Links



Jumper links allow operation on different input voltages and are factory set for 380 volts input power.

Check input voltage available at

Remove top of case according to

Input Voltage Label

Look at jumper links and compare link position with unit label.

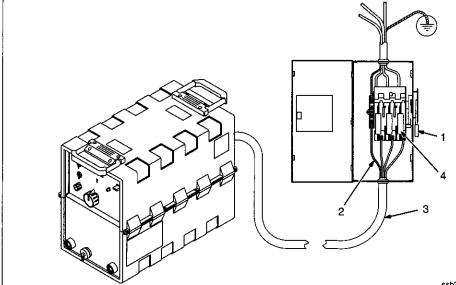
Input Voltage Jumper Links

Move links to match input voltage. For example, use 415 volts position when 415 volts input power is

Reinstall top of case. ssb5.1* 2/92 -- ST-152 225-A / Ref. S-145 063

Figure 3-7. Input Voltage Jumper Links Location

B. Connecting To Input Power



Have only qualified persons make this installation.

- Line Disconnect Device Of **Proper Rating**
- Grounding Conductor -Green Or Green With Yellow Stripe(s)
- 3 Input Conductors

Install grounding conductor and input conductors from unit to deenergized line disconnect device.

Be sure grounding conductor goes to an earth ground.

Overcurrent Protection

Select type and size using Table 3-2. Install into deenergized line disconnect device (fused disconnect switch shown).

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Figure 3-8. Location And Input Power Connections

Table 3-2. Electrical Service Requirements*

Input Voltage	380	415
Input Amperes At Rated Output	25	23
Recommended Standard Fuse Or Circuit Breaker Rating In Amperes ¹	35	35

These values are calculated from the 1993 edition of the National Electrical Code (NEC).

¹ Recommended fuse or circuit breaker size is that closest to 150% of rated input amperage of the welding power source. Article 630-12(a) of NEC allows fuse or circuit breaker sizing up to 200% of rated input amperage.

SECTION 4 – OPERATION

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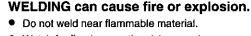
ELECTRIC SHOCK can kill.

- Always wear dry insulating gloves.
- Insulate yourself from work and ground.
- Do not touch live electrical parts.
- · Keep all panels and covers securely in place.



FUMES AND GASES can be hazardous to your health.

- Keep your head out of the fumes.
- Ventilate area, or use breathing device.
- Read Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDSs) and manufacturer's instructions for material used.



- Watch for fire: keep extinguisher nearby.
- Do not locate unit over combustible surfaces.
- Do not weld on closed containers.
- Allow work and equipment to cool before handling.



ARC RAYS can burn eyes and skin; NOISE can damage hearing.

- Wear welding helmet with correct shade of filter.
- Wear correct eye, ear, and body protection.



MOVING PARTS can cause injury.

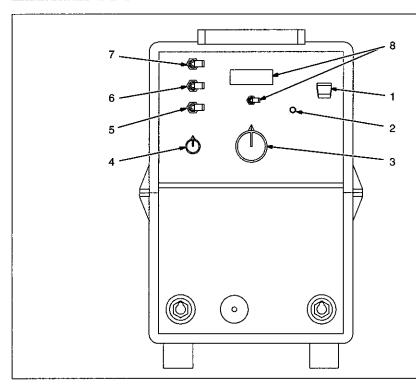
- Keep away from moving parts.
- Keep all doors, panels, covers, and guards closed and securely in place.



MAGNETIC FIELDS FROM HIGH CUR-RENTS can affect pacemaker operation.

- Pacemaker wearers keep away.
- Wearers should consult their doctor before going near arc welding, gouging, or spot welding operations.

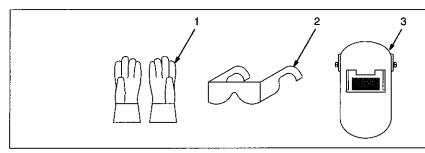
See Safety Precautions at beginning of manual for basic welding safety information.



- 1 Power Switch
- 2 Pilot Light
- 3 Amperage Control
- 4 Arc Force (Dig) Control
- 5 Output (Contactor) Switch
- 6 Amperage Control Switch
- 7 Process Selector Switch
- 8 Optional Amperage/Voltage Meter And Switch

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Figure 4-1. Controls



- 1 Insulating Gloves
- 2 Safety Glasses With Side Shields
- 3 Welding Helmet

Wear dry insulating gloves, safety glasses with side shields, and a welding helmet with a correct shade of filter (see ANSI Z49.1).

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Figure 4-2. Safety Equipment

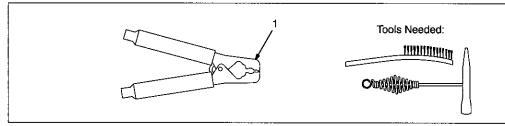


Figure 4-3. Work Clamp

Work Clamp

Connect work clamp to a clean, paint-free location on workpiece, as close to weld area as possible.

Use wire brush or sandpaper to clean metal at weld joint area. Use chipping hammer to remove slag after welding.

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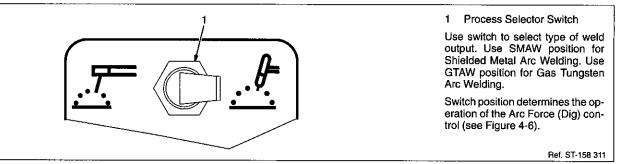


Figure 4-4. Process Selector Switch

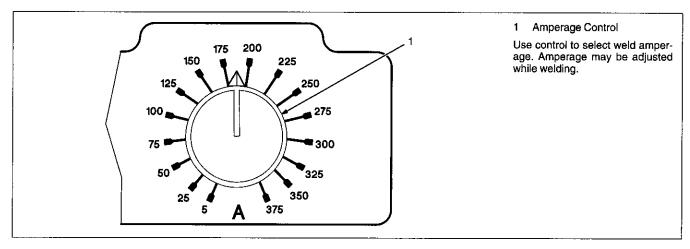


Figure 4-5. Amperage Control

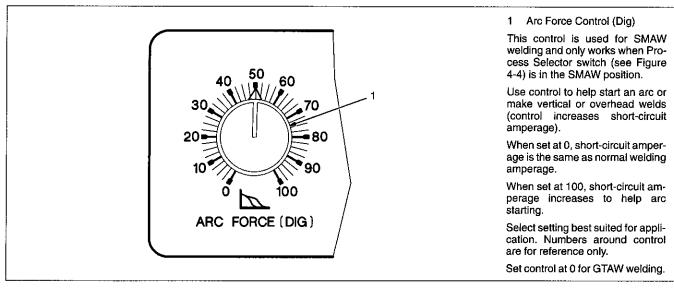


Figure 4-6. Arc Control (Dig) Control

WARNING



ELECTRIC SHOCK can kill.

- Do not touch live electrical parts.
- Do not touch weld output terminals when contactor is energized.
- Do not touch electrode and work clamp at the same time.

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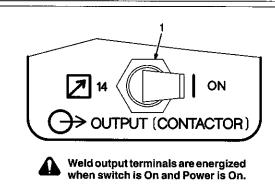


Figure 4-7. Output (Contactor) Switch

ling output. For front panel control, place switch in On position.

Output (Contactor) Switch Use switch to select way of control-

For remote control, place switch in Remote 14 position (see Section 3-5).

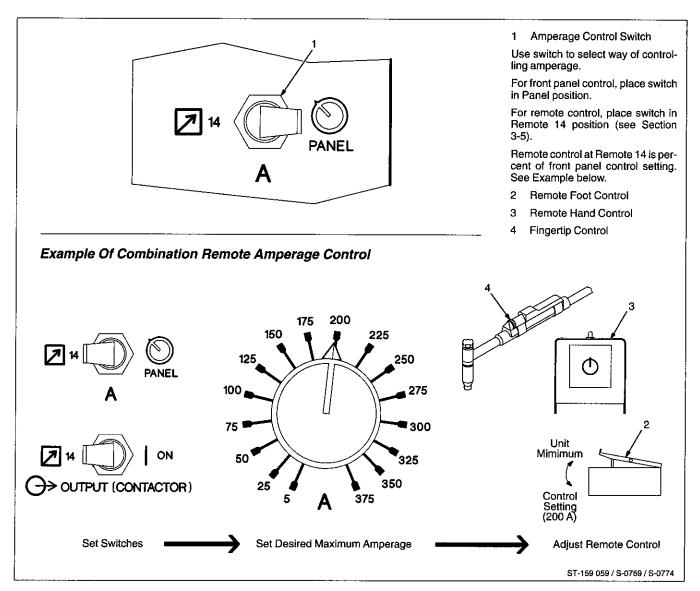


Figure 4-8. Amperage Control Switch

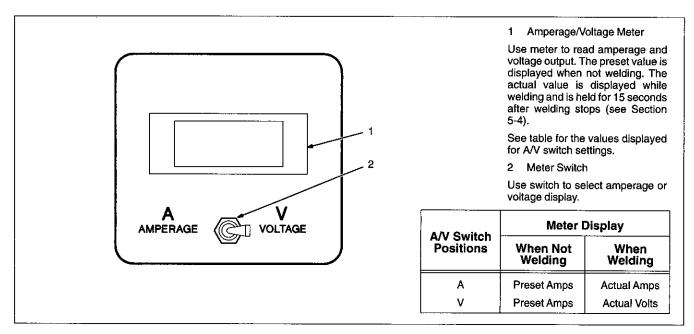


Figure 4-9. Amperage/Voltage Meter And Switch (Optional)

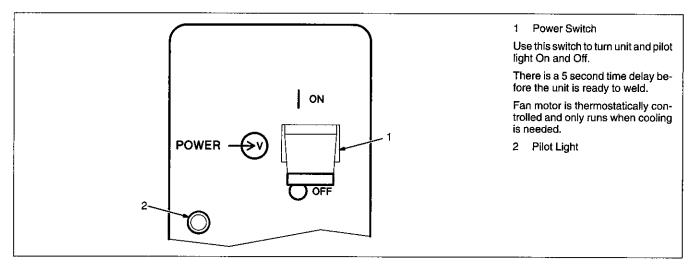


Figure 4-10. Power Switch And Pilot Light

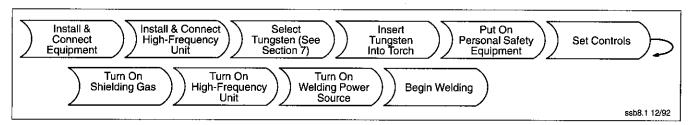


Figure 4-11. Sequence Of Gas Tungsten Arc Welding (GTAW)

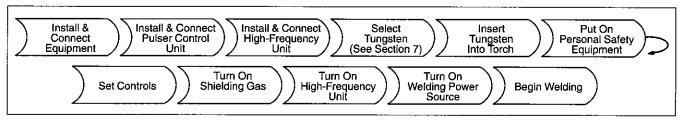


Figure 4-12. Sequence Of Gas Tungsten Arc Welding – Pulsed (GTAW-P)

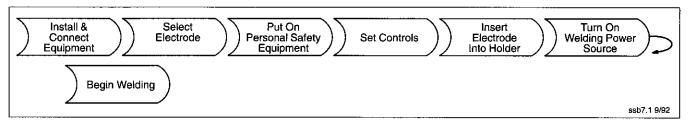
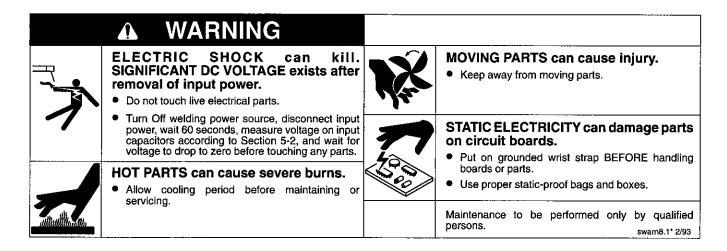


Figure 4-13. Sequence Of Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW)

SECTION 5 – MAINTENANCE & TROUBLESHOOTING



5-1. Routine Maintenance

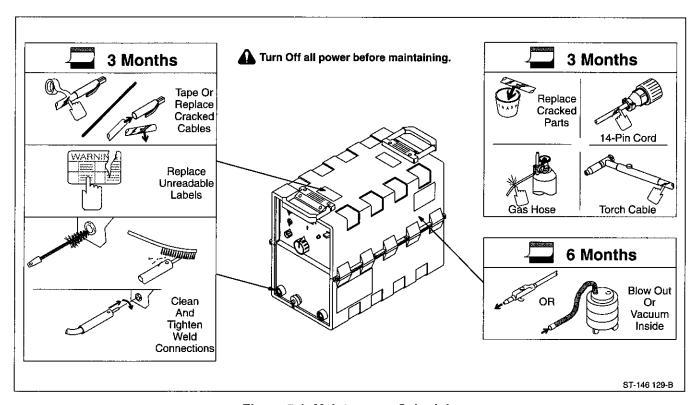


Figure 5-1. Maintenance Schedule

5-2. Removing Top Of Case And Measuring Input Capacitor Voltage

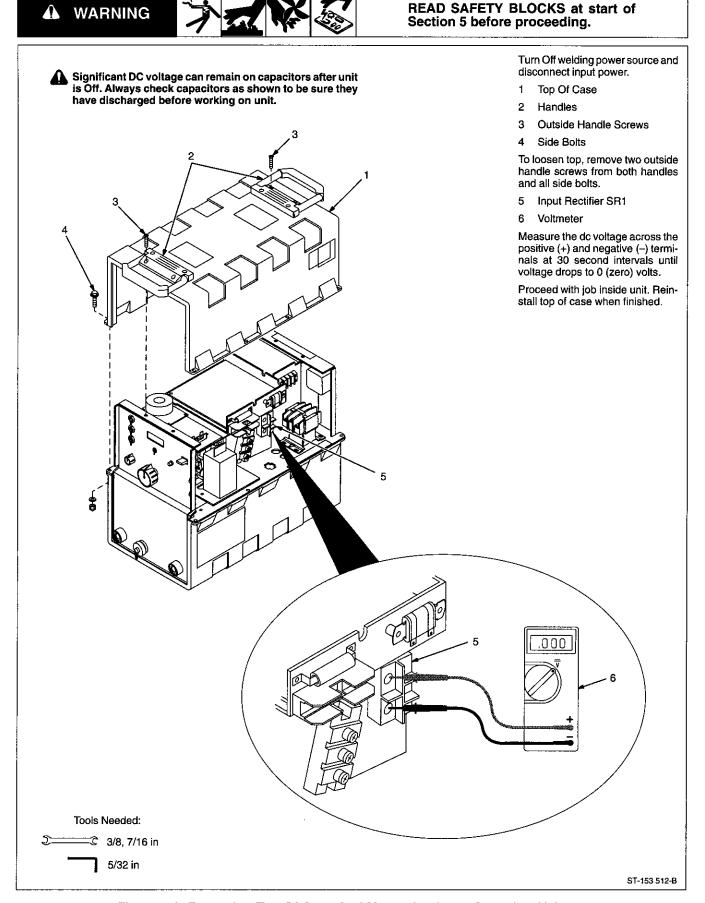


Figure 5-2. Removing Top Of Case And Measuring Input Capacitor Voltage



READ SAFETY BLOCKS at start of Section 5 before proceeding.

A. Overheating

Thermostat TP1 protects the unit from damage due to overheating. If power module PM2 gets too hot, TP1 opens and weld output stops. The pilot light stays on, and the fan keeps running to cool the power module. Wait several minutes before trying to weld.

B. Fuses

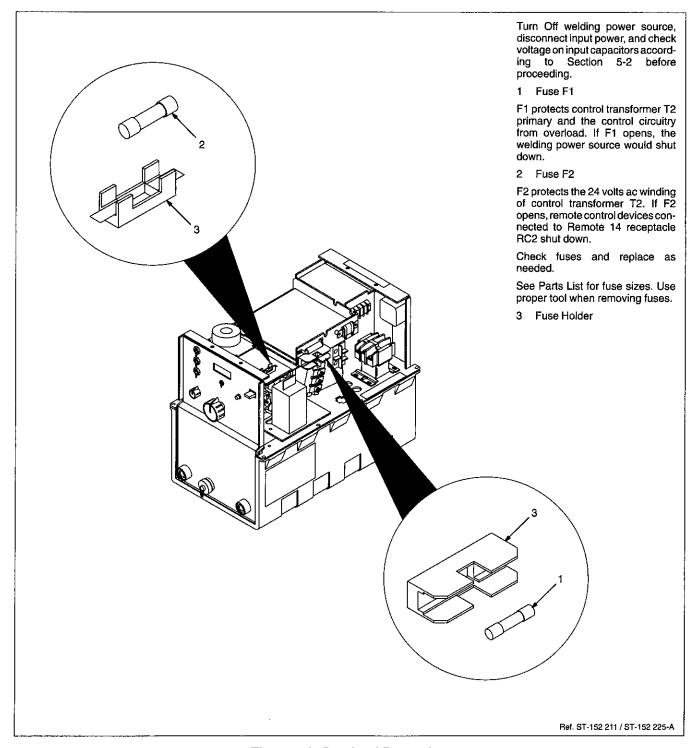


Figure 5-3. Overload Protection

5-4. Changing Amperage/Voltage Meter Hold Function

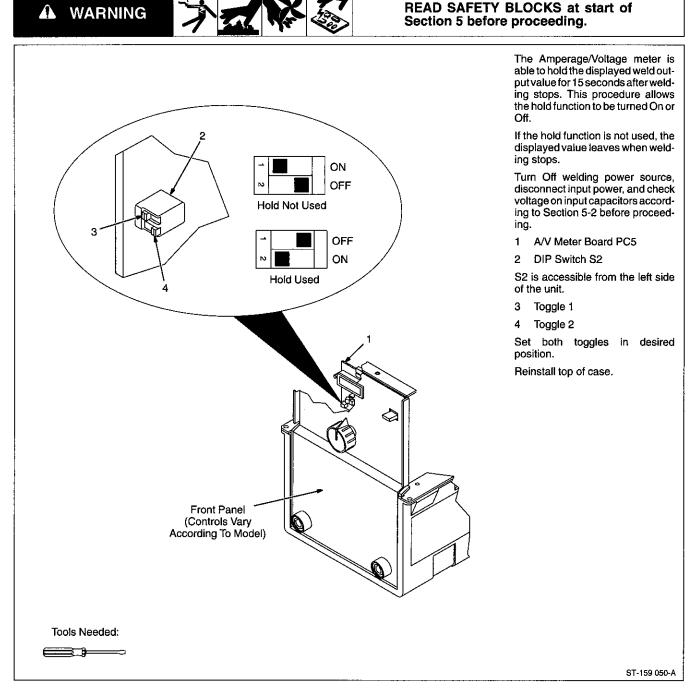
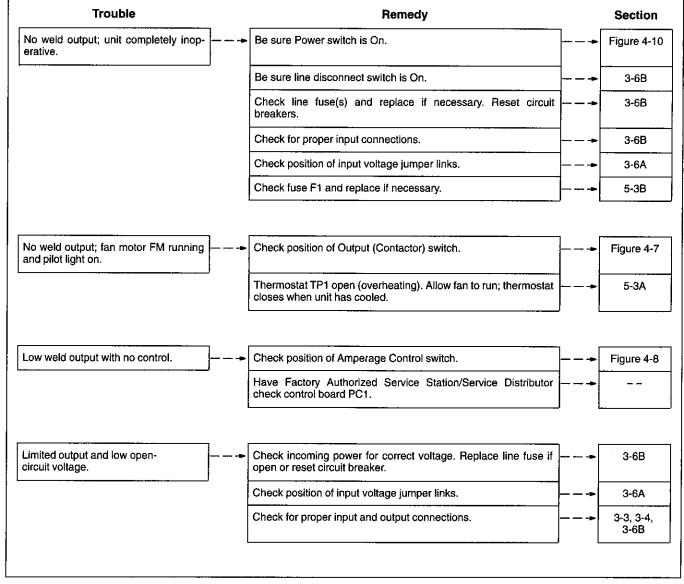


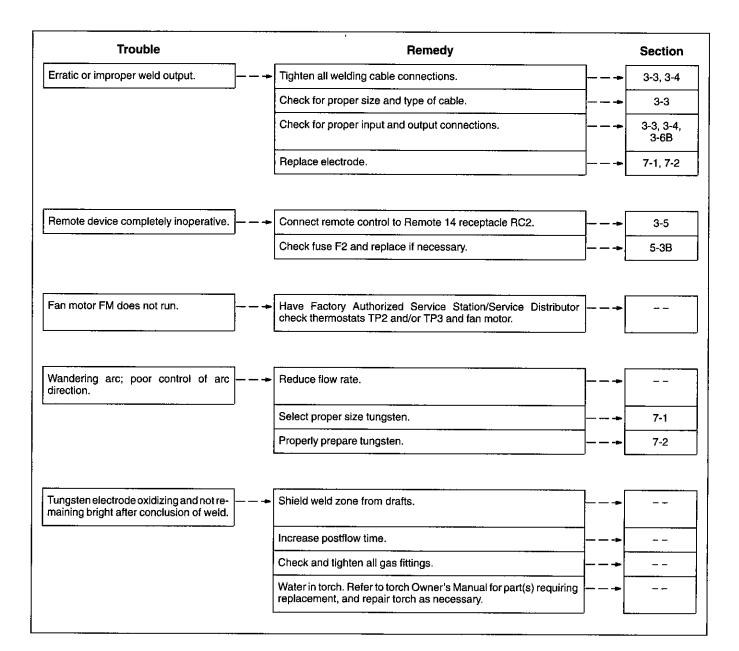
Figure 5-4. Changing Amperage/Voltage Meter Hold Function

5-5. Troubleshooting

WARNING ELECTRIC SHOCK can kill. MOVING PARTS can cause injury. SIGNIFICANT DC VOLTAGE exists after Keep away from moving parts. removal of input power. Do not touch live electrical parts. Turn Off welding power source, disconnect input power, wait 60 seconds, measure voltage on input capacitors according to Section 5-2, and wait for STATIC ELECTRICITY can damage parts on circuit boards. voltage to drop to zero before touching any parts. Put on grounded wrist strap BEFORE handling boards or parts. HOT PARTS can cause severe burns. Use proper static-proof bags and boxes. Allow cooling period before servicing. Troubleshooting to be performed only by qualified persons.

Table 5-1. Welding Trouble





SECTION 6 – ELECTRICAL DIAGRAMS

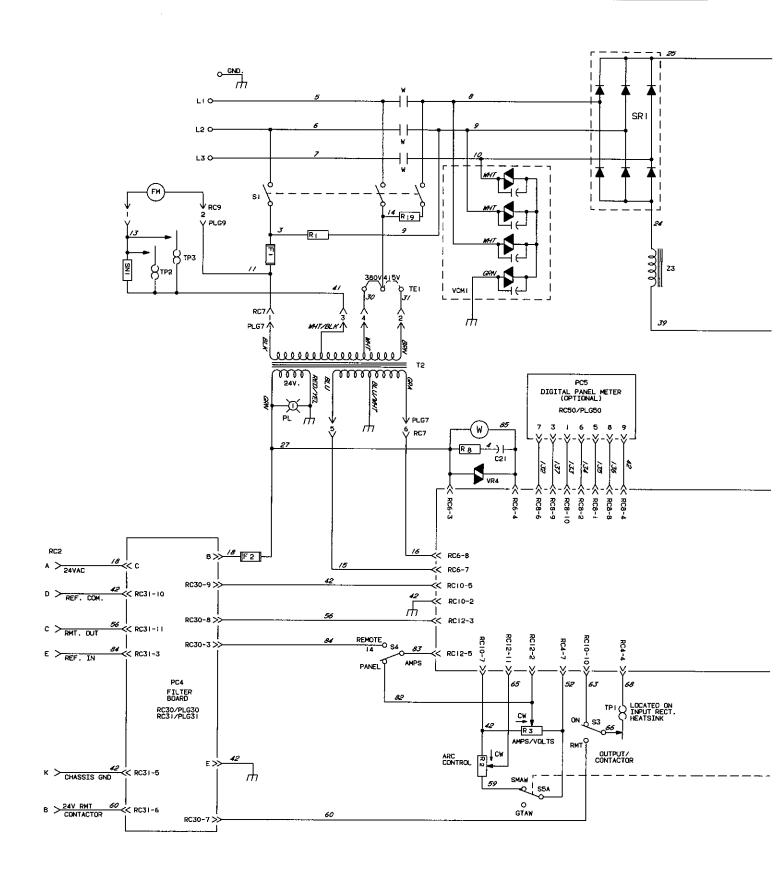
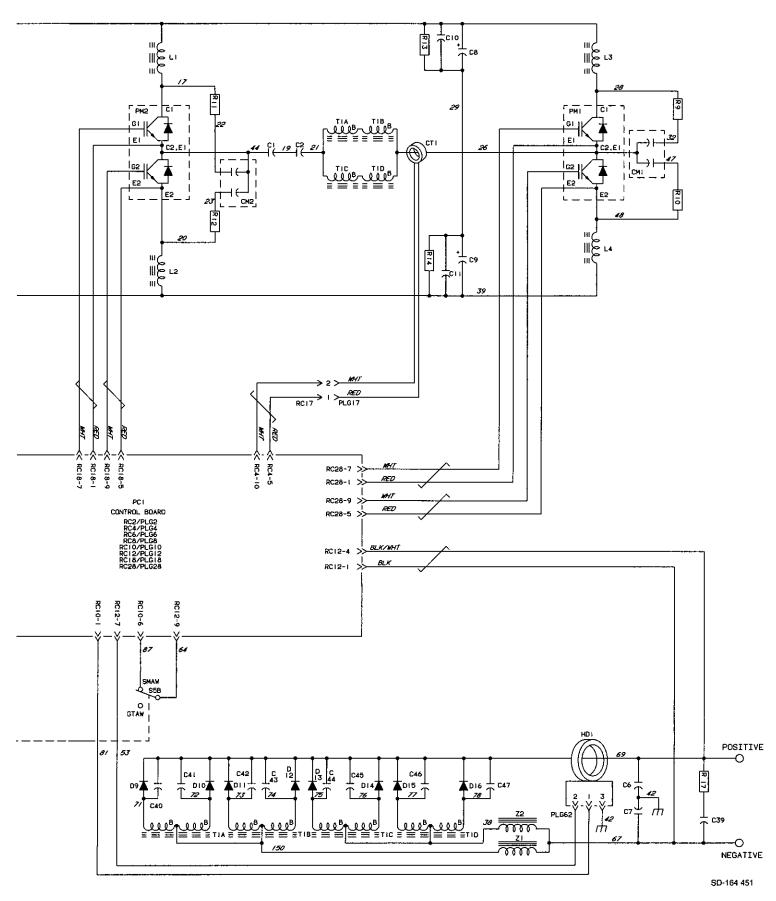


Figure 6-1. Circuit Diagram For Welding Power Source



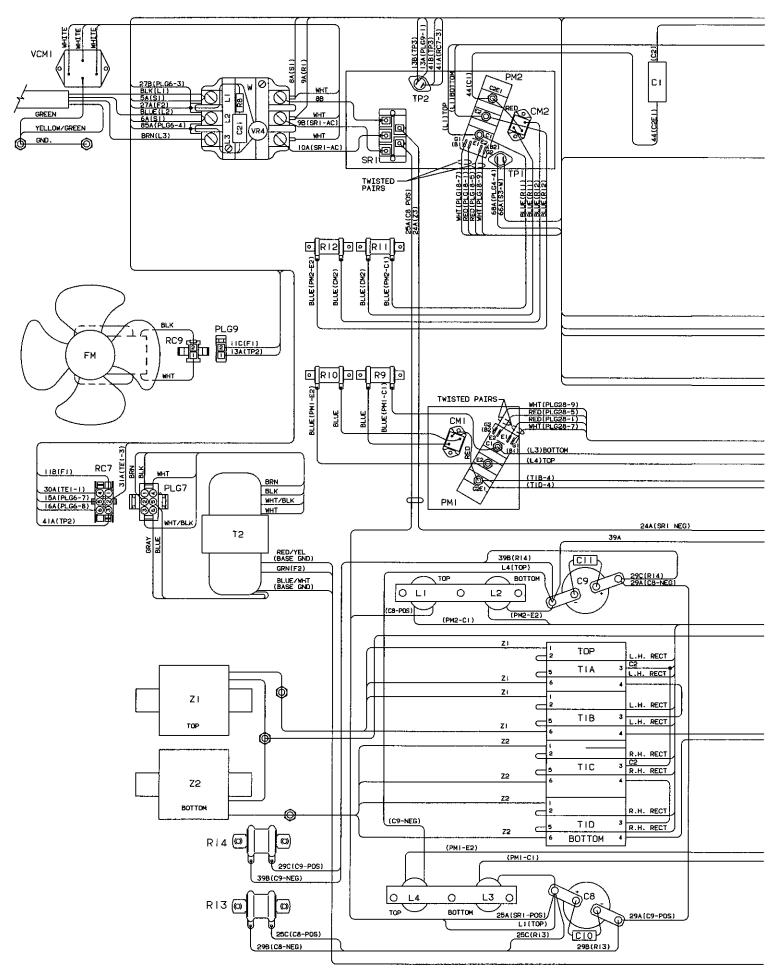
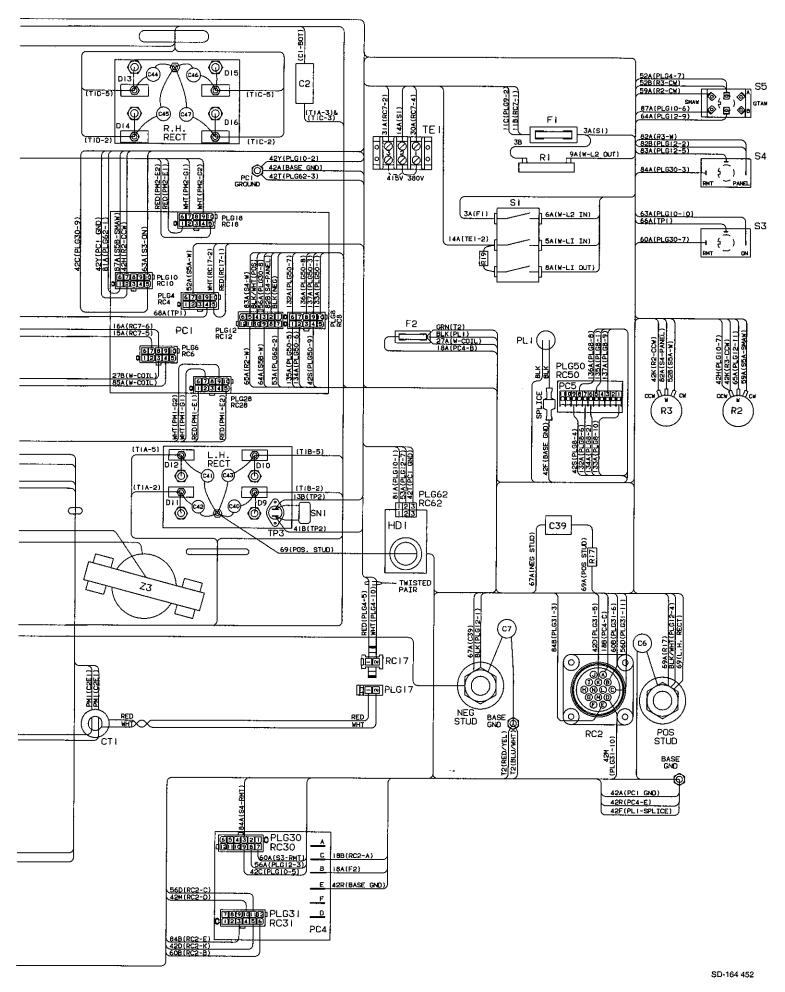


Figure 6-2. Wiring Diagram For Welding Power Source



SECTION 7 – TUNGSTEN ELECTRODE

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NOTE 📑

For additional information, see your distributor for a handbook on the Gas Tungsten Arc Welding (GTAW) process.

Wear clean gloves to prevent contamination of tungsten electrode.

7-1. Selecting Tungsten Electrode

Table 7-1. Tungsten Size

	Amperage Range - Gas Type ♦ - Polarity			
Electrode Diameter	DC – Argon – Electrode Negative/Straight Polarity	DC – Argon – Electrode Positive/Reverse Polarity	AC - Argon - Using High Frequency	AC – Argon – Balanced Wave Using High Freq.
Pure Tungsten (Green Band)				
.010"	Up to 15	*	Up to 15	Up to 10
.020"	5-20	*	5-20	10-20
.040"	15-80	*	10-60	20-30
1/16"	70-150	10-20	50-100	30-80
3/32"	125-225	15-30	100-160	60-130
1/8"	225-360	25-40	150-210	100-180
5/32"	360-450	40-55	200-275	160-240
3/16"	450-720	55-80	250-350	190-300
1/4"	720-950	80-125	325-450	250-400
2% Thorium Alloyed Tungsten (Red Band)				
.010"	Up to 25	*	Up to 20	Up to 15
.020"	15-40	*	15-35	5-20
.040"	25-85	*	20-80	20-60
1/16"	50-160	10-20	50-150	60-120
3/32"	135-235	15-30	130-250	100-180
1/8"	250-400	25-40	225-360	160-250
5/32"	400-500	40-55	300-450	200-320
3/16"	500-750	55-80	400-500	290-390
1/4"	750-1000	80-125	600-800	340-525
Zirconium Alloyed Tungsten (Brown Band)			. ,	
.010"	*	*	Up to 20	Up to 15
.020"	*	*	15-35	5-20
.040"	*	*	20-80	20-60
1/16"	*	*	50-150	60-120
3/32"	*	*	130-250	100-180
1/8"	*	*	225-360	160-250
5/32"	*	*	300-450	200-320
3/16"	*	*	400-550	290-390
1/4"	*	*	600-800	340-525

[♦] Typical argon shielding gas flow rates are 15 to 35 cfh (cubic feet per hour).

The figures listed are intended as a guide and are a composite of recommendations from American Welding Society (AWS) and electrode manufacturers.

^{*}Not Recommended.

7-2. Preparing Tungsten

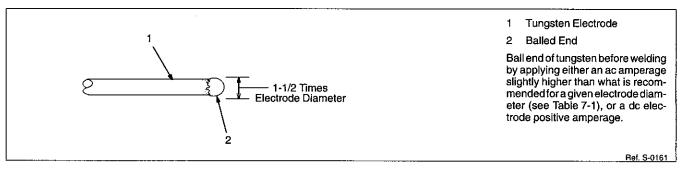


Figure 7-1. Preparing Tungsten For AC Or DC Electrode Positive (DCEP) Welding

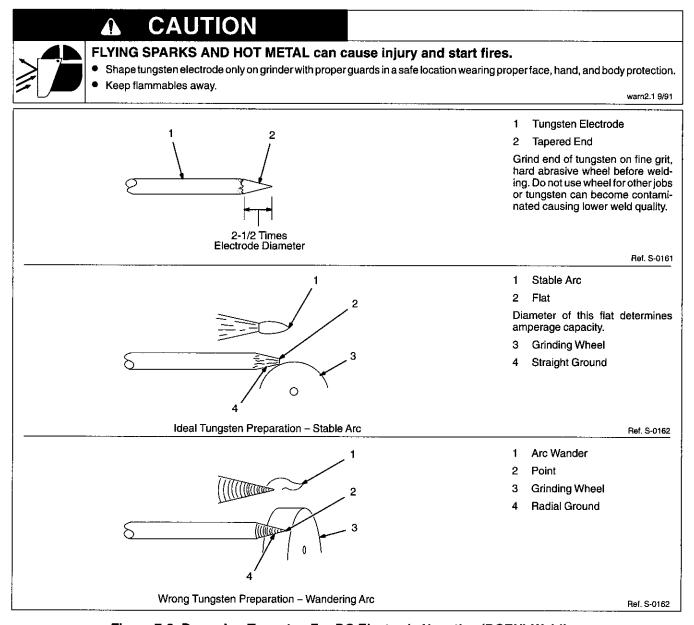


Figure 7-2. Preparing Tungsten For DC Electrode Negative (DCEN) Welding

SECTION 8 - PARTS LIST

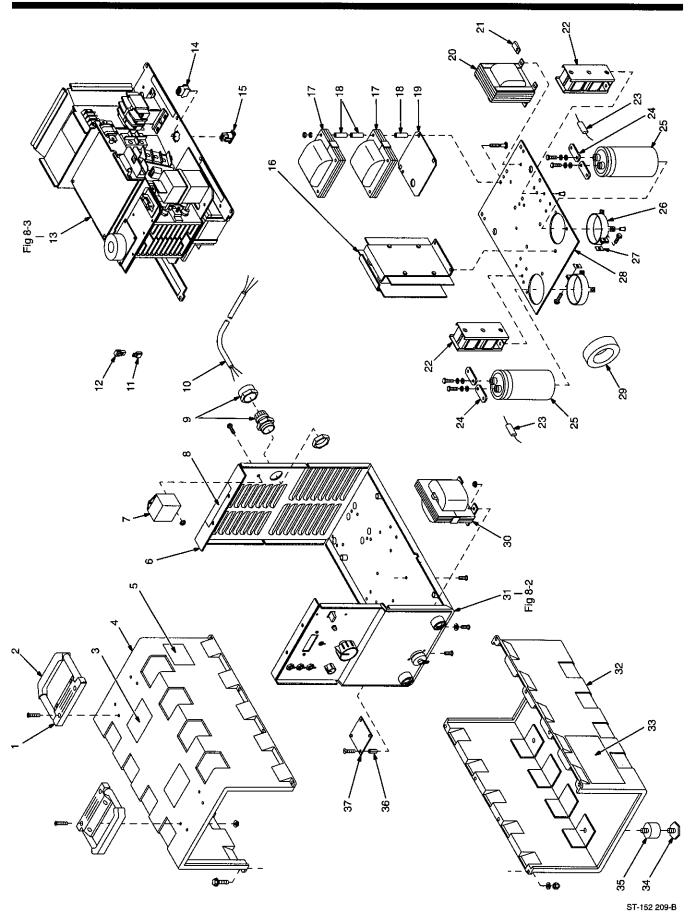


Figure 8-1. Main Assembly

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		rigure 8-1. Main Assembly
1	126 415	CLAMP, saddle
2		HANDLE 2
3	138 442	LABEL, caution falling equipment can cause injury
4	+141 350	CASE 1
5	149 194	LABEL, warning electric shock can kill
6	+146 727	CASE SECTION, front/bottom/rear (consisting of)
	137 197	NUT, insert .312-18 4
	601 836	NUT, brs hex .250-20 jam hvy
7 VCM1	164 849	MODULE, varistor/capacitor 4 400 joule 1620-1980VDC
8	126 026	LABEL, warning electric shock can kill
9	139 041	BUSHING, strain relief .455/.629 ID x 1.115mtg hole
10		CABLE, pwr No. 6mm 4/c 600V rbr jkt 4M lg
11 PLG17		CONNECTOR & SOCKETS, (consisting of)
		CONNECTOR, rect skt 22-18ga Amp 770904-3 2
12 RC17	165 404	CONNECTOR & PINS, (consisting of)
		CONNECTOR, rect pin 22-18ga Amp 770903-3
13		
14 RC7		CONNECTOR & PINS, (consisting of)
		CONNECTOR, rect pin 20-14ga Amp 350218-1 6
15 PLG7	135 556	
		. CONNECTOR, rect skt 20-14ga Amp 350536-1 6
16 T1		TRANSFORMER, HF
17 Z1.2		STABILIZER 2
18		SPACER, plstc .257 ID x .500 OD x 1.375 high
19		INSULATOR, stabilizer
20 T2		TRANSFORMER, control
21		NUT, speed U type 10-32
22 L1-4		CHOKE, DVDT 2
23 C10,11		CAPACITOR 2
24		BUS BAR, capacitor
25 C8,9		CAPACITOR, elctlt 2700uf 350VDC
26		CLAMP, capacitor 2.500dia
27		NUT, speed 10-24 flat type rectangular
28		PANEL, mtg stab/transformer/cmpts
29 CT1		TRANSFORMER, current
30 Z3		INDUCTOR 1
31		PANEL, front w/components
32	+141 574	CASE, bottom
33		LABEL, warning general precautionary
34		FOOT, mtg
35		
36		
37 PC4	151 154	,
PLG30,31 .		
		CONNECTOR, rect skt 22-18ga Amp 770904-3
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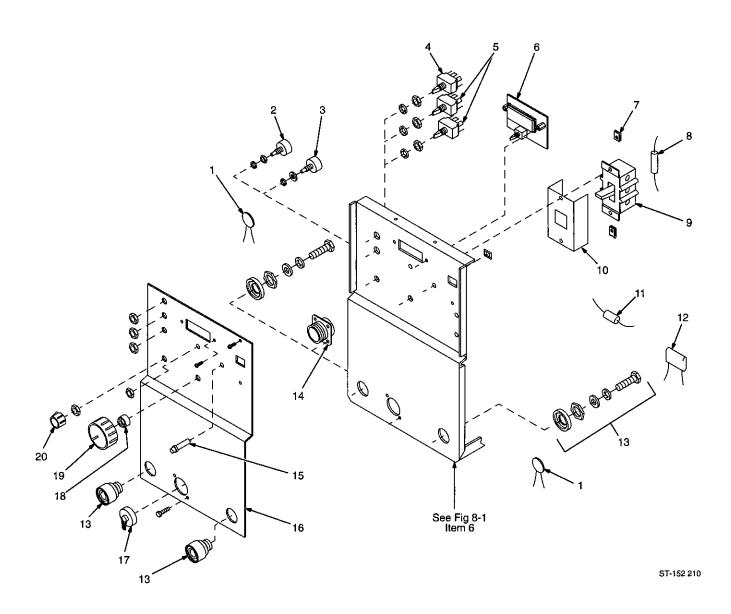
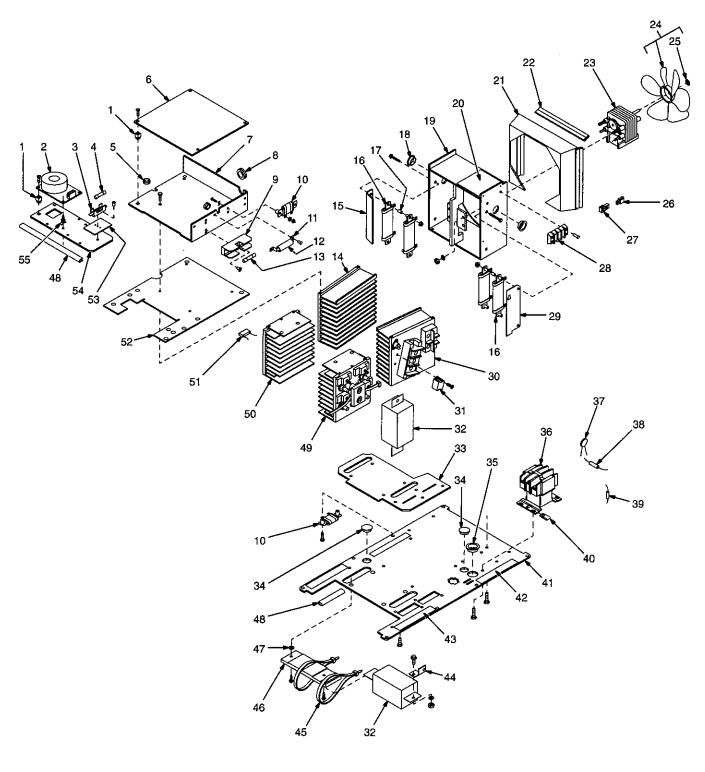


Figure 8-2. Panel, Front w/Components

Item	Dia.	Part		
No.	Mkgs.	No.	Description	Quantity

1 C6,7 138 115	
2 R2 073 562	POTENTIOMETER, C sltd sft 1/T 2W 10K ohm
3 R3 035 897	POTENTIOMETER, C sltd sft 1/T 2W 1K ohm
4 \$5 134 848	SWITCH, tgl DPDT 15A 125VAC
5 \$3,4 134 847	SWITCH, tgl SPDT 15A 125VAC 2
6 PC5 ♦157 011	CIRCUIT CARD, meter
PLG50 ♦089 222	CONNECTOR, rect 11skt plug Amp 1-640440-1
	COVER, opening meter 1
120 304	BLANK, snap-in nyl .250mtg hole
7 148 297	NUT, speed U type 10-32
8 R19 139 200	RESISTOR 1
9 S1 128 756	SWITCH, tgl 3PST 40A 600VAC
10 146 684	INSULATOR, switch pwr
11 R17 604 178	RESISTOR, C 2W 100 ohm 1
12 C39 035 561	CAPACITOR, polye MF 4uf 200V
13 Pos,Neg 129 525	RECEPTACLE, twlk insul fem (Dinse type) 50/70 series
131 605	TERMINAL, connector friction 2
	CONNECTOR KIT, Dinse male 50 series
14 RC2 143 976	CONNECTOR w/SOCKETS, (consisting of) 1
079 534	CONNECTOR, circ skt push-in 14-18ga Amp 66358-6
	CONNECTOR, circ 14 pin plug Amp 213571-2
	CONNECTOR, circ pin push-in 14-18ga Amp 213603-1
	CONNECTOR, circ clamp str rlf sz 17-20 Amp 206322-2 (or)
	CONNECTOR, circ clamp str rlf sz 17-20 Amp 206070-3
15 PL1 135 199	LIGHT, ind red lens 28V 1
16	NAMEPLATE, (order by model and serial number) 1
17 039 885	CONNECTOR, circ protective cap Amphenol 9760-20 1
18 135 299	LOCK, shaft pot .375-32 x .250dia shaft
19 097 924	KNOB, pointer 1.625dia x .250 ID 1
20 097 922	KNOB, pointer .875dia x .250 ID 1

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Figure 8-3. Chassis, Mid

Figure 8-3. Chassis, Mid (Fig 8-1 Item 13)

	Figure 8-3. Chassis, Mid (Fig 8-1 Item 13)
1 083 147	GROMMET, scr No. 8/10 panel hole .312sq .500 high 6
2 HD1 156 313	TRANSDUCER, current 300A
	CONNECTOR & SOCKETS, (consisting of)
3 012 571	HOLDER, fuse mintr .250 x 1.250 clip
4 F2 *012 654	FUSE, mintr gl 2A 250V
5	GROMMET, rbr .375 ID x .500mtg hole
6 PC1 155 311	CIRCUIT CARD, control
PLG4,6,8,	OINCOTT CAND, COILLOI
	COMMITCEOUS COCKETS (consisting of)
10,18,28 . • 148 439	
PLG12 158 720	
	CONNECTOR, rect skt 22-18ga Amp 770904-3
8 137 768	
9 095 847 10 R13,14 139 203	HOLDER, fuse crtg 30A 600V
•	CLID mtg recistor, 210 ID core
11 605 741	CLIP, mtg resistor .312 ID core
12 R1 079 781 13 F1 *162 312	RESISTOR, WW fxd 25W 50 ohm
	FUSE, crtg 5A 600V time delay
	KIT, transistor IGBT module 1
	HEAT SINK, IGBT LH 1
15	BAFFLE, air wind tunnel LH
16 R9-12 145 084	RESISTOR, WW fxd 55W 35 ohm
17 143 797 18 154 408	SPACER, nyl .312 OD x .194 ID x .437 Ig
	BUSHING, snap-in nyl .562 ID x .875mtg hole
19 +146 581	WIND TUNNEL, 6.500 in
20 145 063	LABEL, warning electric shock can kill
21 133 295	CHAMBER, plenum 6.500 in
22	EDGE TRIM, style 3100-1/16 (order by ft)
23 FM 132 232	MOTOR, fan 220/230V 50/60 Hz 3000RPM .250dia shaft
24 155 426	KIT, fan blade (consisting of)
	NUT, speed push-on-type .250
26 PLG9 131 054	CONNECTOR & SOCKETS, (consisting of)
	CONNECTOR, rect skt 24-18ga Molex 39-00-0038
27 RC9 135 635	CONNECTOR & PINS, (consisting of)
	CONNECTOR, rect pin 24-18ga Molex 39-00-0040
	BLOCK, term 20A 3P
	BAFFLE, air wind tunnel RH
30 165 311	
	KIT, transistor IGBT module
	KIT, diode pwr module
	THERMOSTAT, NC
	THERMOSTAT, NO
	HEAT SINK, IGBT RH
31 CM1,2 151 198	MODULE, capacitor 2 polye met film .0047uf 1600V
32 C1,2 152 101	CAPACITOR, polyp film .34uf 700VAC
33	INSULATOR, heat sink lower
34 000 527	BLANK, snap-in nyl .875mtg hole
35 030 170	BUSHING, snap-in nyl .750 ID x 1.000mtg hole
36 W 132 889	CONTACTOR, def prp 40A 3P 24VAC
37 VR4 139 218	VARISTOR
38 C21 028 294	CAPACITOR, polye met film 1uf 250VDC
39 R8 028 280	RESISTOR, C .5W 10 ohm
40	NUT, speed U type 10-32
41	PANEL, center
42 153 178	LABEL, warning exploding parts can seriously injure

ltem	Dia.	Part		
No.	Mkgs.	No.	Description	Quantity

Figure 8-3. Chassis, Mid (Fig 8-1 Item 13) (Continued)

43	126 026 . LABEL, warning electric shock can kill 2
44	
45	
46	
47	145 053 WASHER, shidr nyl .298 OD x .203 ID x 1.000
48	099 037 EDGE TRIM, style 62-1/16 black w/clips (order by ft)
49	
C44-47	031 689 CAPACITOR
D13-16	149 209 KIT, diode fast recovery
	133 290 HEAT SINK, rect
	072 253 STUD, connection single 10-32 x .500 x 1.250 4
50	158 308 . RECTIFIER, si diode LH (consisting of)
C40-43	
D9-12	
TP3	
	133 290 HEAT SINK, rect
	072 253 STUD, connection single 10-32 x .500 x 1.250 4
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52	· / · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
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55	,
	010 141 CLAMP, nyl .250 clamp dia

^{*}Recommended Spare Parts.

[♦]PLG8 is part of 042 805 Meter Kit Option.

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