

# **OWNERS MANUAL**

IMPORTANT: READ OWNERS MANUAL CAREFULLY



MODEL # Square Cat GT 20 Oscillating Floor Machine

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FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE, RECORD THE FOLLOWING IMPORTANT INFORMATION
MODEL:
SERIAL NUMBER:
DATE PURCHASED:
PURCHASED FROM:

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### **SERVICE INFORMATION**

To obtain consistent performance over the life of your equipment, read though these instructions and save them for future reference. If you require service, contact the dealer from which the machine was purchased or an authorized service station.

Always refer to your limited Warranty for complete service information.

The model, type, and serial number are indicated on the data plate on the side of the handle. From prompt and complete service, refer to these numbers when inquiring about service.

SERIAL NO.		MODEL	
VOLTS	PHASE		HZ
MOTOR	AMPS		H.P.

Write the model and serial number of your unit in the space provided. Refer to the data plate on unit.					
SERIAL#	MODEL#				
	Retain this owners manual for future reference.				

Model #	Square Cat GT 20
Part #	82011
Pad Size	20" X 14"
Pad Driver Type	Combination Pad Holder/Diamond Pad Driver
Power Source	115V 60Hz
Motor/HP	1.0 HP TEFC 1740 Rpm
Amp Draw	7.8
Vibration Compensator	1.25 Inches
Cord	50° 12-3 SJT
Pad Pressure (lbs/in²)***	.40
Total Weight **	162
Shipping Weight	198

<sup>\*\*</sup>Weight is calculated without the power cord

Specifications subject to change without notice.

#### **Features**

- Twin (dual) capacitor 56-frame TEFC (totally enclosed fan cooled) motor keeps out dirt and dust for longer motor life.
- Extra heavy duty spring steel cord strain relief with a 50' 12-3 power cord
- Low current draw
- Thumb-operated safety switch
- Negative pressure on/off switch
- Dual steel operating triggers for left- or right-hand operation

- One-piece industrial powder coated heavy duty steel handle for optimum durability
- Welded frame for rugged, reliable performance
- Non-marking, 2x6" ball bearing wheels
- Multiple position handle adjustment for operator comfort and safety
- Comfortable vinyl handle grips for ease of use
- Full wraparound dust skirt

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Pad pressure does not include the weight of the power

### **IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS**

When using an electrical appliance, basic precautions should always be followed, including the following:



# **WARNING:**

ELECTRIC SHOCK CAN CAUSE SERIOUS INJURY OR BE FATAL. PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS ON THE USE AND OPERATIONS OF FLOOR FINISHING MACHINES.

- Your equipped with a safety switch lock and power switch triggers designed for your safety. Do not attempt to bypass or defeat the safety switch lock. Never use any device to lock the power switch triggers in the "ON" position.
- Do not leave the unit plugged in. Turn off the switch and unplug the electrical cord when not in use and before servicing or changing the brushes or pads.
- Do not allow the machine to be used as a toy. Close attention is necessary when used near children. Do not leave the machine connected to an electrical outlet unattended.
- Use only as described in this manual. Use only manufacturer's recommended attachments.
- Do not use with a damaged cord or plug. If the machine is not working as it should, has been dropped, damaged, or left outdoors, return it to a service center before using.
- Use care to keep the electrical supply cord around sharp edges or corners. Keep the cord away from the heated surfaces.
- Connect to properly grounded (3-wire) outlet only. Refer to Grounding Instructions, Page 5-6.
- Do not use extension cords or outlets with inadequate current carrying capacity.
- Turn off all controls before unplugging.
- Do not unplug by pulling on the cord. To unplug, grasp the plug and pull.
- Do not handle the plug or the unit with wet hands.
- Wind the cord no tighter than is necessary to retain it during storage. Refer to Cord Storage, Page 8.
- Use extra care when working on or near stairs.
- Do not use in conjunction with flammable or combustible liquids such as gasoline, or use in areas where explosive vapor or dust may be present.
- Store your unit indoors in a cool, dry area.
- Keep your work area well lighted.
- **WARNING:** To avoid electrical shock, use indoor only.

# **WARNING:**



RISK OF EXPLOSION. FLOOR SANDING
MACHINE CAN RESULT IN AN EXPLOSIVE
MIXTURE OF FINE DUST AND AIR. USE FLOOR
SANDING MACHINE ONLY IN A
WELL-VENTILATED AREA, FREE FROM ANY
FLAME OR MATCH

### **GROUNDING INSTRUCTIONS**

This appliance must be grounded. If it should malfunction or break down, grounding provides a path of least resistance for electric current to reduce the risk of electric shock. This appliance is equipped with a cord that has an equipment-grounding conductor and grounding plug. The plug must be plugged into an appropriate outlet that is properly installed and grounded in accordance with all local codes and ordinances.

### FOR FLOOR FINISHING MACHINES RATED LESS THAN 150 VOLTS

Improper connection of an equipment grounding conductor can result in risk of electric shock. Check with a qualified electrician or service person if you are in doubt as to whether the outlet is properly grounded. Do not modify the plug provided with the appliance. If it will not fit the outlet, have a proper outlet installed by a qualified electrician. This appliance is for use on a nominal 120 volt circuit and has a grounding plug that looks like the plug illustrated in Figure 1.

A temporary adapter which looks like the adapter illustrated in Figure 2 may be used to connect this plug to a two pole receptacle, as shown, if a properly grounded outlet is not available. The temporary adapter should be used only until a properly grounded outlet (Figure 1) can be installed by a qualified electrician. The green colored rigid ear, lug, or the like extending from the adapter must be connected to a permanent ground such as a properly grounded outlet box cover. Whenever the adapter is used, it must be held in place by one metal screw.

#### FOR FLOOR FINISHING MACHINES RATED 150-220 VOLTS:

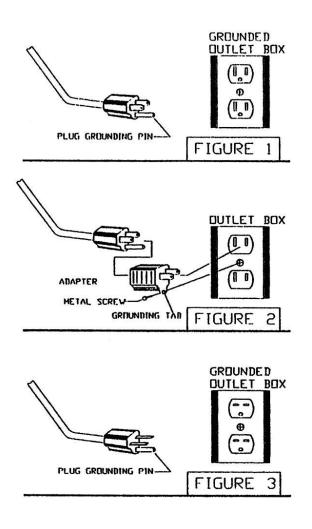
If the machine is provided with an attachment plug cap as shown in Figure 3, it is intended for use on a 240 volt (nominal) circuit. No adapter is available for this cap.



# **WARNING:**

DO NOT USE GROUNDING
ADAPTERS ON THE UNIT IN
CANADA. CHECK WITH CANADIAN CODE
FOR PROPER EQUIPMENT USAGE.
IMPROPER USE OF GROUND ADAPTERS CAN
CAUSE SERIOUS INJURY, FIRE, OR BE FATAL.

# **Grounding Instructions (Continued)**

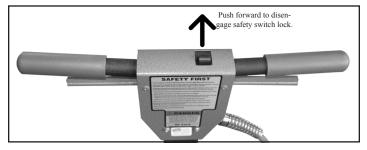


# **CONTROLS**

#### TO TURN THE MACHINE ON

The operating handle must be lowered and locked to the proper operating position before switching the machine ON. Place both hands firmly on the handle grips with your fingers around the power triggers. **Do NOT** apply pressure on the triggers before the safety switch lock is disengaged.

Disengage the safety switch lock by pushing it forward with one thumb. Then, while holding the safety switch lock in the disengaged position, squeeze the power triggers toward the handle grips and return your thumb to the handle grip.



To stop the machine, simply release the triggers. The safety switch lock will automatically return to the engaged position.

### **GUIDELINES FOR OPERATION**

- Your Square Cat GT is a very sensitive, powerful unit. When in operation, it should be guided
  gradually and smoothly without sudden or rough motions. You will want to practice with your
  machine on a smooth surface until you have experience in operating it.
- For ease of operation, the pad surface will always remain level, balanced, and flat on the floor at all times.
- Always adjust the operating handle to a comfortable height. (See Handle Adjustment Page 4)
- Your unit will operate differently on various surfaces. For example, there will be much more resistance when the machine is used on a rough surface, than when it is used on a smooth surface. The operator should be prepared to adjust for these differences.
- BEGIN OPERATING THE SQUARE CAT GT MAKING SURE THAT THE BACKER PAD IS ALWAYS INSTALLED
- To move the machine to the right, guide the unit to the right.
- To move the machine to the left, guide the unit to the left.
- To move the machine forward or backward, push or pull the machine in the desired direction.

#### ADJUSTMENTS HANDLE ADJUSTMENT

The handle can be adjusted to any desired work position by simply pulling on the pull pin and move the handle to the desired position. Firmly push the pull pin back into the adjustment holes. This will lock the handle in position.



Figure 5

# **CORD STORAGE**

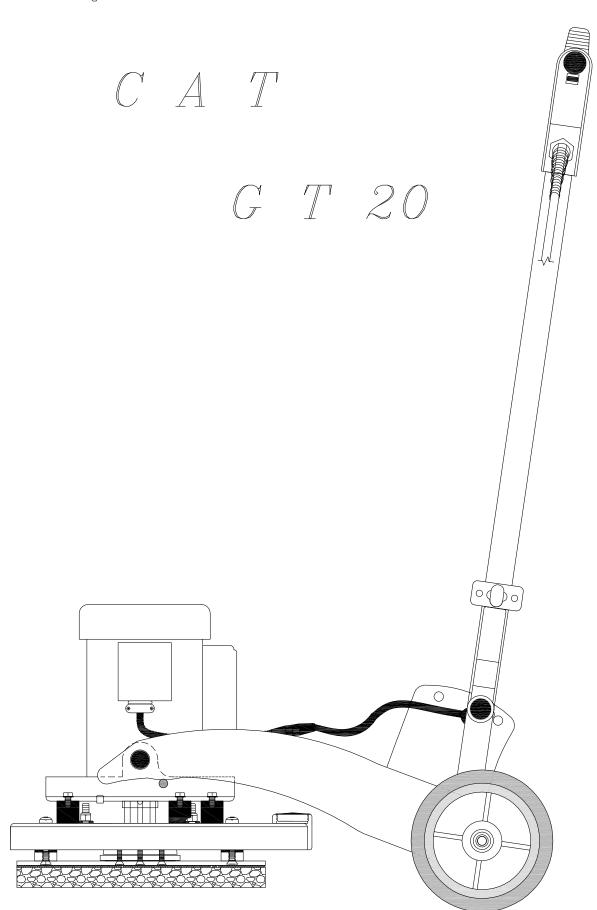
When not in use, loosely coil the power cord and hang on the handle.



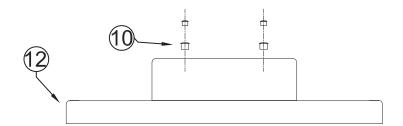
### **CLEAN UP AND STORAGE**

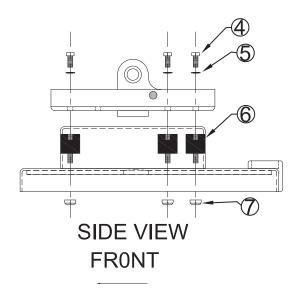
After being used, your unit can be wiped clean with a soft damp cloth and should be stored in a clean, dry place.

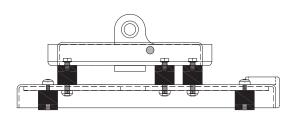
# SQUARE



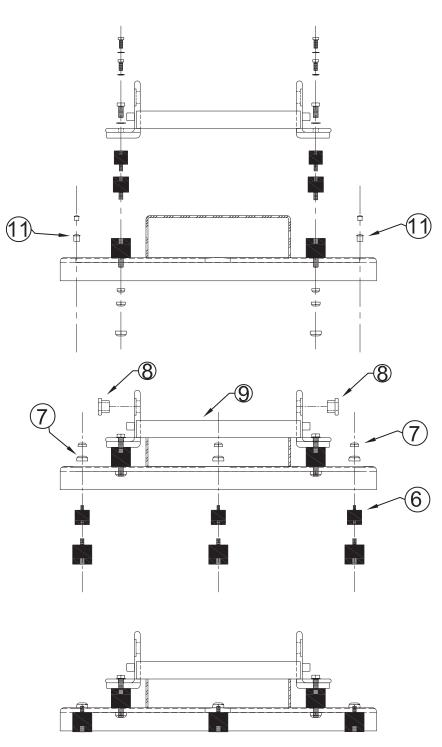
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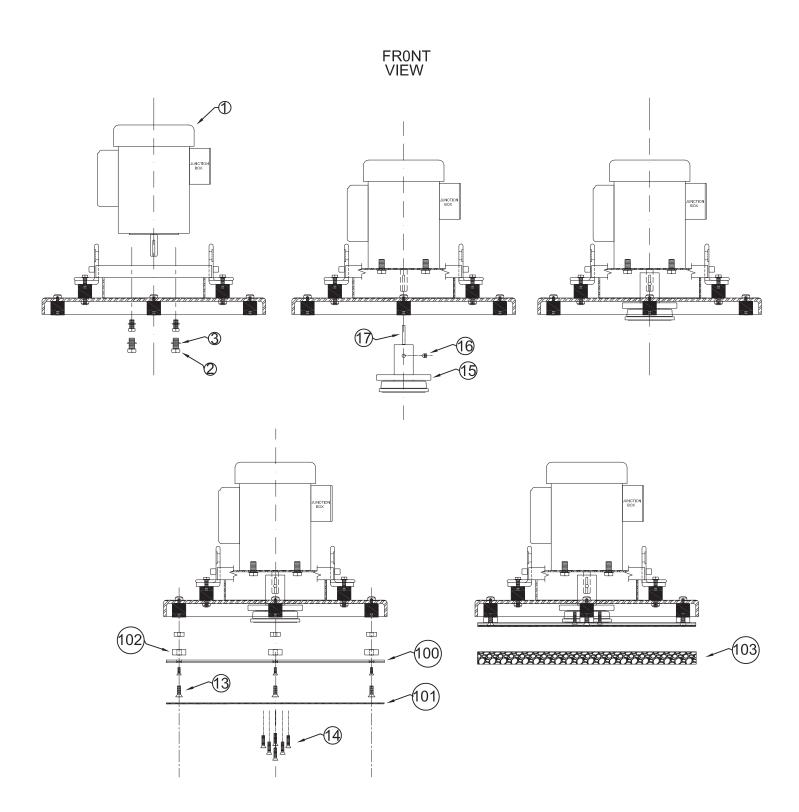


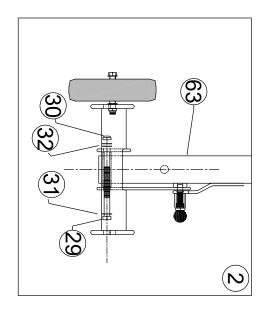


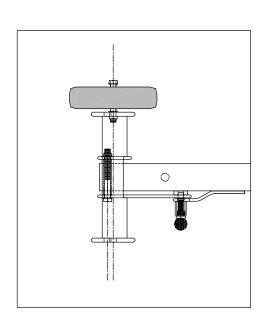


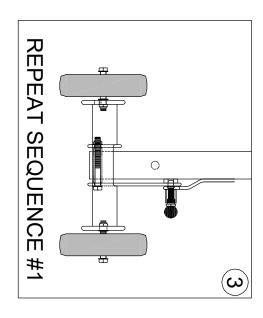
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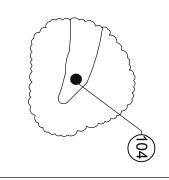


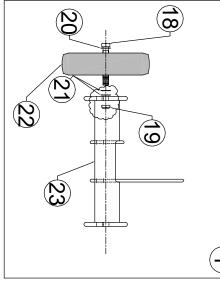


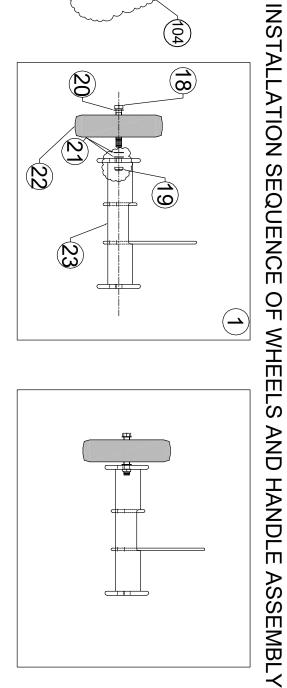




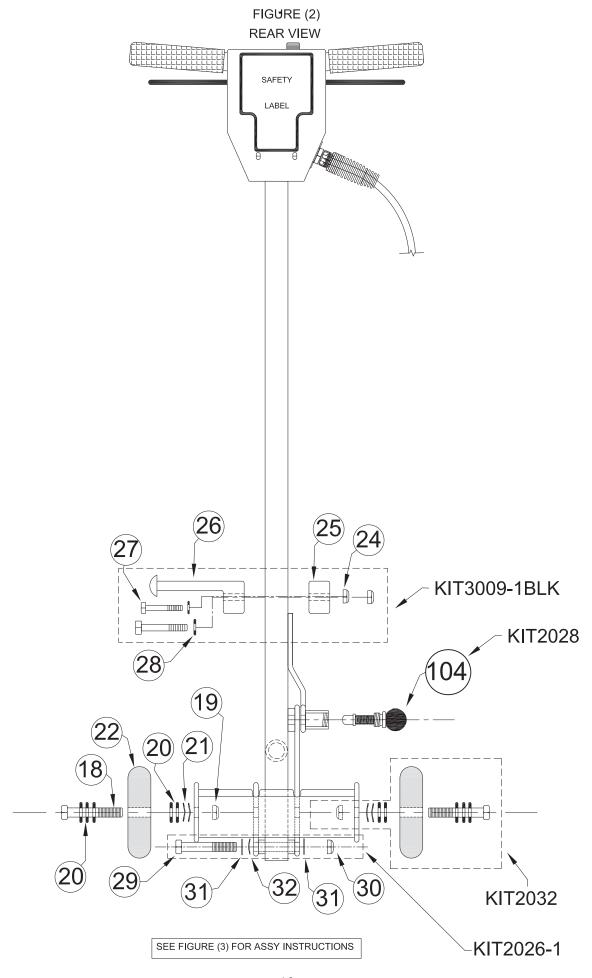


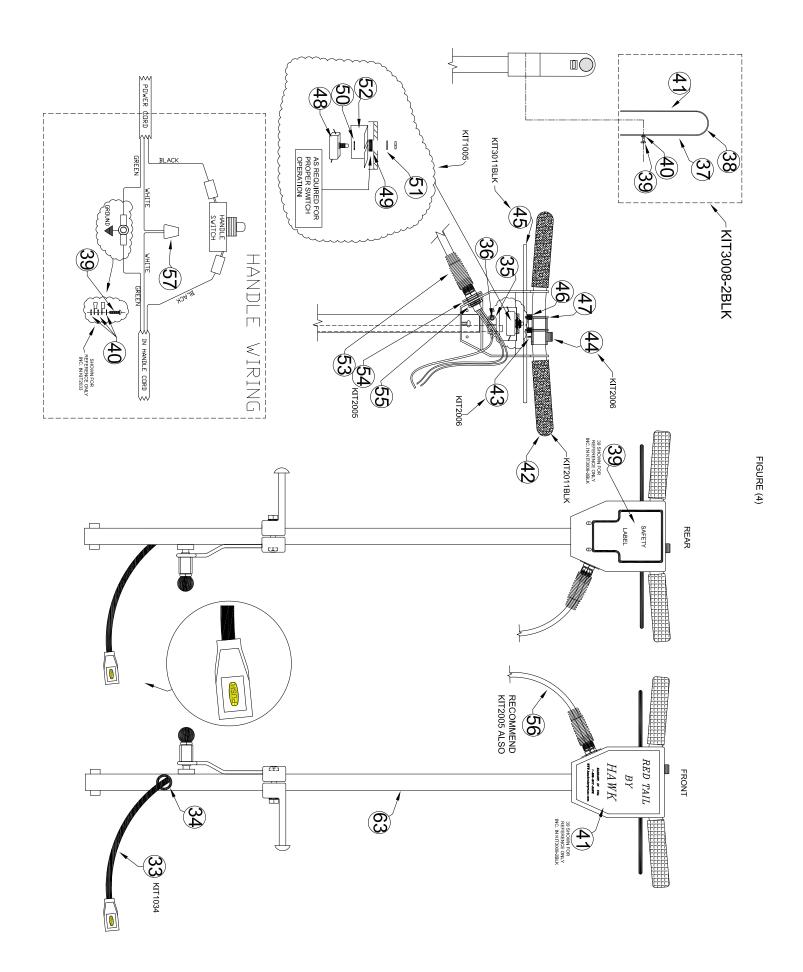












#### HANDLE ASSEMBLY

INC IN KIT3009-1BLK	CORD HOOK KIT (SQUARE)  NUT 3/8-16 NYLOCK  CAP CORD HOOK SQUARE BLK  CORD HOOK SQUARE BLK	1 2 1 1
INC IN KIT3009-1BLK INC IN KIT3009-1BLK	CAP CORD HOOK SQUARE BLK	1
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INC IN KIT3009-1BLK		
	BOLT HEX 3/8-16 X 2	2
INC IN KIT3009-1BLK	WASHER FLAT BLK	2
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KIT2026-1	HANDLE MOUNTING HARDWARE KIT	1
INC IN KIT2026-1	BOLT HEX .500-13 X 3	1
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KIT1034	IN HANDLE CORD KIT	1
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	-	1
+		3
INC IN KIT1034	BUTTON PLUG (NOT SHOWN)	1
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INC IN KIT3008-2BLK	SWITCH BOX COVER LABEL FRONT	1
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		1
INC IN KIT2011BLK	HANDLE GRIP -BLK	2
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		1
+		1
INC IN KIT2006	SAFETY SWITCH	1
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		1
INC IN KIT3011BLK	TRIGGER - BLK	1
+		2
INC IN KIT3011BLK	ROLL PIN	2
KIT1005	REPLACEMENT SWITCH KIT - MAIN	1
INC IN KIT1005	SWITCH	1
INC IN KIT1005	WASHER FLAT- ZINC	5
INC IN KIT1005	WASHER FLAT 5/16 USS - ZINC	1
INC IN KIT1005	WASHER 3/8 INTRNL TOOTH LOC-ZINC	1
INC IN KIT1005	SWITCH INSULATION	1
KIT3032	HANDLE ASSY LESS POWER CORD & SWITCH BOX COVER	1
INC IN KIT3032	HANDLE WDMT - BLK	1
INC IN KIT3032	KIT2005 STRAIN RELIEF REPLACEMENT KIT	1
INC IN KIT3032	KIT2033 HANDLE HARDWARE KIT	1
INC IN KIT3032	KIT3011BLK TRIGGER REPLACEMENT KIT	1
INC IN KIT3032	KIT2006 SAFETY SWITCH KIT	1
INC IN KIT3032	KIT3009-1BLK CORD HOOK KIT (SQUARE)	1
INC IN KIT3032	KIT1005 REPLACEMENT SWITCH KIT - MAIN	1
INC IN KIT3032	KIT2026-1 HANDLE MOUNTING HWDR KIT	1
INC IN KIT3032	KIT1043 IN-HANDLE CORD KIT	1
KIT2005	STRAIN RELIEF REPLACEMENT KIT	
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#### MAIN ASSEMBLY

DETAIL NUMBER	PART NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	QTY REQ'D
	KIT1042SSS	MOTOR KIT 1.0 HP TEFC	1
1	INC IN KIT1042SSS	MOTOR	1
2	INC IN KIT1042SSS	BOLT	4
3	INC IN KIT1042SSS	LOCWASHER	4
	KIT3037SSS	SECONDARY ISOLATOR KIT	1
4	INC IN KIT3037SSS	BOLT	6
5	INC IN KIT3037SSS	LOCKWASHER	6
6	INC IN KIT3037SSS	ISSOLATOR	6
7	INC IN KIT3037SSS	NUT	6
_	KIT2036SSS	SECONDARY ISOLATOR BRACKET KIT	1
8	INC IN KIT2036	PIVOT BUSHING KIT (KIT2023)	1
9	INC IN KIT2036	SECONDARY ISOLATOR BRACKET	1
	KIT2023SSS	PIVOT BUSHING KIT	1
8	INC IN KIT2023	BUSHINGS PIVOT NYLON	2
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	KIT2040SSS	BUTTON PLUG KIT	1
10	INC IN KIT2040SSS	BUTTON PLUG 1/2 INCH	4
11	INC IN KIT2040SSS	BUTTON PLUG	4
	KIT3034HSV	FRAME KIT - HSV	1
10	INC IN KIT3034HSV	BUTTON PLUG KIT 1/2 INCH	1
11	INC IN KIT3034HSV	BUTTON PLUG KIT	1
12	INC IN KIT3034HSV	MAIN FRAME - HSV	1
	KIT2039SSS	PRIMARY ISOLATOR KIT	1
7	INC IN KIT2039SSS	NUT	6
6	INC IN KIT2039SSS	ISSOLATOR	6
13	INC IN KIT2039SSS	SCREW	6
14	INC IN KIT2039SSS	ECCENTRIC SCREW	6
	KIT2041SSS	ECCENTRIC KIT	1
15	INC IN KIT2041SSS	ECCENTRIC	1
16	INC IN KIT2041SSS	SET SCREW	1
14	INC IN KIT2041SSS	ECCENTRIC PAD DRIVER SCREWS	6
13 17	INC IN KIT2041SSS INC IN KIT2041SSS	PAD DRIVER SCREWS MOTOR KEY	6
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	KIT2038SSS	PAD DRIVER KIT	1
100	INC IN KIT2038SSS	PAD DRIVER	1
101	INC IN KIT2038SSS	PAD DRIVER FACE	1
102	INC IN KIT2038SSS	NYLON SPACER	6
13	INC IN KIT2038SSS	SCREWS PAD DRIVER	6
14	INC IN KIT2038SSS	ECCENTRIC PAD DRIVER SCREWS	6
102	VIT2047CCC	DACKED DAD. DED.	1
103	KIT2047SSS INC IN KIT2047	BACKER PAD - RED  RED PAD 2014X1	1
	INC IN KIT2047	VELCRO	2
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	KIT2028SSS	SPRING KNOB ASSEMBLY	3
104	INC IN KIT2028SSS	KNOB ASSEMBLY	1
10	KIT2032SSS	WHEEL KIT	2
18	INC IN KIT2032SSS	BOLT HEX 500-13 X 3	1
19	INC IN KIT2032SSS	NUT HEX .500-13 NYLOC	5
20 21	INC IN KIT2032SSS INC IN KIT2032SSS	FLAT WASHER WASHER SPRING WAVE	2
22	INC IN KIT2032SSS	WHEEL	1
22			<del>                                     </del>
	KIT3031SSS	CARRIAGE FRAME	1
23	INC IN KIT3031	CARRIAGE FRAME (ONLY)	1

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#### LIMITED WARRANTY

Your equipment which has been manufactured, tested and inspected in accordance with carefully specified engineering requirements, is warranted to be free from defects in material and workmanship. This Limited Warranty is, however, subject to the Following qualifications, conditions and limitations which are set forth to provide you and all users of the equipment with information concerning the duration, extent, availability, and applicability of this Limited Warranty, the procedure to be taken to obtain its performance, and other information concerning the **Limited Warranty policy.** 

The Limited Warranty is extended to the original end user as follows:

Machines: 1 year parts replacement and 1 year service labor warranty.

Replacement parts guaranteed for 90 days from date of installation against defects in material and workmanship.

This Limited Warranty will not cover damage attributable to the following:

(1) Improper, unreasonable or negligent use or abuse of the equipment

(2) Abrasions or punctures of the equipment.

The start date of the Limited Warranty coverage shall be the purchase date of the original end user or six months from the date the machine was shipped from the Factory, whichever comes first.

#### PARTS OF EQUIPMENT NOT COVERED BY THE LIMITED WARRANTY

Certain parts of equipment require replacement in the ordinary use due to normal wear by reason of their characteristics. Normal wear items such as cords, switches, bumpers, bearings, etc. are excluded from the Limited Warranty.

#### EXCEPTIONS AND EXCLUSIONS FROM THE LIMITED WARRANTY

This equipment is required to be used on electric current as indicated on the data plate. Otherwise damage, defects, malfunctions or other failure of the equipment arising from use on electric current not as indicated are excepted and excluded from this Limited Warranty. Defects, malfunctions, failure or damage of the equipment caused by improper, unreasonable or neglect use or abuse while in possession of the purchaser are likewise excluded from this warranty. If repair is done on your equipment by anyone other than those designated as authorized to perform such work without first having obtained factory instructions, at its sole option, my determine that this warranty will not apply and that reimbursement for such repair will not be made because of the failure to comply with such factory specified instructions.

**PROCEDURE TO BE TAKEN TO OBTAIN PERFORMANCE OF LIMITED WARRANTY REPAIR** To secure repair of the equipment or any warranted parts under this Limited Warranty, the following procedure should be taken. The inoperative equipment or warranted parts, together with satisfactory evidence of the purchase date, must be delivered, with shipping and delivery charges prepaid, to one of the following:

- (1) The dealer from whom purchased;
- (2) Any distributor's service department in the United States;
- (3) Any authorized service station in the United States.

If you are unable to locate any of the foregoing, you may write or otherwise communicate with your distributor before repair service is performed by anyone else. In such event, your distributor will provide either the location or a closely available distributor service department, or an authorized service station or other factory instructions. Upon compliance with the above procedure, all warranted defects will be repaired, at no additional charge or costs to the customer, and the repaired product returned to the customer, with all shipping and delivery charges pre-paid. In following the procedures set forth, PLEASE MAKE CERTAIN to state the model, type and serial number as shown on the data plate of the equipment.

#### **REPLACEMENT**

In the event of a defect, malfunction or failure of your equipment or any warranted part to conform with this warranty, your distributor may, at its sole option and own expense, replace the equipment or any warranted part with another new, identical or reasonably equivalent model or part in lieu or repairing the defect. **DO NOT** return any equipment or part to the factory without prior authorization.

#### NO REFUND OF PURCHASE PRICE

Your distributor will not, as a matter of it's Limited Warranty policy, refund the customer's purchase price.

LIMITED WARRANTY REGISTRATION CARD FOR YOUR EQUIPMENT AND REQUEST FOR INFORMATION Your distributor from whom you purchased your equipment is responsible for the registration of your Limited Warranty with the factory. Any information or questions you may have concerning your equipment or this Limited Warranty may likewise be secured from the factory. This Limited Warranty will give you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state.